

# Local News Briefs

**Scouts on Duty**—Thirty-three Boy Scouts were on duty Friday to assist in helping as guides on the Willamette campus for the Christian Endeavor convention. The sight-seeing tour to the principal points of interest in Salem was led by Scouts in a form of a color guard. Scouts in a group of 12 were on duty through the convention to help to guide the delegates and help in any way possible and 100 have responded. Troops 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9 and 12 were represented. Harvey Finn and Bill Towne were in charge.

**Dance at Armory**, Sat. "Boots" Grant and Band. 25 cents.

Nothing reserved, everything reduced 25%. G. W. Johnson Co.

**Gas Sales Drop**—Gasoline sales in Oregon for the first three months of 1934, aggregated 34,368,794.5 gallons as against 35,769,805.25 gallons during the same three months in 1933. P. J. Stadelman, secretary of state, reported Friday. The decrease in sales for 1934 totalled 1,401,010.75 gallons. The gasoline tax for the first three months of this year is \$1,439,458.71 as compared with \$1,430,458.71 during the same period in 1933.

**Miller's 14th Anniversary Today.** Before you detour on N. Capital go to Hill's for Wimpy Hamburger

**Demos Show Gain**—The democratic registration for five counties reporting Friday, including Clatsop, Union, Yamhill, Lake and Deschutes, for the primary election May 18, showed a material increase over the registration for the special election in 1933. The republican registration showed a gain in Yamhill and Lake counties.

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**Asks \$10,000 Damages**—An amended complaint in which Matilda Gordon asks \$10,000 damages from O. Ogden for alleged injuries received from statements the defendant is held to have made concerning plaintiff's business, was filed in circuit court yesterday. Plaintiff does business under the name of the Oregon School of Beauty Culture.

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**More Checks Out**—Old age pension warrants for 67 more persons in Marion county have been sent out this week from the clerk's office. The checks totalled \$125,000 and cover a three months' period.

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**Asks License**—Application for a marriage license was filed yesterday at the county clerk's office. Olin Hammons, 25, Brooks, a farmer, asked permission to wed Pearl Fuller, 19, Brooks, a housekeeper.

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**To Attend Funeral**—George W. Hug, superintendent of Salem schools, left late last night for LaGrande to attend the funeral of his eldest sister, Mrs. James Stotts, who died there yesterday morning.

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# Obituary

**Mott**  
Mrs. Eleanor M. Mott, at Fair Oaks, Cal. Survived by parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Duetken of West Salem; brothers, Ira of Astoria and Frank of West Salem; sisters, Mrs. Marcella Stielman of Portland and Mrs. Louise Monaco of Twin Rocks, Ore.; one son, Everett Mott of Fair Oaks. Services from the Clough - Barrick chapel, Monday, April 23, at 1:30 p. m. Interment Belcrest Memorial park.

**Siedler**  
A. Siedler, in this city, April 20, at the age of 86 years. Funeral services will be announced later by Clough-Barrick company.

**Brown**  
Mrs. Elva B. Brown, at the residence, 590 State street, Thursday, April 19, at the age of 78 years. Survived by widower, William Brown of Salem, two sisters, Mrs. Rudolph Praet and Mrs. W. H. Eldridge of Portland; daughter-in-law, Mrs. Clifford Brown; two grandsons, Chandler and Werner Brown, and a great-granddaughter, Vivienne Brown, all of Salem. Funeral services will be held from the residence Saturday, April 21, at 10 a. m., under direction of Clough-Barrick company. Dr. William Elliott, officiating minister. Interment City View cemetery.

**Wilson**  
In Humboldt county, California, April 19, John H. Wilson at the age of 62 years. Leaves son, Hamlin Wilson, and daughter, Margaret Wilson. Funeral services from the chapel of W. T. Rigdon & Son, Rev. Messrs. Caldwell and Weston officiating. Interment City View cemetery.

