CURRENT EVENTS WOOL GROWERS MEET **OF THE WEEK**

Doings of the World at Large Told in Brief.

General Resume of Important Events Presented in Condensed Form for Our Busy Readers.

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Cincinnati loses her finest building, loss about \$1,000,000-

A hurricane off the coast of West Australia wrecked a pearling fleet and drowned 40 men.

been selected to succeed W. E. Corey as president of the Steel trust.

Senator LaFollette, of Wisconsin, campaign expenses in that state.

A hotel clerk of El Paso, Tex., has Jan. 5.

have perished.

Aviator Latham fell 30 feet at San Francisco, striking a barbed wire fence and wrecking his machine, but escaped unhurt.

Big financiers maintain confidence in New York's troubled banks.

Washington state capitol and women o'clock when the national convention either as individuals or as a nation, are snubbed.

Suffragettes raised a serious dis-

rect election of senators.

Independent automobile manufacturers won in the Court of Appeals against the illegal trust.

reapportioned and it is expected Oregon will get her fair share.

Defining legal and illegal restraint of trusts occupied the attention of the court for a day in the Tobacco trust suit.

The house sustained Speaker Canporary victory.

and the Republicans.

winter in years and is badly in need overlook anything.

the farmer who now sells his hay and grain to the woolgrower at a AND DISCUSS TARIFF LAW profitable figure will have to seel other markets or will be compelled to reduce his price.

Delivers Able Address.

question.

the Armory

was called to order.

"The great west is able, when de-President Frank W. Gooding. of Idaho, veloped, for many years to take care of the growth of the United States, PORTLAND-"Sixty-five dollars was to furnish food and material for cloth the price I paid for the suit I am wearing the rapidly increasing city popuing on this platform this morning," ex. lations of the east. With the rapid claimed Dr. J. M. Wilson of Douglas. increase in population in the United States, it will not be very long be-Wyo., in responding to the addresses fore every acre of land within our of welcome that had been made to borders available for cultivation and the delegates to the annual conven- crop production will bes taxed to its tion of the National Woolgrowers' utmost to provide for our own people. Even now it has become a diffi-Association at the Armory, "and, cult matter for the American farmers ladies and gentlemen, all that the to raise sufficient foodstuffs of cer-Heavy snow stopped the town clock of it was \$5.25. That is all I have demand. In the interest of the de-Albany, Ore., by clogging the to say at this time on the tariff velopment of the west, I teel that the proposal to lease the public domain the chamber of commerce, by fire; of the brightest men among the development of the west, the settleflock-masters, effort will be made to ment of the present waste places have him accept the honor of prest-dent of the association. President Gooding, who delivered his annual "While on the subject of leasing of

address having announced determin- public lands, I feel it would be well James A. Farrell, of Brooklyn, has edly that he will not be in position to call the attention of the convento fill the office for another term. Dr. tion to the question of what the Wilson's response ran in a humor 'faddists' term the 'conservation of ous vein and made a great hit with natural resources.' Apparently what is working for a law to limit election the thonsand or more delegates gath- these people mean is that the naered in the entertainment hall of tional resources should be nearly as possible preserved in their present President Fred W. Gooding of the form, so that although people of confessed that he was one of the national association, in delivering his this generation may suffer and be 'robbers' who looted his hotel office address, took up the various ques- retarded in development, those of tions that confront the sheep and some future time may have these Eighty-five fishermen were carried wool industry and laid particular resources for their use and benefit at to sea at Astrakhan, Russia, on stress upon the necessity for the in undiminished form. Concretely an ice floe, and all are believed to retention of the duty on wool. He stated, the proposition is to lease the also urged closer cooperation among public lands and the water powers the men engaged in the industry and belonging to the various Rocky mounspoke for betterment in transpor- tain and Pacific coast states and to tation facilities and along other lines permit the public timber to be cut by which the industry can be brought and manufactured and the coal in to a higher and more profitable stand- these states to be mined and used Taft has ordered a "conspicuous ard. President Gooding is one of beneficially on the payment of a reprimand" for Captain Sims, who the most influential sheep and wool royalty only. It is a proposition to made a speech in London declaring men in the country and has also other stop the growth of the west now and made a speech in London declaring men in the country and labo and the to keep it in a state of vassalage to the treasury of the United States The convention opened immediately throughout the future. after adjournment of the state associ-

on order of business. Then on motion "This program of the conservationof Kellaher the senate took a recess ation, which was unable to finish its ists is neither wise nor just. The until 2 oclock Regular causus nominees win at work in one day. It was nearly 11 greatest duty that can confront you GOVERNOR WEST INAUGURATED.

