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## How Long Will the Emigration Employment Joke Last Yet?

Soliciting Aid from the Charitable to Ship Emigrants to Canada—Employment Guaranteed

The following is a reproduction of an advertisement which appeared in the London (Eng.) Times, on Monday, January 20th, 1908.

### EMIGRATION

gives PROSPERITY to the emigrant and benefits the EMPIRE. THE CHURCH ARMY is receiving numerous applications for emigration to Canada in readiness for the opening of the season in APRIL. All applications carefully sifted, and unsuitable applicants rejected. IMMEDIATE EMPLOYMENT obtained for each emigrant. FUNDS EARNESTLY REQUESTED for advances of part of Passage-money and incidental expenses. £10 sends single man to North-West; £10 small family; £1,000 one conducted party. Cheques crossed Barclays' Payable Pre-bendary Carlisle, Hon. Chief Sec., Headquarters, 55, Bryanston-street, W.

The opening spasm is unique, and is enough to cheer the stranded emigrant in Canada to further efforts in search for that prosperity which must be here since the good Church Army says so.

Emigration, Prosperity, and Empire in capital letters, all negotiated by the Church Army, and immediate employment found, are just a few of the alluring and tempting offers to the perfectly lovely and easily gulled British public.

Considered from an artistic point of view the advertisement is indeed a credit to the author. No details have been neglected. Everything is in perfect harmony, even to the heavy black border which is placed around the advt., no doubt with the same reverential care as would be placed around a funeral card, and no doubt is a tribute to the emigrants gone before and a fitting emblem of the graveyard of shattered hopes for the victims yet to come.

Probably never before in the history of Canada has the unemployed problem assumed such prodigious proportions as it has during the present winter. It is perfectly true that this condition of affairs is in a great measure the result of the general depression which has prevailed not only in Canada and the United States but in every other country in the world, and it is the inevitable aftermath of a boomed period of prosperity which has certainly existed for a few years past, and has to a certain extent warranted the beautiful pictures of unprecedented prosperity which have been drawn, sometimes by honest and conscientious men, but more often by exploiting boosters who have a large stake in the national resources which urgently need as many laborers as possible, the greatest qualification which it was possible for those laborers to have been their propensity for working at the highest rate compatible with existence.

The above advertisement states that immediate employment will be found for each emigrant. Now if the Government of Canada could only succeed in securing the services of this illustrious Church Army at once and bring them to Canada at the earliest possible moment, and if the Government were to make an arrangement with the aforesaid Church Army, the latter will guarantee that for the thousands of unemployed emigrants who are employed here, the

greatest blessing that could fall upon the land would be consummated. It would pay and pay well to charter a special steamer to bring them over, or half a dozen steamers if necessary so that the employment finders could have a steamer apiece if they desired to travel that way. They might commence operations at Toronto where they will have an excellent opportunity of trying their magic employment finding dope on the 675 families mentioned in the article below. When they have placed the small number of employed there, they might visit a few of the other towns in the east and then turn their attention westward where abundant practice will improve their skill so that by the time they reach the coast the difficulty of providing employment for the hundreds of white laborers who have been displaced to accommodate their yellow and brown brethren will be mere child's play. When this work is accomplished the children of these members of the Church Army who are still alive can return to England, after carefully burying their ancestors who have succumbed to the arduousness of their task of providing employment for those already here, when the time will be ripe for a repetition of the same performance in about a century from now.

### 675 FAMILIES HUNGRY

A condition of destitution has been arrived at in Toronto such as it is hard for Canadians to believe. The condition is undoubtedly the climax to the industrial immigration which has been brought about during the past few years. Relief measures were at first tardy, until the daily papers investigated and found out the volume of actual and complete destitution existing. The News was first in the field with relief measures, its first efforts being to save from starvation over one hundred babies. The Globe then took up the work systematically in connection with a volunteer committee.

