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PERSONAL.

M. M. Baird is paying a visit to his mother, at Jamesville, O. Prothonotary C. E. Pryor went to Phil-adelphia yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Charles Green, of Olean, N. Y., is visiting old friends in the city. Alderman Thomas S. Loftus, of Pitts-ton, was in the city on legal business vestering.

Miss Bessie Pyle, of Moscow, was the guest of Mrs. Weed, of Adams avenue, yesterday.

yesterday,
Daniel Noone, of Buffalo, N. Y., is
the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Thomas
Moffitt, of Elm street.
Miss Jennie Murphy, of Lackawanna
avenue, has returned from a visit with
friends and relatives in Wilkes-Harre.
Miss Nellie Jacobs, of Hazleton, returned home yesterday after a two weeks'
visit with Miss Alice Deppen, of Price
street.

Miss Lizzie Hewiett, of Corning, N. Y., who has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. E. L. Tiel, of Linden street, has returned

J. Homer Reed, formerly stenographer in the office of the New York, Ontario and Western railroad in this criy, went to New York yesterday to accept a position as stenographer in the office of the treasurer of that company. In honor of his cousin, Miss Hazel Hess-

ler, of Paterson, N. J., Masier Herbert E., Dolph, of Green Ridge, gave a farewell party Monday evening, which was attended by the following young people: Master Harry Caryl and sister, Miss Edna; Master Bruce and Miss Mabél Fordham, Masters Oram Carr, Willie and Russell Shurtleff, David Bush, Misses Yeoland, Killam, Datsy Perry, Cora Shotten, Iris Burns, Minnie Boldry and Minnie White. Barns, Minnie Boldry and Minnie White. At 1 o'clock this afternoon Samuel L. Goldstein, of Binghamton, and Mrs. Rachel Rosentield will be married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Driesen, Lackawanna avenne. After the ceremony a reception will be held, and the bridal couple will leave on an afternoon train for Binghamton, where a splendidly furnished home awaits them. In the evening at 8 o'clock another daughter. Miss Flera B. Driesen, will be wedded to Jacob Alexander, of London, England, They will reside in Forest City, where Mr. Alexander will engage in the clothing business.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

[Under this heading short letters of in-terest will be published when accompa-nied, for publication, by the writer's name. The Tribune will not be held re-sponsible for opinions here expressed.]

THE ELECTION OF FIRE CHIEF.

Editor of The Tribune.

Sir:—There are citizens of this borough wondering why the John B. Smith Pool club have a right to vote at a firemen's election. They have nothing to show that they are firemen. In their building, which consists of only one room, they have nothing but a pool table. Not even a fireman's badge have they, and still they have been in existence over six years; and to this organization some of our prominent men belong who will go and vote against the rights of firemen who risk their lives when they lay in bed. Such men ought to be ashamed of themselves, for every citizen is looking down on them. The council should look after this and see if these men are exempt from tertain taxes. There are 114 active firemen in this borough, but there are 213 tho vote for a chief. Philip Wagner, Dunmore, Feb. 25.

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THE WAY TO COOK MEATS

That Was the Subject of Mrs. Rorer's Second Lecture.

RECIPES SHE RECOMMENDED

She Profaced Her Lecture by Explaining How to Retain the Nourishment and Flavor of Meats-Chafing Dish Lecture Friday.

The second of Mrs. Rorer's series of cooking lectures was given yesterday afternoon before an audience larger, even, than was present on Monday. Meat cookery was the subject, which included a very interesting and included a very interesting and instructive talk on the distinctive properties of this kind of food and several re-cipes with practical illustrations. It has been decided to give a chaf-ing-dish lecture Friday evening, and a candy lecture Saturday morning. It is not unreasonable to suppose that the former will be attended by many of the present-day bachelors and the latter by a generous sprinkling of young ladies; at all events such elements are expected to be present. The admission fee to each of these extra lectures will be 50

Admission cannot be secured on season thekets.