is to provide comfort and happiness William D. Wheelwright delivered and prosperity for those now living. the address of welcome on behalf of The fulfilment of this duty is not turbance at an anti-suffrage meeting Governor-elect Oswald West, who was incompatible with true conservation. unable to be present. Mr. Wheel- We should not only use nature's re-An amendement to the Constitution wright said he knew nothing about sources in accomplishing this duty, will be proposed providing for di- wool, but realized that the industry but should improve and develop was one of immense importance to these resources wherever it is possithe world, and particularly to this ble to do so. There is no reason part of the country. City Attorney why this generation cannot make Frank S. Grant delivered an eloquent proper use of all the natural resources address of welcome for Mayor Simon, and then leave to posterity a better National irrigation fund will be on behalf of the city, and presented and more productive country than

President Gooding with a gorgeous we now have. bouquet of Portland roses. William "Let us engage in practical conser-MacMasters, president of the Cham- vation-providing for those now here ber of Commerce, bid them welcome as well as for those who are to come. on behalf of the chamber and touched Conserve our public lands by favoring upon Portland as a steadily increas- the homeseeker, and our timber by ing market for the products of the regulating its cutting and manufac flockmasters. C. C. Chapman, manture. Conserve our coal resources by non in reversing its cwn order of ager of the Portland Commercial the development of our water powers. last March, thus giving him a tem- Club, extended the welcome of the Let us construct dams for the storage people of Portland and the club, say of otherwise waste water-thus tak-A deadlock is threatened in the ing that the city was wide open, that ing off the peaks of the floods of our Idaho legislature because of an open the business men had contributed lib- western rivers, preventing havoc and rupture between Governor Hawley erally to entertain the guests, and destruction, providing water during that they wanted them to enjoy every the low water season for the irrigafeature that had been prepared for tion of our arid lands and the de-California is having the dryest them to the fullest extent, and not to velopment of electric energy. Water About 200 delegates arrived from only use this and other resources

10,000 coyotes and other predatory

PROGRESS OF OUR HOME STATE LEGISLATURE IN SESSION.

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EXPERIMENT FARM FOR LAKE

Rusk, of Wallowa, Speaker; Ben Sell- Citizens Would Have Government Demand Is Made for Greater Station in High Altitude. ing President of Senate.

INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AND

Salem, Or., Jan. 9 .- C. N. McAr- Lakeview .- Lake County people thur, speaker of the last house, called are out to get one of the govthe twenty-sixth blennial session to ernment experiment stations that are Tory Factions Wrangle-Turn on order this morning at 10:10, intro- planned for eastern Oregon. This ducing President Fletcher Homan, of county with 2,500,000 acres of ag-Willamette university, who offered rigultural lands open to entry, ofthe praver. fers a field for development that is

Rusk, of Wallowa, was elected seldom found in this day when land speaker of the house on the first is becoming scarce. The assistance ballot, receiving 35 votes. Eaton, of of government experts in advising ical struggle when Parliament re-op-Dr. Wilson is a fluent and happy should meet with refusal. It is not Lane, received 22 votes. W. Lewis those who have had little or no ex- ens at the end of January, all topics speaker, and being regarded as one fair to coming generations to stop the Thompson withdrew, but received perience in farming the land that for the moment are submerged by Ben Selling was elected president tive of results.

