EVENING LEDGER-PHILADELPHIA, FRIDAY, MARCH 31, 1916

29 AUSTRIAN 'PLANES RAID ITALIAN CITIES

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Four Squadrons in Attack on Verona, Venice and Other Cities

ROADS, March 31. Twenty-nine Austrian aeroplanes, took part in the air raid over Venice, Verona, Pordenone and other cities in northern Haly, it was announce today by the War

The aircraft were divided into four squadrons. Two of these contained six planes each, another contained 12 and the fourth was composed of five. Eighteen bombs were dropped at Verona,

there five persons were dropped at Verola, where five persons were killed. Fifty isombs were dropped upon Plave bridge and Portenone. An attempt was made to destroy Tagliamento bridge. Some of the aeroplanes flew along the Mestre Val-ley trying to damage the bridges. Four of the raiding machines were shot down and the continents contined

the occupants captured. An official report says:

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Repeatedly repulsed, the enemy constantly renewed his sanguinary at-tack with fresh troops. These ef-forts were valu, and the enemy overtually was defeated by a counter-at-tack and forced to flee, leaving in our hands fixe officers and 158 men as prisoners.

prisoners. On the Carso (the plateau region on the east bank of the leongo, south of Goeritz) the artillery actions con-tinae. East of Sells is mile north of Monfalcone) our troops yesterday at-tacked in strong force and selzed an intrenchment at the point of the bay-oner. The ensure innucled numerous onet. The enemy launched numerous counter-attacks, and the fighting con-

tinued in the night, but all Austrian attacks were repulsed. In this brilliant action we captured seven officers, 200 men and two ma-chine guns, a bomb thrower and other booty

SPRING MODES IN MEN'S SUITS

Opening at Newcorn & Green's Shows ZEPPELINS ACTIVE Many Models

The scarcity of wool and dyes, due to the war, is belied by the array of more than 350 patterns in men's suits at the 20th annual spring opening of Newcorn & Green, custom tailors, which began today at 1032 Market street.

Browns and grays, the predominating shades this senson, are prominent in the display, which includes serges, cheviota mespuns, cassimeres and unfinished orsteds woven in the tatest checks and

Painters to Get 40 Cents an Hour ATLANTIC CITY. March 31.—Painting contractors and journeymen have decided upon a flat rate of 40 cents an hour, with A finister of war, greenuid of the attent upon a flat rate of 40 cents an hour, with full may for a half day on Saturday, in an amicable readjustment of the ware scale for painters. The new scale taker effect tomorrow and will affect several hundred workers.



Raids Mark Campaign-Drive on Dvinsk May Be Abandoned

and in all these lines he has demonstrated distinguished ability. As Republican leader of Eric County for many years, as post-master of Eric for four terms, as president of the League of Re-publican Clubs of Pennsylvania, as first president of the Pennsyl-

vania Postmasters' Association and later head of the National Post-masters' Association, as delegate to the National Convention which nominated McKinley, and as a business man and lawyer he has made his mark. It is doubiful if any other citizen of the Commonwealth

has so wide an acquaintance in all parts of the State.

HE GATHERS THEM IN

homespuins, creating in the ratest checks and plaids and pencil, bargo and mandolin stripos. The fabrics are all wool and fast dyed, although the present condi-tion of the wool and dye markets is very poor. The only change in styles is in the coats, which, are cut a triffe longer and fuller. PETROCHAD, Marchelli

The Bassings are well able to defend themselves from air attacks, as Criterald V Polyanoff, who resigned this week as Minister of War, mys-must of his attack

In the Pripet district many miles of ground may under water as a result of the thaw of snow and be. At some places long-range artillery duels are being fought across times infand seas.

Hindenburg has abandoned hope of ever

TODAY'S MARRIACE LICENSES

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20 st., and Fail ALL HIR DATE MALANCOURT LOST: FRENCH QUIT TOWN

Continued from Page One ward in mass formation, wave upon wave of men. Overhead the sky was lighted up with star bombs.

Germans lost heavily and the The French, rather than incur needless sa rifices, voluntarily evacuated the village. OFFICIAL REPORT.

