## THE MARKETS

Mining Stocks. Toronto, Nov. 8.—Following are to-day's cosing quotations on the Toronto Mining and Industrial change: Asked. Bid. 22 313 Jolden Star..... Fontenoy 16 Athabasca 39 Dardanelles.... ble Five..... Alice A. 11
Empress 4
Rathmullen 8
Brandon & Golden 29 Merrison Winnipeg Deer Park Kvening Star 10 Homestake 10 Iron Mask Iron Mask. 73 Montreal Gold Fields. 12 Monte Cristo 6 Northern Belle 23 Novelty. St. Paul. 8t. Paul. 2
8ilver Bell Con 4
8t. Elmo 6
Virginia 8
Victory-Triumph 7
War Eagle Con 255
White Bear 4
B. C. Gold Fields 4
Can G. F. S. 85 2 3¼ 6 5¼ 275 13½ I. X. L. Crow's Nest Pass Coal..... 35.00 118 201/2 15 73/4 121/2 Bonanza. 18
Van Anda 8½
Big Three. 13

# les GREEN, DRIED, EVAPORATED

If you have any to offer quote lowest price o. b., either in small or car lots. Also butter, or other produce.
CHAS. ABBOTT,

178 King Street, London. Phone 1283 Local Market.

London, Thursday, Nov. 9. Everything combined to make this morning's market a good one—the clear, keen weather, the good condition of the roads, and the fact that previous markets have been small, all contributed to make better one of the largest and most satisfactory Thurs-day markets that have been held for some time past. Apparently there was not an over-supply in any line, and as one exchange from supplier to supplied followed steamy after another, the effect was seen on the cheery faces of the customers, and by the serene look of content that overspread the features of the farmer. As a general rule the prices of previous markets prevailed today, and seemingly they were satisfactory on both sides. Poul-try was supplied in large quantities also, were eggs, but a larger amount of butter could have been handled with ease, while other commodities were supplied in amounts adequate to

and nocus,
A. M. HAMILTON & SON'S REPORT. London, Thursday, Nov. 9.
Wheat, white, per bu66c to 671/2c
Wheat, red, per bu66c to 671/2c
Wheat, spring, per bu66c to 671/2c
Oats, per bu27c to 31c
Peas, per bu
Corn, per bu42c to 44c
Barley, per bu36c to 39c
Rye, per bu56c to 62c
Buckwheat, per bu431/4c to 48c
Wheat was scarcer today, but un-
changed in price, \$1 10 to \$12 being the ruling figures; demand steady.
Oats were strong and in good de-
mand; sales at 85c to 87c.
Barley and peas were scarce and un-
changed No other grain offered

Hay deliveries were fairly good; the demand was good and sales easily effected at \$10 to \$11 per ton.

Dressed hogs were much lower; sales at \$5 to \$5 15 by the load; single hogs brought \$5 25 occasionally. Live hogs are lower; \$3 75 is the price being paid for next week. Young pigs were very