As is her custom each day, Mrs.
Rorer introduced yesterday's subject
by a half-hour talk, in which she explained that the main object in cooking
meats is to retain the nourishment and flavor, in which as much depends upon the cooking as upon the quality of the Builing water and a strong heat will retain the juices, she said, while the opposite will happen by the use of cold water and a moderate heat. she said that meat properly cut should not be washed, as the process robs it of much of its nutriment, although the outer edges which have been handled by the butcher may be wiped with a damp cloth. Beef should be of a fine grain, a clear, red color and with a yellowish, white and them to the color and with a yellowish, white and them to the color and with a yellowish, white and them to the color and with a yellowish, white and them to the color and with a yellowish, white and them to the colors are the colors and the colors are the colors are the colors and the colors are the colors are the colors and the colors are the colors and the colors are the colors are the colors and the colors are the colors

lowish-white and firm fat. The following recipes were given: FOR PREPARING BEEF. FOR PREPARING BEEF.

Roast Beef.—The best pieces for roasting are the ribs, sirioin and pin bone. Where a tin kitchen is used, run the spit through the meat, dredge it with pepper and place it at first very near a hot fire. When brown on the surface draw a little from the fire, put a half-pint of water and a teaspoonful of salt in the bottom of the kitchen and turn the meat almost con-

When brown on the surface draw a little from the lire; put a half-pint of water and a teaspoonful of salt in the bottom of the kitchen and turn the meat almost constantly, lasting every ten minutes, until done. Roast lifteen minutes for every pound if you like your ment rare; if well done, twenty minutes. Do not add any more water after the first evaporates. For the gravy, allow two tablespoonfuls of the dripping to remain in the bottom of the kitchen, add a half tablespoonful of flour, mix until smooth, add a half pint of holling water or stock, stir continually until it boils and then salt and pepper and serve in a satice dish.

Baked Beef, or Roasted in the Oven-Place the joint in the bottom of a baking pan, dredge it lightly with pepper, add one teaspoonful of salt to one cupful of water and pour it in the pan. Place it in a very hot oven and baste every ten minutes to keep it from burning. Turn two or three times and bake lifteen minutes for every pound. Serve with gravy made as for roast beef.

Fillet of Beef with Mushroom Sauce-Remove with a snarp knife all the muscular covering on one side of the fillet. Cut larding pork (very fat salt pork) into thiny strips and place in ice-water to harden. Place one strip into the slot end of a larding needle as far as it will go, thrust the needle into the meat, taking a stitch across the top about one inch deep, push the needle into the meat, taking a stitch across the top about one inch deep, push the needle into the meat, taking a stitch across the top about one inch deep, push the needle into the meat, taking a stitch across the top about one inch deep, push the needle into the meat, taking a stitch across the top about one inch deep, push the needle into the meat, taking a stitch across the top about one inch deep, push the needle through, place the fillet of the pan, and place in ince-water to harden. Place one strip into the slot end of the stitch. Continue until you have a row of these strips down the center of the fallet about an inch apart. In the bottom o shape is such it takes thirty minutes to lake a fillet, no matter what its weight. When done, place on a hot dish. Add to the pan one tablespoonful of butter, and brown, then add two tablespoonfuls of flour; mix well; add one pint of stock or boiling water and stir continually until it boils; strain into a frying-pan and add one put of fresh stewed or canned mushrooms. Cook five minutes and take from the fire; add a teaspoonful of Wercester-shire sauce, one tablespoonful of sherry, salt and pepper; pour it around the fillet and serve.

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Stew of Beef with Dumplings—Use two pounds of lean beef from the under side of the round or a shoulder piece. Cut into pieces about an inch square and dredge thickly with four. Put two tablespoonfuls of dripping or butter in a frying-pan and place on a good fire; as soon as it is very hot, put in the meat and shake or siir until all is nicely browned. Skim it out and put in a saucepan. Add one tablespoonful of flour to the dripping or butter remaining in the frying-pan mix, then add one quart of boiling water; stir over the fire until it boils, then strain it over the meat; add one small onion and a sprig of parsley. Coyer the saucepan and let it simmer for two hours. When the meat is half done, add a teaspoonful of salt and three dashes of black pepper. Now sift one pint of flour, add to it a heaping teaspoonful of baking powder and sift again; add a quarter of a teaspoonful of salt and three dashes of black pepper. Sift a pint of flour and add to it a heaping teaspoonful of baking powder; add a quarter of a teaspoonful of salt and just enough milk to make a soft dough. Do not work it much. Dip small spoonfuls of the dough over the meat, cover quickly and let simmer ten minutes. Do not uncover the saucepan while the dumplings are cooking, or they will fall immediately. After you add the dumplings the stew will scoreh easily, therefore move the kettle to a moderate part of the fire. Serve as soon as the dumplings are done.

