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## Population of Province is Announced DOMINION PARTICIPATION IN RELIEF WORK PAYMENT EXTENDED

### Federal Government Will Bear Large Share the Cost of Relief Work Given By Municipalities

OTTAWA, Jan. 26.—The government has passed measures for the relief of the unemployed providing for 50 per cent. payment on public works undertaken by the municipalities where the relief of the physically fit ex-soldiers is concerned, the province and municipality to share the remaining 50 per cent.

Unemployment work for other than soldiers will be assisted to the extent of one-third the normal cost and one-half the extra cost, the province to pay one-half the extra cost and the municipality one-sixth.

Federal relief is conditioned on the province assuming one-third of the normal cost and the approval of the work by the federal authorities.

Where work can not be provided, the federal government will pay one-third of the relief funds, the province must pay one-third and the municipality one-third.

### NEW ROUTE TO FORT NORMAN

Proposal Being Considered to Go  
in by Way of Prince Rupert  
and Liard River.

### IMPERIAL OIL IS ANXIOUS

Matter Has Been Considered by  
Minister of Public Works  
for B. C.

VICTORIA, Jan. 26.—Hon. J. H. King, as minister of public works for British Columbia, has now under consideration plans for the construction of a route across British Columbia from Prince Rupert to the head waters of the Fort Nelson River to give the Mackenzie River oil fields connection with the world and bring all traffic created by their development through this province.

When he goes to Ottawa and joins the Dominion cabinet Dr. King will hand over the scheme to his successor here and then take steps to bring the Dominion government in line with the proposal.

This is the announcement from W. A. Rae, former member for Peace River in the Alberta Legislature, who has been interviewing Premier Oliver and Dr. King about opening up the new route.

"It is now up to the Dominion government," Mr. Rae said. "The provincial cabinet ministers all see the great benefit it will be to the country and to British Columbia, but they feel that they should have some assurance that the route will be utilized and that British Columbia will benefit by the federal government supplies and parties going in from here. Given that assurance the money will be authorized and the new route assured.

"If the new road is opened up settlers and business men in the northern part of British Columbia will have the opportunity of reaping the advantages from travel over the route.

"With this route it will be possible to get in to the oil fields and to various mineral prospects two months earlier than at present and at much reduced costs. On the present Alberta route across Great Slave Lake the ice does not go out until late in July each year. With the North B. C. route and using the Fort Nelson and Liard rivers it will be possible to follow the ice out in the early part of May."

Mr. Rae says the Imperial Oil Company has already given assurances that it will use the new route as it will give the company a season one-third longer for their development work in the North.

### WIFE OF FORMER BANKER SEEKS EVIDENCE IN CANADA.



Mrs. James A. Stillman, wife of the former President of the National City Bank, the world's largest banking institution, is in Canada, where she is seeking new evidence to help her in her divorce proceedings. This picture shows (from left to right): Philip J. O'Brien, counsel of Mrs. Stillman; Mrs. Ed. Potter Stillman; Fred Beauvais and Mayor Jeanne Crete of Grand Piles at a hearing which is being held in Montreal.

### OLIVER WILL CARRY CASE TO OTTAWA

Discriminatory Freight Rates  
Should Be Abolished Now  
He Thinks.

VICTORIA, Jan. 26.—Premier Oliver, addressing the Liberal Club here, announced that he was going to Ottawa to present the rights of the province before the railway commission, showing that the province is entitled to equal freight rates under the Act of Union.

The first minister expressed confidence that now there is a Liberal administration in power at Ottawa, justice would be done and the matter amicably settled. He said British Columbia had paid \$100,000,000 in the last 39 years through discriminatory freight rates.

### B. C. FARMERS WILL DECIDE AS TO ACTION

Expected Will Be Known This  
Afternoon Whether or Not  
They Will Enter Politics.

VANCOUVER, Jan. 26.—Whether or not the United Farmers of B. C. will enter the political arena and affiliate with the Progressive party will probably be decided late this afternoon. A long and warm discussion is expected for there is a divergence of opinion among the members of the local organization.

### OPPOSITION TO ORIENTALS

White Farmers Would Make It  
Difficult for Yellow Com-  
petitors to Do Business.

VANCOUVER, Jan. 26.—The United Farmers in convention here adopted a resolution yesterday favoring the exclusion of Orientals from Canada and opposing the right of Orientals to hold land in British Columbia.

The farmers also favored the marking of all produce from farms held by Orientals to distinguish it from that grown by whites.

The convention favored the removal of the personal property tax and the imposition of an additional tax on land held for speculation.

The political question is being debated today.

### OCEAN FALLS DOCTOR LEAVING NEXT MONTH

Dr. John Christie Resigning His  
Position to Take Up Special  
Work in England.

VANCOUVER, Jan. 26.—Word has been received here that Dr. John Christie of Ocean Falls is resigning his position at the hospital there and will leave about the end of March for England, where he will take up special work in the hospitals.

Dr. Christie has been at Ocean Falls a long time and will be much missed at the paper town. His successor has not yet been appointed.

### MILLIONS WILL DIE

League of Nations Told Too  
Late Save Many Russian  
Starving.

GENEVA, Jan. 26.—Nine-teen million people are suffering intensely for want of food in Russia and fifteen million will certainly die unless they are given relief immediately, said Fritjof Nasan to the League of Nations committee. Thirty-three millions are affected and now it is too late to save them all, he declared. It will only be possible to move sufficient grain between now and the next harvest to save six or seven millions.

### PILOT ASSOCIATION WILL COMPETE FOR GENERAL BUSINESS

VANCOUVER, Jan. 26.—The officials of the new pilotage organization with Capt. H. L. Roberson of Prince Rupert at its head and Capt. Barney Johnson as secretary states that there is no idea of the new association instituting a rate war. The members simply believe that there is business enough to warrant existence of the new concern without interfering with the business of the British Columbia Pilotage Association.

There is no compulsory pilotage on the British Columbia coast, and consequently the work is open to any who wish to undertake it and can give the service required by the steamship operators.

Both Capt. Roberson and Capt. Percy Shadforth have master mariners' certificates in both steam and sail.