Total week. Toung pigs w		AG17
slow at \$2 to \$4 per pair.		
Quotations:		
Wheat, per 100 lbs 1 07	0	1 15
Wheat, per 100 lbs	0	1 12
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs 1 10		1 12 1 12
Oats, per 100 lbs. 80 Peas per 100 lbs. 92 Gorn per 180 lbs. 75 Barlow per 100 lbs. 75	6	88
Corn per 180 lbe 75	0	1 05
Barley, per 100 lbs	@	80
Rye per 100 lbs 1 00		1 10
Beans, per bu	(0)	1 00
Barley, per 100 lbs	1	0.31
Cheese, per lb	0	12 21
Eggs, freeh, basket, dozen 18	@	18
Butter. Ib, large rolls or crocks 19	0	21
Entter, pound rolls, retail 23 Lard, per lb	ě.	24
AGAIL, 60 10. 1000	@	8
Eggs, store lots, doz 16%	CES	17
Butter, pound rous, baskets 20	0	21
Butter, crock	0	20
FRUIT.	0	18
Quinces, 12-quart baskets 40	@	50
Pears, per basket	@	75 4 00
Snow apples, per bol 3 00	9	3 50
Pears, per basket         30           Pears, per bbl         3 25           Snow apples, per bbl         3 00           Dried apples, per lb         432           Tomatoes, per basket         25           Apples per bbl         56	0	5 30
Apples, per bbl 1 50		2 25
Apples, per bbl       1 50         Apples, per bag       50         Chestnuts       2 00	6	2 25
Chestnuts		2 23
Potatucs, per bag 50		55 40
Vegetable Marrow, per das 50	0	60
Cabbage, per doz 25	0	40
Cauliflowers, per dos	6	1 00
Beets, per bag 40		50
Onions, per bag 1 25 Carrots 30		1 25
Parsnips	ě	60
Citrons, per doz 1 00	6	1 35
Vegetable Oysters, per doz 30 Artichokes, bag 75		1 00
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LIVE STOCK.		
Beef, per ib	-	3 75
Hogs, heavy, per 100 lbs 2 50	0	.3 75
	9	3 90
Sows. per 100 lbs 3 00	9	4 00 3 25
Ducks, per pair 40	00000	50
Spring ducks, per pair 40	0	45 60
Chickens, spring, per pair 30		40
Pigs, singers 3 99 Pigs young per pait 2 00 Sows, per 100 lbs 3 00 Ducks, per pair 40 Wild Ducks 5 Spring ducks, per pair 40 Chickens, spring, per pair 30 Hens, per pair 35 HAY AND SEEDS.	6	40
		11 00
Straw, per load 200	0	3 00 6 00
MEAT, HIDES, ETC.	-	0 00
Post north		5

hegs, 100 lbs, selects.. 5 00 hogs 100 lbs, heavy . 4 75

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The Oil Market. PITTSBURG. Pa.. Nov. 9.—Oil opened and closed today at \$1.56.
OIL CITY. Nov. 8.—Credit balances, \$1.56: certificates, no bids, sales or offers.

St. Thomas Market. Thomas, Nov. 8.-Wheat, old, per bu, 68c; wheat, new, per bu, 68c; oats. new, per bu, 27c to 30c; peas, per bu, 50c to 60c; barley, per bu, 35c to 40c rye, 60c; corn, per bu, 45c to 50c; flax-seed, per cwt, \$2 45 to \$2 50; timothy seed, \$1 50 to \$1 75; clover seed, per

bu. \$6 70. English Markets. Ruling prices for the past four market days— The following table shows the quotations per cental at Liverpoel for the three previous market days. In the case of wheat highest

prices are given.	N	OV.	N	ov.		ov.		ov. 8.
WHEAT-	-	-				-		
Red Winter		10	5	10	0	0		101/2
No. 1 Nor. Spring	6	0	6	0	6	01/2	6	01/2
No. 1 Cal	6	3	6	3	6	3	6	3
Dec	5	10%	5	10%	5	11%	5	101/2
March		11%	5	1114	6	01/4	5	115/8
May	5	1134	6	01/8	6	07/8	6	03/8
CORN-	1		1	7.00	13.3		(5)	
New	3	51/4	3	53/4	3	6	3	61/4
Old	3	51/4	3	54	3	6	3	614
Nov	1 0	0	3	51/2	0	0	3	6
Dec	13	61/4	3	65%	3	61/8	3	65/8
Jan	3		0	0	3	634	3	6
Feb			3	41/8		61/4	0	0
March	3		3		3	6	3	53/4
May	3		3		3	57/8	3	55%
Flour	19		19		19		19	6
Peas	5		5		5	61/2		6
Pork	57		57	6	37	6	57	6
			29		29	6	29	6
Lard	24		24		24	0	24	0
			31	0	31	0	31	0
Bacon, light		100000	54	6	54	6	54	6
Cheese, white	54		56		56	9	56	0
Cheese colored	56	U	100	U	OG	9	OGI	U

Wheat—Spot, steady; No. 1 Cal., 6s 2½d to 6s 3d; No. 2 red western, winter, dull, 6s 2½d to 6s No. 1 red northern spring, dull, 6sd; spot; No. 1 red northern, Duluth, steady, 5s 10d.
Corn—Spot, American mixed, new, steady, 3s 6d; do. old, steady, 3s 6d; futures, steady, Nov., 3s 5½d; Dec., quiet, 3s 6¾d; Jan., quiet, 3s 6¾d; Louis 5st. Louis 6st.