Here is one report which the paper received, among many others: "I visited a home yesterday," said Rev. Robert Gay, of District No. 7, in the eastern territory, "and found a man with his wife and eight children, living on what the eldest girl, aged eighteen, could earn. The husband was out of work, as was also the oldest boy, a lad of sixteen years. I had great difficulty in eliciting any information from the family. I found them lacking bed clothing, fuel and food. So cold had been the house that there was ice on the walls of the bedrooms. With the assistance of a neighbor, we moved the solitary stove, so that its heat would be evenly distributed. Stovepipes were bought and blankets, and food supplied. The coal was delivered later."

Actual Conditions. Reporting to the public ten days after its first appeal for funds, the Globe had received \$12,000 and disbursed \$8,000. It says: "In addition, clothing, household and provisions to the value of at least \$8,000 have been given. The demand for clothing has been fairly well met, save in the case of children's clothes and underclothes, of which there is still a

scarcity. Fuel is an important item of expense and will be till the weather moderates.

Food, however, is the great essential, and it is upon food that the bulk of the money is being spent. A careful canvass yesterday shows that during the past week 675 families have been supplied with the necessaries of life. The family in Shacktown is never small. An average of five persons per family is low. The Globe's readers have been feeding 3,375 persons during the week, and there is no doubt at all that this number will not be lessened for a month. Ninety per cent. of those helped are immigrants not more than three years in the country. The bulk of them own their pathetic little houses, and in all the army of unemployed very few cases have been discovered of thriftlessness.

The fund has paid out \$8,000 to date, and a requisition for \$500 from one of the districts is yet to be met. It is costing about \$3,000 per week to do the work, or about 88 cents per individual fed. It would of course be impossible to feed the people in want so cheaply unless by the help of friends who send in gifts of food, and of the wholesale butchers and others who have given very low rates for supplies.

A word as to the actual conditions of affairs in the shack districts. The responsibility of the people of Canada will not end in six weeks. If these poor folk do not get work in the city or its environment when March comes it will be absolutely essential that some public scheme be launched for their dispersal throughout the country. Toronto has absorbed within three years not less than five and twenty thousand immigrants from England and Scotland. The city is saturated with immigrants, and is utterly unable to incorporate the dwellers in Shacktown into its permanent population. There must be a movement out to the land. We will have more to say on this by-and-by.

### CLERKS AND ORGANIZATION

The Advantages of Organized Labor Over the "Free and Independent" Workers.

Occasionally, during the past ten years, we have tried to impress upon readers of all kinds the importance of organizing for self protection.

We have told the estimable young clerks in their black coats and nice red ties—the cheap respectable little men who parade on election day in favor of prosperity, and who are the first to get discharged in time of trouble—that they ought also to protect themselves.

We have pointed out the fact that mechanics and other workmen are strong because they are united.

Many of the little gentlemen who make a living as clerks have looked down with scorn upon the union man and possibly also upon the suggestion that they should protect themselves by organization.

The clerks of the Erie Railroad are to have their pay reduced—some 5 per cent., some 2 per cent. Every man of them, except those that get less than \$60 a month, will have the pleasure of seeing his income diminished from now on.

We do not write to criticize the action of the railroad. It is quite possible that had financial conditions actually made some reductions necessary.

Whether or not the clerks were paid as much as they might have been paid, when better financial conditions would have made an increase possible we don't know.

Anyhow, the clerks are to have their pay reduced from now on.

And the union labor mechanics and others are not to have their pay reduced.

The little man with the respectable black coat and nice necktie, clean collar and large family of children will see his income cut down. And the mechanic with his oil stained jumper and the dinker pail on his arm, who often makes twice as much and nearly always more than the average clerk, will see his income go on as big as it was before.

The railroad announces that it will cut the wages of all except those whose pay is fixed by the unions.

When the young gentlemen with the nice coats get over the surprise of this announcement, we advise them to think over once more the possibility of protecting themselves by some kind of union.

It pays men to stick together.

