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LONDON, CANADA, WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 4, 1899.

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THE ADVERTISER, London, Ont.

Births, Marriages, Deaths

Notices of Eirths, Marriages and Deaths which are inserted in The Daily Advertiser also appear in The Western Advertiser. Births 25c, Marriages and Deaths 50c.

MARRIED.

GRAY-SMITH-On Jan. 2, 1899, by the Rev. Robt. Johnston, at 780 Elias street, the residence of Mr. Arthurs, brother-in-law of the bride, David Gray, youngest son of the late Sergeant-Major Gray, R. C. R., to Annie,

youngest daughter of Wm. Smith, Esq. PRICE-MANLEY-On Dec. 31, 1898, at St. John the Evangelist Church, by the Rev. W.T. Hill, Ernest H. Price to Ada G. Manley, both of this city.

WILSON-On Jan. 3, Ewart Norman, only and beloved child of J. Fred and Ada Wilson, aged 9 months and 10 days. Funeral private.

PRITCHETT-In this city, on Jan. 4, 1899, Edward Adams Pritchett, aged 18 years and 9 Funeral from his father's residence, 29 Byron avenue, on Friday, Jan. 6, at 3 p.m.; service at 2:30. Friends please accept this intimation.

HENDERSON-At Chatham, Ont., on Tues day, Jan. 3, 1899, Alexander J. G. Henderson,

formerly of this city. Funeral from the G. T. R. Station here, on Thursday, Jan. 5, 1899, on arrival of 4:30 p.m.

HAWTHORNE-In this city, on Jan. 4, 1899 Joseph Hawthorne, late of Kettering, North amptonshire, England, aged 74 years and 10

Funeral will take place on Friday, from his late residence, 602 Oxford street, at 3 p.m. Services at 2:30 p.m.

Amusements and Lectures

GRAND PERA MATINEE TODAY AND TONIGHT

"The Darktown Swells."

Popular prices, Matinee—15c, 25c. Night-15c, 25c, 35c, 50c. Seats now on sale. 32u Grand Opera House,

THE GIRL FROM CHIL

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A wholesome story, amusingly told, in a series of screamingly antical situations. Wit sparkling in every line. Presented by a company of supreme merit. Prices, 25c, 50c, 75c.

33c BELVIDERE CARNIVAL (EX-METEORS), Jan. 6, Jubilee Rink. Nine valuable

JUBILEE RINK—HOCKEY MATCH IS postponed until the 11th of January. Skating as usual tonight.

A UDITORIUM — POPULAR CONCERT Course, Thursday, Jan. 5, Col. Copeland, Seeing the Elephant." Plan now open. 32u A LLAN LINE-NEW FOLDERS OUT IN

A LIAN LINE—NEW FOLDERS OUT IN a few days, giving sailings for entire wint reason. Parisian sails from St. John, Jan. 7. Halifax, Jan. 9. Palatial new steamship Castillian, largest ship on the Canadian route, will sail in February. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser. VOICE CULTURE EVA N. ROBLYN.

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PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING— Rapid teaching; low rates. All who de-sire a thorough knowledge of the art of dancing should avail themselves of this opportunity. Lessons any hour. R. B Millard, teacher of dancing, 346 Princess avenue.

Meetings.

THE EAST MIDDLESEX FARMERS'
Institute will meet at Ilderton, on Friday,
Jan. 13, and at Lambeth, on Saturday, Jan. 14,
1899, afternoon and evening sessions. Addresses 1899, afternoon and evening sessions. Addresses will be given by Messrs. Simpson Rennie, Milliken Postoffice; Duncan C. Anderson, Rugby Postoffice, and other local speakers, All are welcome. A. M. Munro, Sec. 33c xty

1. O. O. F.—DOMINION LODGE, NO. 48, meets every Wednesday evening. Visitors always welcome. Geo. E. Logan, N.G.; Thos. D. Hastings, R.S.