Plour-St. Louis fancy winter, dull, 7s 9d. Peas-Western, 5s 10½d. Canadian, 5s 6d. Beef-Prime mess, strong, 82s 6d; extra India ness, strong, 90s. Pork—Prime mess, fine western, strong,

33s 6d.
Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, firm, 32s.
Butter—Finest American, 96s; good, 73s.
Cheese—American finest white, steady, 54s 6d; colored, steady, 56s; do, old, firm, 54s 6d; ordinary, new, 43s 6d.
Tallow—Prime city, steady, 24s; Australian, London, dull, 29s 6d.
Hops—At London (Pacific coast), nominal, £4 to £4 15s. Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, Nov.-April, dull, od.

ull, 53d.
Turpentine spirits—Steady; 37s 3d.
Rosin—Common, steady, 4s.
Petroleum—Refined, 7½ d.
Linseed oil—24s 6d.

American Markets.

CHICAGO, Nov.8.-Liverpool's weaka ness was the chief factor in the grain markets today. Wheat closed 1c and orn %c to ½c lower. Oats sympathetically lost 4c. Provisions were heavily sold. January pork closed 5c to 7½c lower; January lard a shade under and January ribs 2½c higher. Northwest receipts were 1,776 cars, as compared with 2,954 last year and 589 last week. Receipts at primary points were 933,000, including yesterday's receipts, incompletely reported on account of election. Primary receipts were 2,000,-000, as against 3,213,000 bushels a year ago. Chicago receipts were 85 cars, 7 of contract grade. Export clearance at the seaboard, exclusive of yesterday's, were equal in wheat and flour to 581,000 bushels. Bradstreet's reported a decrease of 1,453,000 bushels. New York reported 22 loads for export.

The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—Dec., 63%c to 63%c; May, 72%c. Corn—Dec., 31%c to 31%c; Jan., 30%c; May, 32%c. Oats—Dec., 22%c to 22%c; May, 23%c. Mess Pork—Dec., \$8 20; Jan., \$9 70; May, \$9 77%. Lard—Dec., \$8 20; Jan., \$9 70; May, \$9 77%. Lard—Dec., \$4 92%; Jan., \$5, Cash quotations—Flour, easy; No. 3 spring wheat, 65%c to 67c; No. 2 red. 69%c; No. 2 corn, 32%c; No. 2 yellow corn, 32c to 32%c. No. 2 corn, 32%c; No. 2 yellow corn, 32c to 32%c. No. 2 oats, 23c to 23%c; No. 2 white, 25%c to 26%c; No. 2 vats, 23c to 23%c; No. 2 white, 25%c to 26%c; No. 2 barley, 37c to 43c. No. 1 flaxseed, \$1 28; Northwest, \$1 28. Prime timothy seed, \$2 30. Mess pork, \$7 75 to \$8 25. Lard, \$5 05 to \$5 20. Short rib sides, \$4 85 to \$5 30. Dry salted shoulders, 5%c to 5%c. Short clear sides, \$5 20 to \$5 25. Sugar, unchanged. Cloverseed, contract grade, \$7 75 to \$8. Eggs, firm; fresh, 18c. York reported 22 loads for export.

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RECEIPTS—Flour, 19,000 barrels; wheat, 193,000 bushels; corn, 516,000 bushels; oats, 408,000 bushels; rye, 14,000 bushels; barley, 148,000 bushels.

SHIPMENTS—Flour, 13,000 barrels; wheat, 14,000 bushels; corn, 433,000 bushels; oats, 298,000 bushels; rye, 2,000 bushels; barley, 25,000 bushels.