The above article which appeared in a recent issue of a leading American daily, was evidently written with no intention of wounding the susceptibilities of the man with the nice necktie and the respectable black coat who presides with smiling face and obliging mein behind the counters of our departmental stores, but rather with the intention of pointing out the futility and hollowness of presuming to a respectability far above that of the mechanic, which is not and cannot be real, since every one of those clerks are subject to a reduction of wages at any time, because they belong to the noble army of free and independents who look upon the organized wage earners with contempt, and depend upon their own individual ability and the changing seasons of the year for the crumbs that fall from the master's table.

It may not be deemed respectable to belong to a labor union, but it goes a long way to help to maintain a respectability compatible with social progress, by keeping the wages of the mechanic at such a standard as will make it possible for him to purchase those things which are requisite and necessary for the maintenance of life and in keeping with the advancing social status of the people who constitute when all is said and done the backbone of the nation's strength.

Remember Secretary Taft's answer to the question, "What has a man to do during a financial crisis, when he is starving?" which was—"God Knows!" And remembering what that mournful, hopeless answer to the starving man will mean, proceed straightway to seek strength in the much abused union so that a living wage can be commanded in season's of prosperity which will help to carry you over in the dark period of depression and financial stringency.—Ed.

### AN IDEAL LABOR LEADER

The United Mine Workers' Journal in a recent issue, publishes the following pen sketch of a labor leader: The ideal labor leader is an ideal

man in every particular, whose ready brain quickly grasps each new situation as it presents itself, and whose cool level head instantly directs the proper course of action. He must have the self-confidence which will guide him to success under all circumstances and the prestige which will compel anyone to give him a hearing. He must have a fairly good education, that he may couch his language in terms of intelligent conciseness and forcible emphasis.

### REGINA TRADES AND LABOR COUNCIL

F. D. Monks' Bill Respecting Co-operation Endorsed.

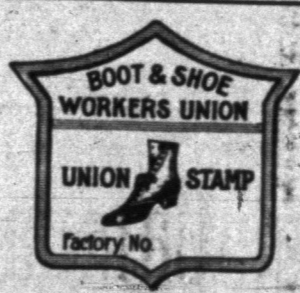
The regular fortnightly meeting of the above council was held on Saturday last. All officers were present, but nineteen absentees among the delegates were reported by the warden.

Very little business came up for discussion with the exception of the resolution to endorse Mr. F. D. Monk's bill entitled "An Act Respecting Co-operation," which it is expected will be brought before the House for its third reading at an early date. The resolution to endorse was again introduced by Del. J. D. Simson, and after several delegates had commented on the bill and the advisability of endorsing the principle of co-operation had been fully argued pro and con, one of the delegates pointed out that the hon. member's bill had already been endorsed by the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, which body had also suggested the advisability of extending the scope of the bill so as to include co-operative banking business also. The resolution was therefore put to a vote and the resolution to endorse was unanimously carried. The secretary being instructed to forward a copy of the resolution to Mr. F. D. Monk without delay.

The resolution is as follows: "Resolved, that we, the Trades and Labor Council of Regina, do heartily approve of the purpose of the bill introduced in the federal House by Mr. F. D. Monk, M.P. for Jacques Cartier, entitled an "Act respecting Industrial and Co-operative Societies," and that we use our utmost endeavors to facilitate its successful passage through parliament."

The secretary treasurers' report was presented and adopted, and whilst it showed that the financial standing of the council was good, it was pointed out that there was still one debt which had been entailed in connection with the furnishing of the hall, and the affiliated locals were urged to pay their per capita tax affiliation fee at as early a date as possible in order to ensure that the necessary work in connection with the administration of the affairs of the council could be discharged in a proper manner.

Meeting of the Canadian Labor Party Sunday. Be there.



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**THE TEAMSTERS ORGANISED**

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The final step in the organisation of the new Teamsters' Union was taken on Tuesday evening last when a good sized crowd of local team drivers and owners, who met in the Trades Hall, elected officers, and completed their organisation work.

Delegate Powell of the Trades Council performed the duties of installing officer in a very business like and orderly manner. Immediately upon the ushering into existence of the new local No. 123, both delegate Powell and the president of the Trades Council congratulated the members and extended best wishes for the future success of the new union, which from prospects was practically assured. An invitation was also extended to them to affiliate with the Trades and Labor Council.

