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WILMINGTON POST ADVERTISING RATES.

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E. KENNEDY, Business Manager.

There is an attempt on the part of [illegible] parties in New York to [illegible] Chester Arthur.

The main building of the Western Female College at Murfreesboro was [illegible] on the 4th inst. Loss [illegible]. Insured for [illegible].

[illegible] English, the first President of the Union Pacific Railroad, died in New York city on the 6th inst. He was [illegible] Vice President [illegible] Lincoln.

Fred Douglass, marshal of the District of Columbia, has resigned his office, and will [illegible] Mr. Douglass, [illegible] of the Freedmen's Bank, [illegible] Washington.

THE RUSSO-TURKISH WAR.

Since our last issue the Russians have experienced a very severe reverse on the northern side of the Balkans. They had established their lines from Sistova to Tirnova, and thence through the Balkans, and General Gourko, the commander of the southern forces was pressing towards Adrianople. Meantime Osman Pasha, having been released by the suspension of Russian operations around Nikopolis proceeded, by way of Plevna, to menace the Russian line, and Tirnova its strongest post. The Russians attacked Plevna where Osman Pasha was fortified, and after two days fighting were repulsed with great loss, and in an almost demoralized condition retired to a point near Selvi a short distance west of Tirnova.

While this was going on there was a Russian advance from Silistria into the Dobrudscha aiming at Shumla and Varna. But that failed also, and the troops detailed for that service are being brought around to the support of the main column.

Since Plevna Gen. Gourko has been posted at Kasanlik at the southern mouth of the Schipka Pass, with the [illegible] guns and material and driving across the mountains, so that the only pass which has all been under the control of the Russians is lost. Suleiman Pasha has joined the army on the south of the Danube, and fought the battle of Kasanlik.

These late events are even more serious to the Czar than the disasters in Armenia which had already occurred, where the Russians have been driven back from all the territory which they had occupied between the Black and the Caspian seas. The anticipations of a week or so are disappointed, and the invading armies have met with such reverses as may have crippled them more than we know. The present main line of advance to the Balkans will be [illegible] without nearly all the [illegible] for except that of Mukhtar Pasha in Asia. The whole Dobruchsha region to them as far as Silistria, as well as Varna and Shumla, while Osman Pasha presses from the west with his army flushed with the victory of Plevna. The Czar has, however ordered [illegible] and if the lines can be held till their arrival what is lost may be recovered. Bulgaria may be swept clear of the Turks and the Muscovite [illegible] from the shores of the Marmora.

LONDON, August 6.—The special [illegible] of the *New York Times*, writing from Sumnitza under date of July 30, on the eve of the great battle at Plevna, says: "The result must decide the fate of the present campaign. The European troops can no more be opposed to the Germans than the [illegible] was to the great King John of Abyssinia. The Turks strategically and tactically, every conception of the Russian Commander is faulty, and their execution is defective. An army of [illegible] crossed the Pruth, and there are 120,000 of their men, according to the Russian accounts, on Turkish ground, and with what result? This [illegible] army has moved along eccentric and divergent lines, where each step forward removed each fraction further from its base and from the possibility of mutual support. Another defeat will render the present positions untenable. With no organized commissariat, no money, and no General capable of commanding a brigade, I [illegible] that if 150,000 Russians reached the second line of the Turkish defense, not many of them would ever get back to the Danube. My predictions were founded on my knowledge of the army and of the quality of the Turkish soldiers."

LONDON, Aug. 6. An official dispatch published in St. Petersburg admits the loss of 4000 men at Plevna, including one Colonel killed and a Major General and two Colonels wounded. The dispatch also admits that Gen. Gourko has been obliged to retreat, to the Balkan Passes before the advance of Suleiman Pasha, who had driven the Bulgarian Militia out of Eski Saabra.

The Bucharest correspondent of the *Times* reports much sickness in the Russian Army of the Dobrudscha.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 6.—Reuter's Erzeroum telegram, dated August 6, announces that Russian reinforcements numbering [illegible],000 men have crossed the frontier and occupied a strong position to the north of Ani, thus threatening the right flank and centre of the Ottoman Army. The Russian centre is divided into three columns at Ani, Kodjevran, and Kurukdara respectively. It numbers in all 68 battalions of infantry, 16 batteries, and 8,500 cavalry. Ismail Pasha is about one hour's march west of Bayazid. Gen. Tergukassoff is on the frontier at Karadoulak with 18 battalions of infantry, seven batteries, and seven regiments of cavalry.

