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NEWS OF THE DAY

MONTEVIDEO.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 1902.

Saints Gregory and Stephen.—Battle of Manray, 1885. Battle of Modder River, 1899. 332 days past, 33 to the end of the year.

POLITICAL NOTES.

The Senators sat for a few minutes on Wednesday, only routine business being transacted.

The candidature of Mr. MacEachen is still the prominent topic, though there is a very general opinion (apart from the naturally biased utterances of the protracted opposition papers) that his chances have been seriously, if not fatally, damaged by the official propaganda of the *Nacion*. If the proclamation had appeared in any other paper whatever, it would have been accepted as a proper and usual course, but this open partisanship of the organ of the President of the Republic is, to put it mildly, hardly decent. Yesterday, however, the *Nacion*, nothing daunted, publishes, in the form of a communication, a computation of the votes of the "colorado" legislators by names. This allots 25 certain and two doubtful to Mr. MacEachen, six certain and one doubtful to Sr. Battle y Ordóñez, only three certain and three doubtful to Dr. J. C. Blanco, and three unalotted. Such computations as these are easy to make, but they cannot be taken seriously until confirmed by the owners of the names. Even accepting it as fairly correct, it leaves the problem undecided until the national vote is known. It is quite certain that that will not be given to Sr. Battle; many think that it is now lost to Sr. MacEachen, and Dr. Blanco is no great favorite with the party, so the upshot is very doubtful. If there is really a "dark horse" in the contest, now would be the favorable moment for him to make his appearance.

No further attempt to bring the "colorado" legislators together will be made until the end of next week, possibly the 5th. Meanwhile Drs. Lamas, R. Larreta and C. Berro, as delegates of the national Committee, have started for Rio Negro to confer with Aparicio Saravia, naturally in relation to the presidential problem. The result is awaited with some curiosity, as it may determine the official attitude of the party.

With regard to the senatorial elections, commencing next Sunday, everything proceeds quietly, and the result, as we foreshadowed it a few days ago, is more or less anticipated.

The *Nacional* continues to make very serious and explicit charges, some of them indeed of a nature hardly fit for publication, of abuses and crassities committed in the 4th Chassera while under the command of Col. Pollo. Yesterday's *Nacion* pretends to make light of them, saying they are scarcely worth noticing; but that will not remove their effect on public opinion. Either the *Nacional* is publishing the vilest set of calumnies ever concocted, or ought to be made responsible; or else there has been perpetrated a series of villainies that reflect disgrace alike on the Government and the army so long as the guilty parties are not brought to justice. From a liberalerative there is no escape, and the obvious inference is that, if the *Nacional* is not prosecuted, it is because justice is not desired.

VICTORIA HALL.

«A CUP OF TEA» — «JEANNETTE»

Judging from the results of the first amateur performance, that given on Wednesday evening, the suitability and success of the Victoria Hall for such functions are now beyond further question, and amateurs of all nationalities will now find in the Hall a place especially suited for their requirements. The attractive programme organised by Mr. G. E. Still brought together a large and fashionable audience, in which there were many German and Uruguayan friends, besides the principal English-speaking families, but the Hall gave ample accommodation for all, without the least crowding; all had a good view of the stage, and all could hear well, the acoustic properties of the building proving excellent. The stage itself, though there are a few defects of minor detail which will doubtless be remedied before long, proved very well adapted for its purpose, looking very pretty and picturesque; and even the severe test of grouping over 70 children on a stage not intended for spectacular purposes, was accomplished with success. With such a Hall at their disposal—a Hall in many respects more convenient than any of the theatres here—it will be the fault of our amateurs themselves if it is not in frequent use.

After an overture, capably played by the orchestra under the direction of Mr. E. Trimble, the curtain rose on the comedieta «A Cup of Tea.» This proved interesting and amusing and was really admirably played by all concerned, all the points being satisfactorily marked, and there being a laudable absence of the exaggeration and stiffness so often seen in amateur acting. Miss Ritchie, who has given us so many good performances, was most natural and effective as *Lady Clara Seymour*, and her brother Mr. G. Ritchie, a recent acquisition, but a valuable one to the amateur stage, played *Seroggin* with a quiet, easy humor that was very telling. He was funny, without any palpable effort at being funny, and as much cannot always be said of comedians by profession. Mr. Geo. Cooper did not have great scope as *Sir Charles*, but what he had to do was well done. Mr. J. S. Campbell was very comic in an unobtrusive way as the servant *Joseph*, and, small as the part was, he made it a feature of the piece. A hearty recall rewarded the efforts of the actors at the fall of the curtain, and was well deserved.