DOES NOT FAVOR GLASS JARS.

DOES NOT FAVOR GLASS JARS. It happened that the grocer had sent with Mrs. Rorer's order a glass jar of mushrooms. When she picked it up to use it she remarked that mushrooms in glass are not fit for use, as the contents of the jar absorb the lead in the metal covering. Chemical avalysis has metal covering. Chemical analysis has shown, she said, that one glass jar of mushrooms contains as much metal crystals as ten tin cans of the same ar-

The meats cooked yesterday will be made over into suppor dishes this afternoon. Although not previously announced, Mrs. Rorer will include in her lecture a number of the recently popular salads, in which nuts seem to be very fashionable. very fashlonable.

THEY DO NOT LIKE WOOD.

Students Refuse to Be Taught at His Establishment. The following Wilkes-Barre dispatch

appeared in yesterday's Philadelphia Press:

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A peculiar condition of affairs which has existed here for the past few days among parties interested in two local commercial colleges culminated tonight in a victory for the students.

There are two colleges in town known as Wood's and the Wilkes-Barre college. The other day Professor Frederick E. Wood purchased the Wilkes-Barre college from Professor Williams, the owner. No sooner was the deal culminated than the Lio pupils of the Wilkes-Barre college rebelled. The tuition to the end of the term of June was paid and they claimed that they had no faith in Professor Wood; they did not think they could get their money's worth and they refused to attend Wood's college.

Williams wanted to do the right thing by the pupils and as they positively refused to go to Wood's he decided to open a new school. This, of course, was not what Wood wanted, as half the \$1,00 he paid for the Wilkes-Barre college was for the good will and patronage of the pupils. When Williams announced that he would open another school Wood threatened to prevent him and compel the students to go to his college.

At a mass meeting of the students tonight they received the assurances of the attorney they had engaged that Williams could legally teach them until the end of the padd-for term, and by a unanimous vote they decided to stand by Williams. Williams will now purchase new furniture and reopen school in about ten days.

PECULIAR POISONS.

SENERATED IN THE HUMAN BODY

The Result of Imperfect Digestion o Food.

Every living thing, plant or animal, contains within itself the germs of certain decay and death.

In the human body these germs of disease and death (called by scientists Ptomaines), are usually the results of imperfect digestion of food; the result of indirection or dyspensic.

imperfect digestion of food; the result of indigestion or dyspepsia.

The stomach, from abuse, weakness, does not promptly and thoroughly digest the food. The result is a heavy, sodden mass which ferments (the first process of decay) poisoning the blood, making it thin, weak, and lacking in red corpuscles; poisoning the brain causing headaches and pains in the eyes.

Bad digestion irritates the heart, causing paipitation and finally bring-ing on disease of this very important

organ.

Poor digestion poisons the kidneys, causing Bright's disease and diabetes.

And this is so because every organ, every nerve depends upon the stomach aione for nourishment and renewal, and weak digestion shows itself not only in loss of appetite and flesh, but only in loss of appetite and flesh, but in weak nerves and muddy complexion. The great English scientist, Huxley, said the best start in life is a sound stomach. Weak stomachs fail to digest food properly, because they lack the proper quantity of digestive acids (lactic and hydrochloric) and peptogenic products; the most sensible remedy in all cases of indigestion, is to take after each meal, one or two of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, because they supply in a pleasant, harmless form all the elements that weak stomachs lack.