LONDON, Aug. 6.—The *Times* has the following, headed "from a correspondent dated Constantinople, August 6: "Count Zichy, the Austrian Ambassador had a confidential audience on Saturday with Kadria Bey, President of the Council of State. The latter is said to have intimated that the Porte, in spite of the late success, was firmly convinced that the war was really a misfortune for the whole world. If Russia only demanded autonomy for Bulgaria under Christian Governors, the Porte would agree to make peace."

The *Times'* Vienna correspondent, although quite agreeing that Turkey in present circumstances may talk of peace, utterly disbelieves that Russia will consent until she has gained some signal success.

Reuter's Constantinople dispatch says: "It is officially announced that it has been decided to form a camp of 50,000 men near the capital. In consequence of the recent appearance of the Russian steamer Constantine off Kilia, near the mouth of the Bosphorus, a corps of observation has been sent thither. Admiral Hornby, commanding the British fleet at Besika Bay, has visited the fortifications at Gallipoli.

The following persons have been appointed Notaries Public for the State of North Carolina: [illegible]

CITY ITEMS.

Don't fail to ride on the Street Cars, you will certainly save money by doing so.

Street Cars are doing better if we can judge by the looks of travel on them.

EXCURSIONS.—There have been several excursions during the past week. All well attended.

Dr. Sat. Iwell is happy over Burgaw, and Dr. Murphy is sojourning in South-washington.

Hon. George Z. [illegible] of New Hanover, [illegible] we were glad to see in the city yesterday.

S. G. Hall is still at his old stand, prepared to execute the handsomest job work that can be done in the south.

"The Bank of New Hanover" has declared another dividend of 1 per cent. for the past six months. This is the best Bank in the State.

A large number of colored Odd Fellows from Newbern, Goldsboro, and Charleston, were in the city on Wednesday and Thursday last.

Our townsman, Mr. Barr, has gone to Fayetteville with his splendid panorama painting, he will exhibit in that town to-night.

Evander Singletary, Superior Court Clerk of Bladen county, was in the city on Wednesday last, on his way to Raleigh. He was looking as well as usual.

Our colored firemen, under Captain Jas. Richardson of the Steam Fire Engine Cape Fear, paraded on Monday last. They made a handsome appearance.

Capt. Jno. Price has resigned the position of foreman of the Wilmington Steam Fire Engine Company, and Mr. W. F. Hargrave has been elected to fill the vacancy.

Dr. H. E. Scott, one of the newly appointed magistrates, has opened an office north of the railroad, on Fourth street, where he is prepared to administer pistol to anybody. "You pays your money and takes your choice."

There are about 20 Democrats who are willing to sacrifice themselves to accept the Rural Agency on the C. C. Railway, made vacant by the death of Col. James Sinclair. There are good Hayes Republicans who want them to camp at the place.

The result of the local election in Pender county argues well for the ability of Dr. Satchwell and Gen. W. W. Price, Jr., who seem to have been the active friends of the movement at Burgaw. The business men of Wilmington should lend a hearty cooperation to the building up of the county town, the city on the road.

Messrs. C. D. Myers & Jno. L. Boatwright, who have been doing business under the name of C. D. Myers & Co., have dissolved. Capt. Jno. L. Boatwright having purchased Capt. C. D. Myers interest in the firm will continue the business at the old stand on Front street. We wish Capt. B. every success in his business that his great energy, qualifications and popularity deserves. Capt. Myers also has our best wishes.

BUILDING.—There is considerable activity among the mechanics of our city, owing to the fact that there are a great many houses going up. Mr. Richard Fitzgerald is constructing a very nice single story dwelling on Church street near Eighth. Mr. Alderman is having a small, but neat, four room house erected on Fourth street near Red Cross. And three new buildings are up on Seventh street, in all some 10 or 12 buildings are now being constructed in this city.

