

ON BATTLEFIELD ABOARD STEAMER

Passengers En Route Through Suez Canal Witness Engagement Between Troops.

FIGHT CONTINUES ALL NIGHT

(Correspondence of The Associated Press.) CAIRO, May 5.—There were two steamers bound from England to India, which passed through the Suez canal while the attack by the Turkish troops was actually in progress.

"A few minutes after we left Port Said a notice was sent around that passengers were to keep to the port decks, as Turkish snipers were at work on the north side of the canal.

"For the first ten miles all the low-lying land had been flooded, but from there onward we commenced to see troops entrenched. Every trench and bank was a camp, and about every hundred yards between were small trenches containing about a dozen Indians.

"The troops were mostly New Zealanders and Australians. Captain and Pilot Killed. "About the thirtieth mile we passed the Indian marine cruiser Hardinge, and here was our first evidence of there having been a fight, for its funnel was gone all the way down one side and the other side was riddled with bullets and its bridge gone.

"From this time on we passed several warships, and troops were on both sides of the canal. We amused ourselves by throwing bits of cigarettes out to them. We cleared all the cigarettes from the bar.

"All this time we were going at eight miles an hour, which is three miles more than the speed limit, so it was evident that they wanted to get us through the canal as quickly as possible.

Turks Eight Miles Away. At the fortieth mile the men in the trenches told us that they had been engaged with the enemy on the previous day, and that the Turks were now about eight miles off. I went up on the deck and saw troops in the distance, but could not say whether they were Turks or not.

Caught in the Pentagon. "It appeared that the Turks were seen coming, and the warships in the canal allowed them to throw a pontoon across. When they were all gathered at this spot the warships let fly. They had to retire after losing several of their guns.

"On arrival at the lakes we anchored for the night with all lights out, and amidst about thirty other ships. "Fighting was going on all night a little farther up the canal, and we thought we should be held up in the lakes, but we started off the next morning with our bridge and deck protected by sandbags.

"From here to Suez we passed camp after camp of soldiers. Most of them were dead in action. The Turks were about eight miles away. "I don't suppose many people have had or will have the chance that we had to go straight through the middle of a battlefield, before they have even had a chance to be killed.

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INVESTIGATION SHOWS MINERAL WATER IS LOADED

BERNE, Switzerland, May 5.—Seven cars, supposed to contain mineral water for Germany, have been held up at Como, having been found to be loaded with iron ore.

At Berne one car labeled fresh vegetables proved to be filled with machine guns. The inspection of all through freight has become very much stricter since the beginning of April.

BERLIN CHILDREN SINGING TO RAISE WAR RELIEF FUND

(Correspondence of The Associated Press.) BERLIN, April 26.—Berlin school children are doing their part toward raising war relief funds. Each Sunday about 200 pupils from the public schools gather at a local theater and present a musical program that includes a series of quartets and choruses.

At the Theaters

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cross and company in "After the Honor-moon" this is a really little comedy sketch, depicting the trials and tribulations of the recently married, who spend their honeymoon endeavoring to establish themselves in a light housekeeping flat. Sullivan and Mason, character singers, offer bunches of laughs and grins in their novelty, "I Don't Care." Spencer and Williams put over a musical frolic entitled "Putting It Over" and the bill is completed by Lady Alice and the cute and cunning capers of an old maid.

The photo production for the first half of the week offers Julius Steger in his well-known dramatic sketch, "The Fifth Commandment." The Musical Ellisons offer a spectacular scenic musical novelty in three acts, "The Musical Blacksmith Show," for the feature attraction, starting Thursday.

Howard and Mason offer a song and dance number of merit and Eastman and Moore a stirring novelty, "His Gypsy Sweetheart." The Three Lubbins complete the vaudeville offering. Fred Mace in that riotous comedy, "What Happened to Jones" is the photo-play for the last half.

When Charles B. Hanford, the eminent Shakespearean actor begins his week's engagement at the Brandeis theater on Sunday afternoon, May 16, in the undying story of the expedition of Captain Robert Falcon Scott to the South Pole, this heroic, pictorial drama of a dashless fight with grim nature in its most terrible aspect will make many open wide their eyes with astonishment at the sights recorded by Herbert G. Ponting, fellow of the Royal Geographical society, who accompanied Captain Scott as the official camera artist.

