FANNING IS EXASPERATED

Colonel Moise's Chief Lieutenant Betrays His Feelings of Chagrin.

ALL OVER ACTION OF COUNTY DEMOCRACY

Calls the Objectors to the Colonel's Pro-Poynter Scheme a Lot of Traitors Who Could Never Secure Endorsement.

In the absence from the city of Colonel Moise of the governor's staff none of the executive lieutenants seem to know what course they are collectively likely to pursue in regard to the proposition to hold democratic primaries and select in that way a new delegation to the state convention. The whereabouts of Colonel Moise is not stated, but wherever he is he can hardly realize what fun he has been missing in his absence.

Oil Inspector Fanning, who has the leadership of the executive commando in the absence of the real colonel, although usually a man of prompt action, appears to be at sea.

"I don't know what we will do," says he. "I believe we ought to go into the primaries and skin them out again. I don't know, however, whether we will stand pat on the delegation already selected. Oh, we don't care what the County Democracy and Louis Piatti have done. They don't amount to anything anyhow. What would the County Democracy have amounted to if it had not been for Moise, Miller and myself? We are not bound by the action of any club.

"Why didn't they kick on the method of selecting the congressional delegation? If it was wrong to select the state delegation it was wrong to select the congressional delegation. But these fellows have not said a thing about that being against the constitution of the club. Why don't they kick on that? Those fellows who passed that resolution are a lot of traitors who were left off the state delegation because they sold us out at the last state convention. Not one of them could get on a state delegation in 100 years by their own efforts and yet they are running around making such a holler because they were not put on. I am disgusted with the whole business and am out of politics. I tell you I would not walk from here to that curbstone to see Bryan elected. I said that once before and someone rushed up to tell Bryan about it."

It is apparent that Fanning is exasperated, as much of what he said, especially in his references to Louis J. Piatti and the others who participated in Thursday night's meeting of the County Democracy, would not look well in print.

Meantime it is stated that the Piatti forces are urging the nomination of Lysle I. Abbott for congress, which explains why Piatti opposed the endorsement of Edgar Howard at the recent meeting of the county committee. Members of the Jacksonian club say, however, that Howard will be nominated, in spite of his recent letter announcing that he is not an aspirant, as it is well understood that he would gladly accept the nomination if he were sure he could get it without arousing any democratic animosities.

The endorsement of Dr. Lee VanCamp for the position of county physician by the County Democracy draws out some drastic criticism from Charley Fanning. VanCamp has been acting as interne at the county hospital, and it is suspected that his boom for county physician has been hoisted by the superintendent of the poor farm, although J. J. Mahoney presented the resolution of endorsement.

"He is a fine mark for county physician," said Charley Fanning. "Why, in the last election he wouldn't pay the assessment levied upon him by the committee. You know there is a rule of the county committee providing for the assessment of all county employes for campaign purposes on a basis of not to exceed 5 per cent of their salaries. The assessment of VanCamp was only 3 per cent, but he never paid it, nor any part of it. And yet he is put up and endorsed for county physician. You may say that if the county committee does meet again it will knock the waddin' out of that endorsement."

Possibly because of the troubles that beset Colonel Moise and his fellow workers in behalf of Governor Poynter's renomination it is not nearly so certain now that the populists will hold primaries and select a delegation to the state convention, instead of allowing John O. Yeiser to name his delegation in pursuance of authority given him by the convention some weeks since. Colonel Moise had some of the populists worked up to the proper pitch of exasperation because a convention had assumed to grant such power to any one without awaiting an expression of the voters in the ordinary way, but since Colonel Moise set out to capture the democratic outposts in exactly the same way populistic fervor in behalf of the primary system has abated somewhat. It is now announced that the populist county committee has been called to meet on Saturday, June 2, at which meeting a conclusion will be reached as to whether or not the party will hold primaries and select a delegation in a county convention.

There was a large attendance at the meeting of the Fifth Ward Republican club last night. The principal business was the election of officers for the ensuing year and the following were chosen: President, W. R. Richardson; vice president, Charles M. Knox; secretary, Paul Stewart; assistant secretary, Ben McLean; treasurer, George Parker. The matter of increasing the membership of the club was discussed and a plan outlined by which every republican in the ward can be reached. A vote of thanks was extended to W. T. Nelson, the retiring president, and the club adjourned to meet next Friday night.

Cruel Annie Anderson.

Albert Anderson has filed suit in the district court against Annie Anderson, asking for divorce on the ground of cruelty. Anderson alleges that among the indignities heaped upon him by his wife, she struck him viciously with a stove poker on January 15, 1895. They were married at Wilber, Neb., August 9, 1894.

