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FIX UP THE MAIN STEET.

Its Present Condition is a Disgrace and Should be Remedied Without Delay.

The action of the city council in fixing up the main street will meet with the approval of all. It is now up to the saloon keepers in that section to remove the obnoxious outbuildings and foul smelling barrels, which have long been a disgrace and a menace to the city. This detestable spot has been a blurr to Sandon since the fire, and has been the cause of much scathing criticism of our city officials for allowing such an abominable condition to remain. No such state of affairs exists in any other incorporated town in the province and should not be permitted in this city any longer. The councils have been prevented in the past from taking action through lack of funds, but pressure has been brought to bear on the present board to clear away the obstructions complained of and the officials are taking the matter in hand. With such a good sewerage system near at hand, as the flume affords, there is no occasion in the least for the existence of the nuisance complained of in front of our churches and city hall. With very little expense to the owners, the premises could be greatly improved and the condition of the street enhanced to a vast extent. The proprietors of the Kootenay hotel, with commendable energy, fixed up their portion last year at their own expense, and to further improve the street front added a flower bed and fountain. The improvements elicited many complimentary remarks from observers, and the proprietors of the Kootenay were warmly congratulated on all sides. What has been done in this instance could be done in others. In the number of streets we can only boast of a few, but those we possess should be put in proper shape. The council intend filling in along the flume and level-off the surface. The board will petition the occupants to remove the nuisance complained of, and those that do not, so much the worse for themselves. The officials have effective measures in their hands and will not hesitate to utilize them at the proper time.

Clark vs. McCollum Case Settled.

The long-drawn action of Clark vs. Collom came to a successful termination this week, when the litigants to the dispute agreed upon a mutual basis of settlement. The case has gained considerable notoriety within the past three years through its continual postment and was to have come up for a hearing at the sittings of the Supreme court, which is now in session at Rossland.

The action arose over the sale of the well-known Arlington mine near Slocan City. About three years ago, J. K. Clark, of New Denver, plaintiff in the suit, brought action against J. F. Collom, manager of the Arlington, to recover 83,000 shares of Arlington stock, which he claimed was due him by way of commission in the sale of the property to the present company. The action was vigorously contested by the defendents on the grounds that Clark was not intrumental in the disposal of the property to the present holders. The case has been before the courts several times, and on every case postponed through the raising of some technical point. The case was brought to a final climax Tuesday in Rossland, when an agreement was arrived at by which Clark accepts a cash consideration in full settlement and withdraws his suit.

The amount in question is not given out, on the ground that value might be placed on Arlington stock by inference, this being one of the clauses in the settlement agreement.

RECTIFIES THE MISTAKE.

Vancouver Branch Turns Down Executive of Provincial Mining Association.

The executive of the Vancouver branch of Provincial Mining association this week retified a mistake, in so far as that body is concerned, by adopting a resolution, a direct refutation of the one passed by the provincial executive at Victoria, by which they requested the Ottawa government to give the smelter the lion's share of the bonus, if the Ottawa authorities should decide to do so. The following is the resolution drafted by the Vancouver branch:

Whereas, the lead mining industry is now in a demoralized state, as it cannot profitably be carried on under present conditions; and whereas, the Dominion government have been requested to render assistance by providing adequate duties on lead and its products, but have up to the present time failed to do so; and whereas, it is believed that any assitance given should be in the nature of a bonus to be paid directly to the producers of lead; therefore, be it resolved, that the Dominion government be requested to grant a bonus to the producers of lead sufficient to revive the lead mining industry, and the various industrial and commercial interests dependent upon it. Be it further resolved, that it should be carefully provided that the bonus should be paid direct to the producer, and that the smelter and transportation companies should be precluded from depriving the producer of the benefit intended to be conferred by such bonus.

Sluicing At the Wonderful.

A few men were put to work at the Wonderful this week, which has been practically closed all winter. Mr. Warner is making preparation to start sluicing as soon as water is available. Although the snow is fast disappearing on that side of the mountain very little water is obtained, there being no frost in the ground the water disappears in the earth almost immediately, and the cold night make a flow impossible. As soon as a stream is assured sluicing on the old workings will be commenced. Nearly all the ore taken from the Wonderful has been obtained in this manner, and it is hard to say what may yet be uncovered. The tunnels are too wet to work in at present. Nothing important has developed at the mine, but if the marketing of zinc was favorable Mr. Warner could ship over 200 tons without any trouble.

