

CHURCH UNION.

SLIGHT ALTERATION MADE IN PHRASING OF SOME ARTICLES.

Supernatural Sticks—All Other Difficulties Have Been Overcome—Plea for Church Union by Principal Patrick.

Toronto, Sept. 14.—The consideration of the report of the sub-committee on doctrine occupied all the time of the joint committee on church union in its session yesterday morning and also in an extra session from 4 to 5.30 o'clock in the afternoon. The sub-committee on administration continues to be the one where the greatest problem faces the delegates. The difficulty that confronts them in harmonizing the Presbyterian voluntary system of superannuation, which the Congregationalists most closely resemble, with the compulsory plan of the Methodist for ministers and congregations is still unsolved. However, the committee are hopeful of finding some "via media" to settle this one question of special trouble.

The sub-committee on polity is making satisfactory progress and has nearly finished its work. The sub-committee on the ministry has completed its report. No radical changes have been made. The report is ready for submission to the General Committee.

The report of the sub-committee on doctrine has been nearly all dealt with. In fact, its reception as a whole was carried at yesterday afternoon's session, and article II, alone remains to be reconsidered. Its subject is "Revelation," and some slight change in the wording has been suggested but not settled.

A slight modification was made in article V, "Of the Sin of Man." Its scope being made larger and its wording more simple. Apart from these, nothing of any moment has been changed. Articles I, III, and IV, of the Statement of Doctrine, as already published, were practically agreed to, with a few slight alterations. These articles treat "Of the Divine Purpose," "Of the Divine Word," and "Of Creation and Providence."

Articles VI to XII, were substantially adopted as published. These treat "Of the grace of God," "Of the Lord Jesus Christ," "Of the Holy Spirit," "Of regeneration," "Of faith and repentance," "Of justification and sanctification," and "Of the Christian's life."

A prolonged discussion took place over article XIII, with reference to "the law of God." It was finally adopted, laying emphasis upon the fulfillment of the law in the life and teaching of our Lord and at the same time its binding character upon all people.

The remaining articles, XIV, to XIX, were all adopted practically as already published. The subjects of which they treat are the following: "Of the Church," "Of the Sacraments," "Of the Ministry," "Of church order and fellowship," "Of the resurrection, the last judgment, and the future life," and "Of Christian service and the final triumph."

The sub-committee on polity concluded its work last night. All conclusions were reached with remarkable unanimity. The committee dealing with administration of the churches held another session last night, but did not come to any conclusion.

At the supper last evening, tendered by the ladies of the Metropolitan Church to the delegates, at which Dr. Carman presided, Principal Patrick, who was the chief speaker, made a powerful plea for church union. He declared that the organic union of the churches is not to be obstacles to union were found not to exist as such at all. No differences in doctrine or in church government or in practice stood in the way as impassable barriers. In theology, polity and administration, the negotiating bodies are found to be practically one. The only thing, said Dr. Patrick, that could now keep the three denominations apart would be personal feeling, petty jealousies, prejudices. He appealed most earnestly for unity, and to that end for the sinking of personal animosities. He declared that under the influence that has surrounded the men representing the churches in this joint committee, the union would be speedily and happily consummated. Principal Patrick expressed the hope that all the ministers would place the matter fairly before their congregations.

Rev. Hugh Peck, of Montreal, seconded Principal Patrick's speech in a hearty declaration of a similar nature, emphasizing the desire for the acceptance of union by all the people in the same spirit as that which characterizes their negotiating representatives.

Mr. Edwards, on behalf of the ladies, to whom thanks were expressed by the previous speakers, and partly in the way of emphasis of the common hope for a happy consummation of the labors of the committee.

NOT ORDINARY PALMISTS.

Magistrate Denison Gives Exhibition Hand-Readers a Special Standing.

Toronto, Sept. 14.—"Lots of people go there for mischief and fun," said Magistrate Denison, yesterday, after hearing the case of fortune-telling against Rosa Hynes, Alice Northcote and Jennie Belmont. "It is amusement for the people. It is no evidence of deceit. I'll remand the defendants till called on."

The defendants made a concession on the "Midway," at the Exhibition, outside of which the following sign was displayed: "Step inside and have your hand read by scientific palmistry for ten cents. They did a thriving business, and the morality department had an idea, the three women were deceiving the people, as Policemen Irwin and Chapman were sent up to have their hands read.

