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CAMBRIDGE EXAMINATIONS AND RELIGIOUS KNOWLEDGE.

AMONG THE RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED AT the All Ceylon Buddhist Congress which met at Anuradhapura on the 25th and 26th of December last, the one relating to the inclusion of Buddhist Religious Knowledge in the syllabus of studies the Cambridge School Certificate Examinations deserves the consideration and support of the Hinda community. This resolution represents the desire of the Buddhist community munity. that the Knowledge of Buddhism should and a place in the curriculum of Cey-lon public examinations on the same footing as Christian Religious Knowledge,

Ceylon is a non Christian country. Ninety per cent of the population are non-Christians The vast majority of students taking up the Cambridge Examinations are non-Christiansmore than half a century our paternal Government has neglected to include the Knowledge of Buddhism or Hinduism or Mobammedanism in the curriculum of studies prescribed for the Cambridge Examinations. The Buddhist Congress has done distinct service to the non-Christian religious communities by calling attention to this obvious defect in the Cambridge syllabus.

Christian Religious Knowledge is one of the sections that can be offered for the Cambridge Examinations. It is a section in which it is very easy to obtain a pass and consequently non-Christian students are induced to study Christian scriptures in Christian schools and colleges notwithstanding the many disadvantages incidental to the study of an alien religion without mastering their own. In many an instance it is a matter of common knowledge that non-Chris-tian students or their parents besitate to seek the protection of the Conscience Clause for the reason that they are unwilling to forgo the advantage of an easy section which will help them to secure a pass in their examinations. Provision for the study of only one religion to the exclusion of others in a public examination amounts to religious differentiation which should be removed without delay.

We cannot visualise any difficulty in the matter of including the Knowledge of Hindu or Buddhist religion in the the matter of including the Knowledge of Hindu or Buddhist religion in the Cambridge syllabus of studies. A decade ago the Vernscular Literature did not find a place in the Cambridge Examinations. When people agitated for their recognition as subjects that can be offered for these Examinations innumerable difficulties were pointed out by the Government as well as by the Cambridge Syndicate But when once they were included the so-called difficulties disappeared and Vernscular Literature has now become one of the most popular subjects of peared and vernatural interature has now become one of the most popular subjects of the Cambridge Examinations. The same thing will bappen if the Knowledge of Hindnism or Buddhism is recognised as one of their subjects.

It was pointed out by a speaker at a Buddhist Congress that it is difficult the Buddhist Congress that it is difficult to find suitable text books for the study of Buddhist religion. The speakers that followed him repudiated this statement. In speaking on behalf of the Hindus we can say that there is no lack of suitable text-books which can be prescribed for the study of Hindu religion. At present the study of Hindu religion is being neglected in our educational institutions. If an examination value should extend to the religious studies in Hindu being neglected in our educational insti-tutions. If an examination value should attach to the religious studies in Hindu schools we are sure that they will become very popular among the students

Study of Hinda religion is the real objective of the Hinda Education Movement in this country. If the Hinda organisations should follow the example of the Buddhist Congress we are sure that the Knowledge of Hinda religion will become one of the subjects that can be offered for the Cambridge Teamingtons. Examinations.

LOCAL & GENERAL.

Valigamam North, Maniagar — Mr. V. M. Muthocomaru Mudatiyar has gone to India on 21 days leave. Mr. John Chel-lappab, Udaiyar of Uduvil, is acting for him.

OFFICIAL: -Mr L A Northeroft, Office Assistant to Govt. Agent, N. P., Jaffas, is to act, in addition to his own duties, as Supdt. of Peison, Jaffas, from January

EX. CHAIRMAN U. D. C. TO BE FETED: Ex. CHAIRMAN U. D. C. TO BE FERED:

—A public function will be held at the
Jaffna Ridgeway Hall on Saturday January 14, 1928 at 4 p. m. to express the
appreciation of the ratepayers of the
nrban area to their late Chairman, the
Hon. Mr. A. Canagaratnam, who has
been connected with the Urban District
Cannell from its invention for his ser-Council from its inception, for his services to the Council. A farewell address will be presented to him. It is also proposed to have a torch light procession from the Esplanade to the residence of Mr. Canagaratnam at Chivateru

CLERICAL SERVICE CHANGES—Mr. A K. Alva Pillai, Interpreter Mudaliyar of the Supreme Court, has been appointed Chief Clerk of the Jaffaa District Court, to succeed Mr Thamby, who has been appointed Secretary of the Adbeen appointed Secretary of ditional District Court of Kandy.

MEW CHAISMAN AND VICE CHAIRMAN;—At a special meeting of the Jaffina Urban District Council held on Friday last, Mr. R. Sivegurenathan, Proctor S. O., Member for Ward No. 7 and Mr. R. Subramaniam, Proctor S. O., Member for WardN. 3, have been elected Chairman and Vice Chairman representative. Mr. Siveguri. ber for WardN 3, have been elected Chairman and Vise Chairman respectively Mr.Sivagurunathan while be was Vice Chairman in 1926 had been presiding off and on over the meatings of the Council and looking after the duties of the Chairman during his absence to the entire sabisfaction of the Council members and the ratepayers. Wa offer our congratulations to Messrs. Sivagurunathan and Sphramaniam

OBYLON LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL:ing of the Caylon Legislative Council will be held at the Council Chamber, Colombo, on Thursday, January 19, 1928 at 10 30 a m.

Amerikanskai S. M. School:—The Hon. Mr W. Dursiswamy, President, Hindu Board of Education, has been appointed Manager of the Amerikambikai Saiva Mixed School, Nunavii East in place of Mr. K. Kasippillai.

Rebuss in Jaffna:—Last Friday's G. zetto notifies that ther is existence of rables in eleven Divisions of Maniagars in the Jaffna District and that any dog found in public road or place within the above Divisions unmuzzled, or not under control by means of a collar and chain, is liable to be destroyed. It is reported that a rabid dog was shot at Vantarcongui Fast on Saturday leat. Vannarconnai East on Saturday lest.

