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French Drive On; The British Too

Envelopment Lines Creeping Nearer to Laon — Germans Desperately Try to Stay Advance But All in Vain

The French made further progress last night in the great battle along the Aisne and in the Champagne. This is notably true of the region northeast of Soissons, where the lines of envelopment are gradually being drawn nearer to the important railway centre of Laon, the strategic objective in this division of the front.

The French here gained ground in the vicinity of Laifaux, the advance being characterized in the official statement as "considerable." The Germans reacted strongly on this front, but were unable to make any impression on the new French lines.

General Nivelle's pressure here is calculated to force the Germans speedily out of the salient to which they have clung, projecting toward the Aisne in the direction of Conde.

The advance towards Laon also was continued on the Rheims-Laon Road. On the plains north of Rheims, where the French are pushing stubbornly to their strongly entrenched positions, several of their trenches near Courcy were carried in grenade attacks. Headway also was made east of Louvre in this sector.

In the Champagne, notably near Moronvilliers, the Germans launched their expected violent counter-attacks, which the French troops, their artillery brought up, were amply prepared to meet. The artillery and machine guns cut loose on the advancing columns, reinforced by the fresh contingents recently thrown in from other fronts and from the reserves. The result was that the Germans, although their attacks had been prepared by heavy bombardments, were badly cut up and failed to attain their object.

BRITISH ALSO

Signs of renewed activity also appeared yesterday on the British front in the Arras battlefield, where some gains in the Lens region and east of Fampoux were reported, extending last night to the district northwest of St. Quentin. London today reports British progress in the neighborhood of Villers Guislain, midway between St. Quentin and Cambrai.

FRENCH FURTHER ADVANCE

Paris, April 20.—(Noon)—The war office announces that violent fighting continued during the night, in the course of which the French made further gains in the regions of Laifaux and the Vaucouleurs Plateau. Several lines of trenches east of Louvre were captured.

Heavy counter-attacks by the Germans in the Champagne were repulsed, severe losses being inflicted on the enemy.

BRITISH GAIN

London, April 20.—"We gained ground during the night in the neighborhood of Villers Guislain," says today's official statement. "Elsewhere there was nothing especially interesting."

CHAVONNE BEING ENVELOPED

Paris, April 20.—The uniform failures of the Germans to resist the steady and methodical pressure of the French is the outstanding feature of the operations to date in the great offensive on the Aisne and in the Champagne. It is clear that General Nivelle's armies are in no danger of losing the initiative and that gradually but surely all the salients along the Soisson-Aubeville front are being crushed.

The principal salient to which the enemy had clung formed an angle where the front, running south from St. Quentin, kinked to the line running eastward toward Rheims. Caught as it was by the troops advancing northeast from Laifaux and northwest from Vailly and Chavonne the angle collapsed and Fort Conde was captured. Substantial progress was made in the centre, ground being won east and west of Conde, which is gradually being enveloped.

In the Champagne section, on the right, strong positions still held by the enemy are falling one by one. All this work could have been done only at a heavy cost in life under former war conditions. It is being carried out with comparatively small loss now, thanks to the new tactical methods used by the French.

Paris, April 20.—The French official statement says: "South of St. Quentin the enemy's artillery kept up a heavy fire to which our batteries replied vigorously. During the night patrol Urvillers, in the region of Laifaux, we made appreciable progress and took fifty prisoners. We repulsed several counter-attacks by the Germans in this sector. "On the Vaucouleurs Plateau and south of Courcy we carried out a series of attacks with grenades. East of Louvre a heavy counter-attack was repulsed. In the Champagne the night was marked by violent reactions of the enemy. Very strong counter-attacks, preceded by bombardments, were launched by the Germans in the region of Moronvilliers. Our curtain of fire and our machine guns completely negated these efforts, which cost the enemy very heavy losses. A score of prisoners remained in our hands. Everywhere else the night passed in quiet. "On April 16, the German airplanes and two captive balloons were brought down by our pilots in aerial engagements."

Washington, April 20.—Broad government powers to control food production, distribution and possibly even prices were provided in legislation drawn today for presentation to congress. Authority to establish a virtual food dictatorship if necessary may be asked by the administration.

Mexican snipers shoot at American sentry

El Paso, Tex., April 19.—Snipers who fired at an American sentry station in the district in the suburbs of this city, were fired upon in return by a squad of United States soldiers late today. One Mexican was seen to fall. When Mexican Consul Bravo reported the affair to Brigadier-General George Bell, Jr., General Bell informed the consul that the American sentry, had been fired upon and had obeyed orders in returning the fire. "I have ordered the outposts to shoot to kill when fired upon," said General Bell later. "I will court-martial a man who fires across the border first, and I also will court-martial one who fails to return the fire when he is fired upon."

YORK COUNTY DELEGATION

Alexander Brewer, a member of the York county council, and Commissioners Thomas F. Griffiths and Walter Walker of York county, who were in the city yesterday looking over the Municipal House, left this morning for Northumberland county on a similar mission. They were greatly impressed with the comfort of the persons in the local institution and with the efficiency of the administration. They are securing information preparatory to reporting on the desirability of erecting a home for aged boarders by the municipality in private homes.

DEATH OF THOMAS CLERKE

Many St. John people will have kindly recollection of Thomas Clarke and will regret to learn of his death, which took place yesterday at his home in Lynn, Mass. The sad news came to his brother, Robert Clarke of H. M. Customs, in a telegram received last midnight. He had been ill but a few days, with pneumonia. Mr. Clarke was born in St. John some sixty-five years ago. In young manhood he was with David H. Hall, shoe manufacturer, and later was foreman with the Sussex Boot and Shoe Company. About thirty years ago he went to the United States and settled in Lynn. He is survived by his wife, two children and three grandchildren. Robert Clarke will leave for Lynn this evening to attend his brother's funeral.

Bernhardt Better

New York, April 20.—The condition of Sarah Bernhardt, who was operated on here on Tuesday night, showed improvement today. A bulletin issued before noon read: "Madame Bernhardt's condition is distinctly improved and the outlook is better."

STILL BOASTING BUT GET IN WORD "PEACE"

Amsterdam, via London, April 20.—A Berlin despatch says that a resolution was passed at a meeting of the Progressive People's Party denouncing President Wilson's attempt to sow discord between the Kaiser and the German people. The resolution declared "that the Kaiser and the German people belong inseparably to each other, and with the combined strength of themselves and their allies, will attain a victorious peace guaranteeing their future."

DONALD FRASER OF CARLETON IS DEAD IN WAR

Sad News From Ottawa Comes To His Mother

Sgt. MAJ. J. WHITEHOUSE ALSO

Latter a South African Veteran—Lieut. Guy Yerxa of Fredericton Killed in Action—Several St. John Men Are Wounded

That death on the battlefield has claimed their second son, was the sad news received this morning by Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Fraser of Duse street, West St. John. The official bulletin from Ottawa brought the announcement that Sgt.-Major Donald Drummond Fraser had been killed in action on April 12. Sgt.-Major Fraser was twenty-one years of age, having enlisted when he was but eighteen. Previous to enlisting he had been a clerk in the Royal Bank of Canada in this city, and he had many friends throughout the city who will learn of his death with deep regret. In their able assessment the parents will have the sympathy of the entire community.

Both boys enlisted in the same unit, a mounted infantry regiment and went overseas together. On the other side they were drafted to different infantry battalions. On the day that Donald was entering the trenches for the first time, he met his brother who had been wounded and who was being carried out on a stretcher, and they stopped and chatted for a few minutes. In due time the parents received word that this son, Pte. Murray Fraser, had been reported wounded and missing, and that he was unable to return to his unit, despite diligent inquiries. Finally came the announcement that, in absence of other information, he was officially declared dead.

Besides the parents, one other brother, Alfred L., and two sisters, Lois and Margaret, all at home, survive.

Sergeant Major Whitehouse

Closely following on the announcement that Sergeant John Whitehouse of 14 Harding street, a member of a local infantry battalion, had been dangerously wounded, and was reported missing, was the news that he was unofficially reported to have died of wounds. Sergeant Whitehouse was a South African veteran, and he had been in the present war for several months. He was a member of the 14th Battalion, and he was reported to have been killed in action on April 12. He was a member of the 14th Battalion, and he was reported to have been killed in action on April 12.

Pte. P. G. Howard

Mr. and Mrs. Walter T. Howard, of 269 City Road, received information this morning from Ottawa to the effect that their son, Pte. Percy Greenham Howard, infantry, was officially reported admitted to No. 8 station hospital, Wimereux, April 10, gunshot wound right arm.

Almost simultaneously with the receipt of the distressing news came a letter from the soldier, dated April 2. The letter was characterized by optimism and the general good spirits of the young soldier. He had then just come out of the trenches, and he was feeling very well. He had then just come out of the trenches, and he was feeling very well.

Private Howard is nineteen years of age and before joining was employed in the wholesale branch of Waterbury & Rising, Ltd. He was a member of a well-known brass band in this city.

Pte. J. A. Jesso

That her husband, Pte. John Alexander Jesso, had been officially reported wounded and admitted to St. John's Ambulance Brigade hospital, Etaples, France, April 10, gunshot wound in right arm and thigh, was the word which came to Mrs. J. A. Jesso at her home, 100 City road this morning. Private Jesso was a member of the 14th Battalion, and he was reported to have been killed in action on April 12.

Private Alexander Neilson, killed in action on April 9, as mentioned yesterday, enlisted in the west last fall and went to France on January 30, 1917, with a draft of reinforcements for a west-ern battalion. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Neilson, formerly of Doak Settlement, but who are now residing in St. John, and was thirty years of age. Besides his parents he is survived by five brothers, James, Donald, Angus, Arthur and Gordon, and five sisters, Mrs. Charles Cullen, Mrs. M. Mable, Misses Blanche, Janet and Hazel of St. John.

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Pte. B. F. Ramsey

Mrs. Louise F. Ramsey, of 27 Murray street, received word today that her son, Private Berton Frederick Ramsey, a member of the 14th Battalion, had been killed in action on April 12.

WHEAT AGAIN TAKES LEAP TOWARDS SKY

Sensational Advance in The Chicago Market

ONE JUMP OF 13 CENTS

Great Nervousness and Many Fluctuations—Flour \$14.50 a Barrel in New York—Abnormal Buying by Panicky People

Chicago, April 20.—Another sensational advance distinguished the wheat market today based, it was said, on heavy purchases of September for the allies. Upward flights of values surpassed all previous records. The September delivery in particular soared nearly 13c at one time from a low point reached on a temporary setback. Traders seemed to have gone wild over reports of big purchases of that option for the Entente Allies and the prices went to 1.89 against 1.79 to 1.79c at yesterday's close.

Opening prices, which ranged from 3c decline to 3c advance, with May at 2.89c, and July at 2.04 to 2.06, were followed, after considerable interval, by a jump of \$2.48 for May and 2.11 for July. Great nervousness and many quick fluctuations ensued, chiefly set-back.

New York, April 20.—Flour today is selling here at \$14.50 a barrel. The price has been steadily advancing since Tuesday, when it jumped from \$13.50. Abnormal buying is the cause of the increase, according to the large retail grocers here. They say people are buying in unprecedented quantities, ordering fifteen and twenty barrels.

WHY PRICES ADVANCE

A St. John firm wired Chicago to ask what was the cause of the unnecessary advance in the price of wheat and flour. "Unreasonable panic on the part of buyers." In their market circular of April 14, the American firm says: "Panicky hysteria prevails. United States does not face a famine. Many staples are plentiful. Many have loaded up with flour and foodstuffs." "And of course this hysteria has caused prices to go up."

ber of a local infantry battalion, had been wounded in the right shoulder by gunshot on April 11, and had been admitted to St. John's general hospital at Wimereux. On Monday Mrs. Ramsey received a letter from her son to the effect that he had just come out of the hospital and was returning to the firing line. The letter was dated March 28. He did not state the cause of his being in hospital. Private Ramsey is about twenty years old. Prior to enlistment he was in the employ of T. McAvity & Sons, King street, and was a member of the machine gun school in Halifax as a brother.