**Coming Events**  
April 19-22—State Christian Endeavor convention; Willamette gym.  
April 21—Truckowners and Farmers' Protective association, 284 North Commercial, 8 p. m.  
April 24—Retail Merchants and Meats Dealers' code meeting, chamber of commerce, 8 p. m.  
April 25—Marion county W. C. T. U. meeting in Leslie Memorial church, 10 a. m.  
April 27—Annual spring program, County Federation of Community clubs.  
June 4-5—State convention, Disabled American Veterans of World War.  
June 10-21—Western P. I. at quarantine board meets here.

**School Vote Impossible**—There are two reasons why the question of voting on the county unit school law cannot be referred to the voters of Lake county at the primary election, Attorney General Van Winkle held in an opinion handed down yesterday. The first of these is that the primary election is solely for the purpose of nominating candidates, and that any other matters would have to be submitted at a special election. The other reason is that such special election, if held at the time of the primary election, would come within 60 days prior to the annual school meeting. The opinion was asked by Charles H. Combs, district attorney of Lake county.

**Honest reductions on honest merchandise.** G. W. Johnson Co.  
**Miller's 14th Anniversary Today.**  
**Dance, Turner, Sat. Nite, 25c.**

**Case Continued**—Hearing for W. B. Creasy on an n.s.f. check charge was continued from Friday to next Wednesday at 2 p. m. before Judge Hayden.

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# Indians Beat Clodhoppers; Margin 10-2

Chemawa Indian school's baseball team gave the "clodhoppers" of Salem high a setback in their first start Friday afternoon on the Chemawa diamond, 10 to 2. The Salem boys who have had no infield practice because of the unfavorable condition of Olinger field, were greatly handicapped against a team which has been practicing and playing games for over a month.

Salem's only scores came when Jimmy Nicholson hit a home run with Quistad on base, in the eighth inning. Ike Wintermute hit two three-baggers but died on third both times, both coming when two were out.

Hatch with three hits, two of them two-baggers, led the Indian assault upon Sherrill and Witzel, Salem pitchers who however would not have fared badly had their error not been up to standard. Errors contributed to each of Chemawa's three rallies. The Indians scored three runs in the first inning, four in the fifth and three in the sixth. Witzel relieved Sherrill in the midst of the fifth inning disaster. Wetzsel struck out two batsmen in each of the last two innings.

Salem	AB	R	H
Salstrom ss	4	0	1
Miller 2b	2	0	0
Steinke 2b	3	0	1
Quistad 3b	3	1	0
Nicholson cf	4	1	1
Faist 1b	1	0	0
Kizel 1b	2	0	0
Wintermute lf	4	2	0
Grabenhorst rf	3	0	0
Gwynn c	1	0	0
Akers c	2	0	1
Sherrill p	2	0	0
Witzel p	2	0	0
Totals	33	2	6

Chemawa	AB	R	H
Bobb 2b	4	0	0
Jones lf	4	2	1
Hatch cf	4	2	3
Spencer rf	3	2	0
Wildes ss	4	1	2
Zundie 3b	4	0	1
Baker 1b	4	1	1
Baker 1b	4	1	0
G. Baker p	4	1	2
Totals	35	10	10

# Beaver Tackle Prospects are Much Brighter

CORVALLIS, April 20. — (AP) — Coach Alonzo L. Stiner of Oregon State college today became the proud father of Alonzo Junior, a 9½ pound son.

Upon realizing the ambition shared by many coaches, Stiner was smiling more broadly today than after his football team halted University of Southern California's winning streak last fall. The Stiners have a daughter five years of age.

# Legion Juniors to Start Work

Salem's American Legion Junior baseball aspirants, at least 25 strong, will get together for practice for the first time this morning at 9 o'clock on Olinger field. George Malstrom is in charge of the team this year.

Of last year's players only Akers, catcher, is eligible for further competition so the field is wide open for youthful aspirants.

**BEAR OARSMEN WIN**  
OAKLAND, Cal., April 20. — (AP) — University of California's varsity and junior varsity crews defeated University of California at Los Angeles oarsmen in easy fashion today in races on Oakland estuary.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to neighbors and friends also Salem General Hospital for beautiful floral offerings, sympathy and kindness extended us during the illness and death of our beloved mother.  
E. J. PEARCE and family.

