

ECONOMIC CONFERENCE HAS SAFELY PASSED ANOTHER CRISIS IN DELIBERATIONS

German Delegation Decides Not to Reply to Note of Ten Powers Stipulating That They Reserved Right to Declare Null and Void Any Clause in Russo-German Treaty—Germans to Settle Privately Differences Between Barthou and Dr. Wirth.

Genoa, April 23—Another crisis in the Economic Conference was passed tonight when the German delegation announced, after a long session of its delegates and frequent communications with the Russians and Italians, that the Germans would not reply to the note of the ten powers today stipulating that the signatories "expressly reserve for their governments the right to declare null and void any clause in the Russo-German treaty which may be recognized as contrary to existing treaties."

The German delegation also decided to settle by private negotiations the differences between M. Barthou, head of the French delegation, and the German Chancellor, Dr. Wirth, which arose through M. Barthou's written charge last that the Germans had made untruthful statements.

Prime Minister Facta and Foreign Minister Sennaro, of the Italian delegation, are believed to have been responsible for this peaceful settlement of what threatened to be a hopeless barrier to real progress in the conference on economic and financial work.

Text of Allied Note.

The text of the note, sent the chairman of the German delegation today after the meeting of the delegates of the ten powers signatory to the Versailles Treaty, which was convened to discuss the French protest against the German note of April 21, follows:

"The undersigned desire to acknowledge the receipt of your reply to their note of April 18, indicating the attitude that they felt bound to adopt in view of the treaty concluded by the German and Russian delegations.

"They note, with satisfaction, that the German delegation realizes the condition of a separate treaty with Russia, on matters falling within the purview of this conference, renders undesirable that that delegation should participate in the further discussion of the conditions of an agreement between Russia and the various countries represented in the conference.

"The undersigned would have preferred to refrain from further correspondence on the subject. There are, however, certain statements in your letter which they feel it their duty to correct.

"You have stated that the German delegation has been forced to conclude a separate agreement with Russia by the refusal of the members of the delegations of the inviting powers to consider the proposals formulated by their experts in London would have created for Germany.

German Misstatements.

"The undersigned representatives of the inviting powers, have made inquiries of the members of their respective delegations and find no shadow of justification for the statement.

"On various occasions, members of the German delegation have met and talked with members of the delegations of the inviting powers; but never had it been afforded no basis for discussion in the conference, and that the German delegation was wont to conclude a separate treaty with Russia.

"The allegation that the informal discussions with the Russians on the subject of recognition of debts exposed the delegation to the risk of being confronted with a scheme acceptable to Germany, but already approved by a majority of the members of the Commission, is equally unfounded. No scheme would, or could, have been accepted by the conference without the fullest opportunity for discussion in competent committees and sub-committees; and in these Germany was represented on a footing of equality with the other powers.

"A misconception of the scope of the expert's proposals or a misunderstanding of the informal conversations with the Russians, might well have justified a request for full discussion in the committee of the conference. They can provide no justification for the action which now has been taken, and the undersigned can only regret that your note should have attempted in this way to impose on the other powers the responsibility for proceeding no contrary to the spirit of legal co-operation which is essential to the restoration of Europe.

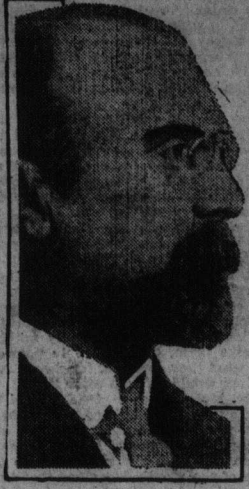
"The undersigned expressly reserve for their governments the right to declare null and void any clause in the Russo-German treaty which may be recognized as contrary to existing treaties. The incident may now be regarded as closed."

The note is signed by the representatives of the big and small ententes and Portugal.

LORD MOUNTBATTEN DIED SUDDENLY

London, April 23—Lord Leopold Mountbatten, youngest son of Princess Beatrice and the late Prince Henry of Battenberg, and brother of Queen Victoria of Spain, died today. Lord Mountbatten underwent an operation on Saturday and failed to rally. He was fifty-three years old and served throughout the European war.

BARTHOU LEADS FIGHT ON RUSS PLANS AT GENOVA



LOUIS BARTHOU.

Louis Barthou is the rock on which the Genoa Economic Conference almost built in its early sessions. Barthou clashed with George Tchischerin, Russian delegate, over the latter's plans for disarmament discussion. Only intervention by Premier Facta of Italy, president of the Conference, saved the situation.

SHOCKING FATALITY ON THE MIRAMICHI

Young Man, Caught Among Logs When Landing Gave Way, Has Back Broken.

Newcastle, April 23—A shocking fatality occurred on the Sinclair drive, in the North West Miramichi, yesterday afternoon, through which Philip Saunders Hutchinson, of Strathadam, lost his life. The unfortunate young man was adding logs off the landing when it gave way and he was precipitated down the steep bank with the pile of logs.

He was picked up in an unconscious condition and hurried to the Miramichi Hospital, Newcastle, where it was found he had sustained a broken back, and he passed away early this morning without regaining consciousness.

The young man was only twenty-seven years of age. A sad part of the happening is that he had only been at work three days when the accident occurred. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hutchinson and is survived by them and the following brothers and sisters: John, Bessie and Frank, and Mrs. James Keyes, of Newcastle, Mrs. Percy Walsh, of Whitney, and the late Margaret, Dora, Della, Merle and Leila, all at home.

The funeral will be held Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock to Red Bank.

\$500,000 BEQUEST FAILED TO ARRIVE

North Bay Man Now in Police Court on Charge of False Pretences.

North Bay, Ont., April 23—J. H. Cotter, who two weeks ago caused a local sensation by announcing that he had fallen heir to \$500,000, the bequest of a deceased uncle at Lawton, Mass., was yesterday committed for trial in the local police court on a charge of obtaining a car on false pretences. Cotter still claims to have the money coming to him, although he has not yet produced documentary evidence to prove his statements.

FATAL ACCIDENT AT McADAM JCT.

Section Man Run Over by Van, Receiving Injuries Resulting in Death.