ARBACK IN WHISEY CASES:- Last week the ARHACK IN WHISEY CASES:—Last week the Excise authorities arrested on suspicion one Sanmegan Kaodiah of Kokkuvil while removing a consignment of eight obsest of Dawars White Label Whisky", despatched from Colombo by one A Bastimppilal, from the Jeffna Railway Goods Shel. When the cases were opened there were found eight dozacs of sealed bottles of arrack. Kandiah was charged before the Additional Police Magistrate with illulp possession and transport of arrack. He pleaded not gullay and the trial has been fixed for the 12th instant ball being allowed in Rs. 500/.

News from Anuradhapura.

The World's Cycliers:—The three pioneer Indian World Cycliers, who are returning home after a world tour on push bikes arrived here on the 4th instant and lefs for Manner the next day after seeing the ancient monuments and rules. In spite of the long and tedious journey through deserts and mountainous regions the three young Parses worths leak and head and heads?

pouths lock quite hale and hearty.

Drowning Accident:—A servant boy of Mr. S. N. Sittampalam, while bathing at the well in the latter's house, was said to have fallen into the well and drowed. The usual inquiry and post-mortem were held and the coroner returned a verdict of death due to drowning.

Official:-Mr. Mulhall, Office Assistant to the Government Agent, Amusabapura, is to be transferred to the Secretariat as Additional Assistant to the Colonial Secretary from the 26th instant. Mr. W. O. D. Pantelow, Office Assistant, Kegalis Kachoheri is to succeed him here. —A'pura, Cor. Jan S.

THE "HEALTH."

The "Health" is a monthly journal devoted to healthful living. It is edited by the Hon. Dr. W. Rama Rau, M. B., B. S and Mr. W. Krishna Rau of Madras. It has completed five years of existence and is in the threshold of the sixth year with its January maples. This journal with its January number This journal which is published in Madras contains useful and instructive articles on Health and Sacitation. We acknowledge with thanks the copies sent to us.

The Kayts Association, Colombo

ALL TAMIL SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDED

A special general meeting of the Knyts Association, Colombo, was held at St. Anthony's Explish School, Knyts on the 27th ultimo, and was prested by Mr J N C. Tirushelvam, Prostor of Colombo.

The Association consists of all Johnson.

Tituchelvam, Proctor of Colombo.

The Association consists of all Jeffer Tamil young men in the Western Province who half from the Island of Leyden the capital of which is Rayls.

Besides the Chairman the following were accommodated on the platform. Mr Nevine Salvadurai, B.A.M.B.E., the Parish Priest of Kayts, Bro Director of St. Actbony's School, Dr. Sabspathy, D.M.O. Mr Regis Rejakariar, Advocate, Air V.A. Kandiah, B.Se., of the tutorial staff of St Joseph's College, Colombo, and Mr. D.P. Rejadurai, Honorary Sceretary.

The Chairman and Mr. Salvadurai were received with a welcome song and were garlanded After his address in Tamil explaining the sims and objects of the Association, the Chairman invited Mr. Selvadural in felicitous terms to deliver his lecture. Mr.

felicitous terms to deliver his lecture. Mr. Selvadural then delivered an instructive lecture which was in Thamil. During the course of which he referred to certain points

touched upon by the Chairman and explained how they could be of service to the country. Rev Brother Simon and Mr. Barnabas of fered comments on the testure The Rev. Brother Director announced that Mr. Tiruchelvem, the President of the Association, very kind y consected to found a scholarship to be competed yearly and that the scholarship was open to all students both Christian and Hindu slike The announcement was

ship was open to all students both Unristian and Hindu slike The announcement was received with applause.

Mr. V. A. Kandish proposed a vote of thanks to the learned leasurer for coming all the way from Jaffna to deliver the leature and to the Chairman for presiding on that cocasion Mr. D. P. Rajadurai* seconded the vote of thanks which was carried wish according to the communication of the communication

This was followed by a Social at which a band of Amsteurs from the Vidya Vicodba Sabha contributed songs to enliven the fuce-The large gathering present partook of reshments lavishly served and then dis-

Arya Samaj's World Message.

GOLDEN JUBILEE CELEBRATION.

TO SUPPRESS THE BRUTE IN MAN.

The following is the Message of the Arya Samsi to the World delivered by Shri Narain Swam ji, President All India Aryan League, on the occasion of the Aryan League, on the occasion of the Golden Jubilee of Arya Samaj, Lahore, on 22nd December, 1927:—

on 22nd December, 1927:—

The Arya Samsj founded by Mabarshi Swami Dayananda Saraswati bas just completed half a century of its existence. During this period it has created revolution in the sphere of religious, social and educational reform. As a result of the impact of Swami Dayananda's dynamic propagands various faiths have been transformed and metamorphosed beyond recognition. The religious future of civilised and uncivilised humanity is to the hands of the Arya Samsj. With rejuvenated and revivined Hindudom at its back the Arya Samsj is destind to march from victory to victory and is determined, by the grace of God, who reveals and re reveals the Veda at the commencement of each accine for the behoof of His children of all colours and races to spread the blessings of accient for the behoof of His children of all col-and races to spread the blessings of acc-culture and wiedom of which India is direct beir, to all parts of the world.

MESSAGE OF THE VEDA.

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All this is self evident and yet something more is required. The direct influence of the Arya Samaj has so far been confined to the Hit du race. But the Arya Samaj is now shedding its swadding clothes and has resolved to chip its Hindu shell. True to the teachings of its Master the Samaj now its in a position to recognise in practice as it has always done in theory what the French Savant Roman Rolland rightly complassed that it has no right to make invidious distinctions and to reserve for its Kith and Kin what the Lord revealed for entire humanity and gravely and solemnly proclaims to all whom is may concern that the cternal life giving message of the Veda will now be carried to the uttermost parts of the globs—to centres of modern most divilization as well as to the darkest corrers of the earth and none shall be deprived of the God given privilege of drinking at the ambrosial founts of ageless wisdom if he so desires and if this resolve of the Samaj be interpreted in certain querters as aggressive and bring shout breaches of the pace and even sauguinary conflets the Samaj can only depore the Ismantable fact that "two thousand years of progress" have not suppressed the brute in man. This will have the offect simply of deeponing its conviction that only the primeval lights of the Vedae can dispet the darkness of religious intolerance and intellectual cassedness. On this auspicious occasion of its Gollen Jubilee the Arya Samaj sends its greeting and message of good will to all frespective of each, cread and nationally engaged in the noble task of tupiliting the human race to a higher spiritual and intellectual place and solicits their cooperation and good wisher.