The Wakefield the past week has shown considerable activity. The management have finished repairing the buildings and trails around the mine and will shortly have 40 men on the payroll.

ANOTHER ZINC PLANT.

The Byron N. White Company Intend Building One at The Slocan Star.

The Slocan Star people intend shortly to commence the erection of a zinc concentrating, roasting and magnetizing plant, the plans for which are nearly complete. The Byron N. White company is applying for water rights on Sandon creek to furnish the necessary power. The difference in altitude from starting to returning point is 400 feet and ample power will be secured. The application will be given a hearing before the commissioner on the 8th of June, and when granted construction will soon follow. We are not in a position to give details, but suffice it to say the plant will be complete in every detail and electricity generated therefrom for lighting the offices, bunkhouse and other mine buildings. The company have enough zinc ore blocked out to ensure operation for an indefinite period when the plant is ready for use. The ore is rich in silver values and contains a good per centage of lead, and by the process of milling the values will be mostly all extracted from the zinc. There are many other improvements contemplated by the company to commence before long and the coming season promises to be one of the busiest in the history of that rich property.

F. L. Christie was attending court in Rossland this week.

RICH STRIKE ON EMPRESS.

Over Four Feet of Solid Ore Encountered Wednesday—Seam Widening.

A rich strike of over four feet of solid ore was uncovered on the Empress near Bear lake last Wednesday. This property is located below the rich Silver Glance and is owned by Major Vankirk. He has been working himself on the property for some time, and from indications a week ago expected to strike the vein any time. Wednesday, near evening, the Major uncovered a regular glory hole, and immediately started a bonfire to notify his friends, who were expecting a find, as a signal that the expected had happened. The find is important in other respects, as it substantially proves the existence of large and rich ore bodies at depth. Tunneling was commenced 900 feet down the face of the hill and has been driven a few hundred feet only. Another tunnel has been driven in some distance 200 feet lower down, and although work on it was discontinued for a time, it is practically certain to tap the large ore body discovered and ascertain its depth.

The Empress is a dry ore property, and the vein uncovered is very rich in silver. Many are of the opinion the new find is a continuation of the lead struck on the Silver Glance, which has been a producer from the grass roots. The ore recently taken out of this property assayed 600 ozs. silver to the ton.

The ore on the Empress is of the same high grade and the body is extending as the work is progressing. Its exact width is not known, but over four feet of clean ore has been exposed to view.

Should the discovery turn out as anticipated, Major Vankirk has a veritable bonanza. He is heavily interested in a number of other claims in the immediate vicinity, and if more strikes of this magnitude occur, Bear Lake will be a mining centre of the future.

A petition is being circulated in town asking the provincial inspector to make a much needed change in the mail service to Sandon. For some time past the mail has been exclusively carried by the C. P. R., and much inconvenience is felt. The C. P. R. is from two to five hours late almost daily, and it is only through the courtesy of the postmaster that box holders receive their mail late in the evening. Mail to and from the east of Calgary goes a roundabout way via Nelson, instead of direct by Kaslo, and should reach here at noon instead of night. There is just cause for complaint and we hope the inspector will act promptly in the matter.

The Mining Review.

SATURDAY, MAY 16, 1903.

Everything points to a Dominion general election next fall. The departments in Ottawa are preparing for it and the idea is to go to the country before Sir Wilfrid Laurier's health becomes so shattered as to force him to retire. This explains the cooking of the public accounts so as to show fake surpluses in the post office department and on the Intercolonial railway. In a series of manipulations by which large amounts due capital account are being carried over until next year, Hon. W. S. Fielding is arranging for a big surplus for the fiscal year. This balance, which will be reached on the "robbing Peter to pay Paul" basis, will result in an enormous deficit during 1903-04, but it will then be beyond the ability of the people to punish the offenders. The whole arrangement is looked upon as a carefully laid plot to deceive the electorate as to the real condition of the country's finances. Sir William Mulock's action in representing his department as having a surplus of $5,000, which the Auditor General declares is a deficit of $380,000, furnishes an excellent example of the lengths to which the present ministers of the crown are prepared to go in order to lead the people astray. When the year 1903-04 is fully exposed the supposed surpluses will have disappeared and instead the offsetting shortage will be a boomerang to those who put their trust in the Liberal leaders.