Special to The Standard. St. Stephen, April 23—A young man by name of Frank Goetz met with a serious accident at McAdam Junction yesterday. He was working on the section in the McAdam yard and stepped onto one track to avoid an approaching train, and stepped on to another track when a van, which was being kicked in, struck him running over his legs and crushing them badly.

He was brought to St. Stephen on a special train and was rushed to the Chipman Hospital where it was found that he was badly injured. He died in the hospital after a short illness. He was a son of David Scott of St. Croix.

DEMAND \$100 AN HOUR

Boston, April 23—Union bricklayers today made a demand for a dollar an hour wage, effective next Monday. The present rate is 90 cents.

GEORGE B. JONES WON BATTLE FOR KINGS-QUEENS

Through His Efforts Thousands of Dollars Saved to Constituency of Royal.

RECTIFIED NEGLECT OF TWO GOV'TS

By Apparent Design Federal and N. B. Gov'ts Discriminated Against Farmers of a Royal.

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, April 23—Neglect on the part of the Federal Government and New Brunswick Provincial Government, amounting to unfair discrimination against the farmers and people generally living along the line of the Canadian National Railways between St. John and Moncton, has been rectified through the immediate intervention of George B. Jones, Conservative member for Royal, and through his efforts thousands of dollars have been saved to the people living in one of the most prosperous agricultural communities of the Province.

When farmers and merchants in this district began importing their seed grains and feed this winter they found to their astonishment that the Government had neglected to include them in the reduced freight rate schedule applying to other parts of the Province.

Jones' Vigorous Action. Their appeal to Mr. Jones, and his vigorous action, has resulted in an extension of the favored schedules which become effective April 18. When Mr. Jones first took the matter up with officials of the Railway Department at St. John, he was bluntly informed by A. J. Gray, assistant general freight agent, that the reduced rates did not apply to points in his constituency, and that the territory covered was only from Campbellton to Moncton, inclusive. Favored branch lines from Beauséjour to Tracadie, Loggieville to Fredericton, Moncton to Beauséjour and Paines Junction to Point du Chêne, these railways, it will be noted, are in his constituency.

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DOYLE'S LECTURE LED TO SUICIDE

Aged Man After Reading Sir Conan's Dissertation on Death "Turns on the Gas."

Toronto, April 23—Gas oozing from a room in a lodging house along this morning led to the discovery of Percy Brown, aged 78, dead in bed, while on a chair beside the bed lay a clipping from a newspaper containing a report of Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's lecture headed, "Death is Beautiful and Without Any Sense of Pain." With the clipping was left a note which ran in part: "I am 78 and blind, or very nearly so, and if this clipping is true why should I linger here?" The doors and windows were found plugged and the gas jet turned on.

BURNING AIRPLANE CRASHED TO EARTH

Pilot and Passenger Were Burned Beyond Recognition—Hundreds Witnessed Accident.

Hathors, Pa., April 23—Two men were burned to death at the Washington-tying field today, when their airplane burst into flames at an altitude of about 750 feet and crashed to earth. The victims, Charles Vanderveer, former army pilot, and Harry I. Schaeffer, of Philadelphia, a passenger, were burned beyond recognition. More than 100 spectators witnessed the accident.

MANSON HALL IS DESTROYED BY FIRE

Carroll-on-Shannon, Ireland, April 23—The magnificent Manson Hall, known as Lodge No. 854, was completely destroyed by fire early this morning. The townpeople were awakened by a series of explosions, and when they rushed out of their homes they found the hall in flames and a number of empty petrol cans near by.

SUCCESSFUL SHOW

Moncton, N. B., April 23—The Moncton Motor Show which was closed Saturday night, was successfully reopened today made a demand for a dollar an hour wage, effective next Monday. The present rate is 90 cents.

AUGUST BRITISH STATESMEN PLAY AT CUPID'S OWN GAME OF LOVE



Upper left, Lady Rachel Cavendish; right, Lady Elizabeth Boves-Lyon; lower left, Lady Mary Thynne; right, Lady Doris Gordon-Lennox.

London, April 23—Dignified members of the House of Commons and some dignified members of the House of Lords are scratching their collective heads and pondering over a very important question of state.

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GROUESOME FIND AT MARYSVILLE

Two Boys Find Body of Male Infant Buried in Sand Pile.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, April 23—The Town of Marysville says it has been notified by the coroner of the discovery of two boys, early Saturday afternoon, of the body of a male infant in a sand pile on the eastern side of the town. The boys were Walter and Roy Day, aged ten and nine years, who lived a few yards from the spot where the body was found. They made the discovery at about 1.30 and Town Marshall Armstrong was summoned. The child's body was wrapped in an apron or similar garment. The place is at the rear of a row of dwellings and is much frequented by children. Residents of the locality are positive that the body was not there before Friday night.

MONASTIR DISASTER MUCH EXAGGERATED

London, April 23—A Reuter despatch from Athens says it has been learned from a Serbian official source that the disaster at Monastir was much exaggerated. The number of victims was not large and there was no question of foul play.

STRIKERS' FAMILIES ORDERED EVICTED

Morganstown, W. Va., April 23—The families of 22 union miners of the Rosedale Coal Company near here, were ordered evicted from their homes today by Magistrate G. A. Poston. A stay of ten days was granted.

METEOR STARTLES ASBURY PARK, N. J.

Asbury Park, N. J., April 23—A meteor, discharging gaseous odors, flamed through the sky to the south of here at 9 o'clock, disappearing in a thunderous roar and frightening residents of many coast towns.

WILL CONSIDER RY ESTIMATES NEXT TUESDAY

Great Interest Centering Around Discussion Sure to Follow in Commons.

BUDGET AFTER RAILWAY DEBATE

Reconstruction of Canadian Wheat Board the Cause of Grave Concern at Ottawa.

Ottawa, April 23—Great interest is centering around the forthcoming discussion on the railway estimates, which will be taken up in the House of Commons on Tuesday, according to an announcement made by the Premier. It is generally conceded that the railway estimates will occupy the better part of the week, as representatives of all three parties desire to speak on the subject.