Then followed what, without detriment to the above, was the attraction of the evening, namely Mr. G. E. Still's operetta «Jeannette» performed by children. Since its first production at the San Felipe Theatre three years ago, the operetta has been considerably compressed, a slight change in the plot enabling nearly all the original second act to be omitted, so that it now plays in one act, lasting about 70 minutes. Though this sacrifice some pretty numbers of music, especially the swaying choros, it greatly improves the dramatic coherence of the piece for stage purposes. When Mr. Still having taken his place at the conductor's desk, two curtain rose on a tableau of some 70 children, closely grouped around the stage, in picturesque costumes, with eager, excited and smiling faces, there was a general murmur of sympathy and admiration. So to say, the bright juvenility of the whole affair disarmed all criticism, proved irresistible, and would have carried a far worse performance to success. Even the faults and slips of the little ones—these were wonderfully few—proved a source of amusement. We must really thank Mr. Still for having given us one of the prettiest sights, and the most charming collection of sweet, young faces, that we have seen in this city, and we are sure that every one who saw it would like to see it again.

Though the music and acting was at times a little beyond the powers of the young actors, the performance was really wonderfully good and entertaining, testifying to the great pains and patience Mr. Still must have exercised in training his troupe, and we are sure everyone was pleased. As *Jeannette* Miss Helen Thomas looked as pretty as a picture, and sang and acted her part very sweetly, and with much grace and self-possession. Miss Isabel Miles was pert and pleasing as *Mabel*, and evidently quite ready to hold her own with more mature amateurs. Miss Ellen Davies did what was possible with the rather thankless part of *Marion*. Master Walter Ayre was a revelation as *Gasper*, showing genuine natural humor, and scoring enormously with his comic song «Like This.» To which some clever topical lines had been fitted. Master (I) Lodge was amusing as *Pompey*, but the part does not give many opportunities. Master E. Brooks tried his best as *Rudolph*, but we think the part was a little beyond his powers. As to the little ones, the really little ones, who took the minor parts, we can only say that they all did most charmingly and sweetly, though the task of identifying them separately is more than we can undertake. The plot of the operetta brought to a happy solution, there followed the dances, which not a few thought the prettiest part of the entertainment. The Maypole Dance, given by six

couples of very small children, was as pretty as ever, and was enthusiastically received. Then followed a surprise, namely a skit-dance given by two lovely little girls, Gladys Cooper and Maggie Christie, whose fairy like appearance in white dresses sent a fresh murmur of admiration round the audience, and their graceful evolutions earned an ovation and encore. Then followed the «Village School» of twelve more quaint little mites, headed by little Juanita Thomas (we think) who sang a quaint old-fashioned school song, with choros, in most amusing style, and scored another encore. These three items alone were sufficient to make the evening a success. Walter Ayre's clever comic song brought the performance to a capital conclusion, and the curtain fell to unanimous applause and loud calls for Mr. Still, who had to appear upon the stage to have his acknowledgments. We repeat that thanks are due to him for a remarkably pretty entertainment—which would well bear repeating if the weather will permit—and he has again proved his exceptional talent for organization. We do not mind confessing that we were among those who had misgivings as to the success of so difficult a task, but we equally confess that we have been most pleased and surprised at the result. We must excuse ourselves from repeating the names of all the children (some of them fairly big) taking part, as they appeared in a recent issue. It only remains to say that there was a very efficient orchestra of twenty amateur and professional musicians, which acquitted itself admirably throughout the evening, contributing a large share to the general success.

THE CENTRAL URUGUAY RAILWAY COMPANY OF MONTEVIDEO.

(Continued from our last.)