Policeman Irwin said one of the women looked at him through a magnifying glass and gave him a flattering character. She also told him he would have no more worry in life.

"These people are not like the ordinary person coming in and setting up in business on their own responsibility," said the Magistrate. "They paid \$500 for their concession at the Exhibition," and he couldn't agree to the taking of money from these people and then fining them for what they were doing.

Big Game.

Not in deer, but in workmen's goods. Working shirts 50c up. Shoes \$1.25 up. Pants \$1 up. Railroad men's goods a specialty.—M. Kennedy, 246 James street north and 148 John street south.

Manconi Coming to Canada.

London, Sept. 13.—Signor Marconi, interviewed on his departure for Canada on the Virginian, reiterated his statement that in a few weeks he would be able to dispatch wireless messages from Canada to Ireland, and vice versa.

Mr. T. A. Snider has been appointed County Treasurer of Haldimand.

HIGH TREASON.

Fourteen Russians Arrested for Telling Military Secrets.

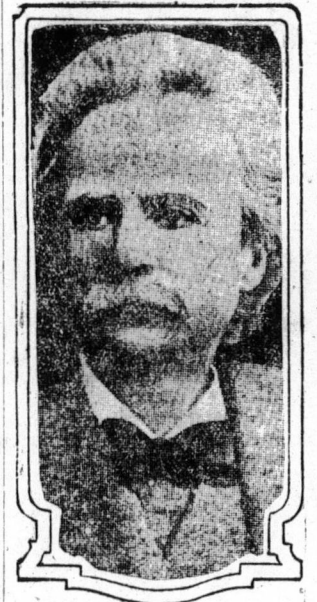
Coblenz, Prussia, Sept. 13.—Further arrests have been made in connection with the extensive betrayal of military secrets previously referred to in these despatches. There are now fourteen persons in custody, of whom twelve, including four civilians, one of whom it is said belongs to the nobility, will be charged with high treason. In the meantime all the prisoners are kept in closest confinement. The two who will not be arraigned on the charge of high treason will appear as witnesses for the state, but they will not be released before the trial, which in all probability will be held in secret.

THE DOCTORS

Want to Isolate Meningitis Cases—Officers Elected.

Montreal, Sept. 13.—The Canadian Medical Association decided to hold its next annual convention at Ottawa. At to-day's meeting a resolution was adopted urging boards of health to take measures for the isolation of all cases of meningitis as a contagious disease. The association also elected officers, as follows: President, Dr. F. Montzambert, Ottawa; Secretary, Dr. George Elliott, Toronto; Treasurer, Dr. H. B. Small, Ottawa, the latter two being re-elected. The provincial vice-president for Ontario is Dr. W. H. B. Atkins, Toronto. The provincial secretary for Ontario is Dr. Mackney, Ottawa.

EDUARD GRIEG.



Creator of distinctly Norwegian music, the great composer died recently. He wrote the "Peer Gynt" music, used by Mansfield in Ibsen's play of that name. Some of his melodic departures are bolder than Wagner's, and he is said by admirers to have spoken the last word in modulation, or the changing from one key to another.

Changes in C. P. R. Muskoka Schedule.

The "Lakeland Limited" northbound at 11.30 a. m. will make the last trip from Toronto this season Saturday, Sept. 14th, and the "Queen City Flyer" southbound at 1 p. m. will make its last trip from Bala on Monday, the 18th. On the new schedule trains will leave Toronto for Bala and Muskoka Lakes at 9 a. m. and for Craighurst at 6.15 p. m., southbound leaving Craighurst at 7.45 a. m. and Bala at 5.40 p. m. All daily except Sunday. Further information desired can be obtained at C. P. R. city ticket office, King and James streets.

CHANCELLOR BOYD.

Toronto, Ont., Sept. 13.—Chancellor Boyd has not resumed his position on the bench at the close of the long vacation. He is recuperating at Georgian Bay, and it was stated to-day he would not assume his duties for a little time yet. In the meantime the Chancellor's place will be filled by Mr. Justice Clute.

MOB KILLS WIFE SLAYER.

Citizens Punish Man Who Shot His Wife Through Jealousy.