Among members the importance of the railway estimates is only overshadowed by Hon. Mr. Fielding's forthcoming budget speech which is expected to follow shortly after the conclusion of the railway debate. At present, Mr. Fielding is busily engaged in completing his announcements, and it may be that the budget will not be brought down until the first week of May.

Private Members Day. Tomorrow, private members' day, will be largely occupied with discussion of private member resolutions, but if these are completed the House will continue in committee of supply on the main estimates of the Department of Labor.

The gravity with which the House regards the situation surrounding the proposed reconstruction of the Canada Wheat Board is evinced by the decision of the committee on agriculture and colonization to sit on Monday, and, in addition, to move the convening hour ahead from eleven o'clock to ten o'clock. The first business before the committee tomorrow will be the motion to appoint a sub-committee to confer with the law officers of the crown, wheat experts and others as to the possibility of making progress through co-operation between the provincial and federal governments.

WARING FACTIONS REACH AGREEMENT

Republican and Free State Forces Have Agreed to Cease Hostilities.

London, April 23—An agreement has been reached between the military leaders of the Republican and Free State forces in Ireland, says a despatch to the Westminster Gazette from Dublin, which will constitute the basis for peaceful arrangements in connection with the future policy of both sides, and profoundly influence events in Southern Ireland for the better.

The correspondent claims authority for this announcement, and says he understands that, in consequence of the agreement arrived at, hostilities between the rival forces are to cease, although the political issue between the two parties is not affected.

The decision, it is added, followed negotiations between the respective leaders, who have been deeply influenced by the fratricidal character of the struggle, as well as by consideration of the effects upon the national situation.

SIX HUNDRED GUESTS ROUTED BY FIRE

New Willard, at Washington, D. C., Home of Statesmen, Had Early Morning Fire.

Washington, April 23—Vice-President Coolidge, several members of the Senate and House of Representatives, and many other prominent people, were among some 600 guests of the New Willard Hotel who were routed out of their beds at an early hour this morning by a fire which swept the top floor of the ten-story projection structure at Pennsylvania Avenue and Fourteenth street. It was two hours before the firemen reported the blaze under control.

PLUNGES OVER VICTORIA BRIDGE

Man, So Far Unidentified, Jumps Into St. Lawrence River and Drowns.

Montreal, April 23—Forty-five persons watching him, a man, so far unidentified, flung himself from the Victoria bridge into the St. Lawrence River on Saturday afternoon, and after swimming for five or six minutes, disappeared from view. Attempts were made to aid him, but a sufficient long rope could not be used in time. It is believed to have been a case of insanity.

THE STANDARD'S SPORTING SECTION

Preparations For Summer's Racing Schedule Opens in Montreal Saturday, May 6—The Outlook Is Bright.

By W. J. MORRISON. Montreal, April 23.—(Written for the Standard.)—With the approach of spring comes the preparation for the summer's racing throughout the Dominion of Canada. The season, as in former years, will be inaugurated in the Province of Quebec, the first meeting being scheduled to open in Montreal on Saturday, May 6, over a week earlier than racing has ever previously started on a Canadian track.

Trojans Capture Another Game

Five Hundred Spectators Witnessed the Locals Trim St. Stephen—Score 30 to 14. Special to The Standard. St. Stephen, N. B., April 23.—The Trojan basketball team, of St. John, added another game to their list of winnings here last night, when they played the local team in the Curling rink. Over 500 people witnessed the game, which was very interesting from start to finish.

After Another World's Record Holder of Speed Boat and Cruiser Records Will Try Again in July at Ohio.

Detroit, April 23.—Gardell A. Wood, holder of a long list of speed boat and cruiser records, will try for another world's record during the annual regatta of the Inter-Lake Yacht Club at Put-In-Bay, Ohio, July 16-17, it was announced here today.

Baseball Results In Big Leagues

Table of baseball results including Saturday Games (National League, American League) and Sunday Games (American League, National League) with scores for various teams.

Dempsey Party Left For Paris

Begin a Tour of the Continent Which Will Last About a Fortnight. London, April 23.—Jack Dempsey, with Jack Kearns, his manager, and Teddy Hayes, his trainer, and two other members of his party, will leave today for Paris to begin a tour of the continent which will last for about a fortnight.

Will Attempt To Stage Fight Here

Promoters Trying to Arrange for Armories to Have Johnny Wilson Fight in St. John. According to the Boston Advertiser—Johnny Wilson—Middleweight champion of the world—left Boston for his training camp in Bedford, Mass., to prepare for a series of bouts that have been arranged by his manager Marty Killias.

Will Send A Team To Bisley

Dominion Rifle Association Team Sails from Montreal on June 24. Ottawa, April 23.—The Dominion of Canada Rifle Association has decided to send a team of twelve men and one officer to the annual competition of the National Rifle Association of Great Britain, at Bisley, England, and the team will sail from Montreal on June 24.

The Old Country Football Results

Table of football results from the Old Country, including English League, Scottish League, and other regional matches.

U.N.B. Hockey Team Captain Elected

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, N. B., April 23.—Clarence G. Jewett, of Fredericton, was elected captain of the University of New Brunswick hockey team for the season of 1922, at a meeting of the players held Friday.

REACH OFFICIAL BASEBALL GUIDE

The Standard is pleased to receive a copy of the Reach Official American League Baseball Guide for 1922 from Emerson & Fisher, local representatives for the Reach company.

ORGANIZING STAFF TO GRADE DAIRY PRODUCTS

Ottawa, April 23.—(Canadian Press.)—The Department of Agriculture and Civil Service Commission are engaged in organizing the necessary staff to carry out a general system of grading dairy products for export.

Buff And Lynch Bout Postponed

New York, April 23.—The bout between Johnny Buff and Joe Lynch for the world's bantamweight championship, which was to have been held in Madison Square Garden on May 5, was called off owing to the illness of Buff.

Syracuse Won From The English Team

Syracuse, April 23.—Syracuse University's lacrosse team yesterday defeated the Oxford-Cambridge team, 4 to 3, in a fast game. National and three American games scheduled today.