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Tablets will cure every form of stomach trouble except cancer of the stomach. They increase flesh, insure pure blood strong nerves, a bright eye and clear complexion, because all these result only from wholesome food well digest-Nearly all druggists sell Stuart's Dys-

pepsia Tablets at 50 cents full sized package or by mail by enclosing price to Stuart Co. Marshall, Mich., but ask your druggist first. CONVENTION IN SCRANTON.

rand Conneil of Pennsylvania Jurisdiction of the Young Men's Institute Will Meet Here on May 19.

The meeting of the supreme council of the Young Men's Institute at Denver, Col., is at an end. A great deal of important business was transacted by the council, which will have an in-fluence in the future of the order. Among the radical changes made in its government was the division of th Pacific jurisdiction into the Pacific and Northwest jurisdictions and the Atlan-tic jurisdiction into the Pennsylvania, Ohlo, Kentucky, Illinois and Indiana jurisdictions. The Pennsylvania will be composed of the states of New York, New Jersey, Delaware, Pennsylvania, all of the New England states, and the District of Columbia. The grand coun-cil of this jurisdiction will meet in Scranton on May 19 next for organiza-

An effort was made by the delegates from the Pacific jurisdiction to abolish the insurance feature connected with the organization, but this was not agreed to. A compromise was finally arrived at by which the insurance busi-ness will be carried on by a separate organization to be known as the Young Men's Institute Insurance association.

A lecture bureau was established and one day each year was set apart to be known as "Y. M. I. Day." Constitutions were adopted to govern the supreme council and the various subordinate councils. dinate councils.

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Before adjourning the following officers for the supreme council were elected: Supreme president, John J. MeDade, San Francisco, Cal.; supreme
vice-president, Hon. M. T. Corcoran,
Cincinnati, O.; supreme second vicepresident, P. B. Costello, Atchison,
Kan.; supreme secretary, F. D. Lyon, Louisville, Ky.; supreme treasurer. Louisville, Ky.; supreme treasurer, W.;
E. Kenney, Cincinnati, O.; supreme chaplain, Archbishop Riordan, San Francisco, Cal.; supreme directors, J. L. Gaynor, Scranton, Pa.; H. H. Rives, Louisville, Ky.; F. E. Mackentepe, Cincinnati, O.; Rev. D. P. O'Bren, Chicago, Ill.; Judge F. J. Muraski, San Francisco, Cal.; F. J. Kierce, San Francisco, Cal.; J. F. Collier, Indianapolis, Ind.; J. P. McEntee, Portland, Ore.

COMING ATTRACTIONS.

The Wheeling, W. Va., Intelligencer expressed its opinion of Florence Bindley and her "Captain's Mate" production in the following terms: "The regular Monday night crowded house saw the opening performance of 'The Cap-tain's Mate' at the Grand last night, and the applause was sufficient to show that the efforts of the company were appreciated. The play is one of the best seen on that stage this season and is put on by an exceptionally fine com-pany. The star, Florence Bindley, is always welcome. At the Academy Saturday evening.

"Delmonico's at 6," by Glen MacDonough, under the management of J. M. Ward, will be sure of a warm welcome when it appears at the Frothingham on Friday and Saturday evenings and Saturday afternoon. The play has passed the rubicon of criticism in all the large cities and is accepted as a general settless. genuine success. It depicts a number of laughable episodes growing out of a rich New Yorker who attempts to excite the suspicions of his too placid wife, who afterward developes an alarming capacity for jealousy. It is full of touch and good humor from beginning to the end, and is interpreted by a company of most unusual excel-lence with such favorites, as Miss Nellie Dunbar, Miss Ollie Evans, Miss Bella Vivian, Miss Clara Bell and the Hart sisters, and the good comedians such as Charles F. Jerome, Charles J. Stine, Hail, Caldwell and Dailon.

The next attraction will be Sam T. The next attraction will be Sam T. Jack's latest comedy and specialty success, the gay and spicy burletta entitled "My Uncle From New York." This bright, breezy and foliosome musical comedy was constructed for laughing purposes, and has been hugely successful. The plot of "My Uncle" is bright and original. During the action of the second act many novel and yery of the second act many novel and very taking specialties are introduced by leading artists of the vaudeville stage. The evening's entertainment concludes with "The California Lancers," by the entire company. It is a very interest-ing and amusing exercise, Remain scated and see the spicy finish to this novel dance. Nothing like it was ever seen before.