INDIAN & FUREIGN.

PRINCE PRESIDES AT TOC H. BIRTHDAY FESTIVAL:—The Prince of Wales at the Albert Hall, London presided over the Festival to celebrate the 12th anniversary of the founding at Poperinghe of Taipot House, the war time rest house from which has been evolved a wonderful organisation known as "Toc H," which is spreading all over the world in commemoration of those who fell in the Great War. H.R. H. it from the original Lamp of Maintenance 32 new Lamps for new branches.

PRIME MINISTER OF NETAL:—Keen disap.

Lamps for new branches.

PRIME MINISTER OF NEPAL;—Keen disappointment is felt in Calcutta being deprived of the opportunity for which is was preparing to accord as rousing and cordial a reception to the Prime Minister of Nepal, as was given by the Bunbay and Karachi to the Alghan Reler, owing to His Highness's liness.

Swimming the Straits of Gibbaltar.—A German boin, Lindon typish, Miss Morcedes Gielizs, whose parents live in Frankfort, simest encoeded in swimming over the Gibraliar Straits on January 2 d. She was forced to give up when within less than a mile off africe.

EMANGIPATION OF SLAYES IN SIEBEA LEGUER.

EMANGIPATION OF SLAVES IN SIEBBA LEGNE: The laws prohibing slavery to the Sterra Leone Protectorate have become effective and about 215 000 slaves are due to be set free,

Liangest Exposts For Three Years:—British exports are said to have risen to £70,609 651 in November, this total being the guest attained in any month since July 1922, a period of nearly three and a ball years,

A "Dax" World in 1952;—A gift of £100,000 made a law days against.

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A "Dax" World in 1952:—A gift of 2100 000 made a tew days ago to the Antibation Leagus by Mr. S S Kreege, a mutumilitousire six penny department store owner of New York is the subject of an amusing controversy. Mr. 'Pussyloot' Johnson induges in the joyous prediction that the entire world will be "dry" by 1952. He reports that the prohibition movement in England and Scotland has grown 'beyond our fondest expectations." The only exceptions to the trumphant achievements of the prohibitionists, he says, are to be found in Spain and

expectations." The only exceptions to the triumphant achievements of the prohibitionists, he says, are to be found in Spain and Portugal.

New Tax on Touriers:—The Chamter Committee of Finance, in an effect to provine money to pay increased pecisions to naval reservists, has decided to recommend a tax on all travellers embarking or disembarking at a French port. The tax will vary according to the destination of or country of departure of the traveller.

The Thames in Floods:—The Thames, which is in heavy spate following the great thaw, overflowed the banks in London in the early hours of the 7th morning, foundated the low lying districts of the oily, and brought a night of terror and tragedy in its train. Latest reports state that 20 persons are known to have perished in the floods, while others have been killed or injured as a result of the violent gale which swept the country.

Romance of Japanese Royalty:—Prince Chichitu, brother of the Emperor of Japan, is engaged to Miss Seatu, caughler of Matsudairs, Ambassador at Washington, who though of nohe family, is technically a commoner. Miss Seatu will, therefore, probably be adopted by a relative who is a peer, thus overcoming the court regulations that an Imparist prince cannot marry a commoner.

FIRE HAVOO IN LAHORE; -A serious fire First HAVOG in Laudes;—A serious fire broke out at Labore on January 5th in the commercial quarter when three shops were completely gutted, and all articles stored in the shops were burnt to asbes. The inmates of the house bowever escaped. After a three house hard struggle, the fire was brought under control by the fire brigades. The loss is estimated at several lakbs.

is estimated at several lakts.

Boy Maharajah of Travancons:— His Humness the Boy Maharajah of Travencor, accompanied by his sister and Captain Pureca A D O., had an loteresting tram ride for the first in their life at Caloutta. When Mr. B. N Bacerjee the Deputy Commissioner of Police, called on His Highness the Maharajah, His Highness expressed a desire that he would like to have a tram-ride. Mr. Banurjee mads all the necessary arrangements, and put an Inspector of Police in charge.

ments, and put an Inspector of Poiles in charge.

The Congress Boycott Propaganda—
Pandit Jawabarisi Nebru, General Scoretary,
All India Congress Committee, has addressed a circular letter to all the Provincial Congress Committees and the Congress Parties in the various legislatures conceining for necessary, and immediate action, the text of the resolution on the Boycots of the Statutory Commission passed by the Congress.

Dismond Robe in S. Afarca.—Four thousand persons participated in what is probably the last dismond such in South Africa owing to the recond legislation to restrict output in the interests of the infusive There was a thrilling sace to secure the hest claims which were pegged within the minutes after the beginning of the ruth.

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Mannas Congress Expanses:—The Executive of the Reception Committee of the Madras Congress is now busy with the payment of hills. The total collections him understood, have come to Rs. 2,07,000, of which Rs. 75 000 was secured by way of feet from visitors. The expanditure in all is expected to amount to Rs. 1,80,600, igaving a surplus of about Rs. 27,000.

An Open Letter to Mr Hensman

"HINDU BOYS IN CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES'

Sir,-I have read with very great interest your Sir,—I have read with very great interest your contribution to the "Morning Star" of the 16th instant regarding the above. Though you have aimed at an impartial study of the affair, I very much regret you have made the missake natural to every Missionary in the East, viz. giving expression to your ineas before understanding the religious and peoples of the East. As is the case with others, your ideas are most erroneous and permit me to point out in a most friendly manner the failacles in your argument. I have to certain permit me to point out in a most riendly manner the fallacies in your aggument. I have to certain cases deviated from the main thome of my article but it is only to make the best use of the opportu-nity afforded for the good of all concerned.