An experimental station would be held by two robbers. of the senate this afternoon, receiving Bowerman received 9, of great assistance to the stockmen Selling is acting governor of Ore-that have used the range until it tiffes the tactics of Winston Church-thas been unable to reseed itself. It Miller 1 and Oliver 1-Both houses were in session this will also benefit those engaged in police. The British approval is made morning only long enough to effect a the production of fruits of all kinds, the more certain by the self-compla-temporary organization. In the senate there was no contest value of the state will be greatest showing what is the most proby and the session lasted only five minductive crop to grow and what to utes, when recess was moved until leave alone. Senators Bourne and The house took a recess until 1:30, Chamberlain, and Congressmen Hawafter the temporary speaker had ap ley and Lafferty will be asked to assist in the movement. While there All doubt as to the success of seems to be a feeling that the station Selling disappeared last night. Sev. should be located in the largest valley ral senators claimed for Bowerman of the county-Christmas Lake, with came off the fence and declared for 225,000 acres of fertile lands—yet the Selling. Sinnott, of Wasco, Notting, people of the county are not at all Multnomah, Barrett, of selfish and desire it in the place that and anarchist organization. Washington and Von Der Hellen, of the officials of the department of lackson went into the Selling camp agriculture feel will be productive of such positive terms that Bower- most good. Chewaucan valley with 70,000 acres, Goose Lake with 100,nan had nothing left to hope for. Temporary President Barrett ap-000 acres, Warner with 160,000 acres, pointed Albee, Chase and Oliver as a Edith with 75,000 acres, Horse Mountain with 50,000 acres are mentioned committee on credentials. Sinnott, Kellaher and Merryman were named as ideal locations.

Contractors Appropriate Roads. Salem - Adam Ritchey, of Natron, has filed a complaint with the railroad commission alleging that builders of the new Natron branch for the Southern Pacific company have appropriated the county road for several miles with-Salem, Or., Jan. 10 .- In the pres- out providing the farmers with a good nce of a distinguished assemblage substitute. The former road, accord- asylum to refuges from oppression. ing to Ritchey, was comparatively in the hall of representatives at the state capitol, Oswald West took the level and in good shape, while the new difficult the right to carry arms, and road has steep grades and during the finally it is proposed to arm the winter has been nearly impassable.

> Chinnock's Successor Named. Salem-Robert Eakin, Jr., son of

oath was administered by Chief Juspreme bench of this state, has been appointed secretary of the water board rrom Jay Bowerman, late acting gov. of control to succeed James T. Chin- Cambridge - Professor william H. West's inaugural address. The nock, who was elected water commisew governor was heartily greeted sioner in November and who has just Dr. J. J. See, of Mare Island observhis appearance in the hall and assumed his duties.

PORTLAND MARKETS.

ons without prayer, realized its Wheat-Track prices: Bluestem, 83 need this morning and invited the @83%c; club, 81@81%c; red Russian, and that the surface of the planet is ministers of Salem to petition the 79c; valley, 82c; 40-fold, 82@823c. throne of grace in its behalf. An Barley-Feed, \$23 per ton; breweffort to have a law digest furnished ing. \$24@25. each senator at \$7.50 each was turned

Millstuffs-Bran, \$23.50@24.50 per

Restriction of Immigration.

ALARM BRITAIN

ALIEN'S CRIMES

Balfour-Irish Bogey to Furnish Rallying Cry.

London, Jan. 7 .- Though there are indications of the coming fierce politthey settle on will be most produc- the recent battle in Stepney, in which all of the military forces in London were called out to capture a house

> Public opinion, on the whole, jus-All the same, the spectacle of twodesperadoes keeping such a vast force at bay produces a misgiving amounting almost, in some quarters, to a panic. Some of the English see in every foreigner in the East of London a potential anarchist, and he mysterious murder on Clapham 'ommon, with the initial letter "S" carved on the cheeks of the dead, inreases the tendency to believe it a widespread and powerful assassin

Party politics, of course, enters into the controversy. The Tories are accusing the Liberals of reducing the act of Parliament against aliens to nothing, while the Liberals retort that the defect lies in the acts them selves, which were clumsily contrived by the Tories when they were in power.

There is a general call for a greater restriction of alien immigration, but few will attempt to answer the unanswerable objections to any possibility of such a code of restrictions as could keep out any but an afinitesimal number of real criminals without including a great mass of eserving ones and destroying England's traditional policy of offering an Another proposal is to make more police.

VENUS HAS SNAKES.

Chief Justice Robert Eakin, of the Su- Professor Pickering, of Harvard, Supports Views of Coast Man.

> Cambridge .- Professor William H interested in the recent statement of atory, that higher forms of life exist. on the planet Venus.

> The Harvard Savant has held tentatively for many years that animal life has been in existence on Venus composed principally of steaming swamps which abound with reptilian creatures of antediluvian periods.