MR. THOMAS' SOUVENIR.

Clerk of the Courts Issues a Pamphlet List of License Applicants. Clerk of the Courts John H. Thomas

Clerk of the Courts John M. Inomas has had printed artistic pocket pamphlets containing the list of applicants for liquor licenses and the names of the attorney representing each applicant. The list is neatly bound in a cream colored cover and is issued to each member of the bar and repre-sentatives of the press, with the compliments of Mr. Thomas,

pliments of Mr. Thomas.

On the outer back cover appear the handsome engravings of the two deputies in the office, Thomas P. Daniels and Emil Bonn. This is the first time that a list has been made out and the convenience of it for lawyers and court attendants is winning for Mr. Thomas many expressions of gratefulness. It is arranged in a handy way for the coat is arranged in a handy way for the coat pocket.
The work was done by The Tribune

and is in keeping with the uniform up to date manner in which things are done in our job department.

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ALBERT HOGE'S MACHINES

They Have Been Designed to Set and Distribute Type.

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inventor Says They Are Different from Those Now in Use and Will Revolutionize the Work of Setting Type in Small Offices.

In the Scranton office of Special Pen-sion Examiner E. E. Hoge in the Fed-eral building there rest two pieces of complicated looking contrivances which complicated looking contrivances which have attracted the attention of recent visitors to the office. The two objects are models of typesetting and type distributing machines on which patents have recently been secured by the examiner's brother, Albert S. Hoge. The models are not working models, but if what is claimed for them by the inventor is half true, the invention bids fair to create a new era in the method of to create a new era in the method of to create a new era in the method of publishing newspapers in small towns. The models are chiefly of wood, there being several hundred pieces of this material in each machine, and in addition there are numerous brass wheels, cogs and rods. The inventor Hoge was in the office when a Tribune reporter called there yesterday. He claims that when the working models are complet-ed, the machine that sets the type will not be more than twice as large as a Remington typewriter and that the dis-tributing machine will be not more than twice as large as its mate. Each ap-paratus is operated on the same prin-ciple as a typewriter and can be manufactured to sell at about \$600 for the set. Similar typesetting machines, which, however, should not be confused with the expensive linotypes which are run by power, cost from \$1,200 each and are

oy power, cost from \$1,200 each and are large and very heavy.

Figures, measurements and other data are being prepared and will soon be furnished by a Scranton draughts-man who will work out the drawings from which the working models are to be built. The patents are owned jointly by the inventor and his brother, Pen-sion Examiner Hoge. It is their intention to organize a company at once for the manufacture of the manchines. It is a curious fact that for several months after the inventor began workmonths after the inventor began working on his models he did not know that typesetting or linotype machines were in use. He began the work fourteen months ago, at which time he had finished his term as prothonotary of a Virginia county. He claims, however, that the field for which his machines are adapted is not occupied by any similar

THOSE FIVE COTTON MILLS. Outlook Is Bright for Their Location in

This City. The possibility of locating in this city five Massachusetts cotton mills, which was mentioned in The Tribune several weeks ago, is not improbable. This is indicated in a letter recently received by Secretary Atherton, of the board of trade, from the vice president of one of the companies. It was this gentle-man who several weeks ago wrote that the mills must be abandoned on ac-count of the use to which the waterway on which they are located was to be put in increasing the water supply of the city of Boston. He requested facts and figures relative to Scranton's manu-

facturing advantages.

The letter received from the manufacturer yesterday says that he will be here on or about April 1. This is con-sidered a very favorable sign, as the information forwarded to him in re sponse to his first letter is believed to have created a favorable impression. At all events, such a batch of desir-able industries, no one of which ap-pears to want aid beyond a proper site for the location of mills, is thought by prominent members of the board of trade to be one of the best oportunities that has been offered the board since its incorporation.

COYNE NOT SATISFIED.

Thinks He Was Defeated by Questionable Methods and May Contest.