Promoting Friendly Correspondence Between School Children

Leeds, Eng., April 24.—Hearty approval of a scheme to promote friendly correspondence between school children of Leeds and those of various American cities has been given by Premier Lloyd George in a letter to James Watson, headmaster of Harcliffe Council School here, who has instituted the idea as a means of stimulating interest in composition, geography, writing and spelling.

Refuge of Rest For Soldiers Broken in War

Stockholm, April 23.—A refuge of rest and physical rehabilitation where the human wrecks of German war prisoners from Russia and Siberia may be treated and salvaged is being purchased by Miss Elsa Brandstrom, known throughout Central Europe and known as "the Angel of Siberia."

Angels of Siberia Purchase Village to Relieve Human Wrecks of German War Prisoners

They remained in Siberia till long after the world war was over and there are still thousands of them left, free to return home if they could, but they have neither the means nor the physical strength to do so.

Overcoming Friendliness

Under Mr. Watson's plan, each child has one particular correspondent, whom he or she addresses by name. The letters written in school under supervision are the unaltered work of the scholars.

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Occasionally the English children are puzzled by Americans. A reference to "Buddle" as the name of the Unknown Soldier proved difficult even for the masters, but "my teacher" as a first-class soccer ball "was" more easily interpreted.

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"Dear Unseen Friend," one letter begins "I choose Leeds because I liked it from what I have studied about it, so please let me something about your city."

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A ROTTEN CANVASS.
No despairing politician, reduced to the most desperate straits, ever put up a mossier or more dishonest canvass, than that which The Telegraph and The Times have chosen to fall back on in an effort to defeat Mayor Schofield.

THE NEW BALANCE OF POWER.
America's aloofness from European affairs, signalled by its non-participation in the Geneva Conference, has left entirely free those forces which for many centuries have tormented the continent over to rival combinations of power.

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WHAT OTHERS SAY

Benny's Note Book.
Weather. Too damp.
Sports. A chest expansion contest took place last Saturday in Sid Hunt's back yard, Pats Simkins winning it by expanding 3 inches, and stating that he's big getting around with his mother's tape measure in his pocket to prove it to people.

FIFTEEN BOILS ON NECK AT ONE TIME.
Any one who has suffered from boils can sympathize with poor old Job.
There was an Burdock Blood Bitters in those days, so Job had to suffer in silence. Now-a-days no one endures the misery of boils.

The Man With the Wrench.
When a farm hand comes along the rural highway looking for a job it is likely that he will hereafter carry a monkey wrench with him. That will be his only implement.

Homes for the Birds.
When Mr. Stewart McCleanagh conceived the idea a year ago of offering a series of prizes for birds' nests constructed by boys and girls, the sixteen years ago, he started something that was well worth while.

THE UNION.
The regrouping of Europe into antagonistic alliances is inevitable if the unification principle of Wilson's doctrine of world co-operation is to be imperative. For the conditions which have always made the balance of power principle dominant must continue to make it dominant so long as those conditions prevail.

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Benny's Note Book

Public Ownership Goss Mad.
(Financial Post).
An outline of the power situation in St. John, N. B., has been given in The Financial Post; the city proposes to go into the distribution business with a duplicating system, forcing the N. B. Power Company to continue to give street car and gas service at losing rates while competing in the lighting and power field and to not only take these things in the street of the service not being satisfactory but to subsidize the properties to cover any deficits which may result from manufacturing operation.

THE MAN WITH THE HOE.
The man with the hoe is something of an antique. We see the sulky cultivator in the corn field, and the hay loader wags his arms at us from the hay field. Nobody goes down the well to see what the matter down there is.

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Weddings

Bullhead-Stuyvesant, April 23.—A wedding of much local interest took place in Quebec city on Wednesday last.

Coy-Edgcombe, April 23.—A wedding of more than usual interest was solemnized at Christ Church, Parish Church, Saturday afternoon.

Obituary

Miss Jane Demore Moffatt. The death took place before noon Saturday of Miss Jane Demore Moffatt, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moffatt.

Frederick C. Millidge. The death occurred suddenly on April 20 at Hazel Ridge, Manitoba, of Frederick Cecil Millidge, son of the late Thomas E. Millidge.

Kentville, April 22.—The death of Mrs. A. M. O'Key-Fitzgerald Sunday afternoon, April 16th, after an illness of ten days' duration.

St. John, April 23.—The death of Mrs. O'Key-Fitzgerald, who was born in Australia in 1846, a daughter of the late Peter King.

St. John, April 22.—A peasant handed a telegram of a few words at a branch telegraph office for his wife in New York and placed a franc on the counter for payment.

Funerals. The funeral of Mrs. William E. Long, 83 St. David street, took place Saturday afternoon.



THE MAN ON THE BED—Blime, now that I've pulled out your feathers to stuff me bed with, I wonder whether you'll go on layin' eggs. —Sydney Bulletin.

Comments Made By Mayor Schofield

Replies to Remarks Made by Hon. Mr. Robinson of Moncton — Matter of Mr. Phillips and His Taxes Explained.

Commenting on the report in the Telegraph as to the requirements of Moncton, and the remarks of the Hon. Mr. Robinson that he would be glad to show the Mayor around Moncton for half an hour and convince him that the needs of that city were much more than two million k.w.h.

With regard to the Telegraph's "boomerang" concerning Mr. Phillips and his taxes—the Mayor said that he would not for a moment have thought of introducing this subject had it not been for the fact that this gentleman was the leader of an organization to stampede the city into his way of thinking.

He is the first taxpayer that I personally, have known of who has been willing to pay a tax bill without being sure that he owed it.

So far as the Telegraph's comments are concerned, the Mayor stated that the tax records, so far as payment and non-payment are concerned, are open to every one, just the same as they are open to him, and if those who had not paid undertook to form associations for the purpose that Mr. Phillips has, he would certainly have no hesitation in publishing their names.

There is nothing official or confidential in the payment or non-payment of taxpayers' taxes.

The readers will understand that if my opponents had not attempted to discredit my statements they certainly would not have heard from me, as up to the time that both Mr. McLellan and Mr. Phillips criticized me personally.