Tax Levy Resisted.

John A. Creighton has filed suit against the city to resist payment of $1,009 tax levied upon several pieces of property in improvement district No. 554. The suit is based on the allegation that street improvements against the property were not properly authorized by the city council.

SIGNS OF PARALYSIS.

Can Be Discovered in Time.

"Numbness of the hands and arms, with premonitions of paralysis, kept by me while I was using coffee. I finally discovered it was caused by coffee; when I quit the coffee and began drinking Postum Food Coffee the numbness ceased entirely and I have been very well ever since. At that time I was unable to sleep, but now I sleep perfectly.

"Husband was also troubled from lack of sleep while he was drinking coffee, but now he uses Postum Food Coffee with me, and we both sleep perfectly. Our little boy had peculiar nervous spells and I stopped the use of coffee with him and have been giving him all the Postum Food Coffee he cares for. He is perfectly well now.

"My sister was troubled with nervous headaches while she used coffee. She found how greatly improved we were from discontinuing it and using Postum Food Coffee, so she made the change and is now rid of her nervous headaches. We are naturally strong advocates of Postum." Mrs. J. Walford, Castalia, Erie Co., Ohio.

ONE "SCOOP" THAT FAILED

Woman's Club Reporters Get a Hot "Exclusive" Too Late for the Last Edition.

The members of the Woman's club who helped to get out the Ak-Sar-Ben paper last Thursday, being desirous of making a good record for themselves as newsgatherers, were especially anxious to get a "scoop" on the opposition papers.

"Mr. Officer," said one of the two reporters detailed to the police station, "won't you please give us a scoop?"

"I'll give you everything there is," was the evasive reply of the desk sergeant. "Get your pencils ready and I'll read you the squeals."

Then followed a long list of articles lost and stolen. Finally the sergeant read the item, "Bob Green, drunk."

The reporters were horrified.

"What! a man drunk!" they exclaimed.

"Yes, ma'am."

"Have the other papers got it?"

"No, I didn't give it to them."

"Oh, sir, may I use the 'phone?"

"Sure, ma'am. Help yourself."

A moment later a soprano voice shouted into the receiver:

"Is this 1860? * * * This is——talking. Oh, I've got a lovely scoop! Is it in time? * * * Yes, it's about a man being drunk. * * * Why, they arrested him! * * * Yes, he was real drunk—awfully drunk! * * * What's that? * * * But the other papers haven't got it. * * * You don't want it, you say? * * * Oh, it's too late for the last edition. That's just mean!"

And that's how it came that the Ak-Sar-Ben edition failed to score the scoop of the season.

DOG BECOMES DISCOURAGED

Echo at Twenty-First and Burdette Streets Drives the Poor Canine Into Rabies.

Constable W. A. Hardy, who shot a mad dog Thursday near Twenty-first and Burdette streets, gives this explanation of how the animal came to be afflicted with rabies:

"It was an echo that did the work," said he. "The dog had all the water he wanted to drink and was well fed and cared for, but he couldn't stand that echo.

"It's the most remarkable echo you ever heard. At Twenty-first and Burdette is a vacant lot. Stand at the southwest corner of this lot and take ten paces north, then seven paces east and you will come to a stone sunk in the ground. Stand on this stone, facing toward the Coliseum, and shout, 'Hello, Johnson' and the answer will come back, 'Which Johnson do you mean?' fourteen times.

"You see there are a great many Johnson's living in the neighborhood.

"Well, when the dog found out about the stone he used to go and stand on it and bark and the echo would bark back at him. At first it amused him, but at last he got thin and emaciated. It seemed the echo could stand it to bark longer than he could and it hurt his pride, but he persevered, yelping and baying until his voice became husky and his throat parched. Of course he couldn't stand this forever and finally he went mad.

"The echo is a little knocked out, too. I interviewed it a little while ago and it was pretty hoarse. I told it to get its voice sandpapered."

PUBLIC LIBRARY MATTERS

Meeting of the Board of Directors Last Night Transacts Much Routine Business.

At the meeting of the Omaha library board last night there were present Directors Reed, Haller, Morris, Kennedy, Leavitt, Knox and Rosewater. A member of the Philosophical society requested the board to modify its recent rule forbidding the society the use of the assembly room of the library building. The board decided to stand by its former order.

A committee of the woman's club of Dundee Place desired to board to alter the regulations in relation to the issue of books to persons living outside the corporate limits of the city. It was decided that no change could not be made.