Patrick Coyne, of Minooka, who was defeated for supervisor of Lackawan-na township at last Tuesday's election by six votes, is making preparations to institute a contest; his attorneys, M. J. Donahoe and C. C. Donovan, were busy yesterday looking over the papers sent in by the election boards of the different districts of the township and they may file their petition in court to-day. William H. Fern, of the Arch-bald mines, is the candidate who was successful over Mr. Coyne. Their re-spective votes were 390, 384.

In the Northeast district, where Mr. Fern lives, he received 151 votes, and it is alleged by Mr. Coyne's friends that there were irregularities connected with the balloting there. It is claimed that upwards of forty voters in the North-east district are willing to go on record

A DYING SPARK.

Stop Right Now! Don't Light Another! You're Burning Your Brains.

Along the Street-Side.



Oft-times tobacco's victim's look at the dying spark in the cigar stump, or at the big masticated "chaw" of tobacco just expectorated and with nerves nicotinized with tobacco mentally resolve, "Now, that is my last, I will never use it again, I know

that it is injuring me physically and financially and my nerves are becoming so irritated that I can't stand the least annoyance." What is the result? These good resolutions are generally made while the effect of the use of tobacco practically paralyzes the crayings of practically paralyzes the cravings of millions of irritated nerve centers and just as soon as the effects commence to pass away these good resolutions weaken, showing conclusively that the use of tobacco is not a habit but a disease of the nervous system caused by the education of the nerves to crave for the nicotine poisoning. What then is the easy, permanent, natural way to relieve yourself of the use of tobacco? Certainly not by discontinuing it and suffering the nervous reaction and prostrating effects and mental degeneracy sure to follow the long and continued use of tobacco. Does it not suggest itself to you that the natural thing to do by the total and approach that is seen the continued of the total and the seen the see to do is to take a remedy that is spe-cially prepared to eradicate the effects of the nicotine in the system and to of the nicotine in the system and to overcome the nerve craving effects and restore the tobacco irritated nerves to a normal and healthy condition? To this, we all say, "Yes, where is the remedy?" You will find it in No-To-Bac. This is easily said and we all naturally ask for proof. Certainly. If No-To-Bac falls to cure, The Sterling Remedy company, of New York, Montreal and Chicago have so much faith in their remedy, that they positively guarantee to cago have so much faith in their remedy, that they positively guarantee to refund the money, and the concern being owned and operated by some of the most reputable business men of the east and west, is absolutely reliable and we are glad to say, able in every way to live up to its guarantee.

The sale of No-To-Rac within the

The sale of No-To-Bac within the past few years has assumed enormous proportions, almost entirely developed upon its merits and the recommendaupon its merits and the recommenda-tions of the cured. So great is the sale that it is hardly possible to go into any leading drug store without find-ing it on sale, and the druggist has nothing but words of praise to give it.

that they cast their ballots for Mr. Coyne, but he was credited with only twenty-five votes when the count was ompleted. There is a division of opinion among

attorneys as to whether or not Mr. Coyne, who is now one of the supervis-ors of the township, can hold over until the contest will be decided.

DUNMORE.

Miss Simons, of Maplewood, is spending a few days with friends and relatives in this borough.

The funeral of Mrs. Bridget Manley will take place this morning at St. Mary's church at 10 o'clock with a solema high mass of requiem, and interment will be made in St. Mary's cemetery.

Miss Morris, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is the guest of Mrs. H. M. Spencer, of Dringer street.

The lecture room of the Presbyterian church was well filled last evening when an entertainment, consisting of tableaux, vocal and instrumental maste was given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society. All of the tableaux were very beautiful and well received. Several mandolin solos were rendered by Mr. Bill, accompanied upon the plano by Miss Mabel Christ, which called forth much merited applause. Vocal music was rendered by a trio consisting of Mrs. George B. Smith, Miss Anna Boyd and Joseph Jeffrey. The programme passed off smoothiy, and the audelence was well pleased.

When the Methodist Episcopal church was dedicated last week severat of the classes in the Sunday school pledged \$25 toward liquidating the indebtodness. A series of socials will be hed during the coming months, the first of which will be at the home of Miss Mae Simpson, on Cherry street, Wednesday evening, March 4.

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