### SOUTH AFRICAN MINERS ARE STILL OUT ON STRIKE

JOHANNESBURG, Jan. 26.—The strike of coal and gold miners in the Rand district is still on in full swing and efforts that have been made to bring the two sides together have failed. The men went on strike some time ago as a protest against the proposition to increase the number of colored workers in the mines.

### THE CLINTON IS LOCATED

Was Almost Cut in Two by Prin-  
cess Royal When Collision  
Occurred.

VANCOUVER, Jan. 26.—The tug Clinton, almost severed in two, has been found in 107 feet of water at the entrance to the harbor by the dredging company on the spot where she sank ten days ago in collision with the Princess Royal.

The underwriters hope to be able to raise the tug.

### PORTUGAL WILL NOT PAY CHARLES' BOARD

Notifies Allied Council of Am-  
bassadors That It Will Not  
Stand ex-Emperor's Ex-  
pense at Madeira.

LISBON, Jan. 26.—The Portuguese Government has notified the Allied Council of Ambassadors that it will not stand the expense of the maintenance of Ex-Emperor Charles, of Austria-Hungary, and his family on the Island of Madeira.

### DR. BAKER DENIES CHARGES BROUGHT AGAINST HIMSELF

VANCOUVER, Jan. 26.—Dr. Baker in his evidence before the commission to inquire into the administration of the Game Act denied all charges made against himself. The inquiry is expected to conclude today.

### LIBERALS ARE NOT YET DECIDED ON CABINET MEMBERS

VICTORIA, Jan. 26.—The Liberal caucus held a prolonged meeting yesterday, continuing their deliberations until after midnight, without having come to any decision in regard to cabinet appointments. The caucus is being continued today.

### Population of B.C. Is 523,369; Prince Rupert Has 6,378

OTTAWA, Jan. 26.—The population of Prince Rupert as given out officially by the census bureau is now 6378, an increase of 2192 over the census returns of ten years ago.

Vancouver has a population of 116,709, an increase of 16,299 over the 1911 returns.

Victoria has 38,682, an increase of 7922 over the count of ten years ago.

Greater Vancouver, including the municipalities of Point Grey, South Vancouver, the city of North Vancouver and district, has a population of 173,030.

Nanaimo and suburbs returns 9925, an increase of 719. Nelson's population is 5236, an increase of 769.

The population of British Columbia by electoral districts shows that the total for the whole province is 523,369, an increase over the 1911 census return of 130,889. This is made up as follows:

Burrard, 69,889; increase 21,326.  
Cariboo, 48,977; increase 12,436.  
Comox-Alberni, 32,017; increase 12,278.  
Fraser Valley, 23,765; increase 6121.

Two More Members for Province.

The increase in the population of British Columbia, as shown in the census returns, also means increased representation for the province in the House of Commons following the next redistribution. At present British Columbia sends 13 members to the Commons, but its population of 523,369 will entitle it to 15 members, an increase of two, based on the ratio of population to that of Quebec as provided under the British North America Act.

### PROVINCIAL COURT OF REVISION DONE

Concluded Its Sessions This  
Morning—16 Dismissals and  
7 Reductions.

The provincial government court of revision for Prince Rupert assessment district concluded its session this morning when all cases were finally disposed of. There were about 25 cases altogether handled by John Dybhava, the judges. Of this number 18 were dismissed and in the remaining seven some slight reductions were made.

E. S. Richardson, of Tiel, appeared before the court this morning seeking reduction in valuation of land in the vicinity of Tiel. He was successful in getting \$2.50 an acre taken off.

### DISORDERS IN CAIRO AGAIN

LONDON, Jan. 26.—A despatch from Rome says fresh disorders have broken out in Cairo, Egypt, and as a result 130 persons have been killed and more than one thousand injured. British troops have quelled the insurrection.

Official quarters here are inclined to discredit the seriousness of the reported trouble.

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### POPE BENEDICT LAID TO REST

Interment Was Solemn and Im-  
pressive and Attendance Was  
Very Exclusive.

ROME, Jan. 26.—The remains of Pope Benedict XV. were this afternoon entombed with solemn and impressive ceremonies. The body of the late Pontiff was enclosed in three caskets and dressed in the pontifical robes. It now lies in the crypt under the great Basilica of St. Peter's cathedral. The historic and beautiful ritualistic services were witnessed only by the members of the Sacred College and the Papal household, the nobility and diplomats.

### GRENVILLE COUNTY BY-ELECTION TODAY

Ex-Premier Meighen is Seeking  
Seat in Commons There—  
Opposed by A. K. Patterson

PRESCOTT, Jan. 26.—It appears likely that there will be a heavy vote today in the by-election for Grenville county where Ex-Premier Arthur Meighen is seeking election to the House of Commons. He is opposed by A. K. Patterson, Progressive. Both sides have campaigned aggressively for more than a fortnight.

### TOTAL FISH CATCH MONTH OF DECEMBER

Halibut and Herring Take Larger  
Than for Previous Year.

OTTAWA, Jan. 26.—The total catch of fish on both the Atlantic and Pacific coasts in December amounted to 553,926 cwts., valued at \$1,213,625, compared with 473,746 cwts., valued at \$966,143, for December, 1920.

On the Pacific Coast there was a great increase in the catch of halibut, there being 23,265 cwts. taken as against 9660 cwts. in December, 1920.

The catch of herring on the Pacific was 382,278 cwts., compared with 349,639 cwts. taken in the same period in 1920.

Ten halibut boats with 100,000 pounds of fish reached port last night and this morning and are holding over until tomorrow for sale.

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**Danger of Narrowness  
 In Small Community.**

There is a danger that people living in a detached community will tend to become restricted in their views, petty in their actions and peculiar in their manners. Prince Rupert is much detached from the rest of the world, especially in winter. While there are regular train and boat services, the citizens meet pretty much the same people, discuss the same subjects and tend to become gossipy. It is the same in all places where similar conditions obtain. It is a matter of conditions and has nothing to do with the temperament of the people. Human nature is much the same in the aggregate everywhere.