Five people have ever seen huge motor sledges gliding over limitless fields of ice. Not only does the sledge propel itself, but it also transports tons of freight; true the speed is not the kind that would break any traffic regulations, never exceeding more than three miles an hour, but it is sure and sufficient. In the rear of the sledge there is an innovation to be observed. It is a motor attached to a miniature wheel, which is hitched to the rear of the sledge and at the end of the journey the number of miles traveled are recorded. In a direct contrast to the slow moving, if unique motor sledges, is the flying dog teams. These noble brutes from East Siberia literally race over the ice from start to finish.

Then there is the amusing and diverting side of this absorbing drama, an exciting game of foot ball is played on sea ice and this was the only recreation possible in the same line except the races with penguins over the great ice barrier, the laughable falls the men take on the slippery ice giving all the advantage to the penguins. Then there is the thrilling storm at sea with the waves mountains high, that threaten to send Captain Scott's vessel, the Terra Nova to the bottom. The unloading of the Terra Nova is seen, the erection of the winter quarters, the entire trip and location of the South Pole is shown and the terrible return journey is seen. This is made possible as the pictorial records of this great drama are composed of those made by Mr. Ponting and the views round from the dead body of Captain Scott. As Charles B. Hanford gives this story of unparalleled heroism, you will agree with the critics who say: "The undying story of Captain Scott's victories with realism as does no imagined play of a dramatist."

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Society Women of London Campaign Against Enemies

(Correspondence of The Associated Press.) LONDON, May 5.—Society women have called a meeting to be held in the Mansion house May 13, to organize a campaign against the employment of "alien enemies" in England. Lady Glanville is at the head of the movement, and Lord Charles Balfour, Sir Henry Dalziel and Sir E. Cornwall are to be the principal speakers.

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The propaganda is based on the assumption that every German not interned is an active spy. But this view, which is not new, seemed to be confined to a small group of patriots, of whom Lord Balfour is the most active. To close the restaurants to German waiters, Lady Glanville, with the active support of the countess of Leicester, Lady Wrenlock, Lady Mansfield Clarke, Lady Owen Phillips, Sir Lionel Corbett and others, has opened a training school for waiters, admitting only British boys. Arrangements have been made with a French institution of the same kind to exchange boys, so as to teach each a foreign, but necessary, language.

"Mother's Friend" may therefore be considered as indirectly having a splendid influence upon the early disposition of the future generation.

Whatever induces to the ease and comfort of the mother should leave its impress upon the nervous system of the baby. At any rate it is reasonable to believe that since "Mother's Friend" has been a companion in motherhood for more than half a century it must be a remedy that women have learned the great value of.

Ask at any drug store for "Mother's Friend," a penetrating, external liquid of great value. Ask your dealer to send you a free trial bottle. Large cans sold packed Tomatoes for

Among those things which all women should know of, and many of them do, is a splendid external application sold in a tin under the name of "Mother's Friend." It is a penetrating liquid and many and many a mother tells how it so wonderfully aided them through the period of expectancy. Its chief purpose is to render the tendons, ligaments and muscles so pliant that nature's expansion may be accomplished without the intense strain so often characteristic of the period of expectancy.

May Sales That Offer Gratifying Savings to Monday Buyers

Intensely Interesting Specials for Monday in the Popular Daylight Silk Department

Beautiful New Tub Silks—100 pieces just received; a splendid assortment of color combinations, including the popular new candy stripes; two specials 68c-88c at, per yard.

\$1.00 and \$1.25 Chiffon Dress Taffetas—Sample pieces of the new spring silks; broad assortment of choice shades for selection; over 2,000 yards, included; on sale at, per yard. 48c

Guaranteed Chiffon Taffetas, 36 inches wide, in full line of street and evening shades, beautiful soft finished fabrics. 88c-\$1.25

Why Not Make Your Own Summer Dresses? Our dressmaking school, under the competent management of Mrs. Catron, gives you an opportunity for expert instruction at a very small expense.

Inquire at Silk or Dress Goods Department.



Suit Modes That Are Strikingly New

The smartness of these graceful, becoming lines will delight every woman who sees them and you'll find PRICES ARE STRIKINGLY LOW.

Elegant New Silk Suits in Taffetas, Silk Failles, also a splendid line of the popular Palm Beaches shown at \$25.00 and \$35.00 Tailored Suits, made to sell at \$20.00 up to \$30.00, Gabardines, Poplins, Serges, Coverts and other popular fabrics, all colors and sizes, remarkable bargains at \$62.50

New Coats, spring and summer styles, in the most desirable fabrics and colorings, \$10, \$12 and \$15 values, special Monday \$7.95 Other Choice Coat values at \$15, \$19.50 and \$25

Wash Dress Goods Sale Monday

The sewing season is now at its height. Our Special Sales, Splendid Assortments and Variety of "Up-to-the-Minute" Wash Fabrics for Dresses and Tub Suits, and our Dress Making School—specially equipped for your convenience and assistance suggests this store as YOUR STORE.