Weatherford, Okla., Sept. 13.—Crazed by jealousy and ignoring the plea of his little daughter, who was clinging to his knees, Lee Leedy, proprietor of a hotel here, fired three shots into his wife's body yesterday, killing her instantly. Two hours later Leedy was shot and killed by a mob of citizens. He was surrounded in a canyon a mile from town. After the inquest the coroner's jury waited upon S. D. Fry, a piano tuner, and ordered him to leave town.

A BIGAMIST AT 17.

That is the Charge Against a Young Jew—Both Women Over 30.

New York, Sept. 13.—Harry Grossman, 17 years old, of 22 Seel street, Brooklyn, was in the Essex Market court yesterday charged with bigamy. He married two women in a little over a month, both over 30 years old. One has a boy 10 years old.

Rabbi Ignatz Stein married Grossman and Bettie Hausman on June 2 last. Grossman is accused of having married Jose Mattsch before a notary on July 10. His first wife found out about his marriage and made the complaint against him. Grossman was held in \$1,500 for a hearing.

STRANGLED HER CHILDREN.

Mother Feared Her Husband Would Take Them From Her.

Johnstown, Pa., Sept. 13.—Martha and Catherine, two small children, of Mrs. Catherine Thomas, an inmate of the Cambria County Alms-house were found dead in their beds to-day, having been strangled by their mother. She confessed later, saying that she was afraid her husband, who is serving a term in the workhouse for alleged non-support, would take them from her.

LONDON'S BISHOP.

SPEAKS ELOQUENTLY OF HIS MISSION WORK IN LONDON.

Brilliant Assemblage Greeted the Distinguished Prelate—Vivid Picture of the Conditions of London Life—Character of the Church's Work.

Toronto, Sept. 14.—Toronto welcomed the Bishop of London last night with all the impressiveness and enthusiasm that spring from loyalty to a great church, from recognition of a high and dignified office and from appreciation of a great personality. Not since the opening ceremony has the magnificent Convocation Hall of the university held such a brilliant assemblage as that which greeted the distinguished prelate. When he stepped on to the platform Bishop Ingram was received with cheers, which were renewed in greater volume when he rose to speak. In his address, which was lit up by flashes of sparkling humor, he drew a vivid picture of the conditions under which the Church of England is working in the heart of the Empire, and showed how the church is meeting the difficulties which surround it. Overcrowding, the great and persistent influx of people from the country, the ravages of death, the temptations, the adverse influences at work among the people of the east end, were all touched upon, and then he proceeded to indicate the character of the work of the church and the steps that were being taken to combat the evils he had mentioned. Among those prominent on the platform were Premier Whitney, Mayor Coatsworth, Rev. Principal MacLaren, Bishop Scadding of Oregon, Bishop Thornloe of Algoma and Dr. DuMoulin, Bishop of Niagara.

The first of the difficulties with which they had to deal in London was the rapid increase of the population, the bishop said. They were living like sardines in a sardine box already, but when they came pouring in at the rate of 100,000 a year he did not know where to put them. When he told his hearers that the heart of the Empire had increased one and a half millions in forty years they would perhaps understand what sometimes got between him and his night's rest. When they had that great crowd crammed into that small space one of the worst results was the terrible overcrowding. They would not understand the problem unless they realized that in hundreds of their homes in the heart of the Empire there were a father and mother and six children in one tiny room in which to sit and sleep. Did they see how that drove the boys into the streets and the girls into the houses for drink, how the children saw things they never should see and heard things they ought not to hear? His wonder was that his boys and girls grew up in these districts as good and pure as they did.

There was waiting among these six millions of people grown up 100,000 every year the most terrible temptation for the young, temptation backed up by millions of money freely spent in the devil's work, and consequently, as representative of the hosts of God, the church had to mine and countermine and plan and scheme with the same skill with which the devil was scheming and ruining God's children.

Then the deaths of London. Did they realize that someone died in London every eight minutes? Sometimes he found it difficult to do his work with a merry heart in that great undercurrent of tragedy in the great city.

The bishop next touched on the work of the Socialists and Secularists in London, and spoke of his own efforts to counteract their influence. He told of how after listening to the Secularists in Hyde Park he asked an opportunity to reply; how he was allowed ten minutes while the Secularists themselves took three-quarters of an hour; how he set up a platform of his own adjoining that of the Secularists, and how his efforts were appreciated.