William Cleburn notified the directors that he had bequeathed to the library his collection of botanical specimens. The leave of Margaret O'Brien, assistant librarian, was extended four days to permit her to attend the meeting of the American Library association at Montreal. The librarian reported that she had made arrangements for the circulation of the school library during the summer vacation. Assistants will visit the various school buildings where the books are to be kept at stated times for the purpose of receiving and issuing the books.

The librarian's monthly report was received and filed. A manuscript case for the Byron Reed room was ordered at a cost of $250, from plans prepared by Director Knox. Bills aggregating $1,169.53 were allowed.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVORERS MEET

Annual Convention of the Omaha and South Omaha Societies Held Last Night.

The annual convention of the Christian Endeavor societies of Omaha and South Omaha was held Friday night at the First Christian church. The attendance of the members of the various societies was unusually large and an enthusiasm surpassing that of any previous convention was manifested. An interesting program had been arranged for the occasion, in which representation was given a number of the different organizations situated in the district.

A song service, led by Dr. W. O. Henry, inaugurated the program, followed by Rev. T. S. Hawley's invocation, reading of the scriptures by Rev. E. D. Wyckoff and prayer by Rev. F. A. Hatch. Musical selections by the Young Men's Christian association quartet and congregation singing interspersed the remainder of the program, which consisted of the following addresses: "Watching Our Sacrifice," Rev. E. H. Jenks; "Mission of Christian Endeavor," Rev. S. T. Martin; "What Are the Juniors Doing?" Mr. Edwin Gray. The consecration service was conducted by Mr. Arthur Chase.

BRIDEGROOM'S UNHAPPY LOT

Two Hours After His Marriage He is Arrested on Complaint of a Former Sweetheart.

William Holden, a fireman at the Willow Springs distillery, Fourth and Pierce streets, was married at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon and two hours later, at the instance of a former sweetheart, he was arrested on a charge of bastardy.

After a hearing in Justice Baldwin's court Friday afternoon he was bound over to district court under $1,000 bonds. The complaining witness is a young woman named Mary Daily. Her child is two months old. She says Holden promised to marry her and that until she heard of his marriage Thursday she supposed he intended to make his word good.

Discuss Plans for a Monument.

The Thurston Rifles held a meeting Friday night to discuss the matter of raising money to erect a monument to the memory of the nine members of Company L who were killed in the Philippines, but no definite understanding was reached. It was decided to adjourn the meeting until Monday night, when the discussion will be resumed.

Elks Give a Benefit.

Omaha lodge, No. 39, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, gave a concert recital Thursday night as a testimonial to Mrs. Jussen-Donnelly. The attendance was good and the program highly entertaining. Numbers were given by Miss Frances Roeder, contralto; Clement R. Shaw, bass; Sigmund Landeberg, piano; Charles Higgins, violin, and Karl Smith, 'cello. Miss Daisy Higgins appeared as accompanist.

Mrs. Jussen-Donnelly gave several readings, among others a monologue by Mark Twain, a sketch in dialect, and a selection entitled "Child Life."

SOUTH OMAHA NEWS.

An interesting meeting of the South Omaha Commercial club was held last night and several important matters were discussed. At the suggestion of President Flynn the club will take up the question of charter revision and a committee consisting of Messrs. Wells, Cheek and Walters was named to investigate and report. This committee will go over the present city charter and pick out the sections which should be repealed or amended. The mode and manner of passing ordinances, the powers of the council, of the chief executive and the collection of taxes will be gone into particularly. It is thought that by commencing this matter early there will be plenty of time for a thorough revision of the charter. When the amendments are agreed upon a bill is to be drafted which will be presented to the legislature next winter.

In this connection it is stated that Mayor Kelly is heartily in accord with the move and is willing to appoint a committee of the council to work in conjunction with the committee named by the club.

Considerable time was taken up in the discussion of the hair field problem. The special committee composed of Dr. McCrann and A. H. Murdock reported that they had visited the field and they do not consider it a nuisance. Both members of the committee asserted that the odor arising from the city dump just below the hair field is the real cause of the complaints. Dead animals and vegetable matter are allowed to decay on the river bank. Herman Kountze has instructed the hair company to move on June 1. Secretary Watkins was instructed to communicate with Mr. Kountze and send him a copy of the report of the special committee, with a view to having him rescind his order about the removal of the fields on June 1. The drying of hair is quite an industry here, as twenty-five men are employed. An effort will be made by the club to retain this industry here.

Philip Krause brought up the question of repairing Bellevue avenue from Wyman street to the county line. This roadway, he said, is in a deplorable condition. The county commissioners will be asked to make some repairs at once, while an effort will be made by a committee to secure signers to a petition for the paving of the street. As the Union Pacific owns the property abutting on one side of the street the paving problem may be a difficult one. Secretary Watkins was instructed to communicate with officials of the Union Pacific and see what the company will do about making a permanent roadway on this thoroughfare. If this concession is granted the club stands pledged to assist the company in a number of ways.