CRIMINAL COURT.—The third session of the Criminal Court convened in this city, on Monday last, his Honor Judge Meares presiding, Colonel E. R. Moore, solicitor, Clayton Giles foreman, of the grand jury. Gen. S. H. Manning, sheriff, Capt. John Dunham, clerk, all good and reliable officers. Gen. S. H. Manning is the very best sheriff New Hanover has ever had. No one can complain of his conduct as an officer—he gives general satisfaction to the whole people.

SIXTH STREET BRIDGE. We congratulate ex-Alderman Holmes on the completion of the bridge on Sixth street, across the W. & W. R. R. Alderman Holmes is certainly entitled to the credit, and the citizens, we have no doubt, appreciate the vast amount of perseverance and energy the ex-Alderman exhibited in their behalf. He worked hard and finally prevailed on the old Board to order the construction of the bridge, and the new Board showed their good judgment by having the work continued to completion.

HOUSES for rent or sale. Apply to W. P. CANADAY.

Vegetables are plentiful in the market.

Watermellons are cheap in the market.

Hogs are good scavengers for the summer months.

Cotton is all drowned in these parts from the heavy rains.

Boats will be in demand in a few days, instead of horses.

Mr. James Heaton was declared not guilty by the jury, on Monday last, on the charge of extortion.

We understand that the grand jury are inditing the liquor dealers for selling drinks on Sunday.

Burgaw has been made the county seat of Pender county. At the election last Thursday Burgaw was chosen by a majority of 243 votes.

It is a good time for Hayes Democrats. But where, oh where, will they be next year at the election? "Gone where the wood-bine twineth."

Col. I. J. Young has been retained as Collector for the Fourth North Carolina Revenue District. Notwithstanding his enemies made a hard fight, Ike outgeneraled them, and is good for two other administrations. Ike is a good officer and deserves his place, and the Commissioner of Internal Revenue will do his duty by the government if he retains him—there is no doubt but that he will do so.

SHAKESPEARE.—The great task of presenting to all readers of the New York Family Story Paper an illustrated volume of Shakespeare's Works in weekly parts, will be completed on or about the first of September. Readers who subscribe now for the Family Story Paper, can obtain this magnificent volume complete, by ordering back numbers from No. 167 to date, from any newsdealer in the United States. Send to Norman L. Munn & Co., 74 Beekman street, New York.

Raleigh is decidedly the dullest place in North Carolina. We were there last week, and from the appearance of the streets the grass and weeds will take charge of that city before many days. The Editor of the *Register*, Mr. J. C. L. Harriss, Dr. Blacknall of the Yarborough House, Judge Tourgee and three members of the Supreme Court, the omnibus and two dogs were all that was left of that city. Three drummers went up on the same train with us and slept the whole time while in that city, owing to the fact that there was no one there who had money enough to buy goods. But, joking aside, it is the most lonely, wobegone looking place at this time that we ever saw. Take the courts, the Legislature and the different public State institutions from Raleigh and there would not be 500 inhabitants left in that city in five years. It was started and is now supported entirely on the public pap of the State. Take that away and it would wither and die.

Col. James Sinclair, for many years a Route Agent on C. C. Railway, died on Sunday night last at his residence in Monroe, North Carolina, of liver complaint. Col. Sinclair was, previous to the late war, a Presbyterian Minister, and was one of those who quit the ministry for the war. He served as a Colonel of North Carolina troops during the war, and at its close he joined the Union Republican party and has acted with that party up to his death. In 1868 he was elected a member of the Legislature from Robeson county; in 1869 he was appointed Assessor of Internal Revenue for the Third District and resigned in 1870. In 1872 he was appointed Route Agent on the C. C. R. R., in which position he continued up to his death. Col. Sinclair was an affectionate husband, a kind and devoted father, and a true friend and neighbor. He leaves a wife and several children, and a great many true friends to mourn his loss. "Peace to his ashes."