The meeting was called to order by the acting president, Wm. Murphy, who extended an invitation to anyone present who had not yet signified their intention of joining, to come forward and sign the register. Several new members were thus added to the already large roll.

Election and installation of officers was taken up next, and resulted as follows:

- President, Wm. Murphy.
- Vice Pres. T. Anderson.
- Fin. Sec. J. G. Noonan.
- Rec. Sec. W. Brown.
- Trustees, Matt. Clark, Jos. Gorman, G. Horne.

After the obligation of the officers and the initiation of the members, business was proceeded with.

The local dues were fixed at a very nominal figure, just a little more than will cover the ordinary working expenses of the local.

It was decided to meet fortnightly on alternate Wednesdays. The next meeting being fixed for Wednesday

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March 4th, when it is hoped that a large number of new candidates will be initiated.

The matter of affiliation with the Trades and Labor Council was practically decided, but the election of delegates to that body was deferred till a later meeting.

It was also thought advisable to allow the striking of a committee on local bylaws and constitution, to stand over till the next meeting. This was done partly for the purpose of allowing the members to become better acquainted with the powers and jurisdiction of a local, by carefully reading the international constitution, a copy of which was handed to each member.

The meeting which was enthusiastic and very business like was closed in due form by the president, to meet again on Wednesday, March 4.

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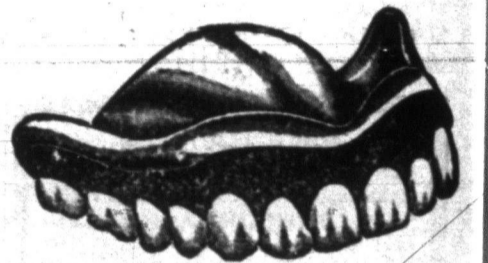
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**UNION MADE CLOTHING TRADES CONGRESS AT OTTAWA**

Union men of Regina will be pleased to learn that the factory in Winnipeg, until recently run by the St. Land Woolen Mills, has been acquired by the Union Tailoring Co., with Mr. Marshall, late president of the United Garment Workers, as manager, and in a letter issued to union men in the west, which we print below, assurance is given that the union label will hereafter appear upon all their work. The local branch of this factory is on Hamilton street, opposite the new city hall and union men are invited to patronise this store when ordering their spring suits.

The following is the letter issued by the firm:

"To the Union Men of the West—

"There has recently been a change in the management and policy of this firm which will doubtless be of interest to union men generally.

"Things are different here now. It is a Union shop managed by Union men. Mr. Marshall, until recently President of the Winnipeg branch of the United Garment Workers of America, is manager.

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"UNION TAILORING CO., LTD."

**Trades & Labor Congress of Canada make the Following Representations to Parliament.**

The Dominion Trades and Labor Congress made its annual last week on the Prime Minister and Minister of Labor for the disposing of matters affecting labor's interests in Canada. The deputation was made up as follows: Alphonse Verville, M.P., president; James Simpson, vice president; Patrick M. Draper, Ottawa, secretary, and J. G. O'Donoghue, counsel. The requests which were preferred were as follows:

1. Passing of a workman's Compensation Act for the Dominion to apply to railway companies holding a federal charter.
2. Increase letter carriers' rate of wages.
3. Government inspection of the running gear on vessels for the protection of longshoremen.
4. That the government should endorse and carry through Verville's bill now before parliament providing for an eight hour day on Government works.
5. The appointment of a commission on technical education.
6. That the public lands in the Dominion should be reserved for bona fide settlers.
7. That Monk's bill to assist the organization of co-operative societies be carried through parliament and apply to co-operative banking as well as to co-operative trading and manufacture.
8. Old age pensions.
9. Amendment to the Lemieux Act to prevent the importation of strike breakers whilst investigations under this law are going on.
10. Abolition of immigration bonuses.
11. Exclusion of Hindu labor.