You see the whole of the debenture stock of the Western Extension, and about six sevenths of the shares, belong to this company, therefore, although in form it is an independent company, in reality it may be looked upon as part and parcel of the main line itself. Well, the Western Extension was completed within the time indicated. We have the assurance on all sides, that the method of construction has been of the best, that the materials have also been of the best, and that the maintenance expenses of the Western Extension are likely to be, comparatively speaking, very light in the future; and for this reason we cannot let this occasion pass without paying a tribute of admiration to Mr. Carlos Malmeo, the constructing engineer, for the determination with which he carries the works out, and the extremely effective way in which he did them. Everybody who has seen the line is unanimous on the subject of it having been thoroughly well done. At the present moment we quite admit that our advisers on the other side express disappointment that the development of the districts served by the Western line has not been more rapid than has been the case. I must say it does not astonish me very much, nor do I think it need astonish any of the shareholders, because you must remember that the most productive section, that to Mercedes, has only been opened since January 1st this year, and therefore only six months of the year embrace the whole line; the other six months only takes in half of it. There is abundant evidence that the development, though slow, is sure, and I do not think that it is at all adventurous to suppose that the western district, which is certainly equal to the very best of the whole of the Uruguayan Republic, must, within a very moderate time, produce pretty nearly as much as the Eastern Extension. Some people even go so far as to say that ere long it will produce as much per mile of line as does the old Central line; but without going so far as that, if it only reaches the height to which the Eastern Extension has done, we shall have every reason to be glad that we have gone into this business, and be satisfied that it will bear its share, and contribute more than its share, to the prosperity of the whole system. In the meantime, we must be prepared with a little more patience. We guarantee 4 per cent. interest on the Western Railway debenture stock, which is a 6 per cent. and, certainly, at the rate of traffic which we have shown during the year under review, the deficit which we shall have to meet will be very considerable, though we make a fair profit on the actual working account. The prospects, as shown in the telegrams we have recently received, seem better than we have had for a long time past. Our relations with the Government could not be better than they are, thanks to the tact of our representatives on the other side, who have always kept us right in that respect. The Government have treated us with consideration ever since the reduction of the guarantees, which took place in the year 1890. Of course, we cannot be wholly free from anxiety, because we are approaching the period of the Presidential election, which takes place in March next, but I am happy to say, up to the present time, at all events,

there is no sign of any unusual disturbance, and I sincerely hope that it will pass off well. In the construction of the Western Extension the cost per mile comes out at about £6,000. The cost of the Northern and Eastern Extensions is a little over £9,000, and the cost of the main line stands in our books at £14,700, so that we have the immense advantage that having constructed the Western Extension by administration, we have obtained a very substantial saving in its capital cost, which, of course, must tell later on. The difficulties which surrounded our position a year ago have been surmounted. We have paid our way, and we have thereby strengthened the foundations of our credit, and I believe that our bankers, our financiers, and our other supporters, who helped us through difficulties, realise, at all events, that they are dealing with straightforward people, who comply with the obligations that they have contracted, and that is an asset, which, though it does not figure in the balance sheet, is nevertheless of very great value to the companies. I will now propose: «That the directors' report and audited statement of accounts for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1902, now submitted, be received and adopted.»

Mr. Carlos Fitzwygram seconded the resolution, and said that he had taken a deep interest in the Northern and Eastern Railways, having been on the board ever since it started, and he was pleased to see that the improvement they were so anxiously expected, and which had been so long deferred, seemed to be setting in. The increase was not due to any abnormal or exceptional circumstances, but to the two main items—viz, the carriage of goods and transport of animals. With regard to any apprehension as to the Western line, he thought that must be only transient. He was glad to say that the August traffic showed an increase over July, and September traffic showed a substantial increase over that of August, while the result of the first fortnight of October were somewhat in excess of the corresponding fortnight of September.

In reply to questions, the Chairman said: With regard to the harbor works at Montevideo, he was told they were in the hands of responsible men, and that the construction was actively proceeding. One always felt a little nervous about public works which were carried on under official auspices, lest something should occur to stop them, but he had no reason to believe that they would not go on steadily.

The report and accounts were then unanimously adopted.

The Chairman then moved: «That a balance dividend of 1 per cent., making with the interim dividend paid in April last, 2 per cent. for the whole year, free of income tax, be, and the same is hereby declared, on the ordinary stock of the company.»