The Late Lieut. Mullaney

At a meeting of the St. John Council Knights of Columbus last evening, the late Lieut. Mullaney was remembered by the grand knight, Dr. W. W. Sweeney, who spoke of Lieut. Mullaney to the death in action of Lieut. Mullaney, who had been a member of the council. Dr. Brodbeck paid a high tribute to the worth of the young officer.

The Late Captain Goossens

Captain Frank W. Goossens, whose death in the war was announced yesterday, was a graduate of Edinburgh University and was practicing his profession as a civil engineer in Winnipeg before he enlisted. He was married in 1911 to Miss Edith Wilcox, of Lincoln, who is at present residing in Winnipeg. One sister, Miss Edith Wilcox, also survives. His father was one of the large wine merchants of Brussels. He is presumed to have been interned as no word has ever been received of him. Dr. James Peake, formerly of Ormoco, is medical officer of the battalion in which Captain Goossens was serving.

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Lieut. Guy Yerxa

Mrs. Randolph Yerxa, of Fredericton, has been officially notified that her only son, Lieut. Guy Yerxa, has been killed in action. He enlisted in a western battalion as a private and was promoted to lieutenant on the field. His grandfather, Ludlow Yerxa, is caretaker of the customs house in Fredericton.

STARS AND STRIPES OVER WESTMINSTER; UNIQUE IN HISTORY OF ENGLAND

GREAT VICTORY OVER THE TURKS

Foreign Flag Was Never Displayed There Before

Service in St. Paul's

Enthusiastic Commemoration of America's Entry into the World War—King and Queen Present—Celebrations in Other Parts of Motherland

London, April 20.—General Maude, commanding the British forces in Mesopotamia, attacked the Turkish main positions and completely routed the Turkish forces. So far 1,244 Turks have been taken prisoner. London, April 20.—The general officer commanding the British forces in Egypt reports that on April 17 the British advanced north of the Wadi Ghuzze in southern Palestine and captured the Turkish advanced positions along a front of 6 1/2 miles. The attack was assisted by the fire of warships and the position gained was consolidated. Fighting was still proceeding at the time the report was sent.

WILL MISSING

Interesting Development in Probate Proceedings Relative to the Late Wm. Rafferty's Estate

In the Supreme Court Chambers this morning, with His Honor Chief Justice McKeown presiding, Stephen B. Bustin, acting on behalf of a legatee under the will of William Rafferty, had Francis L. Peterson, the executor under the will, examined as to the whereabouts of the will, which has never been probated. Mr. Peterson in his evidence said that although he was named executor, he never probated the will, and had no knowledge where the will was at the present time. He said that immediately following the death of Mr. Rafferty, which occurred some years ago, the lawyer who drew the will gave it to Mr. Rafferty's widow. The will was read over in the home of Mr. Rafferty in the Marsh road, and that the terms of the will, according to his best recollection were as follows:—That he was to act as sole executor, and that one-half the property was given to Francis Rafferty, a son of William Rafferty, to hold for life, and on the death of Francis Rafferty, his share to go to James Rafferty, a nephew of the witness; the other half was to go to William Rafferty, also a son of William Rafferty, to hold for life, and on his death to go to two children of the witness. The widow was to be given an annuity of \$100.

Annie L. Peterson, wife of Francis L. Peterson, also gave evidence and said that she had no knowledge of the whereabouts of the will. She said that she heard the will read over in the home of William Rafferty, who was her father. Mr. Bustin said that he would like to have another witness examined, and His Honor said that it would be necessary to make a new application. Mr. Bustin intimated that some of the property provided for in the will had been sold. U. J. Sweeney appeared for Mrs. Peterson.

ONTARIO FLOUR 50 CENTS HIGHER

Ontario flour advanced once more this morning. A fifty cent increase brought the price to \$12.85 for the Ontario, while Manitoba remained firm at \$12.60. May wheat this morning reached \$2.44.

TODAY'S BALL GAMES

Baseball schedule: National League—Boston at New York, cloudy, 3:30 p.m.; Brooklyn at Philadelphia, cloudy, 3 p.m.; Chicago at Pittsburgh, cloudy, 3 p.m.; Cincinnati at St. Louis, partly cloudy, 3 p.m.

American League

St. Louis at Chicago, partly cloudy, 3 p.m.; Detroit at Cleveland, cloudy, 3 p.m.; Philadelphia at Washington, clear, 3 p.m.; New York at Boston, rain, 3 p.m.

International League—Buffalo at Newark, rain, 3:30 p.m.; Montreal at Providence, cloudy, 3:15 p.m.; Toronto at Baltimore, fair, 3:35 p.m.; Rochester at Richmond, clear, 4 p.m.

WORD OF SOLDIERS

The following are requested to communicate with the office of the Western Union Telegraph Co. here: Thomas Williams, next of kin of No. 792286, Pte. Roger Bernard Williams; Charles Vail, formerly of Partridge Island, and next of kin of No. 444879, Pte. Joseph Gerow; Mrs. Elizabeth Johnston, formerly of No. 72 Portland place, who is next of kin of No. 684980, Pte. Harry Johnston.

NEXT WEEK

The Bullock fire investigation has been postponed for another week.

MEN IN KRUPPS' REPORTED ON STRIKE

Amsterdam, April 20.—(Via London)—Strikes have broken out in various munition factories in Germany, including the Krupps. The Telegraaf says it has learned this from German sources.

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Enthusiastic Commemoration of America's Entry into the World War—King and Queen Present—Celebrations in Other Parts of Motherland

London, April 20.—The British people and Americans in this country celebrated America's partnership in the world war by a religious service today in St. Paul's Cathedral, attended by the official heads of the nation and a great congregation which included hundreds of Americans and many prominent British men and women. There was a great display of American flags in London and all other English towns, and a popular demonstration by the crowds which surrounded the cathedral.

The Stars and Stripes floated from the highest tower of the parliament buildings at Westminster the first time a foreign flag ever was displayed on that eminence, and flew above all government buildings in the British capital. The service in the historic cathedral, where the most momentous occasions of national rejoicing and mourning have been solemnized for centuries, was unprecedented in being the commemoration of an act and decision of another nation.

The cathedral seats nearly 4,000 people, and was filled to its furthest recesses, with hundreds looking down from the balconies and niches high in the vault. All seats were occupied when King George and Queen Mary entered, followed by the mayors and aldermen of the twenty-six boroughs of London, who formed a vivid book of color in their scarlet robes of office. The American Embassy and consular staffs occupied front seats with representatives of the Pilgrims, the American Society, the American Luncheon Club and the American Chamber of Commerce. In the diplomatic section were officers in the uniforms of France, Russia, Italy, Belgium, Serbia, Montenegro, Roumania and Japan. In the reserve seats there were a large number of wounded officers and soldiers, including many Canadians and several American boys who are serving with the expeditionary forces. Chancellor of the Exchequer, Lord Curzon, and the cabinet in the absence of the premier, and the parliamentary delegation was large. The royal party came from Windsor to the cathedral in open carriages. The king returned to Buckingham Palace afterwards, the crowds along the route clearing his locality.

The Right Rev. C. H. Brent, Episcopal Bishop of the Philippines, said in his sermon: "We congratulate in the common well known motto 'God bless the man who has come together like sturdy Judas Maccabees and his fellow patriots in the ancient story, to commit our decision to the Lord and to place ourselves in His hands, before we pitch our camp and go forth to battle. It were an unworthy cause that we could not commit to God with complete confidence. Today we have this venture: "This I venture to say, is not merely the beginning of a new era, but of a new epoch. At this moment a great nation, well skilled in self-sacrifice, is standing by with deep sympathy and bidding God speed to another great nation that is making its act of self-dedication to God. That altar upon which we Americans are today laying our lives and our fortunes is already occupied by more than three years Great Britain and her allies have been fighting not merely for their own laws, their own homes, their liberty and all they hold sacred, but for the great commonwealth of mankind."

U. S. AMBASSADOR IN CONSTANTINOPLE VERY ILL

The Hague, April 19.—Via London, April 20.—United States Ambassador Elkus is seriously ill in Constantinople, with spotted typhoid, according to a despatch from Berlin. The Vossische Zeitung says a German specialist is assisting the embassy physician.

GERMAN RAIDER REPORTED OFF COAST OF MONTEVIDEO

Buenos Aires, April 20.—A German raider has been sighted off Montevideo, according to reports in maritime circles. The commander of a steamer which has reached here, declares that he sighted a suspicious looking craft during a voyage from Rio Janeiro to Montevideo. The delay in the arrival of several vessels has given some concern. The minister of marine has discussed the reports with the president.

BERLIN MUNITIONS MEN REFUSE TO RESUME WORK

Amsterdam, April 19.—The Berlin Vorwaerts says that the male workers of the Deutsche Waffen und Munitions Fabriken of Berlin decided on Wednesday to continue their journey to London from Australia, but to send a deputation to the chancellor. The result of the interview with him was to have been communicated to a meeting of the workers today.

The Cologne Gazette reports various strikes in Leipzig, also that a large meeting was held in Stuttgart, Saxony, for discussion of the scarcity of food and that after the meeting the participants marched in procession through the town. The audience of several thousand. The newspaper does not state whether munition workers took part in the demonstration or whether work was resumed.

HEARTY RESPONSE TO SHACKLETON'S FERVOR

San Francisco, Cal., April 19.—Lieut. Sir Ernest Shackleton, Antarctic explorer, who will leave San Francisco today to continue his journey to London from Australia, was accorded an enthusiastic reception last night at a meeting in the city auditorium at which he spoke under the auspices of the Bohemian Club. "It is not the allies any more, it's us," he said at the conclusion of his address. The audience of several thousand persons responded to his fervor by singing successively "The Star Spangled Banner," "God Save the King" and "The Marseillaise."

OPPOSED TO REFORM IN GERMAN PARLIAMENT

Amsterdam, via London, April 20.—In the Berlin Tagblatt Major Ernest Bassermann, leader of the National Liberals in the Reichstag, declares that the national liberal party, like himself, is opposed to parliamentary reform. "The limitation of the emperor's power, especially after a victorious war," he says, "could only be wrested from the monarch after a conflict of the sharpest kind."

PAIR OF SILVER FOX SKINS BRING \$1,000

St. Louis, Mo., April 20.—A matched pair of silver fox skins has sold for \$1,000 at the international fur auction here today. A single skin sold for \$750. Buyers from Milwaukee, Cleveland, Buffalo and St. Paul were notable in the buying. Up to noon yesterday the silver fox sales totalled \$30,000.

RUSSIANS SUBSCRIBE FREELY TO WAR LOAN

Petrograd, April 20.—Although the subscription lists to the "liberty loan" opened only yesterday, the public is already contributing freely. In two hours after the lists were opened 2,500,000 roubles were received.

IRISH HORSES AT WOODBINE

Toronto, Ont., April 20.—Among the arrivals at the Woodbine are six imported Irish race horses, including Iron Cross, a frequent winner as a two-year-old in Ireland and Never Fear, which has won many races over the jumps in the Emerald Isle.

Phelix and Ferdinand

Issued by Authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Starp, director of meteorological service

Synopsis—The area of low pressure west of the Great Lakes has remained almost stationary and is now centred in Iowa. The weather has cleared and is becoming warmer in the western provinces, while in Ontario it is warmer and showery. Saturday, warmer and unsettled, with occasional showers.

Shorewise

Maritime—Moderate variable winds fair and mild, Saturday, easterly winds, becoming showery.