ALL COMPRISING HINDU.SM.

And Compension Hispursal.
You criticise the sime of the Hindu leaders in Jaffas who aim at bringing up a set of young men with completely Hindu traditions. If, the real sonse, or I may say the real meaning of Hinduism is imparted to these young men and if they imbibe the true Hindu spirit, then there is no necessity for them to study the life of Jesus, for there is nothing new in the life of that "Limb of Nazz-reth" which a true Hindu does not see in his ownreligion. Of course, a partial study is of no reserving to the set of no reserving the second seed in his own religion. nothing how to rethin the treath of the second and a take strong objection to the views of these partially educated people, who sail upon mer not to follow the Hindu Faith and say there is nothing like the life of Jesus in Hinduism. True, because Hinduism contains many things better. There is no harm however in a Hindu studying the life of Jesus, for, it brings home to him too the life of Jesus, for, it brings home to him the idea that the principles underlying his religiou are idea that the principles underlying his religiou are not foreign to others. In other words it tends to being about a sones of unity between the different religionists. On this point, I would strike snoth r note, namely, a Christian Missionary is very ardent that the Hindu pupils of his institution, and the Hindu guptle of his institution, and the Hindu gentlemen with whom he comes in contact about learn and understand the beauty and love of God which Jesus of N.z.treth expounded to mackind. With due deference to tueir wishes, may I ask, why they are blind to the best in other religions, a study of which will make them much better fitted for their work, and why they do not impart to the Christian students under their charge one principles of Hinduism, by calling upon a proper teacher to instruct them in beauties and principles of this Faith. In this respect therefore, when the Christian Mission-aries are averse to a study of Hindulsm, and when they neither want to see nor underestand it, it is but natural that the Hindu leaders have decided but natural that the Rindu isaders have decided not to have anything with those who turn a deaf ear to their reasonings, and have thought is best to bring up their youth in purely Hindu ideals and traditions. From the above it is clear that the Hindu boy never loses Jesus though he never comes in contact with a Western proselytiser.

FIRST OWN'S OWN THEN ANOTHER'S.

The next point which you raise is that by a study of Jesus, a Hinda boy does not lose his religion. I perfectly agree with you and strongly support your statement, for there is nothing new in Ohrist and his religion as I have already said, But a study of other religions without a proper But a study of one's own is always reinous. I presente you would not like yourself studying flindners without first understanding Orise and his religion fully well. Therefore after the Hindu toys have completed their course of study in Hinduism. then let them study other religious and not before that. In this respect too therefore the action of the Hindu leaders is quite correct and a destreable

RELIGIOUS OBSERVANCES TEND TO PARTIAL EFFECT,

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You say that because of the annual religious
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Again from what you write, I am led to the belief that you have understood Hindriem as a religion of Festivities. A more absurd tides can never be found. Hindriem is like the unigny races of water, unbounded and universal. A complete study of it, is I may say, impossible. Further at the present time proper religious educational facilities for the Hindrie are very lew. A study of other religious without studying Hindriem foily is quite dangerous to efficie who will be laced away by the belief that his religion is no par with Ontstantity which is every day being presented to him as being one trill of nappiness, saggle, diving life and nesseen. In this connection, if may say that our Missionery friends are not weathing in words to denounce Hindriem as a religion on Daylis and Hobgolins and presse Christianity to need an extent when they find that there is a grospect of a violim failing within their net of proselytism.

ABOUNDING IN REVELATION.

Your third point that in any purely Hindu gebool or college the Hindu boy has no opportunity of golding sight of Jesus, is already covered by the figes part, viz. that there is nothing new in Caristianity, that is not covered by Hindulen. You say that there is no book of religion in the Hindu crest which can safely be placed in the

hands of a school boy. You also say that no such thing as revelation exicus to the Hinds creed. I vary much regest to easy that in this particular point you are like the freg in the will. As sutherity for your condision you also the conges of Manickavesagar. I may say that Manickavesagar. I may say that Manickavesagar. I may say that Manickavesagar is only a siny fish in the mighty ocean of Hinsusian. If you like, I would refer you to the Gita, (Caspters 10 & 11 especially 11) where the revelation according so the Vathnavite creed is explained. Thanks to the efforts of Mrs. Brasant and several others, you can have an English version of the Gita which is more or less trus to the original. You will do well to read it before activing at the hasty and most erroneous concission that there is no such thing as revelation in the Hindu Faith. But for ravelation, Hinduism is nothing. It abounds in revolution wherever we go we have supple proofs of its. Regarding the catechism to be placed in the hands of young-ters, I would request you to get a few copies of the Hindu Catechism from the theorephical publishing house, Adyar, Madras, and I think you can have all these books for something less than eight annas.

DIFFERENT PATHS TO THE SAME GOAL

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I am very sorry to glacce through the last para of your article that enlightened Christians hold the view that (apart from his dividity) Jesus is the greatest man that ever appeared on the phase of the earth. This is another egly and hasty conclusion without proper study and research. Possibly the knowledge of these so called enlightened men so far as other religious are concerned might be based on the pictures painted to them by the Missionaries in sac Oriant. In this respect they are doing a great harm to their own religion, for this belief is very much against the fundamental principles of Cart Hant y. From the above remark please do not be cajoled into the belief that I reject Jesus, or that I am an out and out Sivate, or am surning a deaf car to the principles, gospels and truths of other religious. I do not claim a complete knowledge of Hinduiem, for I have already said it is impossible, but what I know of it dictates to me that the God of all religious is the same, that different religious are only paths to athat he same goal and to lend a sympathetic and attentive ear when anybody of other religious preaches the beauties of his creed. That same idea has also strengthened me in my determination not to liven to these who while praising their own religion try to paint the religious or reaches the planted as far as my religious work of a result of the religious or law of the plantes manner possible. Now, Sir, with your leave I would like to point.

religious of others in the blackest manner possible. You now know where I am placed so far as my religious views are concerned.