"I am not one of those who believe in short cuts to reunion," said Bishop Ingram in dealing with the manner in which the various denominations worked together in London. He had conferred to-day on the matter in Montreal, when he had said that he did not believe in attempts for reunion, short cuts, which would make them lose their apostolic order.

"What is the old Church doing to deal with these tremendous problems? I will tell you," said the Bishop, and then he explained how under him in his great diocese he had 2,000 clergy, a great number of licensed lay readers, and 50,000 voluntary workers. It was the old but not worn-out parochial system by which they carried on their work. In that great fight what they trusted in more than anything else was devoted, faithful, devoted parish priests, working in the slums and tolling year after year. Sometimes he got a little impatient, hearing everybody else in the world prayed for, and those men forgotten.

In conclusion, his Lordship said he had two requests to make. One was that in their prayers they would think of those in London and their difficult task in the old country. They were longing to make of London something of which the empire would be proud. They wanted to make it pure and clean; to send out from the heart fresh life. "I have," he said, "set my heart on making London the missionary heart of the whole world, and therefore remember in your prayers to pray that health and guidance may be given me to carry out that difficult work."

Bishop DuMoulin, in moving a vote of thanks to his Lordship, dwelt upon the great charm of his personality.

They who had formed their impressions from reading saw the old country in a fog and thought that infidelity walked blatant throughout the land. The Bishop of London had, however, by his words of fire, shown them that the Church was still going forward with the great work of Christianity.

Hon. J. P. Whitney briefly seconded the vote of thanks, and the meeting ended with the singing of the National Anthem.

Bishop Ingram's Optimism.

"Oh, it is a glorious thing to be alive in the world to-day." "Instead of allowing the Church to die in its dignity, let us take our coats off, go into the streets and do anything to bring the Gospel home to the people."

"I have set my heart upon making the Diocese of London the most missionary diocese in the whole world."

"I do not think it is possible for a bad play to live in London for a week."

"We representatives of the hosts of God must plan and scheme with the same ardor as the devil does."

"We are trying in London to give the poor a good time."

"I would like to send over some of our little weakened fellows in the East-end to reveal in your broad Canadian prairies."

"I wonder sometimes how my boys and girls in London grow up as pure and as good as they do."

"Atheist lecturers used to depict me as the Rev. Mr. Stiggins, Well, Rev. Mr. Stiggins had to do his best."

"I am not one of those who believe in short cuts to church union."

BRAVE WOMAN.

SERVICE OF SILVER PLATE FOR A CANADIAN HEROINE.

United States Government Gracefully Rewards the Bravery of Woman Who Brought Aid to Seamen—Rewards Also for Crew.

Ottawa, Sept. 13.—The Department of Marine and Fisheries has been advised that graceful recognition has been made by the United States Government of the heroic action of the Grace Darling of British Columbia, Mrs. Patterson, wife of the light keeper at Cape Beale, on the southwest point of Vancouver Island. The bravery of the officers and men of the Government steamer Quadra was also recognized.

In December last the United States Barquentine Coloma was wrecked near Cape Beale. The Coloma was outward bound, with a cargo of lumber, when she was dismasted in a heavy gale, and the vessel became a helpless derelict, with Capt. Allison and nine men huddled on the poop. Towards morning, on Dec. 7th, Mrs. Minnie Patterson, wife of the light keeper, sighted the helpless vessel being driven ashore within two miles of the Cape Beale light. Fearing that the men would all be lost if her husband, Thomas Patterson, should go with a message of help, the telegraph wires being down, Mrs. Patterson started for help, leaving her husband to render any assistance that he could.

In a heavy storm, which felled great trees and made the trail difficult, and, at times, almost impassable, Mrs. Patterson made her way through the storm from Cape Beale to Banquet Bay, where the Government steamer Quadra was lying at anchor. She reached the house of Mr. McKay, almost exhausted, and with Mrs. McKay got a boat out and started to row to the Quadra. Captain Hackett, of the Quadra, was met coming ashore to start on a shooting expedition. He returned on board his vessel, and proceeded around Cape Beale, and soon sighted the Coloma, which had drifted further off shore. A boat was lowered when the Quadra neared the Coloma, and Chief Officer McDonald and Seamen Fisher, Cox, Roche and Evans went over and took off Capt. Allison and the Coloma's crew.