New England—Probably showers tonight and Saturday, warmer, fresh south winds.



Good Things Coming to Theatres of St. John

GEORGE M. COHAN MAKES SCREEN DEBUT At Imperial Theatre Monday in "Broadway Jones"

The widely heralded motion picture debut of George M. Cohan takes place at the Imperial Theatre on Monday "Broadway Jones," his greatest stage success, affords him his initial screen vehicle in which he is supported by an excellent cast, including such well known film favorites as Marguerite Snow, "The Million Dollar Mystery" fame, Russell Bassett, the veteran character actor of many screen successes, Crawford Kent and Ida Darling. The story tells of a small town youth who secures a goodly inheritance and journeys to the Great White Way to "burn it up." After various exciting experiences he finds that his money has dwindled to nothing and learns that there are many unpaid bills to be met. After complications involving a rich widow whom he asks to marry, he turns back to his home town and starts life anew, taking over his father's chewing gum plant where new experiences await him. Sparkling with a continuous series of humorous situations, offset by various dramatic scenes, this subject presents a breezy story of rapid action and human interest, a typical George M. Cohan production. When produced at the George M. Cohan Theatre in Broadway some three years ago, "Broadway Jones" immediately proved itself the biggest popular success in which Mr. Cohan ever appeared, as well as the hit of his entire theatrical season. Frequently sought by motion picture producers without success, this story presents an admirable screen subject and with George M. Cohan in the original character, should more than duplicate its stage popularity among patrons of high-class pictures. This New York hit will be the first of the Imperial's tenth anniversary super-festivals.

BLANCH SWEEP, TOM MEIGHAN AND THEODORE ROBERTS AT IMPERIAL

A trio of noted favorites in Laszly's splendid and spectacular story "The Storm" at the Imperial tonight and tomorrow. There will also be the seventh episode in the exciting Vitagraph serial "The Secret Kingdom" as well as a Hughie Mack comedy.

CALL ON THE GERMANS TO SAY JUST WHAT ARE PEACE CONDITIONS

Berne, Switzerland, April 20.—The Hungarian Socialists have adopted resolutions, at a secret convention, demanding that the Central Powers make public their peace conditions. The convention called upon the Hungarian government to abolish all restrictions on public gatherings, to restore the freedom of the press and to furnish genuine proof of the honorableness and sincerity of their desire for peace. The resolutions declare that peace terms should provide for the obligatory reference of all disputes to an international tribunal, gradual disarmament of the nations, means for the free economic, national and cultural development of all peoples and the removal of friction between the nations and their governments. Demands were also made that all states make public every international agreement, place foreign policies under the control of parliaments and abolish secret diplomacy.

New Chief of Russian Navy. Petrograd, April 20.—Admiral Kolkhale, commander-in-chief of the Black Sea fleet, has been appointed commander-in-chief of all Russian naval forces in the Baltic.

BIRTHS

WARD.—On April 20, to Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ward, a son. GAMBLIN.—In this city, April 19, to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gamblin, 92 Mecklenburg street, a son. GOLDING.—To Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Golding, Jr., on April 16, a son. McLEOD.—On April 19, to Mr. and Mrs. L. A. McLeod, a son. GREEN.—On April 20th, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Green, 800 Union street, a daughter.

MARRIAGES

SAUNDERS-JOHNSTON.—On April 18, 1917, Miss Gladys Mildred Johnston, of Charlerton, Queens county, to Frank Saunders, of Quispamsis, Kings county, by the Rev. Mr. Millidge.

DEATHS

ANDREWS.—In this city on the 19th inst., Alice Maude Andrews, aged twenty-nine years, daughter of Amanda and the late Hugh Andrews. (Boston and New York papers please copy.) Notice of funeral hereafter. CAMPBELL.—At the General Public Hospital on the 19th inst., Joseph Smith Campbell, aged eighteen years, leaving father, mother, and eight sisters to mourn. Funeral will take place on Saturday at three o'clock from his late residence, 508 Chesley street. Friends invited. HOUSEN.—At his parents' residence, 250 Union street, West End, on the 19th inst., John Edward, aged two months, youngest child of George and Mary Hausen. Burial on Saturday afternoon at three o'clock. NORTON.—At Detroit, Michigan, on April 17, William J., son of Nora E. and the late William Norton, leaving his mother and one sister to mourn. Burial from Fitzpatrick Brothers parlors Saturday.

IN MEMORIAM

McKEE.—In loving memory of Mrs. Alice M. McKee, who departed this life on April 20, 1913. Gone, but not forgotten. HUSBAND AND CHILDREN.

LAST CHANCES TONIGHT: OPERA HOUSE BILL

Last chance tonight to see this week's vaudeville programme at the Opera House, with the Rawson Trio, Blandy Robinson, The Great Manuel, Edwards and Louise and David Fischer and Company in a dramatic sketch, also two reels of scenic pictures, the Florence Rose Fashion Review and a rattling comedy. Two shows this evening at 7:30 and 9. The usual weekly change comes tomorrow afternoon, with two afternoon performances at 2 and 5:30—two shows at night at 7:30 and 9. The new programme includes Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Curtis in a comedy sketch; The Three Tonas in a singing and pianologue novelty; Fairbanks and Major in a comedy singing and talking act; Ruthie Vollmer, a dainty comedienne who sings and also plays on the bagpipes; the Brugger Brothers, comedy acrobats and wrestlers, also the 11th chapter of the Crimson Stain Mystery serial. Five high class, refined vaudeville acts in addition to the pictures. Seats may be reserved in advance for the first show at night but must be called for before 7:30 p. m.

PINAFORE TICKETS

The exchange ticket sale for H. M. S. Pinafore is now on at the Opera House box office. Holders of exchange tickets may exchange them for reserved seats tickets today, tomorrow, Monday and Tuesday. The general public sale opens on Wednesday. Exchange tickets may be secured from members of Royal Standard Chapter, I. O. D. E. The performances are next Thursday and Friday evening at nine o'clock. Everybody, with his sisters, his cousins and his aunts, is going to be there. It will be the big theatrical and musical event of the year.

SEE IT AT THE GEM

Only two more chances, tonight, to see "The Man Who Stood Still," featuring Lew Fields at the Gem, one of our best pictures. Good vaudeville also. Put on your hat and two Flages, with Theda Bara, Fox masterpiece, Saturday, Monday and Tuesday.

BRITISH LABOR M. P.'S TO VISIT THE STATES

London, April 20.—At the invitation of Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, through President Wilson, the British government has agreed to send a delegation of British labor representatives to visit the United States. They are Charles W. Bowerman and James H. Thomas, M. P.'s. They are to explain in detail the measures taken in England to solidify the labor resources of the country and encourage co-operation. At the meeting of the trade union parliamentary committee today the following resolution was passed:—"We send greetings to the American Federation of Labor in their decision to join the struggle for the establishment of an international democracy of free peoples."

YOUNG MAN MISSING.

The town of Milltown, N. B., offers a reward of \$25 for any information concerning the whereabouts of John Kilman, aged twenty, who disappeared from home about two weeks ago, or for the finding of his body if, as it is feared by his family and friends, the missing youth met with an accident. When last seen young Kilman was standing on the Union bridge which connects Calais and Milltown, N. B.

THE W. H. ESTEY CASE

C. A. Clark has returned from Boston where he attended the hearing in the case of Wesley H. Estey, charged with embezzlement from Mr. Clark, who has been fighting extradition. While Mr. Clark was there the attorney for Estey made the proposal that, if Estey were allowed to remain out on the \$5,000 bail under which he is still enjoying his freedom, they would agree to deliver him to St. John in time for the June sitting of the court, the bail to hold until then. This was agreed to, further extradition proceedings being waived by the defence.

HAWKS TAKE THREE

In the three men league in the Y. M. C. E. I. aley's the Eagles dropped three points to the Hawks, as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Score. Eagles 64, Hawks 78. McDade 86, Hawks 78. Coughlan 99, Hawks 91.

SUBURBAN HELD UP

The incoming suburban train was delayed at the Island yards this morning on account of a broken rail. There was a delay of about twenty minutes. Meanwhile, many of the passengers left the train, crossed the creek to the Marsh road and came in by street car or other conveyances.

DIVER DOYLE AT WORK

Diver Doyle was busy yesterday and on Wednesday at the I. C. R. wharf at the head of the harbor, sending up rail that had fallen over while vessels were loading. Some were taken up from each side of the wharf.

Post Office Robbed

Winnipeg, Man., April 20.—Burglars last night robbed the post office at Sifton of \$1,500 in cash and stamps. Sifton is a village on the C. N. R. in the Dauphin Lake region.

Grape-Nuts A Food with pleasing flavor and real nourishing quality. Gilbert's Grocery

ENTERTAINMENT OF BRITISH COMMISSIONERS IN AMERICAN CAPITAL

Washington, April 20.—An elaborate program of entertainment arranged today for the distinguished British commissioners now on their way to Washington for war conferences, includes a dinner at the White House for all members of the party, dinners by Secretaries Lansing, McAdoo, Baker and Daniels for members of the commission with whom they will have special discussions and a reception by Secretary of State Lansing at the pan-American Union buildings to allow members of Congress to meet the British guests.

PERSONALS

Miss Gertrude McCormick of St. Stephen is a guest of Mrs. John Baird of 70 St. John street, West St. John. Captain Robinson Black of Halifax arrived in the city last night and is at the Victoria hotel. Charles K. Palmer of Fredericton arrived in the city on the noon train. Hon. L. J. Tweedie of Chatham is in the city. His Lordship Bishop LeBlanc has returned from Halifax where he has been in attendance at the funeral of Very Rev. Mgr. E. Kennedy. Friends of Alexander Corbet will regret to hear that he is confined to his home in Hazen street owing to illness. Hon. P. J. Veniot is in Fredericton today on departmental business.

THREE FROM NEW BRUNSWICK

The convocation of Pine Hill College took place last night at 8 o'clock, at St. Matthew's church, Halifax. There were six graduates: E. J. Kerr, Lawrence town; Geo. Scott, George Knight, St. John, N. B.; J. M. Fraser, Quebec; W. F. Irving, Shubenacadie; C. A. Ritchie, Dalhousie, N. B. An address was delivered by Rev. J. Macartney Wilson on "German Religion and Theology and the War." George Scott is a well known former St. John newspaper man. All his old friends will extend congratulations. The prize for orations, amounting in value to \$60, was presented to Mr. Scott; a second prize, amounting to \$40, to Mr. Kerr. Book prizes were presented to the other graduates.

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LOCAL NEWS

M. R. A advertisement, page 5. T.F. We make a specialty of family trade, outfitting parents and children to their entire satisfaction.—Ideal Shoe Store, 103 Union street, W.E. 4-22

Red Cross Day, Monday.—Remember our splendid soldiers.

Help your chums at the front by joining No. 8 Field Ambulance Depot for overseas. They expect you. 4-30.

MEN'S SHOE VALUES Our lines of men's shoes for spring are particularly good values at prices that are not indicated. \$8.50 to \$8.95.—Wizez's Cash Stores, 243-247 Union street.

Men's suits in gray, brown, blue and the best in tweeds and worsteds at People's Cash and Credit Company, 555 Main street.

Removal sale; millinery bargains. Mrs. Brown, 48 King square. 4-27.

Once a customer, always a customer, at the Cut Price Fruit Store, 15 Sydney street.

Latest in ladies' raincoats, tweeds, poplins, and parametta, with belts or Balmacran.—People's Cash and Credit Company, 555 Main street.

The lowest prices for lace curtains. Specials from 69c. up.—Bassens', 14-16 1/2 Charlotte. No branches.

Eventually you will, so why not now buy your fruit at The Cut Price Fruit Shop, 16 Sydney street.