PREACHING THAT NOT PROFESSED.

Now, Sir, with your leave I would like to point out one or two points which are outside the pale of your critice. As a sincere well wisher on the third wisher of the Mills of the Mills and the process of the Mills and a such much more dear and near to us. We do understand and appreciate Jesus much better than the Westerners who profess to follow his beautiful and simple faith, but are false to it to the very sore. "Thou shall not Kill". "Thou shall not hart try onighbour". These if my memory is correct are two of the tre commandments, and now, Sir, paint before yourself the picture of the Architcheo of Cantarbury, the High Priest of perhaps the most enlightened mainin on earth, the representative of God on earth, in fact, the second Jesus in name, blessing the English army just before crossing the English Channel to out the throats of their German Brethren! Is the in accordance with the principles of Christianity? Again you have the Pope, the representative of God on earth, who during the times of the revolution of the Caurah ordered Christians to be burch at they have come out to save the soule of others, and that they are Christians to be burch at the stake. And such people come out and say that they have come out to eave the soule of others, and that they are Christians to be burch at the stake. And such people come

safe with our religion and beliefs.

Questionably Methods of Missionaries.

Now to be more particular, I would refer to one instance. I was educated to a C.M.S. College and when owing to certain genuine grievences, the fluids students projected against the actions of the Frincipal (a Missionary and a pillar of the Church), he had the andacity to say that unless the attaches acquiseed to his sweet will, they would be shot down dead and he threatened so make good his threat by taking out his revolver and loading it. We were not to be infinited to diverge way at leat. With all good wishes for the working of the C.M.S. I would point out that the carrier such propie size sent back, the better for the society. The same guttleman, another day when he came to teach Bible, and "The Bible is a book, it is a good book, it is a very very good book, and it was each of you to have a copy". But he could not say anything better or werse about the Bible. Perhaps, he might have improved by now.

BLUSPIERNY AGAINST ONE'S RELIGION.

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Another specific instance is that of a Missionary defining Hinduism in a soutence as "a religion of devile, demons and animal sacrifices". Strange indeed! A peculiar frog in the well. I very much tried to exact from his baughtiness who his beacher in Hinduism was, but without any success. My blood boiled at the instoucions of his most revered heaptimest, that I put him a few questions and as a result our village is free from his hughiness, infection. Now such people are a degrees to Christianity, the pure, simple, and besulful religion chalked out by the Carpenter of Nezvent. In the face of these facts, answer un plainly, would you expect the Hindu leaders to take any better affitude?

With nothing further to add by this opportunity, 117, Batu Road,

Kuala Lumour, 81st D.c. 1927.

Yours etc. A. V. Sanker.

OBITUARY.

MISS S B RASIAH

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The death of Mary Joyssell Resslice, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam B Rasiah of Illavalsi Ceylor at present on Sungei Mahang Estate, Nilai, F M S. coturred on Monday, November 28th at 9 p m after oily 2 days illness. She was a viotim to Malaria. The funeral took place the following day at about 4 p. m at the Roman Catholic Cemetry, Loke Yew Road, Kusta Lumpur There was a very large attendance at the house and also at the graveside. There were many floral tributes. Our sincers condolence with the baryawed parents.—Cor.

THE MAILS.

(G P O Colombo.) DESPATCHES.

London Mails per the R L "Tabanan" will close on Thursday, January 12, 1928. and per the P & O "Morea" on Thursday, January 19, 1928. Straits & China Mails per the R L "Tambora" and the N Y K "Atsuta Maru" will close on Wednesday January, 11, 1928 and per the M M "General Metzinger" on Monday, January 16, 1928. RECEIPTS.

London Mails per the O L "Orvieto" will arrive on Saturday, January 14, 1928 and per the P & O "Macedonia" on Satur-

and per the P & O "Macedonia" on Saturday, January 21, 1928.
Straits & China Mails per the N Y K "Genoa Maru" and N Y K "Hakusan Maru" will arrive on Wednesday, January 11, 1928 and per the R L "Tabanan" on Thursday, January 12, 1928.

Order Nisi.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JAFFNA. Testamentary Jurisdiction No. 6620.

In the Matter of the intestate estate of the late Muttachchy wife of Sinnatamby Valipuram of Mallagam

Deceased.

Sinnathamby Vallipuram of Mallagam

Petitioner.

Vs.

Vs.

1. Vallepuram Karthegesu
2. Vallepuram Soomseundaram
3. Vallepuram Paramasamy
4. Vallepuram Guhapakiam
5. Vallepuram Guhapakiam
6. Ponnambalam Sinniah of Kandarodai

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This matter coming on for disposal before G. W. Woodhouse Esquire, District Judge, Jaffaa, on November 14, 1927, in the presence of Mr. S. Haystsmibl, Proctor, on the pars of the Petitioner and the affidavit of the Petitioner dated October 27, 1927, having been read. Respondents

27, 1927, having been read.

It is ordered that the abovenamed 6th Respondent be appointed Guardian ad litem over the minors the 1st to 5th Respondents for the purpose of representing them in this case and of protecting their interests, and the Petitioner be declared entitled to Admunister the said estate as her lawful husband and that Letters of Administration be issued to him accordingly unless the Respondents shall appear before this Court on January 17, 1928, and show cause to the contrary.

J. D. Brown, District Judge.

November 29, 1927. 0, 1887.

Order Nisi.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JAFFNA.

Testamentary Jurisdiction No. 8818.

In the matter of the estate of the late Manonment alias Mankanyaskarasy daughter of Vadivalos alias Thirunavuk-karasu of Thunalai South

Deceased.

1. Kanapathipillai Thiropalasubramaniam

and

2. Wife Thankaretnam of Thunalai South
Petitioners.

Vs.

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Respondent.

This matter coming on for disposal before G.
W. Woodhouse Esquire, District Judge, Jaffna on November 10, 1927, in the presence of Mr.
M. Sivaprakeaun, Prootor, on the part of the Petitioners, and the Petition and afflidavit of the Petitioners dated November 9, 1927, having been

read.