GEORGE MYERS.—This gentleman knows precisely how to treat his customers to please them. When he sees a fellow come in with a white neck tie on, he immediately invites him around to inspect his extraordinary fine flour, butter, good coffee, tea, &c., when a young man enters, one of the young Myers', who is all politeness, meets him and the aforesaid young Myers Cliff invites the aforesaid young man to walk back and try a lemonade, dashed, or with a stick in it. When a man with a red nose calls old daddy Myers takes charge of him, and the best brands of he is a city gentleman is trotted out, if a countryman then the very strongest and best corn whiskey. If a lady calls in for shopping purposes, in the grocery line, then Cornelius or Joseph, Esquires, step forward and do the handsome, by waiting on them and exhibiting choice and fancy groceries to them. In fact, this establishment is the most complete in groceries, liquors, segars, as well as candies and fruits, &c., that there is in this State. Mr. George Myers, Esq., or Colonel, knows how to please, by having clerks to suit all classes of customers.

Anniversary Celebration of Free Love Lodge No. 1469, Grand United Order of Odd Fellows.

At 2:30 p. m. on Wednesday last the members of Free Love Lodge, formed in front of their Lodge room on Dock street, near Front, and from thence under command of Chief Marshal Wright, to Golden Lyre Lodge and Emanuel Lodge of Charleston, S. C., and representatives from Lodge in Newbern, Charlotte, Goldsboro and Flemington, the grand, imposing pageant was formed, headed by a brass band.—The procession marched through the principal streets to St. Stephen's church, where a vast audience was assembled to witness the ceremonies.

The assembly was called to order by P. N. F. Jno. W. Moore, presiding; Chaplain Dixon addressed the Throne of Grace, after which the choir sang a selection.

After the address of welcome, by the presiding officer, G. W. Price, Jr., was introduced and delivered the anniversary address.

Embracing a Brief Sketch of the Rise and Progress of the Grand United Order of Odd Fellows.

From the earliest period of man's existence, when in obedience to Heaven's command, the sons of God and the daughters of men, began to increase and multiply upon the face of the earth, it has ever been deemed highly proper and eminently necessary for the better regulation of society, and for the cultivation of those strong ties which bind the human heart together, That men should associate themselves together in societies or organizations for mutual protection, mutual benefits, mutual enjoyment and for a common good.

In the beginning it pleased the great Creator in his all-wise Providence to make man a dependent being, had it been otherwise, man's life would have been one long dark, dreary, dismal night, of selfish, unsocial, isolated existence, with no golden ray of Heavenly light to brighten his pathway, and cheer his flagging spirit while journeying through this wilderness of sin and confusion. Hence, we find that orders or societies for mutual protection, mutual enjoyments and mutual benefits existing and flourishing among the date of whose origin are hid deep beneath the slow gathering layers of the dust of centuries, and whose mystic rites, modes of recognition, ceremonies, grips, pass-words and symbols peculiar within themselves, have been handed down by tradition from time to time and from age to age. Each succeeding generation transmitting to their posterity unimpaired, those sacred mystic rites as they guard with zealous care their secrets and ancient mystic rites. And each succeeding generation adding new reverence to their rites as time adds veneration to their institutions, and like the argonnautic expedition which sailed from Greece to Colchis seeking the recovery of the mythological golden fleece. So has these charitable and benevolent institutions been continuously seeking the recovery of that golden fleece which will eventually unite man to man in those strong links of fraternal fellowship which will render man happy, and hasten the happy time when the spirit of Friendship, Love and Truth shall so impress and sway the impulses of the human heart as to inculcate the true and sublime idea of the Brotherhood of man and the Fatherhood of God. Among the most prominent benevolent orders of to-day whose organizations are of ancient origin, stands forth one in bold relief, which for the development of kindly love and fraternal affection, for the inculcation of moral virtues and for mutual benefits and protection, is second to no institution beneath the broad canopy of Heaven, that institution is known as the grand united order of Odd Fellows, and while with the hasty consideration of our sister Lodges we are to-day celebrating the anniversary of Free Love Lodge, whose number is 1469. We realize with profound gratitude the meliorative good which has been wrought in this community since its organization, and as we contemplate with pride the magnificent and the immense magnitude of our organization in a general sense, whose standard is planted upon every shore where the civilization of man will ratify its establishment, where fraternal fires burn upon a million altars and the name of whose members are legion. Established upon the eternal basis of Justice with Friendship as our motto, Love as our sheet anchor and Truth as the guiding star of our destiny. The grand United order of Odd Fellows, with its humanizing, civilizing, fraternizing, and its christianizing influences, with the strong arm of friendship, the motive power of love and the irresistible force of truth, is destined eventually to cover the earth with her mantle of benevolence and charity, as the waters cover the mighty deep. Imagery is one of the prominent characteristics of our order, yet it is not, and indeed cannot be fully appreciated by the uninitiated. But when the scales are removed from his eyes and the hidden mysteries of our institution revealed unto him when his tongue is made to speak a new language, his ear to hear new and unfamiliar sounds, his eyes to behold strange and numerous sights, his feet to tread new paths and his mind to comprehend the grandeur and beauties of our order and the benevolent and charitable spirit of our institution. He soon learns that it is as extensive in its boundries as it is unselfish in its conduct and operation, and that its principles are as high as Heaven, as deep as the sea and stronger by far than the bands of death.