OFFERS PRIZES FOR ESSAYS ON FOREST TOPICS

Offers Made by Frank J. Barnjum—Open to Canada and United States.

Annapolis Royal, N. S., April 22.—In order to encourage public interest in forest conservation Frank J. Barnjum, well-known lumber operator of this town, has offered a series of prizes for essays on forestry problems, and also for practical experience in reforestation.

Mr. Barnjum offers a sum of \$1,000 for a competition open to any citizen of Canada, the prizes to be divided as follows: \$500, first prize; \$250 second prize; \$150 third prize and \$100 fourth prize.

For the help and information of those who are not familiar with this particular subject Mr. Barnjum will mail his bulletins on conservation free on application.

"Owing to the tremendous devastation wrought by the spruce bud worm and forest fires," says Mr. Barnjum, "it is an matter by the urgency of the situation to make further offers applying in the provinces of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia.

Mr. Barnjum also offers a cash bonus of \$2,000 per acre to the farmers of Nova Scotia for every acre of spruce or pine seedlings planted by them on their lands this spring, no one farmer however, to be paid a bonus on more than 100 acres.

New York is in Switzerland. Geneva, April 22.—A peasant handed a telegram of a few words at a branch telegraph office for his wife in New York and placed a franc on the counter for payment.

Spiritualism Not Sweeping England, Says Lady Astor

Has Nothing to Do With Religion, She Declares—Talks Prohibition and Bonus.

New York, April 22.—Lord and Lady Astor went to the theatre tonight for their first amusement since their arrival from England on Wednesday.

This was another busy day for the vicountess. Most of the time she remained indoors at the home of her sister, Mrs. Charles Dana Gibson, who was the artist's model for the famous "Gibson Girl."

In her interview, Lady Astor made clear her opinion that home should come first with a woman and then politics, which she believed, of the extent of voting intelligently.

Learning that Lord Balfour had accepted an earldom, she said the only reason he did so was because he had become too old to labor in the House of Commons.

Jocelyne remarked that nobody in his right mind would enter the House of Lords, turning to her husband with the query: "Would it be my lord?"

Defending prohibition, Lady Astor said "let the rich drink if they want to, it would hurt no one but themselves."

SOVIET RUSSIA HAS SIGNED 75 TREATIES

List Does Not Include Several Agreements Concluded Under Duress.

Moscow, April 22.—Soviet Russia, despite its isolation, has signed 75 voluntary treaties, agreements and conventions with foreign powers since the revolution of 1917.

The treaties are arranged in three groups, the first of which were concluded with the so-called independent Soviet republics; the second with states bordering on Russia, and the third with states of Western Europe, including England and France.

The only agreement between Soviet Russia and the United States is the one signed last August with the American Relief Administration for the feeding of Russia's starving millions in the famine districts.

Twenty-one treaties are embraced in the first group between the Soviets and Armenia, Azerbaijan, Bukhara, Georgia, Ukraine, White Russia and the Far Eastern Republic.

Treaties between the Soviets and the border states comprise 31 agreements concluded with Finland, Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, Poland, Rumania, Turkey, Afghanistan, Mongolia and Persia.

The most important of these, the publication declares, is the treaty with Persia, which provides that Russia may send armed forces into Persian territory should a hostile nation at any time attempt to attack the Soviets from that quarter.

"The vote," she replied. "She contended that England was fair toward America, while many in this country attacked Britain bitterly and unsharply.

"I don't think spiritualism has got anything to do with religion," she said. "Let Sir Arthur talk spiritism, but leave religion alone. Spiritualism is not sweeping England. They are too steady a people for that."

Lady Astor expressed opposition to the bonus, but favored all possible aid to the disabled and to all ex-soldiers in the matter of finding employment for them.

"I believe in democracy, but I find it hard to find democracy," she remarked. "My husband is a real democrat, and so is Lloyd George. The heart of Lloyd George has ever been with the great majority of the people, and it always will be."

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THEIR HOMES AND DEPENDENTS

The employee who knows that his firm is protecting his family from distress in the event of his death or disability has a load lifted off his mind.

He feels more like planning ways of doing his work better, of suggesting ideas for improving the output or the product—and so increasing his own earnings by cheerful co-operation with the management.

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Advertisement for Perfect Bread White Star Yeast. ASSURED WHEN YOU USE. WHITE STAR YEAST. SIX CAKES—ONE MORE FOR YOUR MONEY. Samples Supplied on Request. Canada Spice & Specialty Mills, Ltd. St. John, N. S.—Distributors.

usually I had never add anything to discredit them. The Mayor referred to the fact that the Telegraph and Times still seemed to be keeping up the claim that he was connected with the Power Company.

There can be cheaper light and power the way suggested by the Mayor, but it is impossible to see where there is to be a cheaper light and power by civic distribution and going into business, as proposed.

Advertisement for Dr. Wilson's Herbine Bitters. Feeling Drowsy, Eh? Got that tired feeling which makes you want to sleep all the time? You're run down and must take Dr. Wilson's Herbine Bitters. The natural remedy for all common ills which so many people have at this time of the year.

Advertisement for Piles. Do not suffer necessarily with itching, burning, or protruding piles. Surgical operation required. Dr. Chase's Ointment will relieve you at once and afford lasting benefit. 60c a box, all dealers, or Edmundson, Bates & Co. Limited, Toronto. If you must mail your order enclose 25c stamp to pay postage.

Advertisement for a bottle. BOTTLE. Retains the longer than the water bag.

Advertisement with text: 11-17 King St.

Advertisement with text: LITING LITING. LIMITED. Box 702.

Advertisement for Roof. Roofing leaks, and give.

Advertisement for John, N. B. \$17.00.

Advertisement for Works, Ltd. West 598. Manager.

Advertisement for Wood-working Co., Ltd. Erin Street.

Advertisement for F. Starr, Ltd. 159 Union St.

Advertisement for S. KERR, Principals.

Advertisement for S. KERR, Principals. Plan to begin with.