I is ordered that letters of administration to the state of the late Manonman alias Mankayat-karasy daughter of Vadivalos alias Thirmaynikarasu be issued to the Petitioners unless the Respondent or any other persons shall on or before January 17, 1923, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this court to the contrary.

Jaffna, Nov. 80, 1927, O, 1888,

J. D. Brown. District Judge.

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Jaffna Urban District Council.

NEW CHAIRMAN & VICE OH SIRMAN,

The following are the Minutes of proceedings of a Special Meeting of the Jaffan Urban District Council held at the Jaffaa Kachcheri on Friday the 6th January 1928 at 9 a. m.

Present: Messa. T. H. Crossette, K. Kanagsasbai, R. R. Nadiab, R. Subramaniam, C. Asulambaiam, V. S. S. Kumaraswam, Sivagurunasher, A. M. M. Abdulcader and the Sucretary.

The Chairmanabip being vacant Mr. C. Arulambatam moved that Mr. R. R. Nalilah take the chair pro tem

Mr. T H. Orossatte recorded - Carried.

The minutes of proceedings of the meeting held on the 10 h. Documber 1927 were read and confirmed.

Mr. V. S S Kumaraswamy moved that Mr. R. Sivagurunasher be elected Chairman of the Council.

Mr. A. M M. Abdulcader seconded.—Carried unanimously.

Mr. R Sivagurunather then took the Chair and thacked the members for the confidence placed in him and saked for their continued.

Mr. T. H. Crossette moved that Mr. R. Subramaniam be elected Vice Obstrman.

Mr. K Kanagasabai seconded.—Oarried unanimonsly.

Mr. R Subramaniam returned thanks.

It was resolved to hold the next meeting of the Council on Saturday the 21st January 1928 as 14th is to be a public holiday.

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HAPPINESS TO BE SOUGHT WITHIN.

The following is the retrint of a •lecture by Srimath Swami Ramakrish-ananda of the Sri Ramakrishna Mission:-

· lecture by Srimath Swami Ramakrishanda of the Sri Ramakrishna Mission:

(Commed from on last issue.)

The Genatest Sin.

Our Scriptures teach us that the greatest sin is to call a man a sinner. The moment you think yourself a sinner, weak, you forget your the hite nature and idensity yourself with the body and mind. This identifying yourself with the body and mind. This identifying yourself with the body and mind the source of all your ulseries, If you want to realize your infolice nature throw off all association with your finite nature. Force your body and mind. Disidentify yourself with your body and mind. You are constantly doing it is face. Are you shways thinking, "I am all or short, I am dark or fair, I am lean or stout, etc.?" You only think slit this when you stand in from of a mirror. What is the definition of health? A man is perfectly healthy when he does not remember that he has a body. Only when you have a headache, do you remember that you have a headache, do you have a penin in the leg. do you think of your leg. You are spirit itself. You are his itself. Although your body sits upon you with so much power, still it cannot keep you from forgesting it. When you are enjoying a heautiful seens or beautiful music, you forget it that is, for the time belog you have transcended the body. This is your true nature and that is the reason why you are bappy. When you are saim, quite, lose in thought, you also do not remember your body and only when comething comes auddenly to disturb this state, you call it pain.

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IN FRANCE OF ENJOYMENT.

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In enjayment thought expires. When you are thinking, when you have no conscioumers of your body, where have you gone at that bure? You have go out of your body and mind, and that is enjayment. Enjayment is your true nature, therefore you like enjayment. Man is always realess after happiness, and he is restless because some misery is pinching him. Man is constantly in so inch of enjayment and he is going from this village to that village, from this country, only to get his less enjayment; and this search after enjayment is the same as the eastch after God, for God and bits are the same. They are synonymous. Therefore it is said, "A fool hash said in his heart there is no God"; for cut of God all hap piness has come and everyone who sacks happiness, seeks God.

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God is Anandam

Our definition of God is Anaddam (bliss).
There is no athesis who does not desire happiness and that happiness is God. Out of bliss has come the whole creation, in bliss it exists and into bliss will it mege. Out of God we sand the whole universe have come, to God we rest and to God shall we go Hence blies and God are synonymous. So no man can say that he is an atheis, for every man b-lieves in happiness and happiness is God. Every man, indeed, is after happiness, and what happiness do you want? Happiness, that knows no breek. You may take this temporary happiness because it gives you a livile pleasure and you want pleasure; but your ideal is happiness that never ends.

Happiness that has no beak goes by the name of constailty. You may be content for a moment with this limited happiness which gives you momentary enjoyment, but breakless, eternal enjoyment is your ideal and you must realize if. The man who harries through his meals, rushes to office and works hard the whole day, is really in search of pleasure and believes that he can get it by earning money. And that man who is sitting in a corner, someomrating his mind, trying to forget his environment, trying to find God inside humself, he is doing the same thing.

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Now let us examine the two methods One is really sizer money, because it will bring tood, comforts and pleasures for bimsell and his femily; so he sires to earn money and to earn power hehance he thinks has if he has power he can force nature to bring him whetever he wants. But this method is very preceives. He may get money, but he may not be able to digest the food or or juy like conforts it brings. I knew a millionate in Calcutta who was only able to take burley water and thus he was not to well off, even as his lowest servant in point of erjoyment. Then if the man has wealth, how long will he be able to erjoy in? Only so long as the body lasts. We all knew that there is nothing to uncertain in this world as life. To the bary in the oraid, it she youth and to the cid man, to the rich and the poor, at any moment death may come. And when we identify our-elves with the body, when we believe thes by said form the body, or by said-fying the mind, we causify ourselves, then we can understand how periabable happiness must appear.

The Ens Bracuss of Man.

Every man will have to undergo six sorts of transformations. There was a baby in the womb, and only because there was a baby in the womb, and only because there was a baby in the womb, and not be increase in stature and so undergo all sorts of changes,—It must become a boy, a youth a man. Then what will follow? A gradual dwindling away. The eyes will lose their power, the east will east to hear, the hands and feet will grow less active, the memory will fall. This is the lite-history of every living be mr; and such a heirg, who is tied to a bedy and whose mind is all nouble, how can he expect eternal life?