A REGULAR MEETING OF ST. GEORGE'S 42, A., F. and A. M., G. R. C., will be held this Wednesday, the 4th inst., 7:30 p.m., in the blue room. Conferring degrees. Visitors welcome. M. W. Althouse, Wor. Master; A. Ellis, P. M., Secretary.

MEETING OF WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN Association, at the "Y" rooms, Dundas treet, on Thursday, 5th inst., at 3 p.m. b

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WANTED-BUTCHER, GOOD STEADY man; continual employment. E. Bourne & Son, 423 Hamilton road. 32e&wb YOUNG MEN, OUR ILLUSTRATED CATALOGUE explains how we teach the barber trade in eight weeks and pay commission
from start, also guarantee positions at \$15
weekly when competent. We furnish transportation to our colleges at Chicago or Cincinnati, where we have splendid facilities, positions for 300. Write for catalogue. Moler
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A GENTS WANTED-WE WANT LIVE agents everywhere. No trouble selling our high-grade nursery stock and seed potatoes. Write us before engaging elsewhere. It will pay you. Blackford & Co., Nurserymen, Toronto.

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STRAYED-ONTO THE PREMISES OF Richard Whetter, Westminster, aged bay mare. Owner can have same by paying ex-

LOST - TUESDAY EVENING, MINK ruff, between Theresa street and 77 Askin street. Please return to Advertiser. Lost-on Monday Afternoon, A gold brooch with black enamel with pear on St. James street, Hellmuth avenue or cadilly street. Finder rewarded by returning to this office.

LOST-BLACK ROBE, SUNDAY NIGHT-Finder rewarded at 19 York street. 26if

Real Estate.

FOR SALE—HOUSE AND LOT NO. 11
Victor street, cheap, \$700. Apply on
premises. premises,

Articles For Sale.

MINING STOCK—
500 Deer Park at 20%c.
5,000 Cracker Jack, make offer.
1,000 Minnehaha, call.
J. F. SANGSTER,
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403 Richmond street.

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FIRST-CLASS WOOD-HARD AND SOFT-I stove lengths or cordwood. Prompt de-livery to any part of the city. Prices reason-able. Phone 1,312. S. Gilles & Son, Sawmill,

DIAMONDS REMOUNTED AND OLD jewelry made up-to-date at small expense.

J. T. Westland, 340 Richmond street, up stairs. FOR SALE-PO KET KNIVES, DOOR Keys. Sewing machines repaired at low-est prices. D. McKenzie & Co., 374 Richmond

ELECTRIC BELLS KEPTIN PERMANENT repair, only 50c per year. R. M. Millar, 434 Talbot street. PORK SAUSAGE AND BOLOGNA, FOUR pounds 25c; smoked ham and bacon, 10c; pickled bacon, 9c; shoulders, 6c; long clears, 8c, at Park's, corner Market Lane.

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HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR GENTLE MEN'S cast-off clothing. A. P. Sains bury, 90 King street. Mail orders attended to

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WANTED-NURSE GIRL, FROM 9 a.m. to 7 p.m., to take charge of one child. Apply 800 Princess avenue. WANTED-GOOD COOK-GOOD WAGES to competent girl. Apply Mrs. Regan, 294 Central avenue, 32c

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Religious Services

WEEK OF PRAYER — TONIGHT—SER-vice in every church. Preachers ex-change as follows: Revs. R. Johnston and Pedley, Revs. Dr. Smith and W. J. Clark, Revs. J. Smith and A. J. MacGillivray, Revs. C. Boone and G. Jackson, Rev. Dr. Saunders and T. Wilson, Revs. T. S. Johnson and Mr. Sin-clair, Revs. J. Fallis and W. H. Claris, Revs. W. Moffat and Joseph Edge, Revs. Walker, Hobbs and Stuart. Subject, "The Nations."

Educational.

ONDON BUSINESS UNIVERSITY REOPENS on Tuesday, Jan. 3, and evening classes will be resumed on Wednesday, Jan. 4.
Large additions are assured in both the regular commercial and shorthand and typewriting departments. Charges are very moderate and instruction very thorough and practical. For information call at the College, Higgins' Block. 210 Dundas street, or address W. N. Yerex, B.C., principal.