As the city grows the narrowness tends to disappear, and with it much of the pettiness. Also there is less and less danger of the residents becoming peculiar. The outlook widens, bigger questions obtrude themselves and we become cosmopolitan in our outlook.

In Prince Rupert there are many saving features. In the first place the average citizen gets out occasionally and mixes with the rest of the world. He goes south and sees how things are done in the larger centres. He goes east and gets in touch with the interior point of view. There is also a constant stream of visitors which many meet. The visitors tend to keep us from becoming peculiar. The other two ameliorating influences are literature and the movies. Of these probably the strongest force is the movies. Nearly everyone goes to see the pictures, and while they often do not portray real life they are the same pictures that are influencing the people of other communities, especially when, as is the case here, the high-class pictures predominate in the selection made by local houses.

**Value of Literature  
 In Developing Character.**

Literature has a great effect in developing character. The books and newspaper we read help to make up our stock of knowledge and also train us in our likes and dislikes, in our viewpoint on life and in our life ideals. Let a man read a number of books by one author and he soon learns to admire what that author admires and to hold up to ridicule or contempt the foibles and faults of the less agreeable characters.

While the movies rather stamped many people away from the reading of books for a time after their introduction, there is a swing backward now toward a deeper interest in classic books. People are realizing that what has stood the test of time and has influenced thousands of people in the past must have much of value in it. Shorn of its old-fashioned trimmings, it contains much that will inspire and keep us from wandering into the by-paths of novelties.

Modern literature of course can not be neglected. If we would keep up with the times we must read some of the books that are written today. We must all get the modern viewpoint and the latest in science and philosophy. Much of it may be obtained from the best magazines, but there is danger in trusting to the magazines for everything. When a magazine writer becomes sure of himself and his writings are in demand he usually publishes books. The book is usually the work of the more mature mind.

**Give Everyone  
 a Chance to Read.**

Everyone should have an opportunity to read books. The best thing any man or woman can do is to possess a small library. One by one the books may be gathered, the best being retained for future perusal. One book owned is worth many books borrowed.

With most people it is impossible to buy many books. They borrow them. In a large city there is a large selection to be obtained at the public library. Prince Rupert has no ambition to become a large city, judging by its indifference toward the public library idea. Now that the year 1922 has got a good start and there is hopefulness in every person living here, the library might well engage attention. It would be a shame for there to be another year of growth and material progress and yet no effort be made to develop also the intellectual side of our northern city life.

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**RUSSIAN RED CROSS.**

Editor Daily News:—  
 The enclosed communication should be of general interest to the people of Prince Rupert, in view of the generous response they have made for aid for the tortured people of Russia, and should be sufficient to satisfy those who have had doubts as to the responsibility of the organization which has been collecting and forwarding money and clothing locally. It confirms the telegrams which the local organization received from New York in October last in answer to our inquiry if "the Canadian Famine Relief Committee was affiliated with the International Red Cross. As previously mentioned, the Canadian Committee is operating as a branch of the Red Cross Society of Soviet Russia, and all money collected is credited to the head office of the latter organization in New York, with the collections made in the U. S., thus enabling large purchases to be made in Canada and the U.S. at minimum prices.

J. H. BURROUGHS,  
 Secretary Local Committee,  
 Geneva, October 15, 1921.  
 To the Chairman and Members  
 of the Central Committee of  
 the Red Cross:

The Tenth International Conference of the Red Cross, in its plenary session of the 4th of April, 1921, at Geneva, recognized that the International Committee had taken proper action with regard to the Soviet Red Cross, and advised it to continue the negotiations with the Soviet Government in order to obtain for the delegates of the International Committee and of the Red Cross Societies which should request it, authorization to enter Russia to bring relief to the population.

Pursuant to this suggestion, the International Committee informed the Soviet Russian Red Cross by wireless of the 6th of July that, on inspection of the report of its delegate Dr. W. Wehrin, who has returned from Russia, the Committee was ready to recognize and maintain official relations with it, if normal intercourse were established between the two organizations, and particularly if the Committee's delegate were allowed to go to Moscow to there represent the International Committee in the offices of the Soviet Red Cross and Government, as the delegate of the Russian Red Cross at Bern represented it in the offices of the International Committee.

**Affirmative Reply.**  
 An affirmative and satisfactory answer having reached us under date of the 6th August, and our delegate having been able to return to Moscow, we have the honor to make known to you that we can now officially recognize the Red Cross of Moscow as the National Red Cross Society in Russia, i.e., in the part of the Russian Empire which constitutes the territory of the "Soviet Russian Federative Socialist Republic."

This Society, in fact, satisfies the essential requirements which have to be met by every National Red Cross Society.

The Swiss Department of State has certified to us that present day Russia was always considered as one of the signatory states of the Geneva Convention.

**National Society.**  
 The Red Cross has been recognized by the Soviet Government as a National Society and as an auxiliary to the official health service (ordinance of the Soviet Government dated the 7th of August, 1918, and the 8th July, 1920, which we copy below); and the official representative of the Red Cross in Russia, Dr. Bagotzky, at Bern, has, by letters of the 28th August and 7th September, 1920, formally stated to us that no other National Red Cross Society will be recognized in the territory of the Soviet Republic.

It has at its head a Central Committee, the membership of which we give below. It admits to the organization all its nationals without distinction of sex, faith or political opinion, and includes in its sphere of action the whole territory of the Soviet Republic. The bylaws show that the other requirements are likewise satisfied.

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January 26, 1912  
 Diver Ole Evindsen worked for an hour this morning in the water at the scene of the sinking of the tug Glen Rosa. He brought up the watch of a Captain Tallander but was unable to find trace of either his body or that of his son.  
 The Burns Anniversary Banquet was held last night in the Premier Hotel and the immortal memory was fittingly celebrated. President M. J. McNow was toastmaster and beside him sat D. C. Sidart, treasurer, in all the glory of the national garb. Rev. F. W. Kerr, chaplain, Malcolm McLeod, director, and Dr. N. M. McNeill, physician. There was a long toast list and a fine musical program.  
 A meeting of Prince Rupert business men was yesterday held in the office of J. W. Palmore, the purpose being to promote a greater interest being taken in city affairs by the business men. Committees were appointed to confer with the city's financiers at the council and the bank.