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LORD HEWART ON POLITICS

The Lord Caief Justice (Lord Hawart of Bury) spoke on December 9, at the Manchester Reform Club, where he was the guest of honour at a house dinner. Sir Edward Rhodes, President of the Club, was in the chair, and in proposing the guest's health he spoke not only of the brilliance of Lord Hewart's career in the law but of his old and close association with the Club which was now entertaining him A vote of thanks to Lord Hewart, after he had spoken, was carried with great enthusiasm on the motion of Judge T. B. Leigh, seconded by Mr. J. Catterall

Speaking of the difficulties of making an after Spessing of the dimentices of making an affectioner speech, Lord Hewart said that no such difficulty had presented itself on the last, or almost the last, occasion when he had the honour of addressing an addience within those famous and horpitable walls. "It roler, of course," he said, "to the celebration, fifteen years ago, that followed a certain contest in North west Manchester, when the flawer of Lancashire L becalism rallied to my the flawer of Lanasatic L octains railed to my side, and, in overything except numbers, we achieved a memorable victory. Never am I likely to forget that day, nor the friends with whom it was a delight to go into battle.

"this indeed no small bonour merely to have been rejected by North west Manchester. Those who have suffired the fate or fortune are a com-pany to whom any man might well be content to belong. It included, for example, Mr. Bonar Law, belong. It included, for example, Mr. Bouar Law, one of the most direct, one of the most honest, and one of the most high minded statesmen who at any period of history have given their lives in the service of their country, (Cheers). It included also the present Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Winston Churchill, as to whom perhaps, on the present occasion, is may be well to refrain from words even of good omen - (laughter) -lest should appear to enter; wishout reasonable or probable cause, the arena of contemporary politics,

CHIEF JUSTICE'. RIGHT TO EPRAK.

CHEF JUSTICS. RIGHT TO SPAN.

"Do not let me be misunderstood. I have never connived, and I will never countred, and I will never countred, as any heresy which involves the proposition that a Crief Justice of England, summoned as he is to the House of Livids not merely to vote but also to active, is condemned to a lifelong and compulsory silence upon the if afre and the interests of the State. (Cheer) Less it be granted that a Chief datasec, whether in the High Court of Justice or in the American or read that a concertance to a series of precedents of which it is enough to mention only two. Many of you no doubt remember an illustrious Collet Justice who, impelled holely by a sense of public duty, fought as hard as he could against a famous bill at every stage, and finally said in the House of Linda thas it were given a inhird resulting he would never darken the door of that House again—(cheere),—and he never did. Home of you also, in doubt remember another and a different occasion when a noble lind, and distinguished for wisdom or residence, was addressing the House and began what was probably intended to be an impressive passage with the words, and then, my lords, I put the question to myetil. The impressiveness was similarleed when Lord Eilenborough leaned for ward and remarked, "And a dammed tilly answeryon most have got." (Lord Laughter). No, a Chief dustice whoisever nits privations may be, is not relegated, on all occasions, to an austers and pensive sine is."

pensive signes."

Now would it be true to say, Lord Hewart continues, that he personally was conscious of a morbid antipathy to politics; and a lively sease of only might perhaps sow in a man's mind serious doubts as to the propriety—to put the mester organ to higher ground—of contemplating with an understan complacency the blessings of his own personal security. Certainly has feeling was not healy to find a resting place in the reflections of anyone who had experienced for many years the essential goodness, the generosity, and the magnanimity of that second University the House of Commons. (Cheers).

PARTY AN ELUSIVE TRUM.

PARTY AN ELUSIVE TRAM.

"To day it may appear to the detached observer that persy to becoming, or has already become, a somewhat elastic or clusive term. There is, indeed, higo authority for the proposition that there is more joy in Heaven over one shore that repents that nover ninety and nine just persons who need no repentence. But the modern Dadel, who as we know is also thread electioneering agent—(isogner)—is agit to complain of an infringement of political copyright. Nevertheless, anyons who is reasonably endowed with original sin or with the missionary spirit may well experience a least a temporate threi when he finds his former opponents adopting and exponenting, albeit with a rather anxious scal—(laughter)—the pure milk of the word.

"In this club, for a sample." Local Views.

"In this club, for example," tinued, "the guiding maxim for "In this club, for example." Lord Hawart continued, "the guiding maxim for more generations than one has been Pleace, retracehment, and reform' Is peace any longer a party question? After the great blood—lesting of the war, do we not all perceive not merely the wisdom, but even the necessity—I do not say against the wickedness of killing, because when war breaks one men will think only of the nobleness of dying—of discovering beforehand in all goodwill and with eareful and patient deliberation the needs of pessible future cardle in order, while there is two lines, to remaye them out of the way for ever?," (Lind cheers.) Lord Hewart con"THE MOTOR CAR ORDINANCE No. 20 of 1927."

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All persons who own motor ears are hereby informed that under-section 30 (1) of "The Motor Car Ordinanca No. 20 of 1927." no person shall possess or use a motor car for which a motor car lincense is not in force.

2. As the Ordinance was proclaimed so late as Desember 16, 1927, to come toto operation on January 1st, 1928, the owners of cars have had not sufficient outlook to be their cars liseased on January 1st, 1928, or other their cars liseased on Sendin their applications for license to the proper local licensing authorises on or before January 1sts, 1928, on the prescribed form with nucescelled attamps for the license duty silized to it.

The forms are obtainable as the offices of the Licensing Authorities concerned.

Colombo.

C. Coomeraswam,

Colombo. C Coomaraswamy, January 8rd, 1928. Registrar of Moor Care.