Monday in this Daylight Wash Goods section we have on sale 75 pieces of Tokyo Silks (silk and cotton) Rough weave, resembling high grade "Shantung Pongee Silk"—assortment comprises all the very best plain shades. The low price does not do justice to the quality. For Monday only, yard. 15c

The Season's Most Popular Wool Fabrics for Suits, Coats and Separate Skirts

TWO CHOICE SPECIAL LOTS FOR MONDAY'S SELLING 30 to 36-in. Spring Dress Goods—Including all wool French serges, Panamas, Coverts, black and white, check fabrics, etc. Choice new colors and weaves; three specials. 30c, 40c and 50c

Wide Gold Band Cups and Saucers, 7 and 8-in. Plates, Platters, Soup Plates, Oatmeal Bowls, Gravy Boats, choice \$10c \$14.00 Semi Porcelain Dinner Sets 4 pretty patterns, gold lined edge and decorated, 100 pieces. \$8.50

Choice of any Electrical Portable Lamp in the house, values up to \$35.00, Fourth Floor Crockery Department, Monday special \$12.98

READ BIG SPECIAL GROCERY, FRUIT, VEGETABLE SALES FOR MONDAY The best creamery butter, carton or half lb. 30c The best strictly fresh eggs, dozen 20c Fancy No. 1 country country butter, per pound 25c Good dairy butter, per pound 20c THE VEGETABLE MARKET FOR THE PEOPLE. A saving of 50 per cent to 100 per cent by trading at MAYDAY'S 5 bunches fresh home grown onions for \$1.00 1 bunches fresh home grown radishes for .50 2 heads fresh leaf lettuce for .50 3 bunches fresh home grown parsnips for .50 3 bunches fresh home grown asparagus for .50 4 cans Pet of Carnation Milk, 10c 5 C. Corn Flakes, pkg. .50 Grape Nuts, pkg. .50 Large bottles Worcester Sauce, Pure Tomato Catsup, Pickles, assorted kinds, or Mustard, bottle, .50 Large cans solid packed Tomatoes for .50

HAYDEN'S 35c to 50c Embroideries, 19c yd

A Splendid Special Lot of 27 and 45-inch Embroidered Flouncings, most popular new designs and most wanted widths. Sale price Monday, yard. 19c

20c Embroideries at 10c A big showing of beautiful 18-inch Flouncings and Corset Cover Embroideries, actual values to 20c yd. Monday at, yard. 10c

\$2.50 Novelty Embroideries 98c A big line of exquisite new novelties for graduation and party gowns; on Swiss, Organdies and Novelty Cloth; worth \$2.50 a yard; at, yd. .98c

Fine Organdie Flouncings 18-in., 27-in., 40-in. and 42-in. wide. Regular prices from 75c up to \$3; on sale in 5 big lots at, per yard—39c, 59c, 98c, \$1.10, \$1.75

Dainty Baby Sets In allover, edges, insertings and flouncings to match, on fine Swisses and mulls; splendid assortment for selection at, yard. 7 1/2c to 98c

10c to 25c Laces 5c Yard Vails, Orientals, Plat Vails, and Wash Laces, in big assortment of choice new designs.

\$1.00 and \$1.25 Nets at 50c 72-in. Wash Nets, the very newest materials for frocks, used with rosebud trimmings; to \$1.25 yd. values, at, yard. 50c

\$2.00 Oriental Flouncings 98c 18-in., 27-in., 36-in., and 42-in. wide—big assortment, from \$1 to \$2 yd. values; at, yard. 49c to 98c

Duchess Crepe Chiffons Specially choice value for Monday's sale at, yard. \$1.00

What's the Size of the Room You Want a New Rug

for This Spring? Here's underpricings for Monday on all sizes of high grade, perfect goods.

WILTON VELVET RUGS Seamless—New 1915 Patterns. 8x12 size, \$28 value. \$22.50 8x10-6 size, \$25 value. \$18.00 7-6x9 size, \$19 value. \$14.50 6x9 size, \$15 value. \$12.50 27x34 size, \$25.50 value. \$19.98

Tapestry Brussels Rugs Seamless, 10-wire quality. 10-6x13-6 size, \$38 value. \$31.98 10-6x12 size, \$35 value. \$31.98 9x12 size, \$20 value. \$15.50 7-6x9 size, \$15 value. \$9.98 6x9 size, \$11 value. \$7.98

We carry a big line of Bigelow Rugs The best on the market at lowest prices. See them.