MACAULAY BROS. & COMPANY Tomorrow, Saturday, will sell all new corduroy velvet at 78 cents a yard, regular \$1.25 quality; white virginia suitings have arrived.

"MEN'S SUITS" Pinch-back suits for young men is the most exquisite style for young men this spring. You can secure them from Brager's at \$15, \$18 and \$20.—165-167 Union street.

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AMIDST WEST END Just arrived, a big assortment of house dresses, also special out sizes; prices the very lowest, from 79c. up. 4-23.

Two hundred and twenty-five of our boys are now doing their bit in the trenches. Join No. 8 Field Ambulance at once and do yours. 4-30.

A large assortment of boys' suits, as well as men's at Turner's, out of the high rent district, 440 Main street. T.F.

Theda Bara at Gem, Saturday, in Ouida's great war story, "Under Two Flags," A big Fox five reel picture.

Be Careful What You Wash Your Hair With

Don't use prepared shampoos or anything else, that contains too much alkali, for this is very injurious, as it dries the scalp and makes the hair brittle. The best thing to use is just plain mulsified coconut oil, for it is pure and entirely greaseless. It's very cheap, and beats the most expensive soaps or anything else all to pieces. You can get this at any drug store, and a few ounces will last the whole family for months. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in, about a teaspoonful is all that is required. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, cleanses thoroughly, and rinses out easily. The hair shines quickly and evenly, and is soft, fresh looking, bright, fluffy, wavy, and easy to handle. Besides, it loosens and takes out every particle of dust, dirt and dandruff.

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SIGNS OF SPRING Our new footwear, up to the minute in style; prices lower than elsewhere.—Ideal Shoe Store, 103 Union street, W.E. 4-22

"JAPANESE EVENING" The senior and Junior Girls' Auxiliary of St. Mary's church are entertaining the congregation at a Japanese evening tonight. You are invited.

Pantry sale at St. Philip's church Saturday from 2 to 7 p. m.

By general request the sacred cantata "Olivet to Calvary" will be repeated in St. James' church tonight at 8 p. m.

Trades and Labor Council regular meeting tonight; full attendance requested.

Meeting of Royal Scalet Chapter tonight.

NOTICE

St. Stephen's Cadets will meet in their rooms Sunday morning at 9 o'clock to attend the garrison parade. By order Gordon Vall, captain. 4-23.

YOUR GIFT IS NEEDED

"The work of the Canadian Y. M. C. A. for the soldiers during the last two war years has been one of the greatest opportunities and noblest achievements that any service organization has had the privilege of doing." Do you want to help? Send your gift today.

Old Mine Sydney, Pictou and Broad Cove, landing.—Gibson & Company, Limited.

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TONIGHT'S ENTERTAINMENT AT THE IMPERIAL

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DECORATED BY KING GEORGE

Among those decorated by King George with the Military Cross recently in London was Matron Strong, of the Canadian nursing service, received the Royal Red Cross, first class. Miss Strong was a former Mount Allison girl and has been for the past two years in communication with the Ladies' College Red Cross Branch and with the I. O. D. E. in Sackville, both of which bodies have contributed to the support of her hospital. Miss Strong was awarded her decoration last year.

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LOCAL NEWS

ALMANAC FOR ST JOHN APR 20.

A.M. P.M.

High Tide... 10.20 Low Tide... 4.37

Sun Rises... 7.21 Sun Sets... 5.54

D. J. Purdy, owner of the steamer *Majestic*, is planning to place that steamer on the Washademoak route again this year. The D. J. Purdy will be placed on the St. John-Fredericton route.

Members of the young ladies' bowling league of the Y. M. C. A. enjoyed a theatre party and banquet last evening. The losing teams had the winning quartette as their guests. The championship team was composed of Miss Marjorie

LOCAL NEWS

ALLSTORY

The big ten cent weekly magazine, on sale every Thursday at all news-dealers. Don't miss this week's issue, "Ladyfingers' starts." A really great story.

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2 lbs. Prunes 25c.
3 pkgs. Cornflakes 25c.
4 lbs. Rice 25c.
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How Uncle Sam Will Recruit His Army

Raising armies is more difficult, as well as more important, than raising flags, and one of the chief difficulties in the United States is the feeling against conscription.

"There is enough patriotism in this country to get a volunteer army, and until that is demonstrated untrue, we should not resort to conscription," declares Senator Thomas, of Colorado, while Senators Stone, of Missouri, and Gallinger, of New Hampshire, are among those who think the recruiting problem can be best solved by increasing the soldiers' pay. Among Southern congressmen also, we find opposition to universal service on the ground that it would be inadvisable to give thousands of negroes training in the use of arms. Samuel Gompers is also reported to be against conscription.

On the other hand, a recent canvass of 476 newspapers by the National Security League revealed 270 of them in favor of universal military training, 49 opposed to it, and 157 non-committal.

The Milwaukee Sentinel may be said to reflect the consensus of argument in favor of obligatory military training: "Under the voluntary system in time of war, the serviceable manhood of the nation is divided into two parts. There are the patriotic young men who volunteer to go to the front and, if need be, die in order that the nation may live; and there are the slackers who are perfectly willing to sacrifice the other fellows on the altar of patriotism. That is not a democratic arrangement. A Democracy which offers equality of opportunity, has a right to exact in return equality of service."

Read THE LITERARY DIGEST for April 21st, in order to get every view-point upon the greatest problem that is now confronting the Government.

Among other articles in this number that are of unusual public interest are:

Who Will Foot the War-Bill?

The Various Plans For Raising the Vast Sums Required and How They Affect the Individual Pocket-book.

Casting Bread Across the Waters
Britain's Achievement At Arras
Moral Climax of the War
Ireland's Evil Genius
Passing of the Auto-Gear
Concrete Ships
D'Annunzio Salutes Us
Can Billy Sunday Win New York?

German Plots Among Negroes
Forming the All-America War-Group
Germany Annoyed With President Wilson
Saving the Soldiers from Wound-Infection
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THE WAR NEWS

Today's cables feature the fact that the French advance continues, and that their losses are comparatively small while the Germans lose heavily in their counter attacks and are forced to yield position after position. It is, however, slow work, and the German lines bend back, but do not break. The continuous and deadly pressure by both British and French, is slowly attaining its object, but does not give any real indication of an early end of the war.

Today's cables revive the story of a probable German drive against Petrograd, but it is mere speculation. Russia gives assurances of her determination to fight to a finish, and there does not seem to be any greater hope of German success in that direction than on the western front.

There is increasing liveliness on the Macedonian front, but without any real test of strength, and we are entirely in the dark as to the Allied plans in that quarter, or the magnitude of the forces available for an offensive movement.

The United States government is losing no time in the work of preparation. The American navy is taking over the patrol of the Atlantic coast. A war conference will be held in Washington next week, and Ottawa announces that Canada as well as Britain and France will be represented.

The latest reports add thrilling chapters to the story of Canadian valor at Vimy Ridge, but the casualty list warns us that if we are to do our duty in Canada we must take more vigorous action to all the thinning ranks.

Rumors of unrest in Germany grow from day to day, but there is still no evidence of a peace movement having any prospect of success.

THE SCHOOL AGE LIMIT.

The Moncton Transcript quotes a paragraph from the Times urging that the age limit for pupils in the public schools should be raised to sixteen years, and while it approves of the change expresses doubt whether it would be wise at the present time to attempt to raise the limit above fifteen years. We quote the Transcript's article: "It may be interesting to remark that in the original Compulsory Education Bill it was provided that the limit of the compulsory school age should be sixteen, but it was found that in experience as a start the age was somewhat too high. The time will possibly come when under improved social circumstances the age might better be sixteen than any other. In the meantime, however, those who are hostile to compulsory education succeeded in inducing the recent government to reduce the age from sixteen to fourteen. A very strong underhand movement was worked in the City of Moncton to that effect and it was done in the interests of the cotton factories which is no longer existent. It was a case wherein the politicians sacrificed the welfare of the child to satisfy the greed of the capitalists. From observation based upon experience, however, it is possible that the outset of compulsory education, sixteen years as the limit was too high, but certainly fourteen years is too low. A happy medium would have been fifteen years, and if the new government makes a change at all, it should adopt the medium of fifteen years instead of continuing the present limit of fourteen years or adopting the old drastic one of sixteen. It is hoped the time will come when sixteen years will be preferable, but there is much to be done in the way of the uplift of general social conditions before sixteen years could be successful without being burdensome to certain classes of people, who are not well off. It is unwise to push a reform too far or too rapidly."

COMPULSORY SCHOOLING

Continuation schools and their place in our educational system are ably discussed by a writer in the March number of The American City. He sets out to discuss universal military training, and is disposed to agree with Sydney Webb, who, in the Contemporary Review, suggests that if all men must be trained to arms, the young men be kept in continuation schools until twenty-one years of age, and that the last three be devoted in large part to the necessary instruction in military drill and marching, and in trench-digging and rifle-shooting.

Setting this aside, however, the writer in The American City would have all young people instructed in continuation school up to their eighteenth year, the schools to be financed largely by the national government. His reasons for advocating such a course are thus stated: "The majority of our boys and girls leave school soon after reaching the legal age, with only a smattering of education and no business, trade or profession. They drift into casual work, blind alley employments, jobs which lead nowhere. From the school our young people too often graduate to the streets, the pool rooms, the dance hall—a cruel wastage of health, virtue and power. The period of adolescence is the most important of all, the most formative. Yet we turn our boys and girls out into the world with little control, guidance or inspiration. A wise people, seeking ability to cope with other nations in peace or war, will first stop the wastage in youth. No boy or

girl should be permitted to lose contact with school before reaching eighteen; and, as our cities and rural communities can ill afford to further extend education, financial aid must come from the national government. The cheapest and most practical way to meet the situation is by the compulsory continuation school. The equivalent of at least one full day's schooling a week should be demanded, but the time can be arranged so as to cause the least possible interference with employment.

This writer goes on to show that continuation instruction has proved of great value in many English cities, and that the educational authorities of both England and Germany have reached the conclusion that to be effective the continuation school must be compulsory both upon employer and student; and of course the continuation class should be so conducted as to further the general education and proficiency of the student in the chosen trade or business. Continuation schools would be of great benefit in Canada, but as yet we in New Brunswick have not properly enforced a compulsory attendance law in connection with the period during which the children are required by law to be in the public schools. This, therefore, should be our first objective, along with such changes as may be necessary to make the education received in the public schools more practical, and better suited to form a basis for the work of the continuation schools which will doubtless be made part of the system at a not distant date.

Nothing quite so realistic, in relation to the actual incidents of the war, as the simple, illustrated story of Baroness Huard's personal experiences, presented to a St. John audience last evening, had previously been seen and heard here. Every listener came away from the crowded Opera House with a keener appreciation of what the Belgians and the French have suffered, and with a feeling of deeper bitterness toward the German savages who were guilty of such crimes against decency and humanity as Baroness Huard described. It is a pity the pictures and the story could not be presented to the people in every hall and school house in the land, to stir the people to greater efforts in the war that is being waged against a nation of savages who threaten the very fabric of our civilization. Baroness Huard is American by birth and French by education and marriage. She is therefore doubly an ally of the people of Canada.

The Times has received a communication from Brigadier-General Mason, who takes exception to a recent New York despatch to the effect that a London cable had reported 82,000 American citizens fighting in Canadian units at the front. Senator Mason claims that a year ago, of some 800,000 enlistments, the foreign-born numbered only 10,000, and these included some Russians, French, Greeks, Italians and others who were not Americans. He therefore doubts if there are today as many as 10,000 Americans in the Canadian army at home and abroad. No doubt there are some Americans in the British army, and there certainly are in the French. It is extremely doubtful, however, if there are in all the armies as many as suggested in the New York despatch, to which Brigadier-General Mason refers. But there soon will be—and more.