The Dairy Makets. NEW YORK, Nov. 8.— Butter firm; western creameries, 18c to 25c; western factory, 15c to 17c; June creamery, 18½c to 23½c; imitation creamery, 15½c to 20%c; state dairy, 17c to 23%c; state creamery, 18c to 25c. Cheese quiet; small September fancy, 12%c to 12%c; finest October, 12c to 12%c; large colored, fancy, September, 12%c to 12%c; large October finest 111%c. large October finest, 111/2c.

CHICAGO, Nov. 8. - Butter firm: creameries, 17c to 24c; dairies, 14c to 18c. Cheese steady at 111/2c to 121/4c. NAPANE,Ont., Nov. 8-335 white and 555 colored cheese boarded; 10 11-16c bid; no sales. Buyers present, Thompson, Van Luven, Alexander and Cleall. The board adjourned until May 1, next

PICTON, Ont., Nov. 8.—At the cheese board today 8 factories boarded 394 boxes, all colored; 10 13-16c highest bid;

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Nov. 8.—At to-day's cheese market 19 factories board-ed 2,799 boxes white and 3,312 colored. There were no sales on board, lie being the highest bid.

Live Stock Market.

CHICAGO, Nov. 8.-Native beeves CHICAGO, Nov. 8.—Native beeves strong and active; westerns, 10c higher; generally quiet; not very good; oxen, small receipts; market stronger; cow market firm; canners steady; stockers and feeders unchanged; calves steady; cattle, good to fancy, \$5 \$5 to \$6 50; new, fancy, \$6 90; common to medium, \$4 35 to \$5 65; cows, heifers and bulls, \$1 75 to \$5; fancy heifers, \$5 80; Texans, grass, \$3 80 to \$3 95; do, fed, \$4 75 to \$6 50; calves, \$4 to \$7 50; western rangers, \$4 15 to \$4 50; canners, \$1 75 to \$2 90; feeders, \$4 to \$4 60; stockers, \$3 to \$4. Hogs—Fair to prime, \$4 15 to \$4 30; heavy packers, \$3 90 to \$4 15; mixed, \$4 to \$4 20½; butchers, \$4 20 to \$4 27½; light weights, \$4 to \$4 25. Good sheep and lambs, 10c to 15c higher; other grades steady to to 15c higher; other grades steady to firm; few westerns; sheep, common to choice, \$3.25 to \$4.60; western rangers, \$3.60 to \$4.50; good to prime lambs, \$5.10 \$5.50; prime native yearlings, \$4.40 to \$4.75. Receipts—Cattle, 16,500; hogs, \$2.000 choon, 12.000

ceipts, 3,334; steers opened firm to shade higher; closed easier; bulls steady to firm; cows steady; steers, 34 40 to \$6; oxen, \$3 40 to \$4 90; bulls, \$2 80 to \$4 80; choice fat do, \$4 50; cows, \$1 70 to \$4 25. Cables unchanged. Exports, 1,643 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 1,868; good veals steady; others slow; grassers steady; veals, \$5 to \$8 50; culls, \$4 50; grassers, \$2 75 to \$3 75; yearlings, \$3 50 to \$2 65. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 15,853; sheep steady; lambs opened firm to 10c higher; closed quiet and easy; sheep, \$2 50 to \$4 25; hambs, \$5 to \$5 50; choice and extra do, \$5 60 to \$5 75; Canada do, \$5 25 to \$5 50; culls, \$4 Hogs—Receipts, 12,678; market higher, at \$4 60 to \$4 80.

EAST BUFFALO, Nov. 8.—Cattle— There were two loads on sale, with fair demand and no particular change fair demand and no particular change in the prices; sales were principally in small bunches; calves were in light supply, fair demand and steady; choice to extra were quotable at \$750 to \$8; good to choice, \$7 to \$750. Sheep and lambs—The offerings were 40 loads, including about 16 loads of Canada lambs; the market was fairly active for good sheep and lambs, and higher; choice to extra were quotable at \$515 to \$530; good to choice, \$475 to \$515; common to fair, \$425 to \$475; sheep, choice to extra, \$425 to \$475; sheep, choice to extra, \$425 to \$450; good to choice, \$4 to \$425; Canada lambs were in fair demand, and sold on the basis of \$515 to \$530; the close was about 10c lower. Hogs—Thirty loads on sale, and a fairly active demand, at 5c to 10c lower than yesterday; the basis was \$440 to \$445 for the bulk of the sales; heavy were quotable at \$445; mixed, \$445; Yorkers, \$440 to \$450; pigs, \$450; roughs, \$375 to \$390; stags, \$8 to \$350; there was a fair clearance.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.