The text of the communique follows: in the Argonne we repulsed two grenade attacks directed against our positions north of Avecourt. West of the Meuse the bombard-

West of the Meuse the bombard-ment of Malancourt redoubled in vib-lence during the night. The Germans launched a series of mass attacks, de-bouching from three sides simultane-ously upon the village, which formed an advanced salient in our lines and which contained a hattalion of our advanced posts. After a sanguinary battle, which lasted all night and which cost the enemy considerable losses, our troops evacuated the ruins of the village, of which we still hold

Malancourt is about six and a half miles Matancourt is about as a and a nail miles northwest of Verdun, on the west side of the Meuse. It is about a mile and a half west of Bethineouri. The Malancourt-Bethineouri line represented the apex of a salient which the French maintained in the German front despite the violent at-tacks of the Crown Prince west of the Meuse

fighting around Avocourt on Wednes-day night, when the Germans tried to re-

enpture last positions around Avocourt blockhouse, is contained in a dispatch from the front The counter-attacks of the Germans

proved as costly and as futile as those of proved as costly and as rulle as more on the opposite side of the Meuse around Vaux. Ten thousand men were sent against the blockhouse first. This force was rolled back by the terrific artillery firs, machine-gun fire and rife fire of the French. Twatter threads the Twenty thousand were then French. hurled into the fray.

"Avocourt blockhouse was hurriedly built by ploneers and company guards 10 days ago after the Germans had cap-tured the position. On Wednesday it was retaken by General Petain's men.

"The blockhouse commands Avocour Wood, and is a strong defense for the French salient on the Bethincourt-Malan court line. It rests upon a cement foun-dation, with bomb-proof shelters 12 feet thick. It is armed with revolving machine

guns. The carnage was frightful as the 30. 000 Germans rushed forward in a hopeone Germans rushed forward in a hope-less effort to carry the place by storm. In the flokering blue light of the star shells the Teutons battlee desperately to get close enough to fire through the lom-holes, but, as they did so, the French machine guns piled up heaps of corpses. Terrified and discouraged, the Germans finally fiel back to the sheller of the shell-descohed forest of Malayaport" drenched forest of Malancourt."

BERLIN, March 31 -- German troops captured Malancourt by storm last night, it was announced today by the War Of-

French positions on both sides of the filages were carried by the Germans. Following is the text of the official re-

Activity on both sides considerably

Trousers JONES

1116 Walnut Street.

A Specialty

increased during the day owing to more favorable weather. West of the Meuse the village of Malancourt and the French defenses on both sides were captured by storm. Six officers and 322 men were made pringers

One boat was going to a Sunday school picule. The other was carrying a dele gation to a prize fight. "A sporting man bound for the prise fight got on the Sunday school beat, a mild, unaggressive preacher accidentally not separated from his flock and got to the prize-fight boat. On the eastern bank of the Meuse

the situation is unchanged. The Russians limited their activity.

"Both were on pleasure boats bound for a good time, but both were miserable all day. Their sufferings were menial." although portions of our front, which had previously been attacked, were subjected to heavy bombardments The lecturor said he did not believe in a literal hell fire, but rather conceived hell to be "the dark and fearful backgroung upon which the grace of God shines not."

DOCTOR SCOFIELD GIVES NEW VERSION OF HELL

The Marcus Hook Borough Council has filed a petition with the Public Service Preacher on Prize Fight Boat and 'Sport' on Sunday School Boat" filed a petition with the Public Service Commission at Harrishurs praying for ar order abolishing the three grade grossing maintained by the Philadelphia, Balilmore and Washington Raliford, and at when

The Rev. Dr. C. I. Scofield, the Bible scholar and author, in an address last night at United Second Presbyterian Church, Race street near 16th, told a story which illustrated, he said, his Idea of hell.

Lake Erie bound for pleasure excursions.

many serious accidents have occurred. Is pointed out also that traffe is often delayed for long periods through the hel-ing of freight trains at street interso This is the story: "Two men left Buffalo by boats on STETSON HATS BRING SPRING When the windows bloom with new shapes and colors in soft hats and derbies, built to go with the new suits and top coats, men chirk up. It's Springtime: and Stetson Hats are the first sartorial blossoms. This season there are some new ideas: One is a Comfort Derby in various shapes, which conforms to the head that wears it, no matter where the "bumps." Another soft hat is The Pacemaker, with a slight pitch to the brim that is new; self-striped band and a crown about the usual height, with a tapering effect that should

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Men's Shoes for Spring

representative of what the highly skilled American

No matter whether you are an extreme or conservative dresser, we are prepared to

meet your every need-a fit for every foot. Shoes and Hosiery

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John B. Stetson Co. **Retail Store** 1224 Chestnut St. **法保护**法

Mr. Green says:

"Twenty years in business and nevel

before the wool market in a worse shape

it's simply awful. It has put some tailors

out of business. The scarcity of this

spring goods in our shop npw were con tracted for more than a year ago. That's

why we've got 'em-and the other fellou

hasn't. We stand right in with the best

mills in the country. Sometimes I get

tips about patterns and prices before the

goods are off the looms. Pure-dyed fabrics

are mighty scarce, but we've got over 250

different patterns. And what's more we

inspect every piece of cloth we get in

order to be sure it's up to the Newcorn.