**ENGINEER LEAVES  
 FOR PREMIER MINE  
 CHARGE OF THE MILL**

Among the passengers going north today on the Pachena was W. Haseltyn, a mining engineer, who is to take charge of the mill at Premier Mine, Stewart.  
 Mr. Haseltyn has worked for the Guggenheim interests for a number of years and has had experience at Cobalt and also in Nevada and other mining states. Several years ago he did some preliminary work on the Premier ores which led to the establishment of the concentrator. The Premier ore is very complex and it will be the duty of the

**SPECULATORS  
 IN TICKETS**

**Traffic is Killing Theatrical  
 Business in New York.**

By BEN DEACON  
 (Canadian Press Correspondent)  
 NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—The drama which has brought the greatest joy to New York theatregoers within recent weeks was staged in the Federal District Court. It was drama of the old fashioned type in which the villain gets his just deserts. But it had modern improvements. The old drama had one, or at most two, villains. The Federal Court drama had nine. All were ticket speculators. Halted before the court, they were fined a total of \$3,200.

The theatre tax still is in force in the United States. In order to collect it on tickets sold by speculators, the U.S. government has provided certain forms for them to fill out. These forms were changed recently to enable the authorities to determine how much in excess of the customary 50c-per-ticket rake-off the speculators were charging, as half of the amount of this extra gouging is the property of the government. The nine ticket traffickers refused to make this return disclosing the extent of their profits. They preferred to be fined. So they entered a plea of guilty, and had the last laugh. They probably got back twice the amount of their fines before they said their prayers and went to bed that same night by driving the barroom just a little deeper into the pocketbooks of the unwise and unwary few who still purchase their tickets from the speculators' shops. Nevertheless, the spectacle of ticket speculators in any sort of trouble is balm to the sore theatregoer.

**Theatres Losing Money**  
 About six shows out of sixty are making money in New York today. A few others are just managing to keep the wolf from the stage door. The remainder are running at a loss or curling up and dying after a brief, pitiful struggle for breath. And yet New Yorkers appear to have money to spend for other things no more essential than theatrical entertainment.

The reason? Well, the ticket speculator is probably the chief reason. New Yorkers have been fond and proud of the ticket speculator in the past. He has fitted in wonderfully with the uptown-touted "White Lights," the dollar tip to the hat boy, and similar large and loose institutions which the New Yorker conceived to be essential to enjoyment of gay life in a great city. Buyers from Montreal and Toronto who run down for a few days now and then also enjoyed his spectacular methods. It was very impressive to go back and tell the boys how it cost six-fifty per seat to see "The Night Blight," the latest Broadway success. Throwing money away was the proper New York caper, and the ticket speculator was obliging and useful in this process.

**Is Tightening Up.**  
 But the average New Yorker is beginning to tighten up. The ability to waste money is not looked upon as quite so necessary to the enjoyment of life. In some circles it is even coming to be regarded with a certain amount of disfavor. The guyers from Canada too are becoming wary. The exchange situation clips off enough of their good Canadian bank rolls without casting any large percentage of it before the speculators. Therefore the theatres which have all their good seats in the hands of speculators have practically all their good seats empty. People are going to the movies or climbing up into gallery seats, which may be purchased in unlimited quantities at the box offices at the regular prices. But it is the ground floor of the theatre that produces the essential revenue and with a very few exceptions New York theatres have but very slim orchestra-seat patronage. Until the producers eliminate the speculator and sell their seats from the box office direct to their customers, it is declared by those who have studied the situation the show business in New York will remain in its present unhealthy state.

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C. J. Johnson has taken out a building permit for a \$700 residence on Sixth Avenue East.

Just received large shipment of Eekie Shoes (Red Stitch) for boys' and youths. McArthur Shoe Store. 22

The Knight of Columbus will again have charge of the St. Patrick's Day Concert on March 17 this year.

Charlie LeClereq, the Hairdresser, Marcel waving and scalp treatment. St. Elmo Hotel, Room 6. Phone Green 519. 1f

The funeral of the late E. C. Parsons will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 from the chapel of the B. C. Undertakers.

Reserve Friday night for the Sons and Daughters of England Whist Drive and Dance in the K. P. Hall at 8:30. Admission 50c.

It has been ascertained by the local police that Angus McAskeff, the missing engineer from Digby Island, has gone to Stewart. The provincial police were investigating the matter since the end of the week.

Pit Dale, general manager of the Premier Mine at Stewart, accompanied by Mrs. Dale and daughter, are on the way south on the steamer Anyox. Mr. Dale will spend a holiday at Salt Lake City before returning, and will likely be away a month or two. Assistant Manager Smith is in charge during his absence.

### NOTICE.

To members Elks' Lodge, Annual election of officers tonight.

### BIRTHS.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. K. Matsugi, of Skeena City at the General Hospital yesterday.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. O. I. Smith, of 625 Eighth Avenue East at Victoria on January 24.

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Dated, January 23, 1922.  
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## JACK MILLER LIQUOR CASE IS DISMISSED

### Proved That Liquor in Question Had Necessary Requirements in Way of Seals, One Having Covered 12 Bottles.

The case against Jack Miller, charged with having liquor without seal in his possession, was dismissed in the police court this morning by Stipendiary Magistrate J. H. McMullin. It was proven that the liquor had the necessary requirements in the way of seals, the case having been sealed by the government vendor at Victoria. The liquor was ordered returned.

On Sunday, January 4, Miller was stopped on the street by Constable Logan of the City Police and found in possession of a bottle of Dewar's whisky intact but without any government seal on it and was immediately arrested by the constable and taken to the police station, where he was let out on \$100 bail.

The case came up before Magistrate McMullin on Tuesday, January 3, Mr. Gonzales defending.

Mr. Miller explained to the court that this bottle seized was one of a case imported from Alberta and upon which he had paid the government duty of 40% and 10% and had received from the Liquor Control Board a letter acknowledging same together with a seal sticker to be attached to the case in which the bottles arrived. Mr. Gonzales pleaded that no law had been broken as the liquor was legally held by Mr. Miller.