· OLD COUNTRY PRICES. London, Nov. 6.-Canadian and American cattle are quoted steady, but unchanged, at 11%c to 12%c per lb, dressed weight; tops at 12½c per lb; refrigerator beef is 8½c per lb.

Toronto Leather Market. Toronto, Nov. 8.-The decision of the tanners to advance prices has resulted in advances in some lines of leather this week; harness is dearer. There is a good demand for most lines, and ium heavy, per lb, 26c to 29c; Spanish, No. 1 heavy, per lb, 25c to 27c; No. 2, 24c to 26c; No. 3, 22c; Mskin, Canadian, 75c to 80c. No. 3, 22c; calfskin, French, \$1 25 to \$1 50; French kip, 80c to 90c; upper light, medium, 40c to 45c; splits, 23c to 25c; buff, per foot, 13½c to 17c; pebble, 14c to 16c; harness, oak tanned, No. 1, 32c to 34c; No. 3, 29c to 31c; hemlock, harness, 29c to 31c; English, 75c to 80c; cordovan sides, No. 3, Pork—Prime mess, fine western, strong, 578 6d; do. medium, western, 428 6d.

Lard—American refined, in pails, steady, 298 prime western in tieroes, steady, 278 6d; middlings, light, dull, 338 6d.

Hams—Short cut. 14 to 16 lbs., dull, 44s.

Bacou—Cumberland cut. 28 to 39 lbs., dull, 33s; short ribs, 18 to 22 lbs., steady, 34s; long clear middles, light, 30 to 35 lbs, steady, 31s long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, steady, 30s; short clear backs. 16 to 18 lbs, dull, 30s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 33s 6d.

Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, firm, 32s.

Terrible Outrage Perpetrated in Clinton.

An Invalid Woman Robbed and Almost Murdered by a Masked Ruffian

Clinton, Ont., Nov. 8.-About seven o'clock last evening an unknown man entered the back door of Mr. Charles Carline's residence during the latter's temporary absence. Mrs. Carline, who is an invalid, and confined to bed from a fracture of her thigh bone, called out: "Is that you Charlie?" when the intruder opened the room door, saying:

"wnere does the boss keep his Mrs. Carline said he had it with him, and all she had vas in a purse in a bureau drawer.
The man hunted up the purse, took

out three 25-cent scrips and threw down the purse. He then made a rush at her, saying he would kill her for telling such a lie.

Mrs. Carline had a walking stick by her bedside, and attempted to defend herself with it, striking him a blow on the cheek. He wrenched the stick from her and struck her a savage blow on the top of the head and another on the right temple. She cried out, "Oh, be merciful! I've

been lying here for eight weeks with a broken leg.' With this the fiend pulled away the bedeiothes and belabored her unmercifully on the limbs, the injured one not being spared. Holding one hand over her mouth as she was trying to scream and give the alarm, he said: "I will hammer your brains out or smother you," at the same time tak-

ing a bottle from his pocket.

Mrs. Carline, thinking it chloroform,
put her hand over her nose and mouth. The wretch poured the contents of the bottle over her hands and face. As the fumes of carbolic acid arose, he said: "I brought the wrong bottle,

but I will kill you anyway."