A Conservative newspaper quotes with great approval a remark made by Mr. Elihu Root, to the effect that they needed no coalition government in the United States to make them loyal, as the Republicans would make a coalition themselves with every Democrat in the country. The Conservative newspaper thinks this should interest the Liberals in Canada. Should it not also interest the Conservatives? Why did they not abolish the patronage committee, make a coalition with the Liberals, and kick the grafters out when Sir Wilfrid Laurier pledged the Borden government the support of the Liberal party? If they had done so there would be no talk now of the Dominion elections or of a lack of leadership in Canada.

If the people would not get into a panic over food prices there would not be nearly as great an advance in those prices. The consumer rushes to the retailer, the latter to the wholesaler, and the wholesaler to the manufacturer or producer—and up go the prices. Why not be sensible? There is no justification for panic. The tendency of people to lose their heads has a serious effect on their pockets in times like these. And we have a do-nothing government that would never think of fixing a maximum price for anything.

The Stars and Stripes floating aloft at Westminster marks a new era in Anglo-Saxon history. It is especially welcomed by the people of Canada. Mr. L. W. Simms makes it clear that all the working men are not opposed to daylight saving. Theda Bara at Gem, Saturday, in Ouida's great war story "Under Two Flags." A big Fox five reel picture.

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LOCAL COUNCIL OF WOMEN.

An executive meeting of the St. John Local Council of Women was held yesterday, Mrs. E. Albertson Smith occupying the chair. Governors of standing committees were appointed, and the names ordered to be sent to the corresponding secretary of the national council that the list might appear in the new annual year book. Delegates from the local council to attend the annual meeting of the national council being held in Winnipeg, May 27 to June 8, were nominated as follows: Mrs. E. A. Smith, Mrs. H. A. Powell, Mrs. James Doady, Mrs. Richard J. Hooper and Miss Amelia J. Haley. The sum of \$50 was voted for the military Y. M. C. A. fund. Further plans were discussed for raising money for the council funds, and definite action will be taken in the matter at an early date. Reports to date were made re-

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Canada will be represented at the conference of the allied governments in Washington next week. Sir George E. Foster will go first and when he returns Sir Thomas White will follow.

When the house assembled yesterday the government found itself with practically no majority. This is due partly to the number of vacancies for which elections have not been called and partly to disorganization since the resignation of the government whip. It was necessary for the acting premier to make a personal appeal for better attendance.

At the request of E. M. Macdonald, the minister of labor reviewed the strike situation in the western coal mines. He announced that the committee investigating conditions has completed its report; its findings have been accepted by the

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Y. W. P. A. girls sell English flags for Red Cross Monday.
 Miss Alice Maud Andrews.

The many friends of Alice Maud Andrews will learn with regret of her death which occurred, April 19, in the St. John County Hospital after a long illness. The late Miss Andrews was a graduate nurse of the Laura Franklin Hospital of New York and leaves to mourn, besides her mother, four brothers, three of whom are at the front in France, and one at home and five sisters, all living at home.

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 Anniversary Sale price, 68c.
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 Table Damask, fine quality, full bleached, handsome designs, 68 inches wide. Anniversary Sale, 88c. a yard.
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 Anniversary Sale at reduced prices.
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Anniversary Stamped Goods
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 Stamped Tray Cloths, centre pieces, long pin cushions, all on pure linen.
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TO LET—MAY 1ST, LOWER FLAT No. 18 Clarence street. Kenneth A. Wilson, 45 Canterbury street. 58581-4-25

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TO LET—FLAT OF SIX ROOMS, bath, electric. Mrs. Foster, 242 Prince William street. 58424-24

FLAT TO LET, 26 SOMERSET ST. Rent \$10. 58582-4-24

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TO LET—LARGE FLAT, 247 DOUGLAS Ave., electric lights, bath, hot water. Apply Geo. E. Day. 58527-4-28

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UPPER FLAT, SIX ROOMS, 36 Crown. 58178-4-21

SIX ROOM FLAT, 9 PINE STREET, can be seen Tuesdays and Thursdays. 58195-4-21

TO LET—MODERN, BRIGHT Flats. Enquire 186 Duke, West End. 58208-4-21

FLAT CORNER LOWER AND Watson streets, West, eight rooms. Enquire Miss Gallagher, 50 Waterloo street. 58093-5-14

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STORE AND DWELLING, 384 MAIN street. Apply Frank Garson, 8 St. Paul. Telephone 1871-31. 57145-4-27

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TO LET—SELF-CONTAINED Suite, suitable for doctor's office or two people, 28 Sydney. 58529-4-21

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TO LET—LARGE FURNISHED front room, private family, suitable for two gentlemen, 77 Elliott row, 4-28 ROOM AND BOARD, 101 PARADISE row. 4-26

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Table with columns: Am Zinc, Am Beet Sugar, Am Can, Am Sugar, Am Smelters, Am Woolens, Ana Mining, Alch Top & S Fe, B R T, Bethlehem, Chino Copper, Chi & North West, Ches & Ohio, Colo Fuel Iron, Granby, C P R, Central Leather, Crucible Steel, Erie, Erie 1st pfd, Erie 2nd pfd, Gt North pfd, Inspiration, Intl Marine Com, Intl Marine pfd, Industrial Alcohol, Kennecott Copper, Lehigh Valley, Midvale Steel, Maxwel Motors, Mex Petroleum, Miami, Northern Pacific, Norfolk & West, National Lead, Nevada, N Y Central, New Haven, Pennsylvania, Peoples Gas, Pressed Steel Car, Reading, Rep I & S XD, S Paul, Sloss Sheffield, Southern Ry, Southern Pacific, Shattuck Arizona, Shubaker, Union Pacific, U S Steel, U S Steel pfd, United Fruit, U S Rubber, Utah Copper, Vir Car, Western Union, Westing Elect, Sales, 11 o'clock, 211,000.

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DAYLIGHT SAVING

To the Editor of the Times: Sir,-May I state my objections to the early hour or whatever it may be called? First, I claim it cheats me out of an hour of my best sleep in the morning. Next it makes me get breakfast and lunch ready by lamplight, and then the day seems upset all the way through, for I miss the hour's sleep and the day drags because I am really tired out of two hours sleep. Because my habits are formed, and I again find it impossible to go to sleep any sooner at night and while it may be all right for those that go to work at eight o'clock, I for one refuse to get up earlier than five, which a poor man's wife has to do to get his breakfast in time if he goes any distance to his work; and the worst part of it is getting the first meal of the year the year around by lamplight, not so much the cost of the oil as the nuisance.

AMERICAN NAVY TAKES OVER ATLANTIC COAST PATROL

The American navy is rapidly taking over the patrol which has been established since the outbreak of the war along the eastern coast of America by the British and French navies. This action follows the conference of naval officers of the three nations held last week.

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People throughout Portage county, Wisconsin, have become greatly interested in a birdhouse contest now going on. More than twenty prizes, including cash, cups and other articles, have been offered by bankers and other business men of the country. The contest is being carried on through the schools, Prof. E. J. Waterman of the normal school faculty, directing the contest in person. He is making a trip to all the schools of the county, explaining to prospective entrants the utility of the birdhouses and the importance of protecting the birds. More than seventy-five pupils in the normal school alone have entered the contest.

One Son Killed, Other Wounded

Dr. James Manning Receives News of Second Casualty - Man a New Brunswick Man in the List

Having lost a son in the big drive on Vimy Ridge, Dr. James Manning received word last evening to the effect that his second son on active service had been wounded. The telegram read that Lieutenant Harold Manning had been wounded, but did not state the nature of his wounds or whether they were serious. He drilled in Valenciennes with the 140th Battalion and later crossed to France with a draft of officers. He was only eighteen years old when he joined.

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France with a draft of officers. He was only eighteen years old when he joined. Words have been received in Halifax that Captain Alistair Fraser, son of Hon. D. C. Fraser, lieutenant-governor of Nova Scotia, has again been wounded, having been shot through the arm and leg at Vimy Ridge.

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been sent to St. Agathe for treatment. Lieutenant J. Albert Humphreys, also of the 28th is also been sent to St. Agathe. Killed Last Call. The 28th Battalion is making the final call. The unit has at present a total strength of 650 men and hopes to take more overseas.

WOMEN'S AILMENTS

Come From The Heart and Nerves. Young girls budding into womanhood who suffer with pains and headaches, and whose face is pale and blood watery, will find Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills built them up. Women between the ages of 40 and 50 who are nervous, subject to hot flashes, feeling of pins and needles, smothering feeling, shortness of breath, palpitation of the heart, etc., are tired over this trying time of their life by the use of these pills.

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NERVOUSNESS AND BLUES. Symptoms of More Serious Sickness. Washington Park, Ill.—"I am the mother of four children and have suffered with female trouble, backache, nervous spells and the blues. My children's loud talking and romping would make me so nervous I could just tear everything to pieces and I would ache all over and feel so sick that I would not want anyone to talk to me at times. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills restored me to health and I want to thank you for the good they have done me. I have had quite a bit of trouble and worry but it does not affect my youthful looks. My friends say 'Why do you look so young and well?' I owe it all to the Lydia E. Pinkham remedies."

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RECENT DEATHS

Mrs. Lucy Perry, aged eighty-nine, died at Havlicok, Kings county, on April 11. She is survived by four sons and four daughters. Mary A., daughter of the late Charles and Mary Devine, died at Dipper Harbor on April 18, leaving one brother and two sisters.

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We Have a Remedy That Will Cost You Nothing If It Does Not Help You. St. John women will please realize that we mean just what we say in the above heading. Letters like the following prove the efficiency of Vinol in such cases:

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A Big Increase

For the eleven months ending February, 1917, the total value of domestic and foreign exports through this port reached the enormous total of \$197,284,844—an increase of \$7,942,254 over the whole of the previous fiscal year.

Daylight Saving

Both sides of the daylight saving scheme found friends and champions at a meeting of the opposition to the by-law held in the board of trade rooms last evening. E. A. Schofield, who presided, in opening the meeting presented arguments against the scheme.

KING'S COLLEGE

Rev. Dr. Boyle, the president of the college, was in Halifax on Tuesday for an important meeting of the central committee of the King's Advocate Movement, by which it is hoped to raise \$100,000 for the college in the maritime provinces. Committees are being organized for all the leading towns in the three provinces.

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RECENT WEDDINGS

Bretton-Bayers. In St. Patrick's Church, Halifax, on Wednesday, Edna Lillian Bayers, daughter of Regimental Sergeant Major Bayers of the 28th Battalion, was united in marriage to Lorne Edward Brenton of the C. P. R. staff, Quebec. Rev. Father Courtenay was the officiating clergyman.

SOLDIERS' RETURN

Gunner Frank G. Ferguson, son of John Ferguson, of Moncton, arrived in the city yesterday from overseas, and left late last night for his home. He is suffering from thirty-two wounds and has lost sight of one eye. He was the first Canadian, it is believed, the first soldier of the British army for whom was made the first facial mask to replace parts which had been lost through wounds.

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Her Experiences in Hun Invasion

Baroness Huard Tells of Ruthless Brutality of Germans in Advance on France

Horrors of the devastation of France by the Huns during their ruthless advance on Paris were vividly, clearly and most interestingly last night at the Opera House by Baroness Huard, who spoke in behalf of her military hospital in Paris, under the auspices of the Woman's Canadian Club. The true sacrifices of the women and children of France were brought home more forcibly than ever as the baroness related the happenings of war that took place in and about the Chateau de Villiers, her home, near Soissons.