Brethren we are engaged in a noble work, but there is much for us to do, having, as a race, been shut up in the dark dismal prison house of bondage for 430 years, with no ray of light to dawn upon our benighted minds. The statue of Memnon in Africa is said to emit a vocal sound when touched by the rays of the sun, but to-day the cause of God's oppressed people are being proclaimed from shore to shore, and every hieroglyphics, every monument, as well as the platform of the Lyceum, the political arena, the historic pen as well as the pulpit of God's Holy Sanctuary are proclaiming in thunder tones that the promised land of a higher destiny are held in reserve for the oppressed people of God. Of course in such a condition of slavery we could not enjoy the privilege of freemen. I say, 430 years of bondage, and I speak advisedly, for it is a remarkable fact and singular coincidence, that from the time the first African slave was offered at public sale in Portugal, to the adoption of the 14th and 15th amendments to the Constitution of the United States, which virtually put an end to African slavery, both in Europe and America corresponds precisely with the bondage of God's chosen people in Egypt, being 430 years of bondage in each. Now, we are told that the children of Israel wandered for forty years in the wilderness ere they were permitted to reach the Promised Land, and we are further informed that Moses, in obedience to the command of Heaven, acting as Supreme Grand Councellor, did organize the Children of Israel into lodges, camps, chapters and members, and unto the several lodges Moses gave wise insturctions, is the language of the Book.

We are in the wilderness, to-day, brethren, 4,000,000 of our race recently released from bondage are marching with steady tread through the wilderness of superstition, ignorance and degradation, onward and upward with measured tread to the promised land of higher and nobler Christian civilization.—And although there is no visible physical Moses leading us through this wilderness, yet impelled onward by the inspiration of the spirit of Him "who spake," and the shackles from 4,000,000 people fell in broken and shattered fragments to the earth, at the feet of the former slave and chattle, and 4,000,000 human beings, created in the moral image of God, stamped with the seal of humanity and bearing the impress of divinity, sprang forth in the character of freemen. Inspired by that spirit let us go forward in our work of benevolene and charity until the three golden links of brotherhood shall be impressed upon every worthy heart, and the standard of the Grand United Order of Odd Fellows shall be planted upon every shore, among every people, every nation, every tongue and every tribe. Then shall the bright era come, and from the dim gray dawn of the eastern horizon whence the monarch of day breaks through and dispels the gloomy clouds of darkness to where he sinks to rest and hides his golden head behind the curtain of the western hills, and from the rock-ribbed boundaries of Greenland's icey mountains, whose apex are clothed with perpetual snow and ice, down beneath the sunny skies and warm breath of the equator where the darkeyed daughters of the south bathe their tiny feet in the tepid waters of the gulf, and the balmy breeze is wafted almost into zephyr's sighs, the tri-linked banner shall be planted, and Friendship, Love and Truth shall breathe through the spirit of the conduct of all men. Then indeed and intruth shall we all be hearty Odd Fellows.

At the conclusion of Mr. Price's address the orator from Emanuel Lodge, of Charleston, was introduced and delivered an able exposition on the rise and progress of the Order. At the conclusion of his address the Lodges formed and marched back to their quarters.

In the evening a grand levee was held at St. Maria's Hall, where visiters and the Fraternity generally passed the time in pleasant social enjoyment. All passed off pleasantly.