She said: "You may kill my body,
but you cannot kill my soul. It belongs to the Lord." Becoming alarmed, he dropped the stick and ran out of the front door, which he had opened before entering her room. Parties just them passing, hearing the woman's screams, went in and sent for a doctor, as she was burn-ed on hands and face with the acid, and suffering awful agony from the business, as well as the nervous shock,

but did not lose consciousness. The man, she says had a peak cap pulled over his eyes, and a scarf covering the lower part of his face, mask-

Mr. Carline had just gone to the postoffice, as was his custom at that hour, and the fiend evidently watched him go out and knew the woman was alone and helpless. Up to a late hour this evening no trace of the would-be-murderer had been discov-

Mrs. Carline is in a very critical condition and is not expected to re-

The Bank of Russia reported decrease of \$15,905,000 in its gold reserve during the last week of April.

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Here is a brief list of some good dresses you can buy now at very low prices:

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	50-inch Black Broadcloth, at	
	54-inch Black Broadcloth, at	
	50-inch French Twills, at95c a	
	44-inch Court Serge, at	
	56-inch Black Venetian, at	
	56-inch Black Cheviot, at	
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values are firm. There is said to be a likelihood of French kip advancing soon. We quote: Sole, slaughter, medium heavy near the sole of the selling now for 75c yard; and \$1 25 goods for \$1 00 yard.

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Ladies' Fall and No. 182-Black Beaver Cape, lined throughout, braid trimming, large flare collar, 29 inches long, for .......... \$6 00 No. 1020-Of Black German Beaver, trimmed with silk-stitched fancy cording and applique, large storm collar with tab fastener, pleated \$8 50 back, 29 inches long..... No. 1320 - Of Black Velvet, lined throughout with duchess satin, interlined, beautifully ornamented with narrow braid, embroidery silk and small jets, large flare collar,

rounding front, 35 inches long....... \$33 00

Capes, plain tailor-made, silk stitching, large rolling collar, pleated back, 30 inches long..... No. 1057-Of Black German Beaver, lined throughout, trimmed with silk finish worsted braid and applique, large rolling collar, pleated back, 30 inches long, for.....\$10 00 No. 1123-Of Black Velvet, lined throughout and interlined, elabor-

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40-inch Plaids, nice patterns......25c and 35c

and green, silk effect, for blouse waists, 45c

40-inch Plaids, in violet and green, and blue

Five colorings of 42-inch heavy all-wool Plaids, for winter waists.....

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Three new patterns of Camels' Hair Plaids,

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stripes, new designs just in .....

in black and white, navy and white,

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President Mills of the Silica-Barytic Company Doesn't Like Discrimination.

Mr. Walter Mills, mayor of Ingersoll, and president of the Silica-Barytic Company, was in the city yesterday. He claimed that his company, in the construction of the cement walks, south of Dundas street, this year, had lived up to the specifications to the letter. Basing his estimate on the inspector's returns, he held that they had used \$1,500 worth of cement more than the contractor who laid the walks north of Dundas street. The work was done by each under the same specifications, and he thought the Silica-Barytic Company should be refunded the \$1,500 if the council was satisfied the Contractor Conden bas satisfied that Contractor Graham had done the work the specifications called

for.
"How could the exact amount of cement used by each be shown other than by the inspectors' reports?" Mr. Mills was asked.

"By the books of the cement company. We are prepared to account for every pound of cement used. Contractor Graham could do the same. Mr. Mills was surprised at the sudden coolness of the council in the mat ter. "That may have been an investi-gation in London," he said; "but we would not call it so in Ingersoll.'

### City Hall Notes.

Chair man Douglass, of the board of works, has respect for precedent. He evidently regards the board's overdraft as an established annual custom, and one not to be departed from. The cause of the overdraft this year is not far to seek. Some of the surplus expendi-ture is accounted for by the needless purchase of the Weld gravel pit at \$600, the payment of ½ a cent more on the Graham cement walk contract than the Sillica-Barytic Company's tender, making a deficit of \$1,100 for the season, and the expenditure of \$1,500 for work on the West London breakwater, for much of which two prices were paid. If the board this year had handled the usual \$12,000 for plank sidewalks they would have been credited with \$50,000. added to which was \$3,400 remaining from the appropriation from the sewer debenture fund. Moreover, they have expended \$600 less for street cleaning than was spent last year.

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