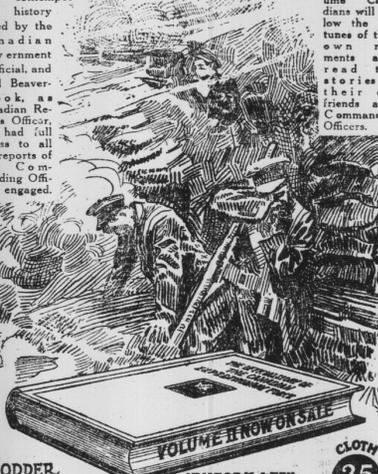
The Opera House was filled with a fashionable audience that numbered at least 1,000. Members of the V. A. D. acted as ushers. A brief reception to give St. John ladies an opportunity to meet the baroness was held in one of the waiting rooms with Mrs. G. A. Kuhring, president of the club, introducing, and several returned men acting as a guard of honor.

Mrs. Kuhring warmly welcomed the baroness and following her Mrs. Daniel Mullin welcomed her in an "Allied" tongue, expressing in well chosen French the warm feeling the Canadian Club held for the speaker. The occasion was made especially noteworthy by the presentation to the European War Veterans' Association of a beautiful silk banner bearing the flag of every nation that has taken up arms against the Huns. It was received amid a riot of applause and cheering. The baroness presented the banner to Sergt. E. J. Puddy, Gunner J. J. Barbour and Private D. J. Gray. Sergt. Puddy expressed thanks on behalf of the association to the Women's Canadian Club and said that the banner would be used for the first time next Sunday and that it would forever hold a place among their treasures.

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Baroness Huard, when introduced, said that she was an American by birth and now felt herself an ally in a double sense. She told graphically of her experiences when war was declared. Her husband and all the men at the chateau were called to the colors and she was left with the women folk to make her escape as best she could, when the German invasion began. Three hours after she left her chateau was occupied by General Von Kluck and his staff. Thirteen days later she returned with the victorious British troops, but found her home practically ruined.

She told of the maltreatment of children and women ranging in age from ten to seventy-five, of the degenerate destruction of the interior of her home and finally her efforts to restore it, her desire to turn it into a military hospital, and finally failing to do so, how she established a military hospital in Paris from funds obtained in the United States. She was torn and her lectures through Mayor Hayes spoke briefly at the con-

clusion, expressing appreciation and urging the people to be as generous as possible for such a worthy cause.

Views of conditions in the war zone were sold from the stage and members of the V. A. D. took up a collection.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Powell, Rev. G. A. and Mrs. Kuhring and W. Frank Hatheway, French consul, took dinner with Baroness Huard last evening at the Duferin.

Dalhousie Elections.

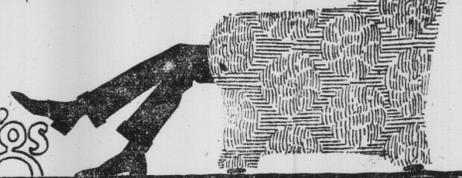
W. S. Montgomery was elected mayor of Dalhousie yesterday, defeating T. G. Scott by four votes. Five new aldermen were elected and the new board will consist of A. Barberie, D. McDonald, D. G. Stewart, P. D. Troy, B. J. Chivron, A. Wallace, J. W. Elziger and John Barber.

"Did you read where a young woman walked into the Copley-Plaza diningroom wearing a necklace of potatoes?"

"Yes, aren't those vulgar displays of wealth disgusting?"

Save up till Monday. Give liberally for wounded.

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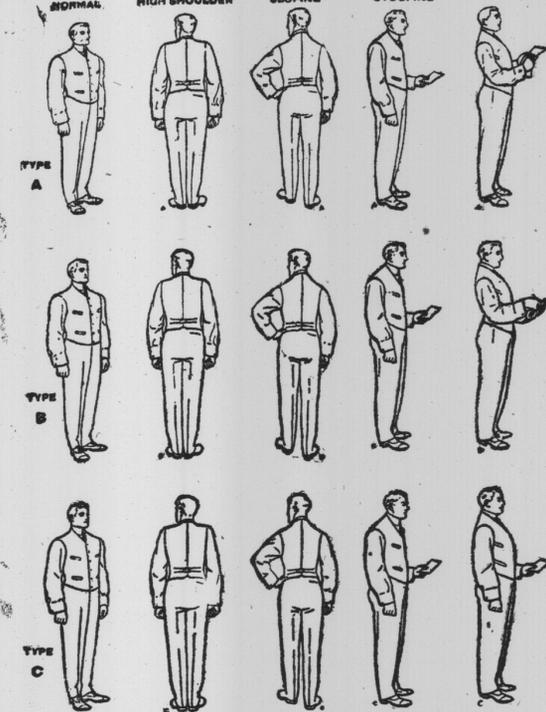
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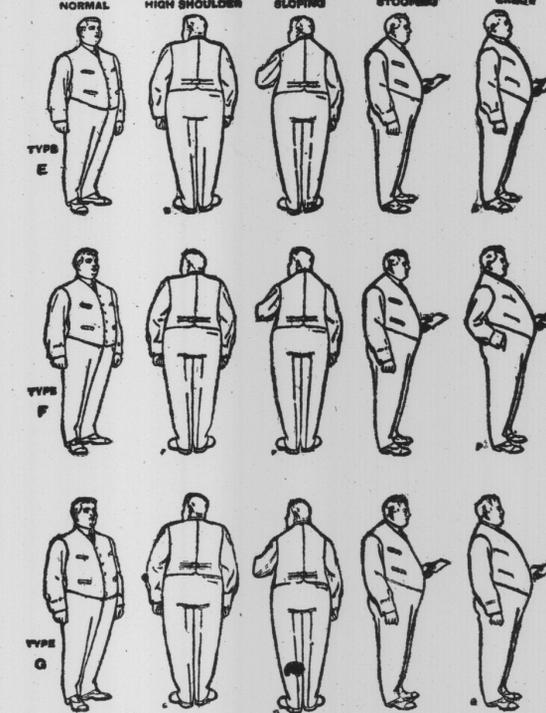


TYPE "A" Short Regular			TYPE "B" Short Stout		
Height	Breast	Waist	Height	Breast	Waist
5' 2"	33"	29"	5' 2"	37"	33 1/2"
5' 2 1/2"	34"	30"	5' 2 1/2"	37 1/2"	34 1/2"
5' 3"	35"	31"	5' 3"	38"	35"
5' 3 1/2"	36"	32"	5' 3 1/2"	39"	36 1/2"
5' 4"	37"	33"	5' 4"	40"	37 1/2"
5' 4 1/2"	38"	34"	5' 4 1/2"	41"	38 1/2"
5' 5"	39"	35"	5' 5"	42"	39 1/2"
5' 5 1/2"	40"	36"	5' 5 1/2"	43 1/2"	40 1/2"
5' 6"	41"	37 1/2"	5' 6"	44 1/2"	41 1/2"
5' 6 1/2"	42"	38 1/2"	5' 6 1/2"	45 1/2"	42 1/2"
5' 7"	43"	39 1/2"	5' 7"	46 1/2"	43 1/2"
5' 7 1/2"	44"	40 1/2"	5' 7 1/2"	47 1/2"	44 1/2"
5' 8"	45"	41 1/2"	5' 8"	48 1/2"	45 1/2"
5' 8 1/2"	46 1/2"	42 1/2"	5' 8 1/2"	49 1/2"	46 1/2"
5' 9"	47 1/2"	43 1/2"	5' 9"	50 1/2"	47 1/2"

TYPE "B" Regular			TYPE "C" (Stout) Regular		
Height	Breast	Waist	Height	Breast	Waist
5' 4 1/2"	33"	29"	5' 5"	37"	34 1/2"
5' 5"	34"	30"	5' 5 1/2"	38"	35 1/2"
5' 5 1/2"	35"	31 1/2"	5' 6"	39"	36 1/2"
5' 6"	36"	32 1/2"	5' 6 1/2"	40"	37 1/2"
5' 6 1/2"	37"	33 1/2"	5' 7"	41"	38 1/2"
5' 7"	38"	34 1/2"	5' 7 1/2"	42"	39 1/2"
5' 7 1/2"	39"	35 1/2"	5' 8"	43 1/2"	40 1/2"
5' 8"	40"	36 1/2"	5' 8 1/2"	44 1/2"	41 1/2"
5' 8 1/2"	41"	37 1/2"	5' 9"	45 1/2"	42 1/2"
5' 9"	42"	38 1/2"	5' 9 1/2"	46 1/2"	43 1/2"
5' 9 1/2"	43"	39 1/2"	5' 10"	47 1/2"	44 1/2"
5' 10"	44"	40 1/2"	5' 10 1/2"	48 1/2"	45 1/2"
5' 10 1/2"	45"	41 1/2"	5' 11"	49 1/2"	46 1/2"
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TYPE "C" Tall Regular			TYPE "D" (Stout) Tall Regular		
Height	Breast	Waist	Height	Breast	Waist
5' 7"	33"	29"	5' 11"	41"	37 1/2"
5' 7 1/2"	34"	30"	5' 11 1/2"	42"	38 1/2"
5' 8"	35"	31"	5' 12"	43 1/2"	39 1/2"
5' 8 1/2"	36"	32 1/2"	5' 12 1/2"	44 1/2"	40 1/2"
5' 9"	37"	33 1/2"	5' 13"	45 1/2"	41 1/2"
5' 9 1/2"	38"	34 1/2"	5' 13 1/2"	46 1/2"	42 1/2"
5' 10"	39"	35 1/2"	5' 14"	47 1/2"	43 1/2"
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5' 11"	41"	37 1/2"	5' 15"	49 1/2"	45 1/2"
5' 11 1/2"	42"	38 1/2"	5' 15 1/2"	50 1/2"	46 1/2"
5' 12"	43"	39 1/2"	5' 16"	51 1/2"	47 1/2"
5' 12 1/2"	44"	40 1/2"	5' 16 1/2"	52 1/2"	48 1/2"

The label and the price is in the pocket of every genuine Semi-ready tailored garment. Look for it!



Semi-ready Store, Cor. King and Germain Streets

A few days ago the Bureau of Standards at Washington began a watching period, four of which periods are held every year. During this time watches may be submitted by manu-

facturers, retailers or individual owners to be examined and the fee is \$5. The test lasts 64 days.

When Michael Rice, a former resident of Jackson county, Mo., returned a few days ago for a visit after 10 years in the state of Washington, he found the Missouri River had receded to him, with interest, a farm of which it robbed him before he went away.

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JACOBSON LET OUT BY CUBS BECAUSE HE IS LEFT-HANDED

Toronto, April 18.—Files—the house, not the baseball variety—persist in getting into the oldtime. Upon the arrival from Detroit last night of President McCaffery, the fact was learned that this youngster Lynch, who was secured with Jacobson from the Chicago Nationals, is a left handed pitcher and outfielder. He makes the fourth southpaw on the Toronto roster, but will probably be used in the outfield exclusively.

Both Jacobson and Lynch are left-handed hitters. Because of that fact Jacobson was let out by the Cubs, Mitchell having a great array of portside clubbers on his team. Mitchell says that Lynch, who originally comes from the Hartford team of the Eastern Association, is one of the best young prospects he ever saw. He is a stocky lad, twenty years of age.

McFigue has been bothered with a sore arm and will not report to the Leafs until he is ready to take his turn in the box. President McCaffery is not yet satisfied with the line-up of the Leafs and will get another outfielder as well as a couple of reliable right-handed pitchers.

CARPENTIER IS OUT OF HOSPITAL

Paris, April 17.—Georges Carpentier, champion heavyweight of Europe, and army aviator, who has been convalescing in Nice, arrived in Paris today and remarked:

"I hope the British find my mother

and sister safe when they enter Lens. My people have been there all during the German occupation, as the Germans refused to let them leave.

"I have not heard from my mother in many months, but people from Lens told me all my property there had been wrecked by the Germans, and I suppose the big British guns hammering the city didn't help any. I hope to get permission to go to Lens to see my mother and sister soon."