After several adjournments for the purpose of getting into communication with the Liquor Control Board with regard to the status of this liquor, Magistrate McMullin this morning dismissed the case and the bottle of liquor was returned to Mr. Miller.

## TIMBER BUSINESS DROPPED TWELVE AND A HALF PER CENT

According to returns compiled by the Forest Branch and issued by the Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Minister of Lands, the timber industry has had an active year in spite of the drawbacks of falling prices and a quiet home market.

During the year 1,790,000,000 feet board measure, of all grades was sealed and reported to the Forest Branch as compared with 2,016,000,000 during 1920.

"This is a drop of only 12 1/2 per cent," said Mr. Pattullo. "It must be remembered, however, that 1920 was a record year with the industry exerting every effort at increased production."

"The previous high year was 1918 when the scale was 1,761,000,000 or slightly less than 1921.

"The timber industry has been during the year one of the big factors in our industrial life and in providing work and markets. Considerable credit is due to those who, in spite of the adverse conditions, kept their logging camps and mills opened and achieved for the Province such a record."

### CARD OF THANKS.

Mrs. Griffiths and her daughter, Mrs. Dunbar, wish to convey their sincere thanks to their many friends for the kind expressions of sympathy received in their recent bereavement.

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Rogers' Syrup, 28 25c.  
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Corn, big bus., 3 for 50c.  
Two in 1 polish, 12 1/2c.  
Shield Peaches, per tin, 25c.  
Pure Olive Oil, gal., \$5.50.  
No. 1, Jap Rice, 3 lbs. for 25c.  
Empress Cocoa, 1/2 lb., 25c.  
Toilet paper, 5c.  
B. C. Fresh Eggs, 50c.  
Ontario Cheese, per lb. 25c.  
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Armour's Bacon, Special, 37 1/2c

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## COLONEL PECK TO PRESIDE AT DINNER

Former members of the 16th Canadian Scottish met on Friday night to discuss arrangements for the annual dinner—always a function attended by scores of men who served with the unit in France, says the Province of recent date.

An energetic committee was elected to go ahead with the arrangements and it will report progress to another meeting on Thursday, January 26. Douglas Johnston was in the chair, and all those present expressed the hope that Col. "Cy" Peck, V.C., D.S.O., would be able to preside at the gathering this year, as he was absent in Ottawa last year.

The actual date of the dinner will be given out later, and all 16th men are asked to watch for it.

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### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Girl Guides Chapter, L.O.D.E. Annual Children's Fancy Dress Ball, Friday, January 27.

Don't forget, Orange Social and Dance, February 2nd.

L.O.D.E. Midwinter Carnival, February 3.

Knights of Columbus Annual Dance, February 22.

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# Scotsmen Celebrate Memory of Immortal Bard at Banquet with National Song and Story

The annual Burns banquet of the Prince Rupert St. Andrew's Society has truly established itself as an institution in the city. Each succeeding year sees the anniversary of the immortal bard's birth celebrated more successfully and more enthusiastically than the last, and the great event, dear to the hearts of all Scotsmen, seems with each season to grow in popularity and enjoyment. Indeed the Burns banquet may be classed as the big banquet affair of the year in this city, which numbers in its cosmopolitan population so many natives or descendants of the land of Auld Scotia.

Last night at the Central Hotel, the scene of many old time banquets where, Miss Host Peter Black, himself a true Caledonian, and his worthy madame are wont to dispense their geniality and hospitality, at least 150 guests foregathered for the thirteenth annual banquet which undoubtedly took place in the lengthening list of Burns' Banquet successes. The tables were lined with representatives of the land of the Thistle and their friends of Canadian and other nationalities. There was not a dull moment from the opening at 9 o'clock until 1:30 a. m. when the gathering dispersed, happy after another worthy celebration of the national memory which takes second place only to that of the patron saint, St. Andrew.

The big room was decorated with flags of the Allies and at the head wall over the toastmaster's seat hung a portrait of Robert Burns. The seven long banquet tables bore the usual elaborate spread of dainty and appetizing eatables which were heartily partaken of by the guests. President W. M. Brown and Mrs. Brown occupied the head seats, the former being toastmaster. Alongside in the seats of honor sat Rev. Dr. R. R. Grant, chaplain, Col. S. P. McMordie, Mayor Rochester, Fred Stork, M.P., D. G. Stuart, vice-president, J. C. Brady, Frank Blair, president of the Sons of England, and George W. Johnstone, president of the Sons of Canada. Mr. Brown opened the affair at 9 o'clock and called upon Dr. Grant for the divine blessing which took the form of one of Burns' poems.

**The Marquis.**  
Midway in the course of the singing part of the program, the

time-honored rites were performed for the Haggis, the piece de resistance of all Scottish banquets. The delicacy was borne to the head table by Alex. Macdonald to the skirt of the pipes played by Piper James Sturgeon in full highland regalia. W. G. Dennis with forceful ease recited the famous poem, "Chief, O' the Puddin' Race" in his original Scottish dialect.

The first toast on the list, that to the King, was observed in the usual manner and followed by that of the immortal memory which was drunk in silent. Dr. Grant spoke to the later toast in a clear and humorous manner, paying tribute to the celebrated Bard. In opening he said that it was the eighth time in succession that he had been called upon to respond to the toast at the annual banquet of the St. Andrew's Society. He recalled past banquets. Even during the war the Burns anniversary had been celebrated even if the attendance for a time had grown small. For ten years S. D. Macdonald had piloted the affairs of the society successfully and well and tonight they had a new president. The society was still under good leadership and he felt that, since Mr. Macdonald had decided to relinquish the presidency, the society had done well in electing Mr. Brown to succeed him. Dr. Grant went on to show the relations of England, Scotland, Ireland and Canada. He knew that the combination of the first three would eventually make Canada the brightest jewel in the diadem of the British Empire.