**Cash Paid For Eggs**  
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# BREITENBUSH WILL SEE DEVELOPMENT

To be Over-Night Stopping Place on Loop Highway  
**Bruckman Believes**

Development of Breitenbush as an over-night stopping place on a scenic weekend loop drive from Portland, traveling out through Government Camp and back via the North Santiam highway and Salem is entirely likely, M. D. Bruckman, owner of the Mineral Hot Springs there, feels. Bruckman was in Salem yesterday conferring with the county court relative to improving the North Santiam highway east of Mill City in order that the loop route may be used this summer.

The forest road from Olallie lake and other lakes in the Cascades will be complete from Government Camp into Breitenbush Springs by July 1, according to Bruckman.

With the completion of this forest road, of which only a few miles remain to be surfaced, the Springs will be only 122 miles from Portland, by way of the Sky Line road. The return trip to Portland from Breitenbush would bring the loop journey to 246 miles.

Mr. Bruckman believes that with the roads open all the way through and east of travel, many Portland residents will drive to the Springs Saturday afternoon, remain there over night and start return to Portland by way of Salem Sunday afternoon.

This jaunt would bring in prominence one of the most scenic but little-known spots in Oregon, the gorge near Niagara on the North Santiam highway. Breitenbush Springs is only 72 miles from Salem with paved roads 40 miles to Mill City and forest roads the remainder of the distance, making about a two and one-half hour drive from Salem.

# COOLEY OPENS IRIS GARDENS TO PUBLIC

SILVERTON, April 20.—The Cooley Iris gardens at Silverton will be open to the public Sunday and all of next week. Approximately 200 varieties will be in bloom at this time among them such lovely ones as Zuni, a bronze, Legend, one of the best purple, Indian Chief, the very popular red, Alta California, a clear yellow and San Francisco and Purissima, both white.

There are also many sweet varieties from leading American introducers and French and English growers. The gardens are located in Geiser addition right off from the James Avenue bridge at Silverton and the Cooleys are inviting all garden lovers to visit at the Gardens at anytime during the coming week as at that time the irises will be at their best.

# ESTHER ANN GRACE IS CALLED BEYOND

SILVERTON, April 20.—Funeral services for Mrs. Esther Ann Grace, 84, who died at her home here last night, will be held from the Ekman funeral home Sunday at 2:30 p. m. with interment at the Silverton cemetery.

Esther Ann Hill was born in Wayne County, Iowa, and crossed the plains with her parents when she was 11 years old. On December 24, 1865 she married Oliver Grace who died some years ago. Five children were born, three of whom survive, Theodore Grace and Mrs. Daisy Wood of Silverton and Mrs. W. L. Jerman of Portland, 11 grandchildren and 17 great grandchildren.

# \$140,000 More is Estimated Boost in Worker Return

The Independence area will have an increased payroll of \$140,000 this year as result of increases in wages in the hop yards within a five-mile radius of the town, according to figures compiled there this week. The wages are up 20 per cent over last year, or 25 cents per hour this season. Laborers in the hop field will receive \$85,000 this year, compared to \$700,000 last year.

About 5000 acres of hops are estimated to be in bearing within five miles of Independence, or about 25 per cent of the state's total acreage.