The professor also has certain the

of rain.

man, injured many others, and did every incoming train. much property damage.

railroads to furnish cars where ordered or pay demurrage.

A cloudburst flooded the city of made the city dark as at night.

us is covered with swamps and said: marshes and supports a variety of reptilian life.

A California millionaire has pur chased an entire town and considerable land adjoining, and will make it a model city.

fers in any way with the fortification mind against the woolgrowers. of the Panama canal.

the eve of their wedding, and it is now believed they were murdered.

laughs at the report of a fortune be- ufacturers of worsteds. They are stocks are all preyed on by the preing left to her father by a friend constantly quarreling over schedule datory beasts. It is estimated that in India, and declares the matter is K as the wool "tariff is known. It coyotes, wolves, wild cats and other but a joke.

A Los Angeles judge has forbidden the grand jury to make a report in States. the Times dynamite case, and declares such a report would be con K is the hardest to understand of any in force in a number of the western Round-up association, with large reptrary to law.

An expert examination of the wreck was killed shows the machine to schedule K. From my observation I of these animals is a general benefit annual frontier exhibition. The result \$1; beets, \$1.25@1.50. have been in good order and exon- believe there are very few congress- and should be accomplished through of this discussion was the dividing erates the mechanicians from any men or senators who understand a general effort and paid for from of the city into 10 districts, each one \$1.25@1.35 per hundred. blame.

Citizens of Houstonia, Mo., heard five distinct explosions during the sociation to assist the tariff commis- reasons for making uniform the law subscriptions to the round-up fund in the bank had been looted and all way the tariff tinkers are enabled to As is now the case, in one state, the days. wires leading out of town had been put wool on the free list, we will have feet of the animal are indications of cut.

Twenty-two indictments have been

gardless of Taft's objections.

Maine has repealed its prohibition law.

California legislator will enstate

New York business men will estabbusiness disputes will be settled voluntarily.

Sullivan's home.

High winds at Chicago killed one Idaho, and more are following with wisely and there will be an abund-The address o fPresident Frank W. ance for the future. "I feel that it would be impossible

Gooding of Idaho was an able discus- to accurately estimate the actual loss A California legislator would force sion of the traiff question as affecting of sheep from the depredations of wool and conservation. President coyotes, wild cats and other predatory Gooding is one of the heavy sheep animals in the United States yearly. raisers of the west and was a mem- To give some idea of how great this A cloudburst flooded the city of Pittsburg at 4 p. m., Sunday and made the city dark as at night. Washington, looking after tariff leg- the past year the State of Idaho has A Harvard professor declares Ven- islation. In part, President Gooding paid a bounty for the destruction of

"Since the passage of the Payne- animals. If it is admitted that each Aldrich tariff law, there has been a of these animals killed six sheep prior persistent and malignant assault upon to being cestroyed, it would make a the tariff schedules designed to pro- total loss of 60,000 sheep in Idaho tect the industry of wool growing. during the past year from this source Some magazines and newspapers have sione. I do not think any westera been filled with articles conceived in sheep man will feel that these fig-Ex-Senator Foraker explains that ignorance and prejudice, and which ures are too high. If we allow for no treaty with Great Britain inter- were designed to poison the public only 10 distinctively sheep growing

ind against the woolgrowers. states in the west, the less would amount to half a million sheep and are answered, the flockmaster will lambs annually. from some mysterious poisoning on find his industry threatened with destruction. This assault has been the greatest loss suffered from the brought about by the selfish warfare depredations of wild animals. Game that is on between the manufacturers birds and game animals, the eggs of A daughter of Speaker Cannon of carded woolen goods and the man- birds, domestic fowls and other live

> seems to be unsatisfactory to the wild animals every year kill more lars for the Round-up, let'er buck' woolen manufacturers of the United game than is killed by all the hunt. Such slogan would epitomize the "There is no doubt that schedule "Under the bounts la

funds created by general taxation. this most important schedule.

"If through any neglect of this as-

selling value at least one-half, and the pelt to sell."

Mail Bags Disappear.

en either December 29 or 30.