The provincial legislature adjourned for another week on account of the investigation into the Columbia & Western land grant. Whatever the finding of the committee, the province will have to thank Wells and Dunsmuir for the prevention of one of the most gigantic steals in the history of Canada. The outcome means the overthrow of C. P. R. domination in British Columbia. As the enquiry proceeds the exposure of the railway officials is not very edifying. Sir Thos. Shaughnessy and Geo. McL. Brown have been flatly contradicted by Commissioner Wells in regard to handing over the grants in dispute. He states emphatically that the deeds never left his hands and sticks to his statement. The railway officials declare otherwise, but have not proved their contention. The scapegoat of the scandal appears to be Attorney General Eberts. He appears to be the most implicated towards giving away the lands to the railway for a share in the allotment to himself, and his expulsion from the cabinet is looked for.

The Montreal Star advances the following sensible argument for building up Canada to the parties most concerned in the welfare of the country:

"To the Government of Canada.

Give the manufacturers, workingmen, and farmers of Canada the same kind of tariff as that which has made the United States the home of the most prosperous manufacturers, workingmen and farmers in the world.

To the Manufacturer of Canada.

Force the government to give you as good a tariff as that which has made the American manufacturers rich. When you get this tariff, pay your Canadian workmen American wages.

To the Workingmen of Canada.

Take a leaf out of the book of the American workingman. Help your employers to obtain for themselves and for you a Canada-for-Canadians tariff.

To the Farmers of Canada.

Profit by the experience of the American farmers, the wealthiest farmers in the world, who support a high tariff and prosper under it and because of it."

The dock laborers strike in Montreal was called off last Monday. The men received practically all they asked for except recognition of the union. The strikers fought hard to obtain the latter which was the cause of the strike, but the shippers were firm in refusal. The trouble crippled ocean traffic to that port. A large number of ships of the various trans-Atlantic lines were tied up at the docks, and unable to unload their cargoes. Work is now in full swing and the men are as eager as the shippers to raise the congestion of traffic and resume business. The strike was keenly felt throughout the city and many other places, and the relief is great now it is over.

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The colony of Victoria, in the Australian Commonwealth, the home of socialism, has a big strike on hand. Practically every trade and calling in that country is unionized, and all the unions are amalgamated under an executive body called the Trades Hall. The state owns and operates the railways and all employees receive a pension from the government for length of service, upon retirement. The employees recently decided to affiliate themselves with the trades hall. The government demanded the men to withdraw, on the ground that if a general strike was ordered the men would have to go out and the railways would be tied up. In the event of the men not complying to the request, they would be discharged. The employees refused, but superceded the action of the government, and went out on strike. Traffic for a time was paralyzed, but the trouble is now rapidly being overcome. Old retired engineers have been called out to replace the strikers and university students mobilised to protect traffic. The government have the difficulty well in hand and have notified the strikers their length of service pensions will be withdrawn. There is a possibility of all the employees on the railways in New South Wales going out in sympathy, and if they do the outcome is hard to foretell. From this it is evident that with all the benefits heralded by socialism it does not bring harmony in labor cirles.

The Ozonagram has made its appearance, but has not been noticed very much by the provincial papers. Those that did express an opinion did not think much of it, and those that didn't the ragtime editors don't think much of them. The "literary cyclone" has left no trail behind it.

The Liberal party at Ottawa seem to be divided on the tariff issue. From the speeches delivered on the budget some want protection, others free trade, a few want reciprocity, and a number want nothing but their salary.

Coal is now being brought from Japan to the coast to meet the demand caused by the closing down of the Dunsmuir collieries. A big howl about cheap Japanese labor may be expected to follow.