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LIMITED. will be opened for pupils Jan. 4, 1899. Kindergarten branch was started Dec. 7, at room in Conservatory of Music building, Dundas street For calendars and other information apply to

Mrs. J. E. Wells, 661 Talbot street, London.

A BIG BLAZE

Many of the Business Houses in Rain -Loss \$15,000 to \$20,000-Barns in Springfield Burned.

West Lorne, Jan. 4.-Fire broke out about 4 a.m. yesterday in a barber shop and consumed a large portion of the business houses on the west side of Main street. P. Sinclair's millinery shop, Skinner Bros.' drygoods store, E. R. Mogg's store, Keifer's bakery and dwelling, Baldwin's barber shop, Zimmerla's barber shop, and miss A. Gillies' dressmaking shop were totally

destroyed. The Elgin Hotel, Argyll House, Mack's furniture room, and Westcott's hardware stores were damaged by fire and water. For a time the whole village seemed doomed to destruction. The heaviest losers were: E. R. Mogg, on store \$3,000, stock, \$1,800; Skinner Bros., on building and stock, \$6,000; Mrs. Sinclair, millinery, \$300; J. Keifer, bakery, \$700; W. Mack, stock, \$700. Messrs. Baldwin and Zimmerla also lost considerable. Mogg and Skinner had their loss partially covered by insurance.

The heat was so intense that the large front windows of Hales' butcher shop were broken by it, and only the splendid efforts of the bucket brigade kept the fire from crossing the street and sweeping the other busi-ness portions of the town.

Springfield, Jan. 4.—Sunday night, about 6 o'clock, the outbuildings of James Johnson, con. 9, consisting of two large barns, connected by an extensive shed, were entirely consumed by fire. Mr. Johnson and wife were at Aylmer, and the children were doing the chores. In getting down from the loft one of the little ones threw the lantern from a beam and it exploded, setting fire to the place. The stock was released, but all the implements and fodder burned. Mr. Johnson's father, a man over 80 years of age, in attempting to go through the pig-pen was overcome by the heat and and next summer we would have had a seriously burned. Much sympathy is expressed for Mr. Johnson who had re-cently rebuilt and had not yet insured.

COX'S CLOSE CALL

His Skates Melted by Electricity and He Was Shocked.

Hamilton, Times, Jan. 3.-Mr. Jas. Cox, letter carrier, had a close call on a trolley car on James street north yesterday afternoon, while returning from the bay, where he had been skat-He was standing on the rear ing. platform, and his skates got behind the covering of the controller box, which must have been loose. Suddenly he felt as if a thousand needles were in his hand, he says, and in an instant his skates were melted away and the car was stopped. On looking at his hand he saw the metal eyelets of his glove had been melted and his wrist slightly burned. He soon got over the shock.

The fuse in the car was burned out and the traffic was delayed for a time. Mr. Cox thinks the glove he wore

Koladermic Skin Food, a pleasant toilet preparation.

The Plan for Great Liberal Rally. Save

Premier Laurier Makes Important Statements at Montreal.

servative ideas in the broadest sense of

the word, and I believe that we should

not suppress, but reform, the senate.

The reason i think the senate should be

reformed is that it is an irresponsible

body, and an irresponsible body under

our constitution is a complete anomaly.

In England there is no irresponsible

body. The sovereign is not irresponsible. The House of Lords is not irre-stonsible. The House of Commons is

not irresponsible. The power of the so-

vereign is limited, because the flouse of

Commons has the right to refuse supplies. Frequently in history the House of Commons has refused grants of mo-

ney in order to bring the sovereign to respect the popular will. The power of

the House of Commons is limited by

the people. If it is disposed to act ar-

bitrarily or to override popular rights the sovereign can dismiss it. The

House of Lords is not absolute, because

the sovereign has always the right to increase the number of its members. In 1832, when the great reform bill

was passed and rotten boroughs were

the bill when it was first sent to them.