The United States Government has presented a handsome piece of silver plate to Mrs. Patterson for her splendid work. Handsome gold watches and chains, suitably engraved, go to Captain Charles Hackett, master of the Government steamer Quadra, and Chief Officer McDonald, and gold medals suitably engraved, to the four seamen of the vessel.

EXPLOSION AT FARNHAM, QUE.

Thirty Pounds of Powder Blows Up in C. P. R. Freight Shed.

Farnham, Que., Sept. 13.—About 7.30 this morning an explosion of about 30 pounds of powder took place in the Canadian Pacific freight shed at Farnham, injuring severely the freight porter, Morrison, burning his face, body and hands. He was immediately taken to the hospital, where he was promptly attended to by Dr. Slack. The explosion, which was heard from a considerable distance, did not do much damage to the building or its contents, and the cause of the accident is unknown. The fire brigade were called to the scene, but their services were not required.

NOW SERIOUSLY ILL.

Kingston Boy Bitten by Bulldog Removed to Hospital.

Kingston, Ont., Sept. 13.—Edward McCammon, Portsmouth, so seriously bitten by a bulldog while in swimming on Tuesday afternoon, was taken seriously ill last evening. He was removed to the hospital at Rockwood, where he is under a doctor's care. It is feared that serious results may develop from the wounds inflicted.

FELL FORTY FEET.

Regis Afude, of Montreal, Sustains Very Serious Injuries.

Montreal, Sept. 13.—While at work on the new Royal Bank building, St. James street, to-day, a workman named Regis Afude, fell a distance of forty feet. He was picked up in an unconscious condition and taken to the General Hospital, where he was examined. It was found that he had sustained internal injuries, the fracture of his collar bone and several ribs. He is in a critical condition.

WIFE ACCUSED OF MURDER.

Arrested on Suspicion of Shooting Husband.

Calgary, Sept. 13.—Following the shooting of Owen Fetterman, near Nanton, who some time ago was shot on the side of the head one morning while lying in bed, his wife was yesterday arrested and brought to Calgary on a charge of committing the deed.

Sir Charles and Lady Tupper have arrived at Montreal from England.

MONDAY, SEPT. 16TH, 1907

SHEA'S MONDAY BARGAIN DAY

SOME ROUSING BARGAINS

For Monday's Selling in Wanted Goods

New autumn materials on sale Monday in this busy store at prices that mean real money-saving to you. Seasonable new goods in every department at cut prices for our Bargain Day's selling. Fall Mantles and Suits at unusual prices. New Blouses and Underwear at special figures, and many snaps for the thrifty housekeeper in our large staple department. Wash Goods and Summer Blouses at half price.

Mantle Cloths at Half Price

On Monday we will give you the benefit of a very special purchase of manufacturers' ends of beautiful Blouses, Cheviots, Whippersnaps and Wool Tweeds.

At 50c Per Yard

Coat Lengths in Wool Tweeds, Friezes and Cheviots, worth \$1.00 per yard, for 50c

At 75c Per Yard

Silk Finished Beaver Cloths, large checked Tweeds, Panamas, Serges and Basket Weaves, worth \$1.50 and \$2.00 per yard, for 75c

At \$1.00 Per Yard

Silk Beavers, Irish Friezes and hand-made light Tweeds, as well as many fine cloths, worth \$2.00 and \$2.25 per yard, Monday \$1.00

Dress Goods Specials

Amazon Cloths, in beautiful new autumn shades, firm weave and elegant finish, very special 35c per yard

Plaids for Children

A full range of new Plaids, showing all the principal clans, splendid quality, per yard Monday 25c

Taffettine for Lining

We carry a first class quality Taffettine, our own importation, in all the newest shades, at 25c per yard

White Lawn Waists 25c

For early shoppers, we will place on sale Monday a table of Lawn Waists, lace and embroidery trimmed and neatly made, worth 75c, for each 25c

Flannelette Night Gowns

Well made Night Dresses, white and colored, full trimming and good full skirts, all sizes 59c each

Tweed Suits \$4.95

On sale Monday, made of good quality Tweed and beautifully tailored, broad trimmed, worth regularly \$10.00 Monday \$4.95

New Fall Coats

12 only Covert Cloth Coats in tan, and black, loose and tight fitting, all smart stylish coats, worth \$8, on sale Monday \$5