When it comes to a political scandal British Columbia takes the lead. The Gamey episode in Ontario is nothing in comparison to the disgraceful exposure of land grabbing now being investigated in Victoria.

Metal Quotations.

Silver, 54⅝c per oz.
Copper, $15 per cental
Lead, $4.35 per cental
Spelter (zinc) $5 77

Lead is quoted in the London market at £11 16s 3d, and silver at 25 1-16d.

W. H. Dorman, Postoffice Inspector, is now on a tour of inspection of the offices of this district. It is hoped that when he comes to Sandon he will make the much needed change in the mail service, whereby the mail will reach here at noon instead of night.

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The Silver Situation.

One of the most interesting features in the general financial situation during the past fortnight or so has been the decided advance which has been taking place in the price of bar silver together with the attending improvement in India exchange and in the premium upon gold at the City of Mexico. At the beginning of the present year bar silver was quoted in the neighborhood 22½d. per ounce at London and 48 cents at New York. Early in the year there was a decline from these figures, and all appearances justified the belief that the downward tendency would continue and carry silver to a much lower level than had yet been seen. There was also a rise in the Mexican gold premium to the neighborhood of 270.

It is only about a month since a change in this situation began to become apparent. Prices for bar silver strengthened considerably as soon as it was announced that the Congress of the United States at its recent session had passed the act providing for the purchase of about $7,000,000 worth of bar silver for coinage into the new Philippine Island pesos which are to be exchangeable for American dollars at the fixed ratio of 50 cents on the dollar. At the same time, it was understood that the Mexican government was making sensible progress in its efforts to secure a more stable basis for exchange between that country and the gold-currency nations with which its external trade is conducted. It was not until a fortnight ago, however, that the rise in silver became accentuated. The movement, once started, assumed great headway, and, as was pointed out in these columns a week ago, silver prices attained a higher level than they have reached in several years. This was due primarily to the buying of about 500,000 ounces each week by the United States treasury for the Philippine coinage, which materially reduced the floating supply of the metal and curtailed the amount offered in London, where, as has recently been the case, there was a considerable amount needed to supply engagements for shipments to the east, made in connection with what are termed contracts for forward delivered. London, in other words, was short of silver, and the demand thus created forced a sharp rise which carried the price of metal in that market in the early part of the present week up to as high as 25 1-16d. per ounce, while at New York the quotation for commercial bars reached the level of 54¾ cents. This was accompanied by a sharp drop in the Mexican exchange rate, gold being quoted in the City of Mexico at as low as 220, which represented a drop of 50 points. There naturally has been a reaction from the advance, silver, both at London and New York, selling off on the reduction of the demand to recover shorts at the former city and on realizing sale by the speculative interests which had been induced to buy the metal by the prospect of the rise.

For the time being, however, silver promises to remain around the present figures, the most cogent reason for this being that the United States government is still in the market and will have to buy upward of 4,000,000 ounces more in order to complete the requirements for the new Philippine coinage. What will occur thereafter it is impossible to foretell. At the same time, there is a feeling in well-informed circles that a change for the better has occurred in the position and prospects of the silver market, and that the metal is likely to remain upon a somewhat higher level than it has recently enjoyed.—Bradstreets.

J. A. Pound is beautifying the interior of the Filbert with alabastine the past few days.

Rev. Father Cocalo, the venerable Indian missionary, came in town Wednesday and left for the St. Eugene mission the following day. He will officiate in Sandon once in a while until a successor to Father Cote is appointed.

Slocan Ore Shipments.

The following are the ore shipments from the Slocan since the 1st of January, 1903, to date:

SANDON.	
Payne	517
Slocan Star	869½
Ivanhoe	251¾
American Boy	380
Reco	134
Ruth	140
Blue Bird	20
Idaho	21
Monitor	420
Queen Bess	144
Total	2905¼
ZINC.	
Payne	773
Ivanhoe	180
Total	953
MCGUIGAN.	
Rambler	551½
Antoine	119
Red Fox	46
Slocan Boy	16
Silver Glance	55
Surprise	4½
Rio	9
Bismark	18½
Total	819½
SLOCAN LAKE POINTS.	
Arlington	40
Black Prince	17
Bondholder	2
Bosun	520
Dayton	4
Enterprise	205
Fisher Maiden	280
Ottawa	126
Hartney	21
Republic	20
Meteor	12
Total	1247

A Farmer Cured of Rheumatism.