Advertisement for Sunlight Soap. Purity does it. Take half a cake of Sunlight, pour it into hot water in your wash tub and stir into a rich suds. Put in the clothes and operate the washer. Later, rinse them thoroughly, and your clothes will be beautifully clean and snowy white.

Advertisement for Canada Life insurance. Includes illustrations of people in various settings: a family, a worker, a person at a desk, and a group of people. Text: A Message to Employers. It protects your employees and their dependents. It brings each home into closer touch with his family. It underlines the distress of widow and children, free from the stigma of charity.

THE STANDARD'S FINANCIAL SECTION

Week-End Realizing Sales Had Little Effect On Market

On New York Exchange Trading Most Extensive in Independent Steels.

New York, April 23.—Week-end realizing sales made little impression upon today's lively and broad stock market, in which many issues of the industrial division registered new high records for the current movement.

Trading was most extensive in the independent steels, equipments, motors and their substitutes, oils of the domestic group, coppers and allied metals, several of the newly listed specialties and most of the local utilities.

Extensive gains of 1 to 2 1/2 points were only slightly impaired, the market, aside from the relative backwardness of rails, maintaining its strong undertone of the preceding days of the week.

Foreign exchanges were responsive to the more encouraging outlook at Genoa, as received by bankers in private advices.

The interesting feature of the clearing house weekly statement was the normal expansion of loans in the face of the increased demand for loans.

Contract loans and discounts increased by barely more than \$30,000,000, or slightly less than \$60,000,000 for the last fortnight.

Buying of the traction was said to be of a substantial character, based mainly on the belief that events in that quarter are slaying towards a settlement of differences between the transit commission and the operating companies.

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Moderate Strength In Transactions On Montreal Market

Gains Ranged from Fractions to Five Points, Textiles Being Strong.

Montreal, April 23.—Only moderate strength marked the trading in Saturday's dealings on the local stock exchange, gains and losses being about evenly balanced. Gains ranged from fractions to five points the textiles being specially strong.

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Raw Sugar Market Firm And Unchanged

Market for Refined Sugars Quiet—Refined Futures Nominal.

New York, April 23.—The raw sugar market was firm and unchanged. There were no sales reported and Cubas for April and May shipment were quoted at 2 3/8 cents cost and freight, equal to 3.98 for continental.

Wheat Prices Advanced Sharply On Chicago Market Advance Did Not Hold Long Because of Profit-taking.

Chicago, April 23.—A bullish construction placed upon the Kansas State crop report, which was followed by some buying, caused wheat prices today to advance sharply.

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Winnipeg Market Showed Strength Throughout Day

Trade Was Not Large and the Offerings Were Light—Cables Light.

Winnipeg, April 23.—Following an easier opening, the local wheat market showed strength and held steady throughout the session, closing 1 3/8 cent higher for May and 1 cent up for July. The advance here was in sympathy with American markets.

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No Abatement In Demand For Bonds During Last Week

Greatest Gains Made by Many of the Rails and Utilities.

New York, April 23.—There was no abatement in the demand for bonds during the week in which new underwritings, aside from numerous nominal offerings, approximated fully \$150,000,000.

Greatest gains were made by many of the rails and utilities, Liberty bonds and several of the international war offerings reacted moderately from the previous week's record prices.

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U. S. FOOD PRODUCTS CO. IN BANKRUPTCY

New York, April 23.—A petition in bankruptcy against the United States Food Products Corporation was filed in Federal Court today. Liabilities of \$2,380,000, including the liabilities of subsidiary companies, and assets of \$1,230,000, were stated.

Gas Buggies—Children Are Certainly a Problem.



WELL—I GUESS SHE'S HITTING ALL RIGHT NOW.



I'VE BEEN WANTING TO DO THAT FOR A LONG TIME—NOW IT'S DONE—NO MORE MORNING PAPER ought to be FOUND SOON.



CANADIAN SERVICE

GENERAL

TRAIN DATES

ARRIVALS: 5:15 a.m., 6:45 a.m., 7:50 a.m., 11:05 a.m., 11:15 a.m., 12:30 p.m., 2:30 p.m., 8:15 p.m., 9:15 p.m., 9:15 p.m.

DEPARTURES: 6:30 a.m., 8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 1:30 p.m., 3:30 p.m., 5:30 p.m., 7:30 p.m., 9:30 p.m.

WESTFIELD: 6:15, arrival; 6:30 P.M., arrival; 6:15 P.M., arrival; 6:30 P.M., arrival; 6:15 P.M., arrival; 6:30 P.M., arrival; 6:15 P.M., arrival; 6:30 P.M., arrival.

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Three days on the glorious St. Lawrence—four on the open ocean—that is the Canada-Canadian way to Europe. When the sea is smooth you can feel you are in a "cabin" and have little to fear from sickness.

Double-deckers consisting of 1, 2, 3 and 4 decks. Cabins are airy and comfortable. Rooms fitted with rectangular windows instead of portholes; electric lights and running water. Hot and cold water for both shower and bath tubs.



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CANADIAN PACIFIC MARINE NEWS

GENERAL CHANGE TIME

April 20, 1922

MARINE TIME

Trains daily except Sunday, unless otherwise stated.

DEPARTURES:

- 4.30 a.m. Express from McAdam Jct. connecting for points North and South. Auto. Fredrickton.
- 4.30 a.m. Express for St. George, St. Stephen, from St. John station.
- 6.00 p.m. DAILY, Express for Montreal, connecting for Fredrickton and St. John.
- 6.30 p.m. Local express for Fredrickton and intermediate points.
- 6.45 p.m. Local for Wolford.
- 6.50 p.m. Full particulars of complete Suburban Services to be otherwise announced.
- 8.30 p.m. Express for Montreal, connecting for Fredericton, to N. No connections North or South of McAdam.
- 8.45 p.m. Express for Bangor, Portland, connecting for Fredericton, to N. No connections North or South of McAdam.

ARRIVALS:

- 8.15 a.m. Express from Montreal.
- 8.45 a.m. Local for Wolford.
- 1.00 a.m. Express from Fredericton.
- 1.10 a.m. Express from Bangor, Portland, Boston.
- 11.15 a.m. DAILY, Montreal express 2.30 p.m. At West St. John from St. Stephen.
- 9.15 p.m. Express from McAdam.
- St. R. DESBRISAY, Dist. Pass. Agent.