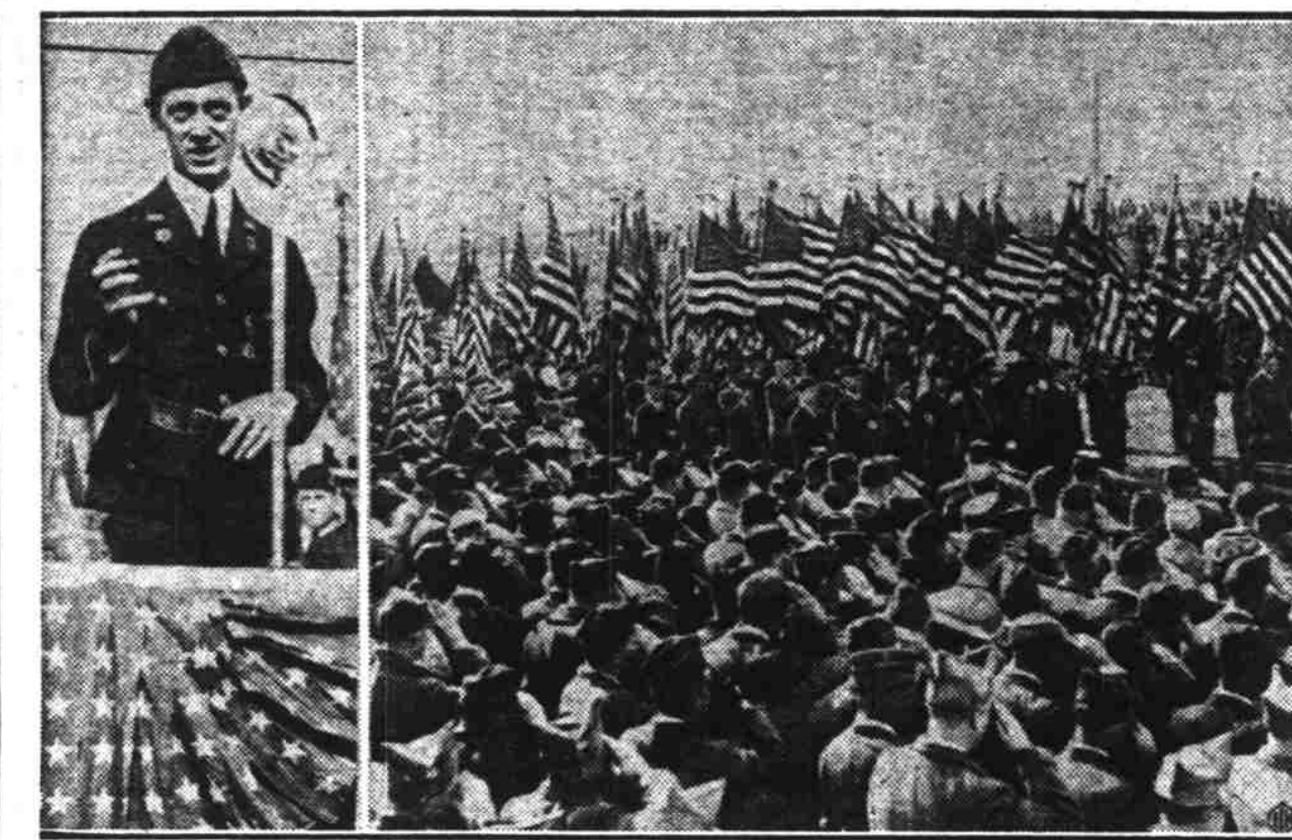
# \$11,355 Sought in Car Damage Trial

A damage action involving an \$11,355 claim on the part of the plaintiff Mary A. Crozier, against W. T. Rigdon & Son and Charles W. Claggett, is to go to the jury here some time today. The case was begun Friday morning before Judge L. H. McMahan.

Plaintiff asserts she received permanent injuries when a car driven by Claggett backed into her last August at Liberty and Division streets. She alleges negligence on the defendants' part; the latter placed the blame for the mishap on the plaintiff.

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# Legion Head Answers Critics



Part of the huge parade of 10,000 American Legionnaires who gathered at Mineola, L. I., to hear National Commander Edward A. Hayes defend Legion policies shown as he addressed the gathering in defense of recently attacked by noted clergymen throughout the nation, pictured with forest of flags during march past the reviewing stand. At left Commander Hayes is Commander Edward A. Hayes.

# West Salem News

WEST SALEM, April 20.—Rev. Kimball K. Clark conducted devotionals at the Deaconess hospital and at the meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union in Salem, this week. He also officiated at a wedding ceremony at the parsonage here, uniting Ivan Wickershaw of Jefferson and Phyllis Palmerton of Independence in marriage.

Committeemen named to arrange for an all day picnic meeting for the Polk County Federation of community clubs to be held May 6 consists of George Chapman, Fred Gibson and W. Harry Wiedmaier, who will plan the route, place and other important picnic details.