"A man living on a farm near here came in a short time ago was completely doubled up with rheumatism. I handed him a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and told him to use it freely and if not satisfied after using it he need not pay a cent for it," says C. P. Rayder, of Patten's Mills, N. Y. "A few days later he walked into the store as straight as a string and handed me a dollar saying, 'give me another bottle of Chamberlains's Pain Balm. I want it in the house all the time for it cured me.'" For sale by F. J. Donaldson.

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Interesting Mining Notes.

One twentieth of the wealth of the German nation is in 6,900 stock companies.

The total output of gold from the Canadian Yukon since the country was first entered exceeds $80,000,000.

More ore was mined and hoisted to surface at Lake Superior iron mines the past winter than ever before.

Not the most valuable, but one of the most beautiful in appearance of Australian gold nuggets was the Victorian, found in White Horse Gully, Bendigo. It was purchased by the Victorian parliament for $8,250 and presented to the late Queen Victoria.

The record for shaft sinking still lies with South Africa. At the Wolhuter mine, the Rand, where sinking is now at a depth of 1,500 feet, the main shaft on the vien was sunk 209 feet during November. The same shaft has a record of 774 feet in four months divided as follows: 197 in August, 182 in Septembe, 204 in October and 206 in November.

Heretofore Great Britain has had the monopoly of the diamond business in Africa, which is practically that of the world. There have been no other mines that approached those of the famous Kimberly district in richness. But Germany hopes to be able soon to dispute England's title as the world's diamond monopolist. Rich fields are said to have been discovered in German Southwest Africa, which it is hoped will rival the wonderful De Beers mines. Some capitalists of Bremen, headed by Senator Achelis, have organized a syndicate to work these new found mines, and the German newspapers are already prophesying the coming end of the British monopoly of the diamond business.

His Opinion.

Bishop C. C. McCabe, one of the most prominent men of the Methodist Episcopal church, tells on amusing incident at his own expense arising from confusion of similar names.

The bishop says that while he was in Fort Worth, Texas, during the the discussion of an Anglo-American alliance, a New York newspaper wired him for his opinion on the subject. The telegram read as follows:

"C. C. McCabe, Ft. Worth, Texas; What is your opinion of the Anglo-American alliance? Please wire us answer."

Now it happens that there resides in Fort Worth, Texas, a quite well-known citizen of the name of C. C. McCabe. The telegraph company, knowing C. C. McCabe better than the visiting bishop, delivered the message at the former's house. The recipient was considerably surprised at such a request for his opinion, but reasoning it out one way or another, he concluded to answer it, and wrote across the face of the message that he had received, his answer as follows:

"It is a damn good thing."

The surprise in the office of the New York newspaper at such a violent expression coming from a good Methodist Bishop can well be imagined, and a second telegram more plainly addressed succeeded in reaching Bishop McCabe. His opinion on the subject and explanations followed.

Development Syndicates.

The prospector is a natural gambler; he is an optimist par excellence: he lives on hope, light, air, and scenery, and erects his "Castles in Spain" with unfailing industry from every prospect hole he works, notwithstanding he may be doomed to disappointment again and again. He always looks for the bonanza shoot at the next shot, and delves his way into the hills persistantly and patiently year after year. While practically discouraged from lack of results, he has acquired the habit of hope and so works until he can no longer acquire a grub stake. This class of men usually ready to give a very favorable bond are and lease on their property, and for a comparatively few dollars, surrender the control to a company with capital to develop, preferring to retain a small nonassessable interest in a growing proposition than to own all of a dead one. A developing syndicate or a pool can often for a few thousand dollars take such a property and by judicious development, put it in a shape to sell for ten times the amount it cost. There is however, no limit to the activity that could be given by the operations of such an association, to all lines of business, which, by the way, are alwaye keenly in touch with prosperity in mining.

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CITY OF SANDON.