**High Priest of Nature.**  
It was difficult to find new ground on coming down to his subject of the immortal mem-

ory. The span of Robert Burns' life from 1759 to 1796 had been a short one but he had accomplished a great deal in his sphere of life. He had been a natural poet and the beautiful had just rilled out of him as the silvery waters rill down the mountain side. He was known for his poems of the countryside and indeed he had been a High Priest of nature. He had nothing to conceal and his poetry was not formal and set. He had simply expressed the beauties of the countryside, the nation and the men and women. He had been a poet of humanity as well as nature. He had produced a great amount of happiness for the world. In the mind of Burns, rank did not count but he saw man as God saw them, stripped of rank and worldly position. In "Götter's Saturday Night" he had portrayed humanity from God's viewpoint. Burns' great heart had gone out to humanity and he believed that he had been a forerunner of the present liberty of the British Empire. His sense of liberty could be found in "Scots Wha Hae" and his love in "Mary of Argyll" and "Afton Water."

### Loins of Scotland.

In speaking of Burns' character one must remember that he had been a product of his time and his time had not been ideal. The man should not be considered but the ideals that arose from his pen should be taken. The poet had come from the very loins of Scotland and he had been a product of the soil. Representing the true, ruc, sturdy and strong Scottish character, there was nothing that could be done better than to live up to the ideals expressed in his poetry.

### Bonnie Scotland.

The toast to "Bonnie Scotland" was responded to by D. G. Stuart. To learn the beauties of Scottish land and life, one could do no better than to read the poems of Burns and the novels of Scott. The character of the people had made them great and early history showed the race had been made of people coming from England and Ireland, the former coming to the Lowlands and the latter to the Highlands. Two peoples thus entirely different had assimilated until today the great Scottish race had resulted. The Lowlander was well known for his canniness while the High-

lander was more of a dreamer whose superstition could not be denied.

The toast to "The Land We Live In" was proposed briefly by Mayor Rochester and responded to by Fred Stork, M.P.

The mayor said that he was practically new at Scottish banquets but he joined in the feeling that in celebrating the memory of Burns, they were celebrating the memory of one of the greatest men the world had ever known. It was plainly evident that Burns banquets were year by year increasing in popularity.

### Member for District.

Fred Stork said that it was a great privilege to be present and he would not have liked to have missed the occasion. Through Burns the people of the world had been enabled to see more clearly the beauties of the Scottish land and people. He referred to the long list of Canada's great who had sprung from Scotland mentioning such names in the annals of Canadian history as Sir Alexander Mackenzie and Simon Fraser, the intrepid explorers; Lord Selkirk, the colonizer; Sir John A. Macdonald and Alexander Mackenzie, statesmen; William Lyon Mackenzie, the patriot; and lastly, the new Canadian premier, William Lyon Mackenzie King.

The people of all Europe found reminders of their native lands in Canada and there were 10,000 places where the Scotsmen could be reminded of their banks and braes. It was possibly because the Scottish people could make themselves so much at home here that they had been able to become so successful in the Dominion.

Canada was the land of great possibilities but success depended on individual effort. There was no limit to the heights to which one might aspire if one had the character and initiative. There was great natural wealth in Canada and the development was just commencing. It would behoove all to put their shoulders to the wheel and make Canada and Prince Rupert especially what they should be so that we could rise up and sing: "Old Rupert not a town surpasses"

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### Imperial Forces.

In replying to the toast to "The Imperial Forces," Col. S.

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P. McMordie declared that the war was now more or a less a thing of the shadowy past. In times of war the people practice the arts of peace. Although the war now occupied an unimportant place in the affairs of the country, it might not be amiss to pay tribute to the army and the navy, the soldiers and the Jack Tars, who, after all, made possible the life we now enjoy. There were great leaders on land and sea but the greatest members of the fighting organizations of all history had been the Tommys and the Tars. The privileges now enjoyed had been made possible by the united efforts of the grand old army and navy.

Principal J. C. Brady, responding to the toast to "The Lasses," surpassed himself in a vein of serious thought. His address was undoubtedly one of the masterpieces of the program. If Robbie Burns had been there himself that would have been the toast he would have liked to have responded to. Whatever progress had been made by any nation of the world in all history had found its source in the hidden force and spiritual power from the heart of woman. Without that power there could be no progress either spiritual or material. In all stages of history it was seen that women's wonderful power had led men to meet and surmount great difficulties. Still women held their honored place although sometimes one might hear false estimates of them. Today the heart of woman was just as sound, just as pure and just as great as it had ever been. So long as Canada could produce such women as was described in "Götter's Saturday Night" one could never despair of the future of the country.

Principal Brady said that he could see through his everyday experiences with the children that the women of the country were still doing their splendid work. There was a lovely influence and power lying secure in the homes from whence these children came and that was the mother influence. No one could understand the power of the mother heart but without it the nation could not endure. To the women we looked for all that was good and noble and they should never depart from the ideals as expressed in Robert Burns' poetry. There would be no steps of advancement too high if men had behind them the power of the women they loved. Only through the pure heart of women could peace and progress be obtained in any land.

### Kindred Societies.

The toast to "Kindred Societies" was responded to by Frank Salter, of the Sons of England, and G. W. Johnstone, of the Sons of Canada. Both referred to the friendly feelings that had been promoted between the national societies through the medium of sport. Both urged that they meet oftener in such affairs as this banquet and both paid tribute to the hospitality and generosity of their Scottish hosts. The last toast was that to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Black, the host and hostess. Mr. Black responded to this by singing "Roaming Home to Bonnie Scotland," the guests joining in the chorus.

The musical numbers on the program were of high quality and

very entertaining. The St. Andrew's Orchestra comprising W. Vaughan Davies R. Arthur, Jr., J. N. Kelly, J. L. Lee and H. C. Peyton rendered opening and closing selections of Scottish airs. Mr. William Millar, Mrs. H. L. Campbell, Mrs. Jarvis McLeod and J. E. Davey rendered delightful vocal solos and Davey sang two comic songs. The Society's pipe band, composed of Pipers Sturgeon, Bruce and Macdonald and Drummers Kelly and Brown, gave spirited selections. W. Vaughan Davies was the accompanist of the evening. The gathering broke up about 1:30 a.m. with the singing of the National Anthem and "Auld Lang Syne" followed by a round of hearty cheers.