New Waists

The choicest values you'll find anywhere at our May Sale price Monday. \$5 Beautiful Filet and Shadow Lace Waists, also a broad assortment of exquisite designs in Georgette Crepes, Novelty Silks, Crepe de Chine, etc. You'll find you can't not match, \$15 value. \$9.98 or quality at less than \$7.50, sale price \$5

Monday Morning Specials Women's Long Silk Kimonos, very special values. \$2.95 Long Crepe Kimonos, \$1.19 \$2 and \$2.50 values, at

"Plain and Seed" White Dress Voiles, 35c Grade, 19c Yard Sale Monday.

Irish Linen Satin Finish Table Damask, 71-inch, heavy quality, special design, actual value \$1.25; at, yd. 95c

Pattern Cloths, 2 yds long, ready hemmed, mercerized, all finish, designs same as finest linens, each. 98c Towels, hemstitched huck, fine weave, 19x38 size, all white or fancy red borders, real 25c towels, each 19c

White Suiting Linen, French soft finish, an exceptionally fine quality, 46-inch wide, actual value \$1.25, our price, yard. 89c

White Waisting Linen, 36-inch embroidery or French finish, evenly woven, golden flax, 65c value, on sale, yard. 49c

Satin Bed Spreads, extra size, scallop or fringed, compares with any \$5 quality; we have only 50 in this lot, at. \$3.95



Types in Summer Dress that Will Command Attention

Artistically distinctive, charmingly becoming garments in which superior quality is evident at each price. See these Dainty New Summer Frocks Monday.

Charming designs in Silk Dresses—Crepes, Soft Chiffon Taffetas, Novelty Silks, etc., in broad assortment, exceptional values, at each price. \$15.00, \$19.50, \$25.00 and \$35.00 \$15.00 and \$18.00 Summer Dresses in Poplins, Silk Taffetas, Crepe de Chine, etc., many with Chiffon or Georgette Crepe Waists, broad assortment for your selection, at. \$8.95 Children's White Dresses, a wonderfully broad assortment of beautiful designs, qualities and beauty of styles at each price exceptional, at. \$1.95, \$2.95, \$3.95 up to \$10.00

On Sale Monday - Domestic Room

Amoskeag Apron Check Gingham at 5c Yard. Quantity limit of 10 yards to each customer. No mail or phone orders filled.

12 1/2c Cambric and Muslin, in long mill lengths, 6 1/2c 10c Curtain Strip, fancy borders, yard. 5c

19c 40-in. White Apron Lawn, at. 12 1/2c 65c full size Bed Sheets bleached. 49c

12 1/2c Pillow Cases, choice of 45 or 42-in. size, each. 9c 25c Madras Waisting and Sheeting. 15c

12 1/2c Nurse Stripe Gingham, 32-in. wide, yard. 9c 19c Fancy Printed Wash Dress Fabric, yard. 10c

15c Embroidered Dot White Swiss, yard. 10c 45c Infants' Blanket Robes, 30x40 size, figured, pink, blue, etc., each. 29c

15c Voile, Batiste and Crepe, mill lengths, yd. 8 1/2c 18c Plisse Crepe, 31-in. wide—plain colors and figures, 10c

Furniture Department—Bed Davenport \$20

Genuine golden oak or fumed Davenport, large size; best grade imitation leather; small size Duofold Davenport. \$20.00 In genuine leather (fumed or golden) Spanish or black leather on this sale. \$26.50

Circassian Walnut Dresser—bird's-eye maple, golden oak, old ivory or mahogany, extra large size, worth \$25 to \$30; on sale. \$19.50

48-inch top, round extension tables, fumed or golden oak, on sale. \$20.00 Golden or fumed oak Buffet for. \$20.00 6 real leather seat Dining Chairs. \$20.00

White Mountain Refrigerator's

Remember we have cheaper dining chairs and tables than these. Large Library Tables, several patterns in fumed or golden oak, on this sale. \$10.00 Good Dressers in golden oak, at. \$7.50 Reed Nursery Chairs with table. \$1.00 Baby Walkers. \$1.25 Baby's Toilet Sets to fit over hopper. \$1.00 One-motion collapsible folding Go-Carts. \$4.50

White Mountain Refrigerators, up from \$29.00