The deputation expressed the willingness of organized labor to judge by practical results the measure agreed on between the Canadian minister and the authorities at Tokio for the restriction of the Japanese immigration to this country.

The deputation was assured by the prime minister that when a re-arrangement was being made of Cabinet portfolios it was his own view that a separate Minister should be appointed to take charge of the Department of Labor. At the same time, under Mr. Lemieux's administration of that branch of the public service the interests of the working classes are now already being well looked after.

The control of telephones was being vested in the railway commission which would enable that body to protect the interests of all telephone operators.

Mr. Lemieux observed that the civil service commission was dealing effectively with the claims of the letter carriers to increased wages, and that he was prepared to follow their recommendations.

As regards the control of the Dominion lands it was the policy of the government already to reserve all lands for bona fide settlers.

As regards the establishment of co-operative banks, the government had to be most careful not to do anything which would take from the security of the Canadian banking institutions.

The premier said no necessity for the establishment of a system of old age pensions in Canada existed at the present time.

The Lemieux Act might not be perfect, but it was better to test all its provisions before introducing amendments.

The Japanese immigration question declared Mr. Lemieux, is already settled and measures had been taken which would result in preventing any recurrence of the Hindu invasions of last year.

Consideration was promised to the other questions presented by the delegation.

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**LABOR'S RIGHTS**

The following extracts from the constitution of the new state of Oklahoma go to show that the rights of labor have not been neglected by the framers of that constitution, and it is safe to predict a prosperous career for the state which looks after the class that forms the bulk of its people, in this way:

**Education—Sec. 1.** The legislature shall provide for the compulsory attendance at some public or other school, unless other means of education are provided, of all the children of the state who are sound in mind and body, between the ages of eight and sixteen years, for at least three months in each year.

**Labor—Sec. 1.** Eight hours shall constitute a day's work in all cases of employment by and on behalf of the state or any county or municipality.

**Convict labor—Sec. 2.** The contracting of convict labor is hereby prohibited.

**Child labor—Sec. 3.** The employment of children under fifteen years in any occupation injurious to health or morals, or especially hazardous to life or limb, is hereby prohibited.

**Sec. 4.** Boys under the age of 16 and women and girls shall not be employed underground, in the operation of mines; and, except in cases of emergency, eight hours shall constitute a day's work underground in all mines in the state.

**Sec. 5.** The legislature shall pass laws to protect the health and safety of employees in factories, in mines and on railroads.

**Contributory Negligence—Sec. 6.** The defense of contributory negligence or of assumption of risk shall in all cases whatsoever, be a question of fact, and shall at all times, be left to the jury.

**Personal Injuries—Sec. 7.** The right of action to recover damages for injuries resulting in death shall never be abrogated, and the amount recoverable shall not be subject to any statutory limitation.

**DOOLEY AND THE TERRIBLE JAP**

(By F. P. Dunne.)

"In th' good days we wudden't have thought life was worth livin' if we eudden insult a foreigner. That's what they were [r]. When I was strong, before old age deprived me iv me pathritism an' other infantile disorders, I niver saw a Swede, a Hun, an Eyetalian, a Boohgaryan, a German, a Fr-reichman that I didn't give him the shou'der. Threaty rights says ye? We give him th' same threaty rights as he'd give us, a drink and a whack on the head. If wrong to belong to another. If 'twas to belong to one haytionality, 'twas wrong to belong to another. If 'twas a man's proud boast to be an American, it was a disgrace to be a German, an' a joke to be a Fr-reichman. And that goes now. Ye can bump innay foreigner ye meet but a Jap. He's a live wire. . . . Why, be Hivins, it won't be long till we'll have to be threatin' the Chinese dacin't." We will have to "threath the Chinese dacin't" as soon as the capitalists learn just what branch of industry they can use Mr. Chink in to advantage, so as to have the head tax removed and the Chinese imported wholesale.

**What Constitutes Success**

(By Bessie A. Stanley, of Lincoln.)