## ANNUAL SUPPER BAPTIST CHURCH

Enjoyable Event Took Place Last Night Under Auspices of Ladies' Aid.

About seventy-five members of the Baptist Church and their friends sat down to supper last night in the Baptist Church parlors, where a sumptuous repast had been prepared by the members of the Ladies' Aid Society. It was the annual event when the members of the congregation get together in a social way. The ladies responsible for the event were Mesdames B. Paulsen, L. Payton, L. K. Kendall, B. Wilson, B. Newell, F. McDonald, J. Hampton, J. Hibbard, E. Shockley and Miss Ruth Lemon.

### BURNS ANNIVERSARY WAS CELEBRATED AT CONCERT AT ANYOX

ANYOX, Jan. 26.—The anniversary of the birth of Robert Burns, the famous Scottish poet, was fittingly celebrated with a concert in the recreation hall last night. The affair was of a truly Caledonian nature and there were numbers by a six-piece orchestra, pipers, male quartette, readers, reciters and instrumental and vocal soloists.

### CAP OR SKIN?

In probably the last speech Booker T. Washington ever made, an address at the anniversary exercises of the American Missionary Association in New Haven, with that quiet humor so characteristic of him, he satirized the prejudice against his people. "A member of my race," he said, "wanted to go from New York to San Francisco. He wanted to travel first-class in a Pullman sleeper. He bought a red cap—fez, I think you call it—forgot the English language, and went as an East Indian; and no one objected. It appears that it is not the color of the skin, but the color of the cap to which you object."—The Outlook.

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## BOWSER CLINGS TO LEADERSHIP

### Says Everyone Knocks in Opposition but With Victory a Man Becomes Hero.

VICTORIA, Jan. 26.—Everybody is always out to knock and find fault with a party leader when his forces are in opposition. W. J. Bowser, K.C., leader of the Conservative party in British Columbia, told Victoria Conservatives at their annual meeting, in reference to the attacks made on himself by members of his own party and others.

"I never knew a leader of an opposition in any country to get anything but criticism," Mr. Bowser said. "But when he becomes a successful leader and gets into power there is nothing too good for him."

"Why, take the recent case of Mackenzie King. The Liberals themselves a month ago had no use for Mackenzie King. Liberals all over Canada were praying that Mackenzie King would be defeated. You know what Liberals in British Columbia were saying about him."

"But the moment Mackenzie King squeezed through and became Premier he became a hero, and the next week they were opening Mackenzie King clubs in Toronto. Who knows but what that might possibly happen to me?"

**Puzzle of Intelligence.**  
Mr. Bowser said it often made him wonder as to the intelligence of some people when they pay attention to editorials in the Victoria Times and the Vancouver World telling how the Liberals were anxious to see him kept as leader of the Conservative party, as then that party would have no chance of coming back to power. "Conservatives who read these editorials should get wise and not allow themselves to take their advice from Liberal newspapers and pussy-footers who go around talking on the streets all with the purpose in view of breaking down the Conservative party."

## MANITOBA GOVERNMENT STAYS WITH LIQUOR LAWS ON PRINCIPLE

WINNIPEG, Jan. 26.—Moderation league proposals for doing away with the present temperance legislation and setting up government liquor stores, at present before the legislature.

## HALIFAX EXPLOSION WRECKED HER NERVES

The reader will, no doubt, remember when a few years ago there was a collision in the Halifax, N. S., harbor and one of the munition ships was blown up, causing great loss of life and leaving a large portion of the city in ruins, and causing a great deal of suffering and distress among the inhabitants.

Mrs. Winfield Hill, now of Windsor, N. S., was living in Halifax at that time and went through this trying experience and the shock wrecked her nerves. She writes as follows:—"I was living in Halifax at the time of the explosion, and it wrecked my nerves so that I could not do my housework. I would take such nervous spells I would be under the doctor's care."

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Constipation is caused by a torpid condition of the liver. Dosing with salts, castor oil, etc., to move the bowels, cannot afford more than temporary relief.

If you are to rid yourself of this ailment and the scores of annoying symptoms and diseases which come in its wake, it is necessary to get the liver right by such treatment as is suggested in this letter:

Mrs. Alvin Richards, R. R. No. 1, Seely's Bay, Ont., writes: "For two years I was afflicted with indigestion, and in the morning when I got up my breath was bad. I had a poor appetite, and just felt like eating certain foods. I used many different medicines as a laxative without benefit, and the doctor's medicine did not help me at all. Finally I tried Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, and found them better than anything I had ever tried. I can highly recommend them to anyone troubled with constipation or kidney troubles."

**Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills**, one pill a dose, 25c a box, all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Ltd., Toronto.

are held to be contrary to the provisions of the Initiative and Referendum act, under which the appeal is being made. Defeat for the measure was forecast clearly by a canvass among members.

The Initiative and Referendum act was passed by the government in 1916 and provided that if a petition, signed by eight per cent. of the electors whose names appeared on the last list of voters, were submitted to the government asking for a proposed law, the government was to submit the matter to the people by way of referendum. The act was declared ultra vires by the privy council or beyond the powers of the legislature, and the government then declared it would abide by the principle of the measure, whether it was on the statute books or not. The government of Manitoba will oppose any change in the law.

## BOUNDARIES FOR NORWEGIAN VICE-CONSUL DEFINED

John Dyldhavn, Norwegian vice-consul here, announces that there has been a re-definition of the territory coming under his official supervision. Where before the district was indefinitely described as Prince Rupert and vicinity, boundaries have now been definitely set out so that the business of the local office takes in about three-quarters of the area of the province or the electoral districts of Prince Rupert, Atlin, Fort George and Omineca.

The Norwegian government has one consul in this province, C. H. Stabshmidt, of Vancouver. There are four vice-consuls, their offices being at Vancouver, Victoria, Nanaimo and Prince Rupert.

## WIRELESS REPORT

8 a.m.  
DEAD TREE POINT—Raining, calm; barometer, 29.97; temperature, 27; sea smooth.  
BULL HARBOR, Overcast, calm barometer, 29.43; temperature, 40; sea smooth.  
DIGBY ISLAND—Snowing, light southeast wind; barometer 29.22; temperature, 36; sea smooth.