**Pian Kangaroo Court**  
A kangaroo court is being planned for the next meeting of the West Salem community club with Mayor Guy C. Newgent to act as judge, Lynn L. Sloper prosecuting attorney, Elmer D. Cook sheriff, and Lyle Thomas and Fred Gibson prisoners accused of running for office.

Mrs. Wilbur McCune of Portland, niece of Mrs. Newgent, is a guest of Mayor and Mrs. G. C. Newgent. Visiting recently at the John A. Gosser home were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sebern of Woodburn, former residents of West Salem. Miss Edith Hill of Portland was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James B. Jacobs the first of this week. Francis Howard of Mosier, son-in-law, was a visitor at K. K. Clark's home part of this week.

The lake at the foot of Klingwood Terrace, heretofore a mass of cat-tail flags, water weeds and reeds, has been plowed and placed under cultivation for the first time this spring, due to the presence of the drainage ditch beside it. There are several acres of fine rich soil thus reclaimed.

# GASOLINE ORDER IS PLACED FOR STATE

The state board of control, through William Einzig, secretary, yesterday placed an order with the Union Oil company for 30,000 gallons of first - structure gasoline, or approximately three tank cars, P. O. B. Tacoma, Wash., at 6 1/2 cents. The first car was to leave Tacoma early today.

Einzig said that cost of this gasoline to the state would be 12.32 cents per gallon delivered in Salem or approximately one cent less than the price of 13 cents in the existing contract between the state and the gasoline company. The present contract between the state and the oil companies, which expires May 1, applies to bulk deliveries in Portland. The cost of transporting gasoline from Portland to Salem is approximately one-half cent a gallon.

Service station charges to the state under the existing contract are 16 cents per gallon, while the price in other sections of the state is based on the Portland quotation, plus the transportation charges. Einzig declared that gasoline purchases made by the state on the Tacoma quotation would save the state even a larger amount of money after May 1.

# Spaulding to Be Speaker Sunday at Worker Hall

Senator Charles K. Spaulding will be the Open Forum speaker Sunday evening at 8 o'clock at the Workers' Hall, 284 North Commercial street.

He will discuss the local economic situation, touching on unemployment, insurance, the tax problem, highway situation, and other important issues confronting the people of this district.

There will be a discussion period after the speaking in which the public is invited to take part. The open forum is open to the public at all times and extends an invitation to all groups, political parties, or individuals who feel that they have a message to present to the people for their benefit.

# Income, Excise Taxes Now Over Million for '34

Actual receipts from the personal income, intangibles and corporation excise tax laws for the year 1934, based on incomes for 1933, now aggregate \$1,056,541, according to figures released by the state tax commission yesterday.

The tax commission originally estimated that the three tax laws would produce approximately \$1,900,000. With future payments, the amount now received for the year 1934, will be increased to \$1,700,000 the tax commissioners said.

This is approximately \$150,000 below the original estimate.

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# Walbridge May Go Higher With Case

Counsel for Perry H. Walbridge, insurance agency manager, was undecided yesterday whether an appeal from the verdict returned against Walbridge her Thursday would be carried to the state supreme court. The defendant has 60 days in which to perfect his appeal.

Ten of the 12 jurors who heard the case in which Robert R. Laughlin sought \$35,000 damages from Walbridge for alienation of his wife's affections, voted for the plaintiff on the first ballot, it was learned yesterday. One juror was undecided and one was originally for the defendant. Later the jurors vote unanimously against the defendant.

On the first ballot on damages to give Laughlin, five jurors each voted for \$35,000, one voted for \$1000 and the remainder voted for intermediate amounts. The sum of \$15,000 is understood to have been determined by compromise.

Judge L. H. McMahan presided at the case. Counsel for Walbridge expressed "surprise and shock" yesterday at the verdict.