And is retreachment any longer a party question? True it is that men praise eco.comy in general while they resist overy proposal for sco-nomic in particular. But can anybody apply the nomio in particular. But can anybody apply the rare but refreshing process of thought to the disgusting subject of taxation—(laughter)—without being appaired at the annual balance sheet? If you look at the Statistical Abstract, or more boldly still, at the back of your demand note for ly still, at the back of your demand note for super-tax, you find that the annual expenditure exceeds tax, you find that the annual expenditure exceeds \$20 millions sterling. Most of us are gid enough to remember the vehement and unaffected indignation of Gladstone when for the first time a Budget reached a hundred millions. (Oheers) But to day—I leave out the odd coppers which are the enemy of all clear thinking in finance—(laughted) the service of the day are your annualization. ter)—the service of the dobl costs you annually 400 millions, the armed forces of the Crown cost 120 millions, and the Civil Services cost 240 millions.

millions.

"Is abere no Hume or Cobden, there no Bright or Gladetone to grappie with figures like these? (Cheers) Will nobody ascertain, with exact presision, what departments there are; how and why and under what authority each one of them causi into existence; whether, as to each of them, its prepose remains or has been fulfilled or abandones; what is the size of its staff as compar d with the last year before the war; and how, for example, the salary and bonus of such of the twenty exceedingly able gentlement at the head of the department contrast and compare with his pre-war enclaments? (Cheers.)

"Assuredly retrenchment is not a party question. And as for reform—why the name, as any rate, if not the thing, is in luminent danger of becoming fashionatie. (Laughter.) Do men seek to get round or to get nuder the system of Free Trade? They call their policy "Tariff Baform." (Laughter.) Do they desire to administer permanent snaesthetic to the Parliament Act? They call their project House of Lords 'Reform.' (Laughter) And for the extension of the franchise—well, you remember that Homer, when he refers to future uncertain events, says that they lie upon the knees of the gods. I suspect that if Homer were alive to day he might perhaps be tempted to re consider his phrase and to say that they lie upon knees—which are not always invisible—(loud laughter)—of the goddesses."

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In would dearly not be light on that occasion, Lord Hawart said, to discuss the present position and the foture prospects of the Liberal party. He had read comewhere the other day that it had costed to be what it was, but he would goote the snawer given by Dauglas Jerrold when he a same thing was said of "Pauch": "No, it never was." Certainly in the recollection of most of us there has never been wanting in the Liberal party a due cupply of persons who, in a mood of pure self-sacrifice, were willing to be occreed, into the task and the toil of leadership (Lughter) There may indeed continues have been manuscrea when the number of reputed leaders seemed to be allittle out of proportion to the number of actual followers. But, when all it said and done was not that great man right who observed that in public affairs if there is nothing not eating as a fight for principle there is nothing not eating as a fight for principle there is nothing more ediscust than personalities? Dissembantment and distillusion bere may indeed be. Hopes may be defeated, promise may be unfulfilled, and time and experience may according somether, however reluctantly, a revision of personal essimates. Yet at such moments—list not right to ask "How will all this business appear thirty years hence?"—and the answer will neadly be, "it will not appear at all." Or, to put the matter a little of ferently. "Securus judications to the grant of the matter a little of defently. "Securus judications to the grant of the matter a little of defently." "Securus judications to the grant of the matter a little of defently. "Securus judications to the grant of the grant and despressed in the some things whose enchantment could never be

Happily, Lord Hewart added, there were in life Happliy, Lord Hewart added, there were in life some things whose enchaniment could never be destorted or dimini-hed. It had been said that industry was abandoning the North of England for the Scotth hat the evidence was not conspicuously manifest. The grass was not yet growing in Minchester streets, nor had the ardour of rounicipal reformers driven smeke from its sky. If it were true that industry were moving south, some of them would welcome it, because they would then see more of their old Manchester friends who would enryly undoubsely be in van of industrial progress whether it were at Jhon of Great's or at Land's End.

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of industrial progress wanter, or an advantage of Great's or at Lond's End.

"But we should regest it still more." Lord Hewart concluded. "For a man's devation to a place is not only to the friends ha meets there but also to the very soil. Those who have ded the good fortune to be born on the last of the Ponnines overlocking Manchaeter on the north know very stick and stone of the countryside. Wherever their lot may be oset, here is their mother city, bere is their tree mittenpolis. (Cherne, For what is really 'provincial' they may look, not in win, also where. Manchaster, which is neither an overwown colony nor a collection of toroughs but a elsewhere. Manchester, wande is assumed a grown colony nor a collection of toroughs but a two city, shands for defloits ideas in a remark able and probably origine way and of those idea this boilding—this very room—is the abriles. (Lond and prolonged cheers)

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Order Nisi.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MANNAB.

Testamentary Jurisdiction No. 339.

In the Matter of the Estate of Alla-pichal Mohamado Abdulosder late of Erokkilampiddy Deceased.

Allaplobal Mohaisdeen Abdulcader of Erok-kilamplddy Petitioner.

1. Mobamado Sulsibaumma wife of Nooru-

monamado
2. Monamadoveevee wife of Seguthamby
3. Ailapitasi Mohamado Caseem
4. Aysaumma daughter of Mohamado Abdulcader

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 Mobamado Mariam daughter of Mohamado Abdulcader, all of Erukkitampiddy

Respondente.

Respondents.

This matter of the Petition of Allaplehai Mchaia-deen Abdulcader of Erokkilampiddy praying for Letters of Administration to the satate of the abovenamed deceased Allaplehai Mohamado Abdulcader coming on for disposed before P. O. Ferrando E-quire, Addl. District Judge, on Dacomber 2, 1927, but the presence of Mr. S. Mudlr. Ananthom, Proctor, on the part of the Petitioner and the addition of the Petitioner and the addition of the Petitioner dated December 2, 1927, having been read, it is declared that the Petitioner is one of the heirs of the said intestate and is outsided to have Letters of Administration to the estate of the said intestate issued to him unless the Respondents or any other porson shall, on or before January 5, 1928, show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of this Court to the contrary.

It is further declared that the 3rd Respondent

Lours to the contrary.

It is further declared that the 3rd Respondent be appointed Goardian ad litem of the 4th and 5th Respondents to the purpose of representing anem in these proceedings unless the Respondent abovenamed shall on or before the said date show sefficient cause to the satisfaction of this Court to the contrary.

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P. O. Fernando, Addi. District Judge. December 2, 1927, O, 1886.

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