Ladies' Skirts Reduced

New Autumn Skirts made of Venetian Cloth, Tweeds and fine Meltons, plaited panel, and trimmed with bias folds, worth \$4, Monday \$2.95

Infants' Coats

Made of White Bearskin, and lined throughout, neatly trimmed, just a small picked up lot, on sale Monday \$1.95

Batistes at 5c Per Yard

Very fine Batistes, 33 inches wide, in a large variety of colors, a beautiful weave, and well worth 15c per yard, at \$30 Monday 5c

Ends of Roman Satin

In light and dark colors, in good weight, with rich lustre, worth 18c per yard, for 9 1/2c

Embroidered Handkerchiefs

Made of fine lawn, ladies' size, neat patterns, regular 15 and 20c, Monday 10c ea.

A Belt Special

A large assortment of Plain and Fancy Belts, in silk, leather and linen, regularly 25 and 35c, on sale for, each 14c

Cuts in Staple Department

A line of first quality Table Damasks, bleached and unbleached, 64 inches wide, fine, firm linen, and a bargain at 49c per yard

Cream Table Cloths

12 dozen Table Cloths, unbleached, 64 x 64, very good quality, and handsome designs, worth 35c, on sale for 25c each

Unbleached Sheetting

72-inch Sheetting, entirely without dressing, good, even thread, worth 25c, per yard, Monday 19c

Mill Ends

Of Flannelette, Factory and Apron Gingham, worth 10c per yard, Monday 7c

Hosiery Specials

WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S PLAIN BLACK CASHMERE HOSE, all-wool, double soles, spliced heels, regularly 30c per pair, for 19c

FINE COTTON HOSE, with double soles, fast black, all sizes, regularly 10c, Monday 2 pair for 25c

Glove Bargains

Lisle Thread Gloves, in elbow length, musceteer wrist, in champagne and black, worth 60c, Monday 3 pair for 19c

Lisle Thread and Silk

GLOVES, in black, white and grey, wrist length, extra fine quality, all sizes, regularly 35 and 50c per pair, Monday 19c

Wash Collars Half Price

Dainty Lawn and China Silk Collars, slightly mussed from handling, regular 25c, Monday 3 for 25c

Poor in Spirit

It takes years to unearth the treasure of love. It is a new continent, the resources untold, the full, bustling mountains undevoted.

Our America has been dug for several centuries and it has only been scratched on the surface.

Although our steel and iron output ranks with the foremost nations, yet the largest iron regions are unmined.

"The big west is money unmined. The south only is compelling to begin to mine itself."

Into the kingdoms of love we human beings are coming like the pilgrim fathers on the shores of the untamed America.

We cannot compute the wealth of our new ready for the exploiting.

The longer we live in our hearts the more we explore them, the bigger our findings. We may talk mechanically of love and its power and charm, but we only begin to understand it as we dig deep into our hearts and unearth their living gold.

We must use our love in order to learn what it will pay.

It goes for it. It does so much. It makes straight so many crooked places. It ramifies in a thousand unimagined ways and develops, breaks, deepens, purifies, enriches, refines, interweaves upon itself in delicate complexities the simpler, cruder love could never reach.

It develops like a modern industry out of a primitive handicraft. Like a teeming United States out of a barren new world.

It envelopes our heart with spiritual luxuries. It gives us our heartbeats. And then we are spiritually rich.

And it can become philanthropic of the best to the commonest of our charity for covering the spiritually poor.

And thereby we shall wax all the richer.

CHATHAM ROWDIES SCARE CHINESE

They Broke in Doors and Windows of Premises.

Chatham, Ont., Sept. 13.—The Asiatic disturbance in Vancouver is having its effect in Chatham. Last night several men, who were sympathizers with the rioters of the western province, demonstrated their sympathy by conducting a small campaign against the Chinese of the Main City.

Two Celestials were attacked with stones and bricks, and although there were no serious results, the police were notified, and were forced to lead their protective aid to the Chinese, who were considerably alarmed and excited over the affair.

The identity of the men is still unknown as the police are unable to get any definite clues from the Chinese attacked. The Orientals' premises supply the only evidence to hand. Doors were smashed in and windows broken. One of the Chinese had a very narrow escape from being seriously injured by a stone, which was hurled through his door.