The procession was the most imposing one ever witnessed in this city, of its character.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.—The Board of County Commissioners met on Monday afternoon, at 5 o'clock, in regular monthly session, present, J. G. Wagner, Chairman, and Commissioners I. B. Grainger, B. G. Worth, D. S. Sanders and Duncan Holmes.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

On motion, it was ordered by the Board that the county tax-levy made by the Board on the 2nd day of July, 1877, and recorded on the Minutes Book of the Board on pages 566 and 567, be amended as follows. Strike out all the poll taxes levied, and instead thereof insert the following words, "A tax of One Dollar and Eleven Cents on each taxable poll," and that the following clause be also added. "A tax of eight and one half cents on the hundred dollars worth of property and twenty five cents on the poll for support of Common Schools, levied by act of General Assembly, entitled, "An act to consolidate the Public School Laws," ratified the 9th day of March, 1877.

It was ordered that the property recently purchased of W. F. Potter be assessed at $2,000.

The following resolutions was passed:

Resolved, That during the next ninety days all parties owing past due county taxes have liberty to pay the same without any costs or other charges.

The following persons were granted

It was ordered that a committee be appointed to look into the matter of unregistered papers in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court, upon which, it is alleged, the fees have been paid to Mr. James Heaton (the former Clerk), and report the result of their investigation to the Board at some future meeting.

Whereupon the Chairman and Commissioners I. B. Grainger and B. G. Worth were appointed said committee.

It was ordered that the Chairman of the Board be authorized, with the assistance of the County Attorney, to farm out all convicts in accordance with section 1 chapter 196, Public Acts of 1876-'77, and to make report of the same to the Board at every regular monthly meeting.

On motion, the Board then took a recess.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN—REGULAR SESSION.—The Board met at the City Hall, Tuesday afternoon, at 4:15 o'clock, in regular session, Alderman H. G. Flanner, Mayor *pro tem*, in the Chair.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Alderman Myers offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

WHEREAS, It is reported to the Board that certain books, papers and records belonging to the city are still in possession of the late Clerk; therefore,

Resolved, That the present Clerk and Treasurer be authorized to demand and take possession of all books and property of the city in his keeping.

Alderman Hill moved that the matter relating to the salary of G. W. W. Davis be referred to the Finance committee. Carried.

Alderman Foster moved that no interest be allowed upon coupons when received and paid by the City Treasurer.

A substitute was offered by Alderman Hill, to the effect that the matter be referred to the Finance committee, which was carried.

Alderman Foster offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That his Honor, the Mayor, may appoint special police without pay, and furnish badges to the same, all appointments to be made upon satisfactory recommendation as to character and necessity of said appointee.

Alderman Vonglahn offered as a substitute, that the matter be referred to the committee on Police. Carried.

Several applications for appointments on the detective force were laid over until the next meeting.

The special committee appointed by the Mayor to take into consideration the extension of the wharf in accordance with the request of the Compress and Railroad Companies, reported favorably, provided the Compress and Railroad Companies waive all claims for damages by reason thereof to be opened.

The entire matter was referred to committee on Streets and Wharves for final action.

The committee on Market and Ferry, through Alderman Hill, reported progress in the matter respecting forestalling the market, and asked for further time, which was granted.

No further business appearing the Board adjourned.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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OFFERING.

MOLASSES AND SYRUP.

COFFEE, HAY, CORN.

COTTON TIES, BAGGING.

PETTEWAY & SCHULKEN.

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CIRCUIT COURT—9TH CIR. [illegible]

a UNITED STATES [illegible] ANNEX, Eastern District of North Carolina [illegible]

Harvey Terry [illegible] creditors of the Bank of Harrendon against John D. W[illegible] and [illegible] Stockholders of said Bank [illegible] Carrandon.

In pursuance of a decree made in the above entitled suit at June term, 1877, I hereby give notice to the creditors and to holders of the Bank of Carrendon to present and make proof of their claims before me at my office in the city of Raleigh, on or before MONDAY, the 15th day of OCTOBER, 1877. No proofs will be received after that day. GEO. M. [illegible], Clerk and Commissioner.

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