Mr. H. G. Anderson seconded the motion, which was agreed to unanimously.

The Chairman next proposed the re-election of Mr. H. G. Anderson as a director.

Mr. Fitzwygram seconded the proposal, which was unanimously adopted.

Mr. George Groves moved that Messrs. Welton, Jones and Co. and Messrs. Deloitte, Dwyer, Griffiths and Co. be re-appointed auditors for the ensuing year.

Mr. F. O. Smithers seconded the motion, which was agreed to unanimously.

The Chairman next proposed: «That the thanks of the shareholders be given to the local committee and Mr. Frank Hudson, the general manager, and the officers and staff of the company in Montevideo, and also to the secretary and staff in London, for their zealous services during the year.»

Mr. H. G. Anderson seconded the resolution, which was agreed to unanimously, and the proceedings terminated.

Beethoven Concert.

The following is the programme of the Orchestral Concert which the Beethoven Society will give, under the direction of Prof. Sambucetti, at the Solis Theatre, on Sunday evening next, for the benefit of the funds of the Uruguayan Anti-Tuberculosis League:

- Part I.—1. Overture, «Preciosa» Weber.—2. a) «Esquise» b) «Dubois» (violinello, Sr. A. Basso); c) «The Rain» A. David; d) March of the Tin Soldiers, Pierné.—3. «Oriente» Errante.—4. Prelude, «Lobengrin» Wagner.—5. Gipsy Dance, Saint-Saëns.

Part II.—Concerto in si bemol, Martucci, piano, Sr. Mario Bemporai.

Part III.—1. Overture, «Coriolan» Beethoven.—2. Dance Macabre, Saint-Saëns, violin solo Dr. J. P. Massora.

3. a) Midsummer Night's Dream, b) Spring Song, c) La Filleuse, Mendelssohn.—4. Warrior's March, Reger.

SUNDRIES.

—SCOTCH CHURCH.—The Rev. Alex. T. Hill arrived from Buenos Aires yesterday morning, and hopes to call on most of the Scotch families during the next few days. On Sunday he will conduct a Scotch service and preach at the Methodist Episcopal Church, at 11 a. m.

—MAILS.—The R. M. S. «Clyde» bringing London dates to the 6th instant, has been delayed by bad weather and will not arrive until Sunday evening or Monday morning, sailing homeward bound on Dec. 6.

—«JEANNETTE» PHOTOGRAPHS.—We are requested by Mr. Still to state that Mr. Fitzpatrick will be at the Victoria Hall to-day (Friday) at 9 a. m. punctually to take photographs of «Jeannette» and it is hoped all taking part will attend.

—ST. ANDREW'S BANQUET.—Arrangements have been made by the Committee by which this Banquet (on Monday next) will be held in the Victoria Hall. Those holding it on British ground (so to speak) should add another item to its popularity. In our next we hope to publish the programme of toasts, speeches, etc. Tickets for the banquet may still be had from the Committee. The Rev. A. T. Hill will be among the guests.

—CONCERT.—The Vocal and Instrumental Concert organised by Mr. H. Marshall, which will be given at the Victoria Hall on Wednesday evening next, will be in aid of the British Hospital. As tickets are fixed at the very moderate price of 50 cents each, they ought to find a ready sale. Further particulars in our next.

—THE BOUNDARY QUESTION.—Buenos Aires papers publish the text, translated telegraphically, of the award of the Chilean Argentine Boundary Arbiters. The new boundary line adopted is a conventional one, evidently meant as a compromise, following neither the line of the highest peaks nor that of the watershed. Of the territory in dispute Chile gets about 55,000 square kilometers and Argentina 40,000, but the latter is considered the more valuable land. The demarcation Commission will leave England shortly.

—SAIGONA.—According to a Berlin telegram the British and German war vessels in Venezuelan waters have taken possession of the Custom House at La Guayra, to make good the payment of the indemnity owing by Venezuela, but which that turbulent little Republic refused to satisfy.

—RAILWAY APPOINTMENT.—We learn from Buenos Aires that Mr. J. Percy Clarke, Chief Engineer of the United Railway Companies Central Argentine and B. A. and Rosario, has been offered and accepted the position of Manager of the Leopoldina Railway in Rio de Janeiro. Mr. Clarke sails for Rio by the «Clyde» next week in company with Mr. Barrow.