San Francisco-Three bags of regis-Los Angeles-After forsaking the tered mail with contents valued at ap- ministry for the calling of commercial ing allens from owning land in that proximately \$50,000 stolen from the agent for the Salt Lake route at Santa government while on the way from Ana, G. L. Moore found that love for ticularly in the subject of road con-San Francisco to Oakland, is engaging the ministry was too strong and his struction," said Representative-elect choice, \$8,50m8.75. lish a commercial court, in which all the attention of more than a score of resignation has just been handed to Eggleston, of Jackson County, at the local and Federal detectives. The Frank H. Adams, general agent of the Imperial. "We will welcome any leg- \$4.75@5; old wethers, grain fed, \$4.25 usiness disputes will be settled vol-ntarily. John Sullivan, ex-police chief of The first was taken on the night of

Commercial Life Fails.

Many were that fixing the length of firecrackers 26.50; rolled barley, \$25@26.

Senate Without Chaplain-Many Bills

Introduced in Both ouses.

of office as governor of Ore-

on this afternoon. President Ben

Selling of the state senate presided

over the joint session of the two

uses at the inauguration and the

The reading of a long message

om Jay Bowerman, late acting gov-

his clear-cut speech was received with

The senate having opened two ses

at not to exceed 2½ inches, providing for rotation of names on election bal lamette valley, \$19@20 per ton; Eastlots and permitting counties to build ern Oregon, \$21@22; alfalfa, \$14: reasons for thinking that if any other pauper hospitals.

The house meet for about an hour this morning, creating an opportunity to open the flood-gates for the reception of bills and hearing the announcement of additional committees Baldwin, 75c@\$1.25; Northern Spy, any other planet except the earth. from Speaker John P. Rusk. Seventeen proposed measures reached the clerks desk' with a couple of score in preparation.

In the house only matters of rou- Yellow Newtown, \$1.75. tine nature were taken up. There abolish capital punishment and the choice, 25c.

third to make June 12 Columbus day. Shortly before 2 o'clock Senators 37c; Eastern, 28@30c.

brake, Ruchanan and Derby brought

Raise Round-Up Fund.

Pendleton .- "Twelve thousand dol-Such slogan would enitomize the meeting held by the finance commit-

unds created by general taxation. of which is to be canvassed thor-"It is not difficult to find excellent oughly by a separate committe for

Twelve thousand dollars is the only ourselves to blame. And our its destruction, in another the scalp focks will be reduced proportionately, is taken, while in perhaps a third the payment on the grounds recently pur-tail is called for. Because of this chased and construct the track, to choice heifers, \$4.75@5; fair to good, to choice heifers, \$4.75@5; fair to good to choice heifers, fair

Jackson Wants Better Roads.

Portland-"The people of my section of the state are interested par- fair to good, \$4@4.50. not sufficient to make ends meet. their share towards the cost,"

the more important of which was ton; middlings, \$31; shorts, \$25,5000

Corn-Whole, \$29; cracked, \$30 ton, same size as the earth and its density Oats-No. 1 white, \$28 per ton. 60c@\$1.25; Snow, \$1.25; Red Cheek Pippin, \$1@1.25; Winter Banana, \$1.75@2; Spitzenberg, \$1.25@1.75; Pennsylvania Road to Wage Cam-

Poultry-Live: Hens, 18c; springs, was a flood of bills, the first being 17%c; turkeys, 20@21c; ducks, 22c; against white slavery, the second to geese, 14c. Dressed: Turkeys, ers were killed on the Pennsylvania

Eggs-Oregon ranch, candled, 36@

Butter - City creamery, extras, 1 tives Mahoney, Eaton and Shaw es- and 2 pound prints, in boxes, 35c per pound; less than boxes, cartons and de- and its trains. livery extra.

> Pork-Fancy, 11(0)11%c per pound. Veal-Fancy, 85 to 125 pounds, 1360 14c per pound.