COURT OF REVISION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ANnual Sitting of the Court of Revision for the purpose of hearing all complaints against the Assessment for the year 1903, as made by the Assessor of the City of Sandon, B. C., will be held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, Sandon, B. C., on Tuesday, June 16th, 1903, at 3 o'clock, p. m.

C. E. LYONS, City Clerk.

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Leave.		Arrive.
9:25 a. m	Spokane	5:45 p.m.
10:15 a. m	Rossland	2:10 p. m.
7:00 a. m	Nelson	8:00 p. m.
11:00 a. m	Grand Forks	4:00 p. m.
9:15 a. m	Republic	5:40 p. m.

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Kaslo & Slocan Railway Company.

NOTICE.

Commencing Sunday, August 17th, 1902, the following time card will be in effect on Kootenay Lake and K. & S. Ry.

KASLO & SLOCAN RAILWAY.

KASLO-SANDON ROUTE.

9:00 a.m. leave	Kaslo	arrive 3:15 p. m
10:40 a.m. leave	Whitewater	leave 1:42 p. m
11:00 a.m. leave	McGuigan	leave 1:22 p. m
11:25 a.m. arrive	Sandon	leave 1:00 p. m

A direct connection is made at Kaslo with steamer both to and from Nelson.

STEAMER SERVICE.

KASLO-NELSON ROUTE.

5:00 a. m. leave	Nelson	arrive 7:15 p.m
3:35 p.m. arrive	Kaslo	leave 8:40 p. m

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Local News Notes.

N. J. Kavanaugh spent Sunday and Monday last in New Denver.

E. R. Atherton was in Nelson the first part of the week on business.

Chas. Dickson, manger for H. Giegerich, spent Saturday and Sunday last in Kaslo.

John McKinnon left Monday for Grand Forks where he intends to reside for a time.

Miss Jack has returned from Spokane, where she has been spending the past few weeks.

The Yale-Columbia Lumber Co. is erecting a sawmill with a daily capacity of 40,000 feet at Cascade.

A. C. Garde, manager of the Payne, returned Monday from a business trip to Nelson, Rossland and other points.

R. H. Trueman, photographer, came town Monday and has opened his studio for photography in all its branches.

After attending college in San Francisco the past year Bert Sharpe is in the city spending a short vacation with his parents.

A man is judged by the clothes he wears at business, and some women by the clothes tickets they leave in the ballroom.

Angus Cameron, who has been spending several months past with the old folks in Glengarry, returned to town Wednesday.

The logging camps on Slocan lake are closed for the season and the men from Sandon, who had contracts, have come back to town.

D. P. Kane, of Kaslo, was in the city a few days this week in the city looking up business for the North American Life Insurance Co.

The restaurant in connection with the Sandon hotel was closed last Tuesday. This leaves the Sandon Chop House and the Filbert the only restaurants now in business.

There is a change of venue around the Ledge office. The editor "pro tem" of that print is now a local preacher. He held forth in the Methodist church here last Sunday and expounded "Business Principles" to a small congregation.

Robt. McTaggart has accepted a position with the Ontario-Slocan Lumber Syndicate, which is operating a mill at the head of Slocan lake.

Kaslo will have a baby show among its Victoria Day attractions. May the Lord have mercy on the judges as the disappointed mothers won't.

All miner's licenses expire the last of this month. The 31st of May falling on Sunday, the time for renewal has been extended until 4 p. m. on June 1st.

The Payne tram cable was repaired and materially strengthened the first of the week. The tram is taxed to its utmost to keep the mill in supply and every precaution is taken to prevent mishaps.

The Granby Mining company contemplate increasing the capacity of their smelter from 1600 to 2200 tons daily. They expect with the increased smelting capacity to produce 15,000,000 lbs. of copper this year.

Windy Bill and Sandy Cameron are preparing for any races that may take place nearby on Victoria day. In a trial spint on Monday 400 yards and handicap all records were broken, but unfortunately the time was lost or in dispute.

The Clara Hanmer company billed to appear here last Monday and two following nights, failed to put in an appearance. From a financial standpoint on the troupe's behalf, it is a good thing they did not. The opera was so poorly advertised that more than half our residents knew nothing about it, and consequently was doomed to failure.

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