EASTERN STEAMSHIP LINES, INC.

Under the assumption of service on the international line between Boston and St. John, freight shipments for the Province from the United States, especially Boston and New York, should be routed care Eastern S. S. Lines, Boston, and same will come forward every week by the B. & Y. S. Co. and S. S. "Keith Can"

Commencing March 6th and until further notice while the S.S. Comors Bros. is in for inspection, the Aux. Sch. Brunswick Maid will receive freight on Mondays in Thorne's Slip.

Suburban Service

Effective May 1st partial Suburban Service will be established between St. John and Wolford; times of departure and arrivals given below: May 1st to May 20th.

Insurance

Telephone Main 477.

Japanese Count Resigns From The House of Peers

Count Yauagiwara Disgraced by His Sister Poetess Akiko Ito.

Tokio, April 23.—(Special.)—Refusing to recognize the modern Japanese law which relieves the head of a family of responsibility for the conduct of its members, Count Yauagiwara, brother of the poetess Akiko Ito, whose famous divorce startled the empire, has resigned from the House of Peers and gone into seclusion.

Conditions in The Caucasus Reported Most Terrible

London, April 23.—Advisers received here from the American Near East Relief organization at Tiflis depict terrible conditions in the Caucasus, where starvation, pestilence, and cold have taken their toll of thousands of people.

WILSON SHAKES FOUNDATION OF HIS PARTY

Democrats Disorganized by Tumulty Repudiation — "Woody" Still Trying to be Leader.

Washington, April 23.—Like a pebble in a pond the ripples of the Wilson-Tumulty episode wherein the former President repudiated both points of view of the latter, are sending a ripple of disorganization through the ranks of the Wilson leadership and, indeed, the selection of a Democratic candidate for President in 1924.

German People Are Solidly Behind German Delegates

Berlin, April 23.—Despite reverberating Allied proclamations and the indignation of the world over the sensational outcome of the Paris Peace conference, the German people today are more solidly behind the German delegates than at any time since the beginning of the war.

Lady Astor Urges Every Woman To Enter Politics

Mother of Six Children and First Woman in Parliament Electrifies New York Audience.

New York, April 23.—Nancy Langhorne Astor, the Virginia girl who married a British nobleman, became the mother of six children and afterward the first woman in the House of Commons ever held by a woman, came back to America today for a short visit.

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WANTED—An experienced cook. References required. Miss Thorpe, 13 Mocksburg Street.

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PARISH OF SIMONDS ELECTORS.

Electors of Simonds No. 3 (both men and women), opposed to the present Provincial Government, are requested to meet at Mrs. Rowley's, Loch Lomond Road, on Thursday, April 27, at 8 p.m., to select delegates to attend the St. John County Convention to contest the impending by-election will be nominated.

Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of the Saint John Real Estate Company, Limited, will be held in the office of the Company, Fugley Building, 30 Princess Street, on Wednesday, the 19th of May, 1922, at 4 p.m.

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FOR SALE—Fish warehouses and wharf at Back Bay, Charlotte County. W. E. Lawton, St. John.

LOST—Will the person who picked up a sum of money on the way to the freight station via Dock and Mill streets on Thursday afternoon kindly return same immediately to T. McArthur and Sons, Ltd., King Street.

DANCING, PRIVATE DANCING LESSONS, 304 afternoon and evening, B. Searle, Phone M. 4222.

TENDER FOR BUILDING, Grammar School at Sussex, N. B. Building to be three stories, of brick, concrete and stone, with twenty three departments, Assembly Hall to seat one thousand, Gymnasium, and other rooms.

THE WEATHER

St. John, April 23.—Pressure is high from the Mississippi to the Atlantic and on the Pacific coast while a trough of low extends from Manitoba to the southwest states. The weather has been fair and rather cool in Ontario and Quebec, while light showers have occurred in the West.

AROUND THE CITY

STORY TELLING HOUR. Miss Orr entertained sixty-two boys and girls during the story telling hour Saturday morning at the Public Library with tales of St. George and the dragon.

FIVE ARRESTS FOR DRUNKENNESS

Five drunks dined in by the police over the week-end will form Magistrate Ritchie's table this morning.

RUMMAGE SALE

A rummage sale was held Saturday afternoon in the Knox School Hall, Charlton street, under the auspices of the Ladies' Society of the church, proceeds for church purposes. Mrs. J. B. Clouston was in charge and assisted by other ladies of the church.

SATURDAY AUCTIONS

At Under's Corner, at 10 o'clock Saturday, Amosson & Potts sold the following properties: A three story wood on building at the corner of Acadia and Camden streets, to George W. Watbury, for \$1500, and lots 61, 62 and 65, corner of Prince Edward and Union streets, to H. H. McLean, Jr., for \$7100.

TRUCKER HURT

A nasty gored wound in the left hand caused by a longshoreman's hook, was suffered by John McGinnis, 356 City Line, W. E. & J.P.R. trucker, while working No. 3 shed Saturday morning. After having the wound dressed at the Emergency Hospital he was able to return to work.

PLAYERS AT HAMPTON

The St. John's Dramatic Club of Fairville presented the farcical comedy drama, "Molly Barn," before a large audience in the Agricultural Hall, Hampton, on Friday evening. The proceeds realized were given in aid of St. Albans church. Those who took part in the production were Misses Alma O'Toole, Rose McFadden, Pauline Dalton, Lily O'Toole and Messrs. A. E. Trainor, J. J. McFadden, P. J. Gillis, J. E. Conway, L. Reid, J. Richards and W. J. Quize.

WATERLOO STREET FIRE

The fire department was called out by a still alarm, followed by an alarm from box 13, for a fire which broke out in the residence of H. Lyford, No. 5 Waterloo street, about 9 o'clock yesterday morning. The fire, which is believed to have been caused by defective wiring, centered in an upper and rear room, and spread to the main floor. The loss, which is estimated at \$200, was covered by insurance, was largely water damage.

