"The Town Council urgently requests you not to waste your

"night, as this prevents house-holders on the higher sections "of the town getting sufficient water for domestic purposes. "Persons having leaky taps are requested to have them made "tight at once. While the Council understand the conditions "in many dwellings caused by the "Great Explosion," at the "same time feel that steps should be taken to stop the great "waste of water caused by taps constantly running. The "Plumbing Inspector will inspect dwellings with a view to "having the waste stopped. Your co-operation in this matter "is earnestly requested. The Council have taken steps to "improve the supply, work for which will be done as soon as

"water supply by allowing taps to run continuously day or

"It can be considering the severe winter weather now prevailing.

E. F. WILLIAMS, Mayor.

"Dar.tmouth, Feb. 8, 1918." Extracted from 101-1A, Dartmouth Town Council Minutes, 1918-02-05, p.1-7, Halifax Municipal Archives

THE DARTHOUTH MANUFACTURING COMPANY, claiming ownership

of the "Gun" off the S.S. "Mont Blanc" cast by the "Great

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1918-02-05, p.1-7, Halifax Municipal Archives

Explosion" on their land, which they offered as a gift to the Town provided same was put on some site within the Town. On

motion,

"RESOLVED, That their writer be informed that it was the intention of the Council to preserve the "Gun" referred to as suggested by them: "

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