Noon.  
DEAD TREE POINT—Barometer, 29.97; clear, calm, temperature, 33; sea smooth.  
BULL HARBOR—Clear, fresh; southwest wind; barometer, 29.18; temperature, 44; sea smooth; 8:20 a.m., spoke Gamosun leaving Namu northbound.

DIGBY ISLAND—Cloudy, light southeast wind; barometer, 29.14; temperature, 32; sea smooth.

Advertising is often expensive, but it is nothing like as expensive as an empty store and idle clerks.

## INCORPORATION FEES TO BE MADE HIGHER IN MANITOBA PROVINCE

WINNIPEG, Jan. 26.—Among the new sources of revenue to be sought by the provincial government, it was learned on high authority today, will be a radical increase in the charges made under the Companies act, operated by the department of the provincial secretary.

The total revenue derived from this source last year was approximately \$50,000, and it is proposed to raise the rates on fees, incorporations and licenses, to bring a much higher revenue for 1922. The fee previously was \$5, when the capital of a company did not exceed \$100,000, and \$10 when the capitalization exceeded that amount.

The provincial government has communicated with the provinces of Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia, requesting information regarding their scale of fees. The fees for incorporation in those provinces are much higher than in Manitoba, and the government intends increasing incorporation fees to their level. The increased incorporation fees will almost double the revenue of the department, it is understood.

## ALICE ARM

A very successful basket social and dance was staged here last Saturday night in honor of the men who have been engaged on the construction of the dock. The sum of \$100 was realized for the School Fund. There were two orchestras and the baskets were auctioned by H. E. Kergin, M.L.A.

Louis Reynolds has returned here after a visit of some time in Prince Rupert.

Angus McLeod, who has been for some months in Prince Rupert, returned here last week and left for the Upper Kitsuak where he will work on the Surprise Group.

The people of Alice Arm are anxiously awaiting developments in regard to the future of the Dolly Varden Mine. There has been no news here for months as to the standing and condition of the Taylor Mining Co. but it is confidently expected that operations will be resumed this season.

## Creamery BUTTER

3 lbs. for \$1.15  
This is our famous Maid of Clover Creamery Butter in bulk, which we will sell all this week with fresh meal orders of 50c or more. We limit purchases to 6 pounds. There will be no advances in the price of meats.

**B. C. FRESH EGGS GUARANTEED 3 Dozen for \$1.35**

By purchasing 1 pound or more of Ham or Bacon you will be entitled to the above price on our best eggs. We limit the above to six dozen lots.

**EXTRA SPECIAL ON TEA**  
500 pounds Great West Red Label Tea, regular value 60c pound—

Extra Special per lb. 45c  
This special will positively be withdrawn Saturday night

**We have 300 Cohoe Salmon to sell—Taking whole Salmon, 75c each; taking half Salmon, 50c.**

With each Salmon we will sell 10 tins Pacific Milk \$1. With each half salmon we will sell 5 tins Pacific Milk at 50c.

**ARRIVING WEDNESDAY BOAT**

New Cabbage, Bananas, Fresh Tomatoes, Celery, Lettuce, Parsley, Cauliflower, Rhubarb, Sweet Potatoes, etc. Also 25 boxes unwrapped jumble pack Winesap Apples which we are going to move quickly at \$1.90 per box.

The above are only a few of the specials which you will find this week in the basement grocery. We specialize in fast service and courteous attention to all.

**Walk Downstairs and Save Money**  
**Rupert Table Supply Co.**  
Phones 211-212

## WESTHOLME THEATRE

Tonight, Thursday

# Charles Ray

in

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### Buster Keaton Comedy "The Scarecrow"

Paramount Magazine

Admission, 15c and 35c

Friday and Saturday--WALLACE REID in "The Hell Diggers" and Harold Lloyd Comedy

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## Prince Rupert Coal Company

Exclusive Representatives  
LADYSMITH-WELLINGTON, PEMBINA PEERLESS and YELLOWHEAD COALS

## ANOTHER REDUCTION

# Ladysmith-Wellington

### Ton Prices

	On Dock	Delivered
Mine Screened Lump, in bulk	\$12.75	\$14.25
Double Hand Screened Lump, in sacks	\$13.75	\$16.00

The Ladysmith-Wellington Collieries during the last fifty years have been continuously mining coal and have established a reputation for producing THE BEST COAL for all heating purposes (whether for household use or steam plants). The quality of this splendid coal remains unsurpassed.

WE GUARANTEE FULL WEIGHT

## Tapestry, Cretonne, Chintz, Scrim and Lace Curtain

# SALE

## Starts Thursday, Jan. 26

AND CONTINUES TO THE END OF THE MONTH

Being through with our inventory, we found that we are over-loaded with the upper five lines, and being notified by our jobbers that these lines have dropped down we are therefore meeting the market by reducing our prices on these lines considerably.

## Grasp the Chance!

BEAUTIFUL DESIGNS, GOOD AND EXTRA QUALITY, AT LOWER PRICES

TAPESTRY, regular \$2.75 and \$3, down to (below cost)	\$1.50
CRETONNE, regular 65c, down to	40c
CRETONNE, regular 85c, down to	60c
CRETONNE, regular \$1 and \$1.15, down to	75c
SCRIM, flowered, regular 45c, down to	30c
SCRIM, white, regular 50c, down to	3 yards for \$1
SCRIM, cream, regular 75c, down to	50c
SCRIM, cream, regular \$1, down to	75c

One-third off regular price of Lace Curtains.

**FLANNELETTE, WOOLLEN BLANKETS, COMFORTERS AND EIDERDOWNS ARE ON SALE TOO.**

\$35.00 Eiderdown to sell at	\$25.00
\$8.50 Comforter on sale for	6.50
A limited number of Comforters to clear at	2.75
\$14.00 Woollen Blanket on sale for	10.00
Flannellette Blankets—10/3, \$2.25; 11/3, \$2.75; 12/3	3.25

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