& Green standard. We protect our trade-

every time, and we are careful to any that we get for our customers exactly

dyed woolens is unprecedented. Some

appeal particularly to young

When it's hat time it's

Stetson time, with men who

think before they buy.

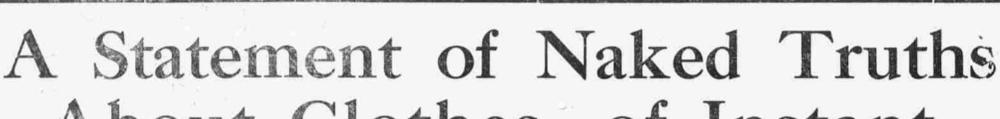
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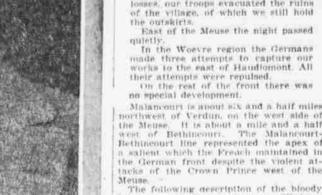
hatters and haberdashers

everywhere

men







Isador Sobel, of Erie, Pa., is conducting the campaign for increasing the membership of the B'nai B'rith in Philadelphia. Mr. Sobel's

Mr. Newcorn says:

"I've been studying the styles for spring and I am ready to announce that the cut of coats will be a triffe longer this season. and will be built on conservative but fuller lines, allowing more freedom of action There is no important change in trousers; the medium cut of leg will still be worn Vests are cut medium low. In design of fabrics the fine pencil stripes, broad banto stripes and combination broad-and-narrow mandolin stripes will prevall. Brown and gray fabrics will predominate. Gray serges will be popular. Overplaids will be much worn. So will homespuns.

"And in every piece of these fabrics I'm going to give you those little touches of style refinement for \$16 and up that you've got heretofore only from the high-priced tallors. Not a stitch goes into a coat, vest or pants that isn't exactly right. I'm on the job all the time, personally supervising the measuring, cutting and finishing of each garment."

Come in. See these latest stripes, plaids and checks-fashionable and serviceable material, every yard of it. See the serges, cheviots, homespuns, cassimeres and unfinished worsteds in all the popular plain and colorful effects. Get our samples-test them-prove to yourself they are fast dyed and all wool.

Our Mr. Newcorn will personally take your measure and supervise the building of a perfect-fitting, elegantly finished and fitted suit for you.

About Clothes-of Instant, Vital Interest to Every Man

Wool shortage-dye famine and mills on short time or closed, have sent fabric prices "out of sight." In spite of these unusual and business-disturbing conditions we are showing today what is the finest collection of fast-dyed, all-wool fabrics for men's wear that can be found under one roof in the whole city.

It has been "some hustle" and some shrewd buying, even with cash in hand, to get them - over 350 separate, distinct styles. But they're here-for your inspection and your order to turn them into correct, up-tothe-minute spring suits at prices no higher than we charged when the wool market was normal.

This is an extraordinary, unprecedented result. When we started buying for this sale we didn't know whether we could do it or whether we'd have to boost prices like the other fellows.

^{\$30} and ^{\$35} Values Made-to-Your-Measure Suits

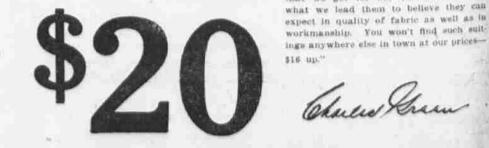
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Newcorn & Green tailoring means careful, skilful workmanship, needle moulding and our patented French canvas and haircloth interlining that hold the coat in permanent shape, open try-ons to show what's inside as well as out, and perfectly finished garments. All fabrics cold water double shrunk.

Newcorn & Green Guarantee

You don't have to take any chances here. If after your suit is finished you are not satisfied in every respect, you don't have



to pay a cent. A tailor that makes this guarantee must be absolutely sure of the character of his work.

Come in today or tomorrow while the stock is complete and pick out the fabric you want made up in an Easter suit. And, take our word for it, we'll positively not disappoint you on delivery.

You men who want a specially big value in a blue serge, ask for No. 6321. Newest weave. Absolutely fast color. \$20 for suit.

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