Hint for St. John Men
Viscount Bryce has spoken and written much that has special application to conditions in Canada. With respect to organizations in behalf of the public welfare he says: "There is no influence in any community more potent for the accomplishment of good than that of the business and professional men unitedly banded together for the purpose of promoting the general welfare of the entire citizenship."



Just add boiling water and serve
CHOCOLATTA
the ready-to-use chocolate

Makes a delicious drink. Contains chocolate milk and sugar in powdered form. Costs no more to buy than any good chocolate of cocoa and costs less to serve.

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It's Good Goods at Low Prices That Keeps us Busy!

LADIES' DEPARTMENT

LADIES' SUITS \$15.00 Suits that are worth \$17.00 and \$18.00, will cost you \$15.00 for Saturday and Monday.	LADIES' SILK DRESSES From \$10.00 to \$18.00 Less 10 per cent. for Saturday and Monday.	LADIES' WHITE UNDERSKIRTS Worth \$2.25..... For \$1.75
LADIES' SUITS From \$16.00 to \$35.00 Less 10 per cent. for Saturday and Monday.	LADIES' SERGE DRESSES From \$6.50 to \$10.50 Less 10 per cent. for Saturday and Monday.	LADIES' WHITE UNDERSKIRTS Worth \$1.75..... For \$1.35
LADIES' SPRING COATS From \$7.50 to \$25.00 Less 10 per cent. for Saturday and Monday.	LADIES' WHITE VOILE SHIRTWAISTS Worth \$1.35..... For \$1.00	LADIES' WHITE UNDERSKIRTS Worth \$1.50..... For \$1.10
LADIES' SILK DRESS SKIRTS Only \$9.00	LADIES' WHITE VOILE SHIRTWAISTS SIZES FROM 34 TO 50 BUST Only \$1.50	LADIES' WHITE NIGHTGOWNS Worth \$2.25..... For \$1.75
LADIES' SERGE SKIRTS From \$2.98 to \$6.50	LADIES' SILK SHIRTWAISTS From \$1.25 to \$5.50 Less 10 per cent. for Saturday and Monday.	LADIES' WHITE NIGHTGOWNS Worth \$1.75..... For \$1.25
		LADIES' WHITE NIGHTGOWNS Worth \$1.50..... For \$1.10

Specials for Saturday and Monday in MEN'S DEPARTMENT

MEN'S CASHMERE HOSE Worth 50c... 3 pairs for \$1.00	MEN'S BLUE AND BLACK OVERALLS Worth \$1.50..... For \$1.00 Saturday and Monday	MEN'S SUITS From \$10.00 to \$30.00 Less 10 per cent. for Saturday and Monday.
MEN'S SILK HOSE Worth 50c... 3 pairs for \$1.00	BOYS' REGATTA SHIRTS Only 50c, 75c. and \$1.00	Our Men's Suits are all hand-tailor made and well finished by some of the best tailors. Just try us once and you will be a customer of ours ever after.
MEN'S GOOD WORKING SHIRTS Only 50c.	BOYS' BLOUSES Only 50c. and 75c.	MEN'S SPRING TOP COATS From \$10.00 to \$25.00 Less 10 per cent. for Saturday and Monday.
MEN'S HEAVY WOOL HOSE 3 pairs for \$1.00	BOYS' PANTS From 75c. to \$1.75	Less 10 per cent. for Saturday and Monday.
MEN'S SILK FRONT SHIRTS Worth \$1.50..... For \$1.10	BOYS' SUITS From \$4.50 to \$13.00 Less 10 per cent. for Saturday and Monday, with a pair of Braces thrown in.	MEN'S SUITS At \$15.00 The best in town for the money, with an extra pair of Pants thrown in. That's going it some. Beat it if you can!
MEN'S REGATTA SHIRTS Worth \$1.35..... For \$1.00	Our Boys' Suits are the best in town for the money. If you get one of our good Suits, I am sure you will be back for another when you want one.	
MEN'S GREY AND TAN SUEDE GLOVES Only \$1.50		

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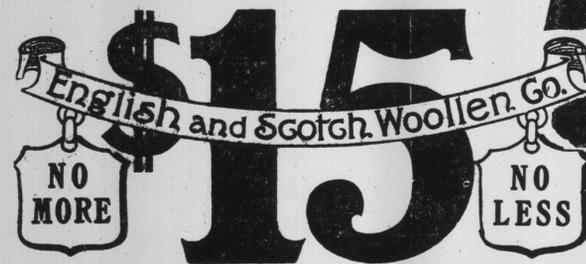
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Suit or Overcoat



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OUR enormous output enables us to put custom tailor service on a price-level with ready-made clothing—you cannot blame your pocket-book this season, if you deny yourself the better fit, style and satisfaction of made-to-measure clothes. You can have your 1917 Spring Suit or Overcoat made to your order just as well as not. If you say you want it made that way, and the cost will be only \$15—it's up to you. May we expect you to-day?

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A Trio of Prime Favorites
BLANCH SWEET, THEODORE ROBERTS and TOM MEIGHAN

"THE STORM"

As a harum-scarum child of nature, light-hearted and care-free, Blanch Sweet will be seen in this thrilling Lasky production.

"THE SECRET KINGDOM"

The Eventful Voyage of the Hired Yacht Upon Which the Princess Was Captive and Phillip a Stoker

A HUGHIE MACK COMEDY

NOTE--Don't Miss the 177th Batt. Concert TONIGHT AFTER TEN O'CLOCK

EMPERESS WEST SIDE HOUSE

Pearl White in the Fourth Episode of "PEARL OF THE ARMY"

Is the Title of This Gripping Chapter. Who is the Silent Menace?

Creighton Hale in "THE TAIN"

An Exciting Three-Part Photo-Play. A Story of Power, with Many Intense and Thrilling Situations.

Lonesome Luke in "LUKE'S BUSY DAY"

It Sure is a Scream of a Comedy.

SPECIAL MATINEE SATURDAY!

Sport News of A Day; Home and Abroad

BOWLING

Nationals Take Four.

The Nationals took all four points in their game with the Specials in the city bowling league rolled on Black's Alleys, last evening.

The Wins and Wanderers will play this evening. Last night's scores were as follows:

Table with columns: Name, Total, Avg. Lists bowling scores for Nationals and Specials.

RING

Notes of Interest

Johnny Griffith and Jimmy Duffy will meet in Youngstown, O., tonight.

Joe Lynch and Terry Martin of Philadelphia are signed to box in Brooklyn tomorrow night.

Bantam champion Herman is to get \$2,500 to box ex-champion Coulon in New Orleans on May 14.

Homer Smith, a heavyweight, who stopped Sandy Ferguson in big time in Philadelphia, will take on Al Rich at Albany on next Tuesday night.

From Denver come reports of a thoughtful boxer and an exceptional manager. The boxer is Maurice Flynn and his manager is Joe Keefe.

The ambition of Flynn is to acquire an education and similarly to equip his ten brothers and sisters.

His earnings out of the ring would be small at best, so he is devoting himself to a study of the many art in the daytime and commercial art at night.

In the meantime his proceeds from fights are financing the school courses of one brother and three sisters.

As the others reach the age of reason he expects to do likewise by them. Flynn's manager takes nothing for handling him, and has mapped out a plan for the future.

By the time it is concluded Flynn hopes to be launched upon a business career which will enable him to get out of pugilism forever.

TURF

Many Mares Enter Futurity

Lexington, Ky., April 18.—Nine hundred and eighty-three mares have been nominated for the \$21,000 Kentucky Futurity, according to the announcement made by the Kentucky Trotting Horse Breeders' Association.

This is the largest number of nominations in the last ten years.

The first renewal of the Futurity under the exclusive trotting conditions, the pacing feature having been eliminated during the last winter.

Thirty-six nominators entered five or more mares each. The Walnut Hall Farm of this city, owned by the L. V. Harkness estate, heads the list with an even hundred mares.

W. E. D. Stokes of New York is second with ninety-four. C. K. G. Billings of Curies Neck farm, Richmond, Va., is third with forty-four.

NEW YORK JOURNAL, N.Y. WORLD, N.Y. HERALD, N.Y. TRIBUNE, N.Y. EVE. SUN. Various news snippets and advertisements.

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WORLD-BRADY-Made Five-Reel Comedy-Drama, Featuring LEW FIELDS

Doris Kanyon and Fine Company in Picture That is a Classic "THE MAN WHO STOOD STILL"

FLORENCE & LILLIAN Two Clever Young Women Entertainers

GAYLES & RAYMOND Man and Woman in a Classy Act

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WATCH for This—Theda Bara Next Saturday in Outfit's Great War Story, "UNDER TWO FLAGS." Fox Picture.

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SOMETHING SPECIAL And Out of the Ordinary— Universal Co. Presents the Juvenile Star LITTLE ZOE RAE in "THE WAR WAIF"

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Table with columns: Team, Won, Lost, P.C. American League Standing.

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BOWLING Paul Pothler Wins

Lewiston, Me., April 18.—Paul Pothler of Boston defeated Emory E. Russell of this city in a special 20-string candlepin match, concluded here last night.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS. Cures Rheumatism, Gout, Gravel, Neuritis, Sciatica, Dropsy, Drops, Dropsy, Dropsy.

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- M 8408-11—Barbery, Arthur G., res. 69 Moor street. M 3038-11—Baxter, H. V., res. 185 Ellett row.

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TONIGHT at 7.30 and 9

Last Times to See THE RAWSON TRIO BLONDY ROBINSON The Great Manuel

Two Other Big Acts and Two Reels of New Pictures.

Evenings... 25c, 15c, 10c. Afternoons... 15c and 10c.

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ALL NEW PROGRAMME THE THREE IONAS Singers and Pianists

MR. and MRS. CORTIS In Dramatic Sketch.

RUTHIE VOLIMER Dainty Comedienne With the Bagpipes.

BRAGGER BROTHERS Comedy Acrobats

11th Chapter "Crimson Stain Mystery"

STAR THEATRE Friday Saturday

Four Big Attractions for the Week-End!

Helen Holmes in "A LASS OF THE LUMBERLANDS"

"THE BLACK SHEEP" Reliance Drama

"THE SHOAL LIGHT" A Story of the Sea.

"JEALOUSY A LA CARTE" Rubie Miller Comedy

MATINEE SATURDAY AFTERNOON

MONDAY "ARMS AND THE WOMAN"

PHONE EMPLOYEES WILL GET PENSIONS

Montreal, April 20.—The Bell Telephone Company has established an employees' benefit fund, effective on July 1, to provide pensions, accident and sickness disability benefits and benefits to dependents of deceased employees.

There are 9,000 employees, none of whom will be called upon to contribute. The company will bear the whole cost of the fund, which will be administered by a committee of five officials of the company.

Male employees may be retired on pension at the age of sixty years, and female employees at the age of fifty-five, if their term of employment has been twenty years.

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For Men and Young Men

Who Demand Quality and Style at a Reasonable Price

"Hunt's Clothes Will Fill the Bill"

Careful planning and buying months ago has enabled us to get the best values in cloths, tailored by the country's foremost manufacturers.

SUITS \$10.00 to \$26.00 OVERCOATS \$15.00 to \$25.00

Does Your Boy Need New Clothes for School?

Opportunity to dress your boy at a real saving awaits you here. Everything we sell we guarantee, and that means satisfactory service.

Ask to see the new "Pinch Back" and "Norfolk" Suits, \$4.50 to \$15.00.

Come in and let us explain our Profit-Sharing Plan, and at the same time show you the Beautiful Premiums we are giving away FREE.

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To make room for the large number of Trimmed Hats received this week from New York, we will sell all Trimmed Hats that were in stock before Easter at \$2.00, \$3.00 and \$5.00 each tomorrow.