On its being presented the second time,

they were about to repeat their action,

when they learned that the sovereign

THE SENATE'S POSITION.

But what the House of Lords could

not do, the Senate of Canada has done.

The Senate of Canada, as constituted,

can ignore all the bodies in the state,

and cannot be obliged to submit to the

popular will except by compulsion, and

we want no revolution in this country.

Our only course, then, is to reform the

senate by limiting its powers and sub-

jecting it to some control. Now, what will this control be? It is a question

of the greatest delicacy and difficulty.

Shall we make the senate elective? 1

am not in favor of that system. We

have but one electoral body in this

country, and it is represented by the

House of Commons. An elective sen-

ate would simply mean the doubling of the power of the electoral body. The

reform we could make will leave the senators the same in number as they

are today, namely, 82, and the mode

of appointment the same. The reform

we propose is this: When there is a

the reform that we have to propose to the people of Canada. When that

nobody in the state that shall be above

times mistaken, but when an appeal

is made to the common sense, the sen-

timent of justice and of equity of the

people at large, I have confidence that

justice, equity and common sense will

NEGOTIATIONS AT WASHINGTON.

It is my intention to leave commer-

cial matters largely to be dealt with

by other speakers, but you desire, no

doubt, to hear a word about the ne-

gotiations at Washington. On that

point I cannot give you much informa-

tion, but let me tell you one thing:

For long our relations with the United

States have not been such as they

ought to have been. I am a patriot, I

hope; I love my country; but I have

never believed that to be a patriot, to

love one's country, one should hate

other countries. I love my country, but

I do not conceal the fact that I have

an ardent admiration for our neigh-

bors. I believe the American people one

of the great, one of the greatest na-

tions of the earth, and I do not see why

between two such peoples there should

not be enough cordial understanding

to enable them to act fairly by each

other. We have gone to Washington

selves and our neighbors. We shall

try, as the English say, by giving and

taking. Treaties cannot be made with-

out mutual concessions, but I believe

when I shall return, whatever I have

obtained, I shall have sacrificed noth-

ing of the dignity of our country. (Loud cheers.) I have but one word

to add, and let me address it to the

young people of the Club National.

The interests they have to defend are

so great, so vast, so lofty, that they

should never descend to the petty

quarrels by which the politics of our country can be brought into disgrace.

Let their hearts be above all consider-

ations of persons. Let them be too

patriotic to think to search out the de-

fects of this one or that one with the

aid of the microscope. Let them get

to work and let their sole thought be

the development, the future and the prosperity of our common country.

MR. FIELDING'S ANNOUNCEMENT.

Hon. W. S. Fielding, minister of fi-

nance, announced that the accounts for

the year had just been closed, and he

was glad to say the surplus was even

larger than expected. (Cheers.) The

revenue for the fiscal year ending June

would be \$1,722,712 33. (Cheers). This

was the first time in Canada's history

that the revenue exceeded \$40,000,000. "I am glad to say that in the six

months of the present year we are

better off as between revenue and ex-

penditure—(cheers)—than last year by \$2,856,000." (Cheers.) Mr. Fielding fur-

ther pointed out that the surplus was brought about by expansion of trade,

MR. MARCHAND.

Hon. F. G. Marchand congratulated

the Federal Government on its good showing, and wished Sir Wilfrid Lau-

rier and his colleagues all success at

HON. J. I. TARTE.

Hon. J. Israel Tarte was loudly

and not by increasing taxation.

Washington.

was \$40,555,238 03; and the surplus

(Cheers.)

to settle the difficulties between our-

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prevail in the end.

in. (Cheers.)

A Plan for the Reform of the try my radical ideas have become modified. I do not say that I am a Bleu—(laughter)—but I have acquired con-Senate.

A Joint Vote in the Case of Conflict with the Commons.

Mr. Fielding Announces a Magnificent Surplus

For the Last Fiscal Year-Nearly \$2, 000,000 to the Good-The Revenues Expanding-Mr. Tarte Also Speaks.