—BUENOS AIRES.—The following is the «marital law» news given by the *B. A. Standard* of Wednesday:—The state of siege restored confidence to that worthy man Althe-world yesterday, and especially to his female relatives, who were rather nervous on Monday. There was a considerable revival of business, especially in the Darsena. At the Central Produce Market also there was a considerable resumption of work. All the 500 men arrested will be sent to a patacon in the Roads, and some half-dozen of Anarchist agitators are already marked for expulsion from the country. The prime mover of the whole imbroglio has managed to escape from the city but his arrest is considered certain.

—THE ACTON LIBRARY.—Mr. John Morley, says a London paper, has decided to give the Acton Library to Cambridge. Mr. Carnegie, of course, made a present of the great collection of books to Mr. Morley absolutely, and the latter admits that for a time he built libraries in the air—«I played with the fancy of retaining it for my own use and delectation.» But upon consideration, Mr. Morley, «with the possible reservation of an inconsiderable portion of quite secondary importance» offers the library to the University of Cambridge—an offer already accepted by the Duke of Devonshire, its Chancellor. Mr. Morley says that the library was collected by Lord Acton to be the material for a history of Liberty, the emancipation of Conscience from Power, and the gradual substitution of Freedom for Force in the government of men. This is interesting, because it has been sometimes stated that the books are all ecclesiastical in character. As a fact religion was only a particular case of a general theory. Lord Acton's governing notion was to collect material on human institutions as the ore which was to be mined into a work on Liberty. Cambridge will be grateful to Mr. Morley for his splendid gift, a worthy memorial of a great scholar whom Cambridge—on second thoughts—deservedly honoured.

—RACING NOTE.—From a London paper of Oct. 29.—When it was announced in some quarters yesterday that Mr. R. S. Siever had sold his famous mare, the winner of four of the five «classics» races this year, to Sir Tatton Sykes, the well-known breeder of race horses, for £30,000, many people gazed with astonishment; for though that price has been exceeded (as when the stallion Flying Fox was sold to Mr. Blane), a mare has never realised so high a figure. It appears that Siever has not done so after all, for Mr. Siever sent round a denial of the report. The fact is that the Eaton-bred daughter of Persimmon and Oranmont is to be put up to auction to-day at Newmarket, the upset price being £24,000. For breeding purposes, Siever, who was bred by late Duke of Westminster, and

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who as a yearling was purchased for the record price of 10,000 guineas, cannot possibly be worth so much, though a stallion may be, and, indeed has proved, a profitable investment at that figure. The great Ormonde realised £30,000 for stud purposes in South America. Galtee More was sold to the Russian Government by Mr. J. Gubbins for something like £25,000, and Flying Fox, as already mentioned, holds the record. But a fictitious value attaches to Scrope, inasmuch as she holds engagements for next season in several races, each of the value of £10,000 in stakes. It is on the probability of the mare's winning one or more of these races that she is appraised so highly. This is, therefore, not so much an investment as a gamble in horse-flesh.

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LONDON NOTES.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 29.

Yesterday's sitting of the House of Commons was occupied with discussion of the Education Bill. Sub-section C of Clause 8 was carried by and of the clause after two amendments had been accepted. One of these, proposed by Mr. Balfour, related to the dismissal of teachers, and the other, brought forward by Mr. H. Holhouse, gave a discretion as to the appointment of assistant teachers and pupil teachers without reference to religious creed. Mr. Macnamara's amendment against making the appointment of a teacher conditional on his performing other duties was rejected. In the evening Sub-section D, which refers to the maintenance of schools, was debated, the principal point raised having reference to the rent for teachers' houses.

Speaking last night in West Bromwich, Lord Charles Beresford, M.P., addressed himself largely to the consideration of the Navy, which, he said, was in an infinitely stronger position than a couple of years ago. He emphatically approved of the Government's arrangement with the Cunard Line as calculated to be of great service to us in time of war. The American shipping combine he also regarded as conferring a benefit on Great Britain.