# Big Advance for Business Shown in March Figures

Business in Portland shows a great increase in March, 1934, over the same month in the previous year, according to David Eccles, editor of Commonweath, Inc. His figures were published yesterday for the Salem Ad club. They follow:

	1934	1933
Gen. business	85	49
Lumber (mil. feet)	90	40
Bank debts (mil. dol.)	145	80
Elec. power (mil. K.H.)	75	60
Wheat ship (mil. bu.)	3	5
Bank loans (mil. dol.)	35	30
Wool consump. (lb.)	280,000	160,000
Flour ship (bbl.)	190,000	160,000
Bank deposits (mil. dol.)	115	96
Livestock (head)	27,000	25,000
Paper ship (tons)	15,000	11,000
Foreign trade (tons)	125,000	50,000
Auto sales (cars)	670	180
Real estate transfers	950	700

# 54 Lose Licenses in Month Due to Drunken Driving

Seventy drivers licenses were revoked or suspended during the month of March, P. J. Stadelman, secretary of state, reported yesterday. Fifty-four of the suspensions and revocations were for drunken driving.

Stadelman said more drivers licenses were revoked or suspended during March than in any other single month in the history of the state motor vehicle department.

He said this might have been due to better cooperation between the courts and the officers.

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# John Wilson Dies Suddenly in South

John Wilson, 62, a Salem resident since 1920, died suddenly Thursday morning at Welchpec, Calif. He went south only two weeks ago to make his home with his daughter, Margaret, who with her brother, Hamlin Wilson, is engaged in independent missionary work among the Indians at Welchpec.

Mr. Wilson had ridden his bicycle to mail a letter Thursday morning and had just dismounted to converse with an Indian when he was seized with a heart attack, dying before a doctor arrived.

Wilson was born in Jacksonville, Ill., July, 1871, and about 1900 was married to Mary Elizabeth Linton at Columbus, Indiana, where they resided until moving to North Dakota in 1916. In 1920 they came to Oregon, settling within a short time in Salem. Mrs. Wilson died here five years ago.

He leaves only the son Hamlin, and daughter Margaret, at Welchpec. Funeral services will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Rigdon mortuary, with Rev. W. H. Caldwell of the Christian and Missionary alliance officiating. Wilson had attended the alliance faithfully since 1922. Interment will be in City View cemetery.

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# VISIT CHICAGO FAIR ELKINGTON URGES

Chicago abounds with rackets and speakies are numerous but the world's fair is a joy to behold and the costs of the trip there and of one's stay in Chicago are not excessive. Such was the summary made yesterday by the Salem Ad club of a trip last summer made by Professor Harold C. Elkington, head of the department of business administration at Linfield college, and guest of the club for the day.

Elkington said the fair made him optimistic showing him the progress of the last 100 years and convincing him beyond doubt that great advances were in store for American citizens. "We shall have indirect lighting everywhere in a few years," Elkington predicted. "We shall have better arranged and appearing homes. I am convinced television is coming within five years into general use. The employment of the so-called 'electric eye' with which amazing devices can be operated, has only begun."

In summarizing his trip, Elkington urged everyone who could to attend the world's fair. He said he was convinced personally that it would reveal to many that the capitalist system was not going to pieces, that private profit had been a boon to American development and that all that business needed was sensible control in the public interest.

# ASPARAGUS PACK IS WOUND UP QUICKLY

Mild weather and inroads of the asparagus beetle combined to put an early end to the asparagus pack at the Reid, Murdoch company cannery here, with the job virtually wound up Friday afternoon. Enough asparagus was handled to supply the samples needed for next season. Manager Ray Yocum says. Next season will be the first big pack from the asparagus fields planted for the company.

The open winter and early spring has advanced fruits so that gooseberries will be going through the local canneries in another 10 days or less and it is now estimated Marshall strawberries will be ready for the cold pack season about the middle of May. First strawberries were reported starting to turn red about a week ago.

Contracts on berries are largely of the open end variety, though there have been a few reports from the country of five cent offers for strawberries.

# Beginning Monday April 23, 8 p. m. LECTURES

"The New Psychology" by **Verona Hull** Radio Lecturer **Nelson Auditorium** April 23, 24, 25 and 26 8:00 p. m. (For Men and Women)

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