Marr Millinery Co., Ltd.

LADIES! SPECIAL

We are making a reduction in price of Suits and Coats of 20 per cent. to 30 per cent. for this week.

Made in the finest quality of men's serges and chevots, whipcords and gabardines in a variety of shades.

CALL AND EXAMINE AT

THE AMERICAN CLOAK MFG. CO.
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SPECIAL SALE

Children's Straw Hats

We have put on sale a number of last season's Straw Hats at Bargain Prices, just the thing for school or play hats.

\$1.00 and \$1.50 STRAWS For 50c.
50c. and 75c. STRAWS For 25c.

F. S. THOMAS
539 to 545 Main Street

For Friday And Saturday

We have added to our complete and up-to-date stock a large number of Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats, including the very newest shapes and colorings.

Everything moderately priced, thus enabling each individual to buy at little cost.

Also on hand a new line of Children's Hats and Baby Bonnets.

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29 CANTERBURY ST. TEL. 1012

DOCTOR CURREN HEADS NEW BRUNSWICK COUNCIL OF PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS

Fredericton, April 20.—The Council of Physicians and Surgeons of New Brunswick met here last evening in annual session. Those present were Doctors W. W. White, A. F. Emery, Thomas Walker, L. M. Curren, J. S. Bentley, St. John, S. C. Murray, Albert, J. D. Lawson, St. Stephen; T. S. Sprague, Woodstock, and G. C. Vanwart, Fredericton. Doctor Curren was elected president, Doctor Bentley, registrar, and Doctor Emery treasurer.

Coal merchants are experiencing difficulty in securing schooners for the hard coal trade. Several charters were made a short time ago at \$5 a ton, but \$5.50 is the best rate now obtainable. This is \$2 higher than last season.

HOW FARMER HELPS TO WIN THE WAR

An illustration of how a farmer may help win the war is given in the example

of R. M. Burden of Lonewater Farm, Westfield. Some months ago Mr. Burden presented five young pigs to the 8rd Regt. on Partridge Island, to be fed on the refuse from the kitchens. These pigs were sold recently, and realized no less than \$181.55, which Major Wetmore passed on to the Patriotic Fund. He adds that they still have two undersized pigs being fed, and that this is the fourth lot of pigs Mr. Burden has given for this purpose. It suggests ways in which many farmers could materially help the good cause.

PLUMBERS GIVE NOTICE OF STRIKE FOR TOMORROW

At a meeting of master plumbers held last evening the offer of the journeymen plumbers was rejected and negotiations with the union cut off. At a previous meeting the master plumbers agreed to pay their men \$32.50 a day, but they declined to accept this offer and held out for forty-five cents an hour. This morning notice was served on the master plumbers that the men will go out on strike on Saturday night.

LOCAL NEWS

ACCIDENT

Joseph Kain, of 383 Main street, was admitted to the General Public Hospital today at noon as a result of a fracture of the left leg, sustained while at work at West St. John.

MR. LEAHY FLOATS HER

Word reached the city this morning that contractor E. O. Leahy, of West St. John, had succeeded in floating the small government steamer John W. Mason, which struck a rock near Black Point on last Sunday night. She will be brought to port this evening and will undergo repairs.

TO BUILD HOME HERE

Robert J. Flewelling of Boston has purchased from W. I. Fenton a large suburban property in the Manawagonish road and is planning the erection of a modern dwelling for his own use. Mr. Flewelling has resided in Boston for the last thirty years but has decided to make his home here for the future.

LANCASTER EXTENSION

Plans and specifications for the reconstruction of the Spruce Lake water main in Lancaster are nearing completion and Commissioner Wigmore hopes to be able to call for tenders for the work some time next week. He is not quite ready for the call for tenders for the Lake Latimer renewal work.

PENSION BOARD

Major E. L. Buchanan of the board of pension commissioners, Ottawa, who has been in St. John organizing the work of the board here, has gone to Kingston, Ont., to address the war veterans' association there. He will return to St. John next week and arrangements are being made for him to address a meeting of returned soldiers here during the latter part of the week.

INQUIRY ANSWERED

The paragraph in the Times last evening announcing that information was being sought regarding Edward McMillan who was believed to have enlisted in St. John in 1915 proved successful in eliciting the information required. Mr. McMillan's wife is residing in the city and this morning she called on the mayor and arranged to answer the inquiry, which was from an old friend of her husband.

THE FORESTRY COMPANY

Details of the organization authorized for its unit have been received by Major Lionel Hanington, commanding a forestry company which is being recruited in the province with headquarters in Sussex. The orders authorize an establishment of two majors, one captain, eight lieutenants and 350 men. Four per cent. of the men enlisted may be given the rank of sergeant and provision is made for an equal number of corporals, thus giving ample opportunity for promotion.

WATER AND SEWERAGE

Owing to the collapse of a section of an old wooden sewer in Harrison street, the department of water and sewerage is finding it necessary to renew a section with terra cotta pipe. The hanging of the fourth gate in the aboideau at Marsh bridge yesterday afternoon completed this part of all the undertaking. All that remains to be done is some concrete work. Surveys are being made in Adelaide street today preparatory to laying the sewer. The excavation will commence tomorrow.

JOSEPH S. CAMPBELL

The death of Joseph Smith Campbell, aged eighteen years, the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Campbell, occurred yesterday in the General Public Hospital after a illness of three months. Before his illness he was employed with the Partington Pulp and Paper Company. Besides his parents, he is survived by eight sisters, Mrs. James Crane of Greenwhich, and Misses Myrtle, Edith, Edna, Dora, Helen, Thelma and Rosilla, all at home. The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon at three o'clock from the home of his parents, 503 Chesley street.

BYE-LAW MATTERS

Several bye-law cases were before the police magistrate this morning. James Shackhouse was reported for leaving his auto with the right wheel to the curb in Mill street and also for making an improper turn into Pond street from Mill street. Policeman Colwell made the report. Fines were struck.

George M. Lawson was reported by Policeman Hogg for exceeding the speed limit at corner of Mill and Market streets. The defendant said that he was not there at the time he was reported by the traffic policeman. The case stands until Monday.

F. C. Breen was reported for driving a car with a 1916 number plate. Mr. Breen said that he had sold the car and hence he was not responsible. His excuse was accepted. Richard Falkins was reported for allowing his horse to stand in the street unattended. He said that he had left it only a short time. A fine was struck.

JUDGMENTS GIVEN IN APPEAL COURT IN FREDERICTON TODAY

Fredericton, N. B., April 20.—The Supreme Court of Appeal delivered judgments this morning in five cases. Those present were Chief Justice Sir Ezekiel McLeod, Judges White and Crockett.

Francis P. Murphy et al vs. The Moncton Hospital et al.—This case was tried before Judge Grimmer and the plaintiff's action dismissed. The appeal court sustained the finding of Judge Grimmer and dismissed the plaintiff's appeal with costs. The judgment decides that a bye-law giving a vote to those contributing \$1 to the Moncton Hospital Fund is ultra vires and confirms the new trustees in their appointment.

McCormack vs. Gallagher—appeal of the defendant allowed with costs, the plaintiff's action dismissed. The appeal court judgment will be entered for the defendant. This action concerned the securing of a tenant for the Minto Hotel, Moncton.

Fish vs. Fish—appeal dismissed with costs.

Long vs. Long—appeal allowed with costs.

The King vs. John L. Carleton, ex parte Delong—rule discharged. This case concerned the powers of stipendiary magistrates.

Holland renews its declaration of neutrality.

Nicaragua endorses the entry of the United States into the war.

RIVER OPEN

Clear Water Today From Grand Falls to St. John

A report from Fredericton today says that ice which had been jammed above the highway bridge at Springhill ran out quietly last night and the river is now open from Grand Falls to St. John. At places there is considerable ice along the shores, but this is expected to break up during the next day or two. Tugs are expected at Fredericton early next week to swing the booms.

Indian town is filled with floating ice today, and the ferry E. Ross, which plies from Indian town to Milford, experienced considerable difficulty navigating back and forth.

The water in the river has risen several feet in the last few days and continues to rise. Today all the wharves at the south end of Bridge street were submerged and large fields of floating ice threaten damage to some of the warehouses.

FAVOR DAYLIGHT SAVING

Simmas Employees Want the Extra Hour of Sunlight — Company Places Land at Their Disposal for Garden Plots

Fairville, April 19, 1917.

To the Editor of The Times:

Sir,—Having consulted our employees in the matter of daylight saving, I find a great many are strongly in favor of the scheme. In talking with the men many have expressed themselves as having found the extra hour's daylight in the evening a continuous source of home and enjoyment last summer, without any disadvantages on the other end of the day to offset same.

This year our company having several acres of good land at their disposal, have offered our men the free use of same for garden plots. A number of the men are availing themselves of this opportunity and have been looking forward to the long evenings under the daylight plan, to get in the considerable amount of work necessary.

It is felt that there is a given amount of daylight in either event and that one might get in the extra hour's work in the morning. In my personal experience has been that though one might, most of us don't, and a man used to indoor work can better do his gardening in the evening when rest can follow the greater exertion.

It seems to me a reflection on our statement that provision was not made such time as this takes place, it is inevitable that some in the community will have to make sacrifices for the benefit of the majority; but I am persuaded that the most of those who perhaps are opposing the scheme, would line up on the other side if they realized the real economy in public health and the real financial saving thus made.

It is undoubtedly a fact that among the above, the "morries" suffered considerably last summer, but with our statement pleading for thrift and economy in all walks of life, if the people with the extra daylight at their command instinctively prefer to enjoy God's free great out of doors to spending money for this kind of entertainment, from the viewpoint of the community as a whole we can hardly feel that this is to be regretted.

Every good reform has always met opposition from sincere people who either thought their freedom was being interfered with, or harm being done them, not recognizing the real motive to be an inherent antagonism to change of any kind in their make-up.

If some fairly could change the clocks over night, these good people would be perfectly happy and be rejoicing with the rest of us in the delightfully long evenings.

Sincerely yours,
L. W. SIMMAS.

MARRIED IN WINNIPEG

In Holy Trinity church in Winnipeg, at 10 o'clock on Saturday, the 14th, the marriage of Miss Beatrice Elizabeth Dobbin, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Dobbin, of Rothesay, to John Walker of Toronto, took place. Archdeacon Fortin officiating. Prof. H. St. John Nafrel presided at the organ. The church was beautifully decorated with palms and Easter lilies. The bride, who entered the church with her brother-in-law, G. H. Grantham, looked very charming in an imported suit of deep blue velvet, the coat opening over a blouse of white lace and Georgette crepe beaded and embroidered in blue. Her hat, a French design, was of black moiré hair lace and mulline, evolved in a combined shade of rose and blue. She wore a set of white fox furs and a corsage bouquet of bridal roses and lilies of the valley, centred with violets. Both bride and groom were unattended. The groom's gift to the bride was a platinum pin set with diamonds. Immediately after the ceremony the bridal party drove to the Union station and Mr. and Mrs. Walker left for an extended trip to the west. Many beautiful and costly presents were received, showing the popularity of the young people.

Mrs. Dobbin, mother of the bride, wore a suit of navy blue with black hat, trimmed with black ospreys and a corsage bouquet of violets. Mrs. G. W. Grantham, sister of the bride, wore a suit of midnight blue with white fox furs and a bouquet of Opheelia roses.

POLICE COURT

In the police court this morning there were eight prisoners arraigned on drunkenness charges. They were fined \$8 each or two months in jail. John Elliott was fined \$40 for drunkenness and resisting the police. Policeman Hogg testified. John Clark and John Given arrested yesterday on charges of looting and the latter also charged with drunkenness, were both let go this morning as they were handed over to a recruiting sergeant. One has already enlisted and the other will take the necessary examinations.

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