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**TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION, 657**, meets first Saturday in Trades Hall. President J. M. Norris; Vice Pres., Thos. M. Molloy; Fin.-Sec., Jas. D. Simson; Rec.-Sec., W. Stevens; Sgt.-at-Arms, E. Faugh. Secretary's address: Jas. D. Simson, P.O. Box 838, Regina, Sask.

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dent, W. B. Bird; Secretary, A. S. Wells; Treasurer, B. Simmons; Secretary's address: A. S. Wells, Box 614, Regina.

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**WOOD, WIRE and METAL LATHERS** International Union, meets first and third Wednesdays in Trades Hall, Scarth street. President, J. C. Martin; Sec.-Treas., R. Tucker; Cor.-Sec., G. Skinner.

**INTERNATIONAL OPERATIVE** Plasterers' Association, local meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday. President Wm. Corrie; Sec., A. R. Cooper; Treas., Fred. Iles. Secretary's address: A. R. Cooper, Regina.

**INTERNATIONAL BROTHERHOOD** of Electrical Workers, Local No. 572, meets semi-monthly. President, H. Lamberton; Vice President, C. W. Cook; Fin. Sec. M. Wylie; Regina. Rec. Sec., T. Walshe Turner.

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### LOCAL NOTES

I. B. of T.—the first feather in the hats of the new organisation committee.

The Medicine Hat Times has set apart a column for the use of the labor interests of that city to use as they see fit.

The Trades and Labor Council of Medicine Hat, which is making commendable progress, has issued an invitation to all card men in the town to attend its meetings.

Mr. Leheney, organiser for the Socialist party of Alberta will address some public meetings. It is now taken for granted that there will be a Labor or Socialist candidate in the field at the next Dominion elections.

Permit us to introduce to our readers, the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, Local No. 123, Regina. Welcome brethren to the ranks of organized labor.

The way Delegate Powell got the obligation off his chest, when installing the newly elected officers of the I. B. of T., would have done credit to the oldest organiser in the business.

Come to the Canadian Labor party meeting on Sunday next. Interesting lecture. Everybody welcome.

Visitors from the southern portions of the province state that the trouble at the Roche Perce mines looks like a deliberate freeze-out of union men by the employers led by the once Hon. Robt. Watson. As soon as the employers know that a man has joined the union he is promptly 'fired.'

### COAT OF ARMS FOR A SCAB

Mr. Jackson — Mr. Interlocutor, what do you call a man who will work longer hours and for less pay than a union man?

Interlocutor—Do you mean a non-union man?

Mr. Jackson—No (shaking his head) I don't think that is the name.

Interlocutor—Oh! maybe you mean a scab.

Mr. Jackson—That's it. Mr. Interlocutor, what do you think would be a good coat of arms for a scab?

Interlocutor—I have no idea, Mr. Jackson. What is your's?

Mr. Jackson—I think a good coat of arms for a scab would be a flea, a fly, a magpie and a ham.

Interlocutor—Will you please explain, Mr. Jackson?

Mr. Jackson—A flea will bite a friend or foe; so will a scab. A fly will bother a friend or foe, so will a scab. A magpie will talk behind a friend's back; so will a scab. A ham is to be smoked and hung before it is cured; so should a scab.—Exchange.

Boost everything that is right.

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Hugh Peat, editor of Labor's Realm, Regina, is to be married on March 27th to a charming and estimable young lady of the prairie capital. Here's best wishes from fellow workers of the coast.—Vancouver Trades Unionist.

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This Time It's Blue and Black Worsteds Going at

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**These Suits go on Sale at 8.00 O'clock Saturday Morning**

Men's Blue or Black Clays, West of England Worsteds, particularly fine woven fabrics. These garments are made up in the popular styles for spring and summer, and as regards making will bear the closest scrutiny. The Coat is lined with the best wearing of linings—a fine serge; the vest with fancy silesia. The trousers are well shaped and all pockets stayed to prevent ripping.

Throughout these garments you will find all outseams lapped and double stitched, the inseams are serged, the outstitching has been done with silk thread the institching with linen. Every little detail that could possibly be given these garments by good tailors has been given.



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