Montreal, Jan. 4 .- A big and enthuslastic Liberal rally was field in the Monument National last night, It was organized by the Club Nationale to celebrate the Liberal victories in recent bye-elections, and resolved itself into a farewell demonstration towards Sir Wilfrid Laurier on the eve of his departure for Washington. The immense hall was crowded, and though the speaking was not over until 11:30 few left before that time. The chair was occupied by Mr. J. A. Druin, the pre-

sident of the club. A DISTINGUISHED GATHERING. Among those on the platform were: Sir Henri Johy, Hon. J. Israel Tarte, Premier Marchand, Hon. W. S. Fielding, Hon. Sidney Fisher, Hon. C. A. Geoffrion, Hon. Thos. Duffy, Mayor Prefontaine, Messrs. M. T. Stinson, E. Goff Penny, M.P., T. Fortin, M.P., Dr. Cotton, M.P.P., Hon. Mr. Peridan, R. Bickerdike, M.P.P., Hon. Horace Archambault, Chevalier Drolet, W. A. Weir, M.P.P., A. A. Bruneau, M.P., R. Lemieux, M.P., M. E. Bernier, M.P., and a large number of ladies. The entrance of Sir Wilfrid Laurier was the signal for a grand outburst of cheering, which several minutes.

Mr. E. Goff Penny, M.P., for this division, the first speaker, referred briefly to the efforts which Sir Wilfrid and his colleagues are making to extend our trade with the United States.

Mr. Marcil, the new M.P. for Bagot, was warmly applauded, but excused himself from speaking at length, on the ground that he had just made his debut in politics.

THE PREMIER.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier met with a perfect ovation on rising. He spoke of the seforms which his government had rried out during their two years of ince, instancing the settlement of the Manitoba school question, the inauguration of the preferential tariff, the reduction in postage, the extension of the Intercolonial, the attempt to capture the Yukon trade by the Stikine Railway scheme, etc. With regard to this last point, he showed that the government's effort had been blocked by the action of the senate. "There are other reforms still," he said, "but I want to come to those which we have not been able to complete. We tried to extend the Intercolonial to Montreal, and if there was ever a necessary measure demanded by the highest policy it was that. The idea that the Intercolonial should have a terminus in the open country had been remarked, even under the Conservative regime. I need not tell you men of business that nowadays, if a man does not go for business, business will not come to look for him. It was necessary under the circumstances that the Intercolonial Railway should come to Montreal. A bill for that purpose was introduced, and passed in the House of Commons. It was defeated in the senate. Last year we introduced a measure to build a road from Stikine to Teslin. Gentlemen, we have a rich and fertile country, but we did not know the extent of our riches and resources until recent years. We did not know that under the snows and the ice of the land of the midnight sun there were deposits of gold greater than those of Australia and California. Until the gold discoveries in the Yukon it had been imagined that gold was to be found in sunny countries only. It was indispensable to have a line of communication with the Klondike. We presented a measure, of which the wisdom must be apparent to every man who thinks; we proposed a measure by which to give us that railway, and that railway would not have cost a single cent to the Canadian taxpayer. Our policy was that the Yukon should pay for the Yukon. If our railway had been built last winter we should be in a position to have extended it, line of railway to the Yukon River, and controlled the whole commerce of

that country." REFORM OF THE SENATE.

But, thanks to the senseless action of the senate, you merchants of Montreal have lost the trade of the Yukon, which is now handled at Seattle and other United States ports on the Pacific coast. What shall we do with the senate? (A voice-Abolish it.) What has to be done with the senate is to reform it. (Cheers.) The time has come when we tmust occupy ourselves with that question of the reform of the senate. Gentlemen, I heard someone say that we should suppress the senate. It is not my opinion. I am not in favor of suppressing the senate. I am in favor o' a double legislature in a country like ours. If I was like my friend, Mr. Marchand, prime minister of the Pro-vince of Quebec, I should be, like him, in favor of the abolition of the legislative council, but there is a great difference between the Province of Quebec and the confederation of seven provinces, which forms the Dominion of Canada. In a country of different elements and interests like ours, where so many interests are at stake, where so many passions may come into conflict, I think a second chamber is a necessary safeguard. I am much less of a radical now than I was when I was much younger. Formerly I was for the abolition of the senate, but as I grow older and learn more of the counties. He vigorously defended himself from the attacks of the Mail