Lord Peel presided over a meeting of the Central Temperance Legislation Board, held yesterday at Caxton Hall, Westminster, and gave an address on temperance reform. He especially urged that whatever was done, liberty of action in the future must not be prejudicated; and he expressed a desire to see, as an object-lesson, some great town empowered to deal with the licensing question as it chose. Mr. E. Stafford Howard, Earl Beauchamp, and Mr. Whitaker, M.P., also spoke.

A number of subjects interesting to women were discussed at the Conference of Women Workers, held in Edinburgh yesterday. In the course of the proceedings Lady Battersea delivered her presidential address, and amongst other speakers were the Countess of Aberdeen, Mr. Sheldon Ames, and Miss Frances Melville. By 70 yeas to 18 the London County Council yesterday instructed certain of its Committees to at once consider the advisability of the Council promoting in the next Session of Parliament a Bill on the subject of underground railways in London.

In opening the inquest on the body of Maud Eliza Mars, the barmaid who died under suspicious circumstances at Southwark, the Coroner intimated yesterday that the inquiry would be a long one. The deceased was identified by her father, a Croydon labourer, and the inquest was adjourned

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allow the contents of the viscera to be chemically examined.

In the Court of Appeal yesterday an application for a new trial was refused to the defendant in a somewhat singular action. It appeared that he had challenged a former employee to find two customers who were dissatisfied with the goods supplied by him and promised him £100 if he did so. Such persons had been discovered, and the defendant had a verdict entered against him for the money. Against this he appealed, with the result stated on various grounds.

Serious allegations against a policeman named John Evans, 251 B, were made at the Westminster Police-court yesterday, during the hearing of a charge of assault preferred by him against a customer. For the defence it was stated that the policeman had pushed a woman and her baby down and assaulted the accused customer with his trachea. Mr. Horace Smith ordered a remand, remarking that it was a serious matter, which must be further investigated.

COMMERCIAL

STOCK EXCHANGE.

Montevideo, Nov. 27, 1902. Business to-day was rather quiet, but prices were firmer and show an inclination to improve. Sales as follows:—

Treasury Certificates Debt, \$42,700 at 79.30 cash, 79.50 and 79.60 end of month, 78.80 end of Dec.
Cedulas A \$12,000 at 58.50 cash and 58.50.

Mortgage Bank, 900 shares at 15.50 end of month, 16 end of March.
Consolidated Debt, \$191,760 at 53.80 cash, 53.90 and 54 end of month, 54.30 and 54.40 end of Dec., 54.60 to 54.80 end of Jan. London quotation 54 1/2.

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Italy	5.38-39	
Spain	7.29-32	
Brasil	20.500	20.450
B. Aires, par.	1/4-1/2 ds.	

Business Notes.

The Custom House paid into the London Bank yesterday \$11943 on account of the Consolidated Debt and Railway guarantee service and \$1459 on account of the 5% Loan service.

—Gold opened in B. Aires yesterday at 227.40, and closed at 227.50. Exchange upon London was quoted in Rio Janeiro yesterday at 11 31/32 to 12 d per milreis.

—Antwerp, 27 Wool, class B, 4775 francs cash, 4.83 end of month, 4.85 end of Dec.

—Wool busy and firm. Sales in Station 137,500 kilos at \$ 3.00 to 3.70 per 10 kilos.
—Wheat dull and weak. A few lots sold at 2.30 to 2.40 without bag. Marzo quiet. Sales for consumption at \$1.80 to 1.85 with bag.

Buenos Aires, Nov. 27, 1902.
Gold, cash, 227.40.
Do. end of month, 227.40.
Cedulas H. Nacionales, cash, 87.30.
Do. 1m, 87.30.
Do. end of month, 87.40.
Do. G, cash, 87.60.
Emprestito Popular Interno, 1898, cash, 86.10.
Emprestito Interno, 1891, end of month, 86.50.
Do. end of Dec., 87.20.
Cia. Sanguinea (oro) cash, 265.
Do. end of month, 270.
Puerto San Nicolas, cash, 6.00.
Do. end of Dec., 6.00.
Muelles y Depositos de La Plata. (oro), cash, 3.75.
Do. end of month, 3.75.
Do. end of Dec., 3.75.
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