SUPPORT COLLEGES, THE PLEA

A strong plea for the support of the theological and educational colleges and institutions of the Methodist Church in Canada, was made by Professor C. C. Dunlop, D. D., of Mount Allison University, at the morning services in the Westmouth street Methodist church yesterday. In the evening Dr. Deane spoke in the Fort-lena Methodist church, and the pastor of that church, the Rev. H. B. Clarke, conducted the services in the Westmouth street church. The text of his sermon was "Fidelity." The pastor of the Westmouth street church, the Rev. H. B. Thomas, is attending a conference at Toronto.

Simonds Street Lad Killed By Fall

Henry Naves, the seven year old son of John Naves, 12 1/2 Simonds street, was killed about 5:30 Sunday afternoon at the foot of Simonds street, as the result of a fall from a loaded wood truck on which he and his brother, Tommy, aged ten, were driving. As far as can be learned, the little boy was leaning on the load by the sudden starting of the horse. The remains of the fall proved fatal, as after falling to the hard pavement the young boy got to his feet, staggered about and collapsed. Dr. Davison attended him and declared that the ambulance was summoned and that the boy be conveyed to the hospital, but the lad died before being admitted.

Six Year Old Henry Naves Fell from Team Saturday and Death Resulted

The trial of John Parke, the West St. John man, who is charged with the death of Simonds street lad, was held in the court of Judge Deane on Sunday afternoon. The trial was held in the court of Judge Deane on Sunday afternoon. The trial was held in the court of Judge Deane on Sunday afternoon.

St. George's Society Morris V. Paddock Knights of Pythias At Mission Church Died Suddenly Will Mourn Loss

Anniversary Sermon Was Preached by Rev. J. V. Young to Large Congregation Last Evening. Prominent Chemist and Druggist Was Victim of Sudden Stroke Yesterday.

Morris V. Paddock, one of the city's oldest and best known chemists and druggists, passed away at 1:30 noon yesterday from the effects of a sudden stroke of paralysis, at his residence, the Imperial apartment building, 114 St. George street. Mr. Paddock had never regained perfect health since being hit by a motor car while crossing Charlottetown street for weeks ago, although he had been able to be about and was at his place of business, at the corner of Union and Coburg streets Saturday. His illness came upon him very suddenly, and he died from the effects of the stroke before either his physician or clergyman could attend him.

Memorial Service In St. Mary's Church

Tablet Unveiled in Honor of Those Who Died in Great War—Sermon by Rev. P. J. Haslam.

The memorial service, yesterday afternoon in St. Mary's church, on the occasion of the unveiling of the tablet in honor of those who died in the service of their King and country in the Great War, was an impressive nature. The services throughout, including the mass of a nature appropriate of the occasion, and a large congregation attended to do honor to the men who had made the supreme sacrifice in their country's cause. Among those present were A. T. O'Brien, officer commanding military district No. 7, and staff, and the members of the church, who had been in the service in the Great War, and what Englishmen had done for the world. The great characteristic of the English race was love of country and in that word love he included all that it stood for, that it meant was sacrifice. The late war had made the world realize as never before the loyalty and love of country possessed by all of English blood and he commended the local society for the magnificent way it had met the testing at that time. It reminded them however that there was need yet for all the loyalty and love of country they possessed. England was sick and suffering from the war and her sons must rally round to help her and they should go forth for another year with a greater zeal than ever to honor the spirit of loyalty and patriotism.

Paris To Face Third Trial Tomorrow

Will the Third Jury Condemn, Acquit or Disagree? Probably New Evidence.

The third trial of John Parke, the West St. John man, who is charged with the death of Simonds street lad, was held in the court of Judge Deane on Sunday afternoon. The trial was held in the court of Judge Deane on Sunday afternoon. The trial was held in the court of Judge Deane on Sunday afternoon.

Boy Scouts Attend Church In A Body

Boys Representing Presbyterian, Methodist and Baptist Churches Heard Appropriate Sermons.

First Contingent Men Celebrate Anniversary of Second Battle of Ypres Was Fittingly Celebrated on Saturday

The anniversary of the second battle of Ypres, the battle in which "Canada's Fighting Young Men" of the first contingent, first showed to the world that splendid valor which earned for them the title of "The Fighting Boys of the Ypres." Those who are left of the gallant band fighting in St. John did not forget it however, and it has been their custom ever since the Armistice, to observe, in honor the day.

John E. Moore Has Been Appointed Will Represent British Empire Steel Corporation on the New Conciliation Board

John E. Moore, the well known timberman of this city, has been appointed by the Minister of Labor to represent the British Empire Steel Corporation on the new conciliation board appointed to hear the wage dispute between the company and its mining employees, and has accepted the appointment. Company were given until Saturday at noon to name their representative, but declined to do so, and Saturday afternoon Hon. James Macdonald named Mr. Moore and so he will be the representative of the company, and will be given a Fritish funeral.

Serious Fire On Princess Street Building Owned and Occupied by N. B. Overall Co. Was Badly Gutted

The fire department was called out at three o'clock on Saturday afternoon to answer an alarm run in from box 31. The fire was found to be blazing merrily in the second floor of the building owned and occupied by the N. B. Overall Co., on Princess street, opposite Centenary church. The conflagration assumed such serious proportions that it was found necessary to send in a second alarm for reinforcements. The blaze was a stubborn one, and it was nearly two hours before it was completely under control. Fortunately no damage was done to the adjoining dwellings, although the whole top floor of the building in which the fire was situated was completely gutted. Williams Watson, who owns the building and is head of the overall company, was unable to estimate his loss, but the machinery and stock in the upper section of the plant will be a total loss, with some damage done to the lower floor by water. The stock was partly covered by insurance, but the fixtures and machinery were not.

Police Court Cases Saturday

The principal matter of business before the police court on Saturday morning was the case against N. J. Laboue & Co., charged with constructing a building on Charlottetown street, next the Dufferin Hotel, contrary to the regulations in the building permit, and with erecting a wooden building in a section where wooden buildings are prohibited. The defendants pleaded not guilty, and after the evidence of four witnesses had been taken, the matter was postponed for further hearing.

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