> @12.50 per barrel.

cabbage, \$1.25@1.50 per hundred; be kept off the company's property. cauliflower, \$1@1.50 per dozen; cel-"Under the bounty laws at present tee and board of control of the ery, California, \$3.25@3.50 per crate; hothouse lettuce, \$1@1.25 per box; of the tariff schedules. I believe I states, the bounties paid are taxed resentation of business men of Pen- peppers, 15c per pound; pumpkins, 1@ 1%c; squash, 1@1%c; tomatoes, am safe in saying that not more than entirely against the livestock in-one sheepman in a thousand under-dustry. This I feel is a matter which methods for financing the purchase \$1.75 per box; carrots, \$1@1.25 per of the aeroplane in which Moissant stands or knows anything at all of should be remedied. The destruction and improvements of ground for the hundred; parsnips, \$1@1.25; turnips, Potatoes - Oregon, jobbing price,

Onions- Buying prices, \$1.40 per

hundred. Cattle - Prime steers, \$6.75@7.50; good to choice \$6@6.50; fair to good, \$5.25@5.75; common, \$4.50@5.25; choice to prime cows, \$5,50@5,75;

good to choice light calves, \$7@7.50; fair to good, \$6.50@7; good to choice heavy calves, \$5.25606; fair to good, \$4.75@5.25; common calves, \$3.75@

Hogs-Choice, \$8.75@9; good to army.

Sheep-Yearling wethers, grain fed, Spokane, was shot by an assassin, December 25, the second disappeared Spokane, Wash., Mr. Moore took up roads are needed in our county and grain fed, \$6.50@7; good to choice, was made recently. On board the vindow of two days later, and the third was stol-@5.

ories on the geographical proclivities on the moon, but does not care to discuss them. Concerning Venus, Hay-Track prices: Timothy, Wil- Professor Pickering says:

"Certainly there are many physical grain hay, \$14.50@15.50; clover, \$13 planet besides the earth is inhabited, it is probably Venus. It is about the

is about the same. Venus seems Apples-Waxen, 50c@\$1 per box; more capable of supporting life than

8000 TRESPASSERS DIE.

paign to Prevent These Deaths.

Chicago-Eight thousand trespass-Railroad during the year 1910 and this enormous total has led the railroad company to announce a determined campaign to keep those who have no right there off its tracks

In addition to the 8000 trespassers killed on the line during the past year a like number were injured.

Being trespassers, the Pennsylvania Company was not liable for the Green Fruits- Pears, \$1.25@2 per deaths, but officials were appalled at box; grapes, 75c@\$1; cranberries, \$12 the number. Orders have gone forth to all officials and employes of the Vegetables-Beans, 2% c per pound; system urging that all trespassers

Steal Horses' Tails for "Rats."

Los Angeles .- The constantly increasing demand from women for "rats," puffs and curls is responsible for a new class of criminals, according to the local police, who are seeking a man who is alleged to cut off horses' tails to get "false" hair. Owners of horses have reported that their animals are being mysteriously "bobbed." The owners do not want to be blamed for the clipping, as a law of the state prevents the docking of horses' tails. In one day 17 horses were deprived of their tails.

Says Natives Are Good Fighters.

Washington .- Should an emergency arise, the United States would have to depend upon native troops to protect the Philippines, according to the annual report of Brigadler-General John G. Pershing, commander of the Department of Mindanao. The natives would respond loyally, too, the general says. Pershing sug-4.75; good to choice stags, \$4.50@5; gests that the native scouts be used as a nucleus for a native standing

Another Bomb for Alfonso.

Madrid .- King Alfonso on Monday and disembarked.

public enterprise.

returned in the Los Angeles Times Wilson bill, from 45,000,000 to 36, lack of uniformity, it has long been grandstand and bleachers, and from good, 4.50@\$4.75; common to fair, 000,000. The selling value of wool known that two or more bounties are sentiments expressed at the meeting \$4@4.25; choice to good fat bulls, Senator Bourne advises Arizona to will drop to 7 or 8 cents per often collected for the death of one last night it will be the easiest \$12,- \$4.25674.50; fair to good fat bulls, adopt her proposed constitution repound, sheep will be reduced in animal and the slayer is still leit with 000 ever obtained in this city for a \$3.50674; common bulls, \$2.5063.25;

night, but paid no attention to them, slon to a competent understanding of providing for the payment of bounties a whirlwind campaign, which is to but in the morning discovered that this important matter, and in that on the killing of predatory animals, begin Tuesday and continue three

Joseph and Oliver and Representacorted the members of the supreme ourt to the speaker's rostrum and a "Nor is this the only, nor possibly few minutes later Senators Bean and Miller and Representatives Bone-

Governor-elect West to the house.

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