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and Empire and other Conservative papers, and pointed out how they were trying to rouse racial and religious prejudices against the leaders of the Liberal party. Referring to the Parry Sound route, he said that he was now negotiating with the Grand Trunk Railway for the improvement of the abolished, the House of Lords cast out line from Collingwood to Toronto, so as to bring by the St. Lawrence as much as possible of the traffic now

going to American ports.
Mr. M. E. Bernier, M.P., Hon. Sidhad decided to appoint a sufficient majority, and the House of Lords gave ney Fisher and others, also delivered stirring addresses, and the meeting broke up with hearty cheers for Sir

NEWS IN

A NUTSHELL

Detroit dealers have commenced to 'harvest" ice. The United States Congress resumes

its sitting today. St. Catharines voted Monday to abolish the ward system. Judge Doran, of the Nipissing dis-

trict, died at North Bay. Easterners in Vancouver have the very rare pleasure of sleighing at pres-

Rudyard Kipling, with his wife and family, will leave for America on Jan. 15. conflict between the senate and the popular house, then there should be Hanson Bros.' syndicate of Montreal has taken possession of the Havana a joint vote, and the majority should carry. (Cheers.) That, gentlemen, is street railway.

An Ontario Government crop bulle-tin places the tobacco yield of Essex county at 7,095,907 pounds. Rev. Dr. Milligan has been nominated

question has received sufficient attenwill see its wisdom and moderation. I moderator of the General by the Toronto presbytery. wish to govern this as a constitutional A new grain company has been organized in Manitoba, with headquarcountry, that all the bothes of the control state shall be subjected to the control ters in Winnipeg; capital, \$1,000,000. of the electorate; that there shall be

The insurance on the burned factory the law, and beyond the control of the popular will. The majority are someof the Toronto Rubber Manufacturing Company at Port Dalhousie was \$87,-Gen. Evans, of Atlanta, reports to the

war department that nearly 22,000 confederate dead are buried in Northern States. Toledo is raising a donation fund of \$5,000 for the new American university

to be established in Washington by Methodiats. A skip in the Jumper mine, James-

town, Cal., dropped 180 feet to the bot-tom of a shaft. Four unnamed miners were killed. Representative Dingley, of Maine, ill with pneumonia in Washington, is improving, and physicians say he has a

fighting chance of recovery.

increase of population in the Dauphin district, Manitoba, that another constituency will be created there. Ninety miners were imprisoned by a fire in a shaft of the Carlin Company's mine, Carlinville, Ill. All were released

It is possible, owing to the rapid

unharmed. Property loss, \$10,000. Capt. Ainslie, a well known captain on the Fraser River, is dead. He was about 74 years old, and went to New Westminster, B. C., about 41 years

The Allan and Dominion mail steamers will sail from St. John on Sun-Gays and from Halifax on Mondays, each week, during the winter months, commencing on Jan. 8. It is announced that Grant C. Gillett, absconding Kansas cattle plunger, has

effected a compromise with his oreditors, who will accept \$50,000 and let him return from Mexico without fear of ar-Unless miners and operators reach an amicable agreement in Pittsburg next week there will likely be a general strike in the bituminous coal region of

Pennsylvania on April 1, when the preent wage agreement terminates. A fashionable wedding, in which leading Toronto families are interested, took place at St. Luke's Church on Tuesday: The marriage was that of Rev. C. John Mockridge, of Detroit, and Miss Beatrice Osler, daughter of Justice and

Lee Chalfant, substitute engineer, heroically prevented an explosion in Wolf Bros.' shoe factory, Columbus, O., where 500 employes were at work. Chalfant raked the fires, opened the valves and let the steam escape, bravely standing at his post in spite of a terrible scalding.



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