The annual dues were fixed at $2 per annum. At the suggestion of Mr. Cheek the directors will negotiate with the South Omaha club for the use of the club rooms for the holding of directors' and committee meetings and the entertaining of out of town guests.

Sneak Thieves at Work.

Thursday evening a sneak thief entered the kitchen of Mrs. J. M. Tanner, Twenty-fourth and D streets, and carried away four dozen silver spoons. A portion of the property stolen consisted of souvenir spoons, which are highly valued. When the robbery was reported at police headquarters yesterday Captain Allie started out to run down the thieves and last night he arrested Fred Sly, better known as "Kid," and Frank Wilson. These young crooks are being held on suspicion. In hunting for the stolen property the house of Mag Johnson, which is located in the rear of the city hall building, was searched, but nothing was found. In a pile of refuse near the Johnson hut the twelve souvenir spoons were found wrapped in a piece of newspaper. A hostler in a barn near by saw a young colored woman, who goes by the name of Olive Banks, hide a package among the rubbish and the police promptly arrested her. Captain Allie is confident that he will recover the balance of the stolen property.

Collecting Delinquent Taxes.

City Treasurer Koutsky has just completed the work of copying the names of those delinquent in the payment of personal taxes onto sheets. These are arranged in alphabetical order and as soon as the addresses are filled in notices will be served upon these parties to call at once and pay the overdue taxes. These lists contain 1,860 names and the work of going through the books and compiling the data has taken almost a week. Those whose names appear on the list owe all the way from $1 up to $50 and an earnest effort is to be made by the treasurer to collect all the money due the city from this source.

High Prices for Hogs.

Hog receipts at this market continue to show an increase over corresponding dates of last year and the prices paid here are higher than at other markets. Out of 14,000 hogs received at Kansas City on Wednesday only 4,000 sold above $5. The same number, 14,000, were on sale here on Wednesday and only 500 head sold below $5. Shippers realize that this is the best market on the river and a continuation of the heavy receipts is looked for by the local buyers. Since January 1 about 860,000 hogs have been marketed here, which is an increase of 28,000 head as compared with the same period of time in 1899.

Magic City Gossip.

Mrs. Henry Mies has arrived safely at Cologne.

Work on the Vinton street pavement will commence June 1.

A son has been born to Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Sherman, Fifteenth and N streets.

A. L. Coleman is looking for his pet dog, which strayed away from home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Ringo, Twenty-third and Railroad avenue, report the birth of a son.

Howard Bodie, head clerk at Scarr's drug store, has been called to York by the serious illness of his father.

Seventy acres of sugar beets have been planted on the Chapman tract at Bellevue by South Omaha business men.

Mrs. John L. Martin, Twenty-second and J streets, left last night for Milwaukee, where she will visit friends for a time.

A concert will be given at the First Presbyterian church on Friday evening, June 1, under the direction of Miss Lillian Fitch.

The hearing of testimony in the Papez liquor license remonstrance will be concluded after the council meeting Monday night.

The State Letter Carriers' association will meet in convention at the Millard hotel on Wednesday, May 30. C. W. Miller of this city is president of the association.

William Ward and James Murphy have resigned as members of the fire department and Mayor Kelly has appointed James Brabbits and Ivor Thomas to fill the vacancies.

A day or two ago Philip Gensler entered the residence of L. Hatch, 627 North Twenty-fourth street, and stole a suit of clothes. Yesterday Detective Dempsey of Omaha arrested Gensler and recovered the clothing.

Mrs. Dickman, Twentieth and L streets, was quite badly burned by oil last evening. She was engaged in oiling a floor at her home when in some way the oil ignited and she was burned about the hands and face. Her injuries, while exceedingly painful, are not considered serious.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Ira D. Marston of Kearney is at the Iler Grand.

Misses Mamie and Bessie Mallalieu of Kearney, daughters of the secretary of the republican state central committee, are guests of their father, at the Iler Grand.

Matthew Gering of Plattsmouth, who was defeated for the fusion nomination for congress at Auburn, was in Omaha yesterday. He was not in the most genial good humor over the result.

Edgar Howard of Papillion was in the city yesterday, and when asked as to the status of his congressional aspirations, declared that he was willing that the nomination should go to Lysle Abbott or any other man who wanted it.

Nebraskans at the Merchants Friday: A. J. and F. D. Wright of Tekamah, Mrs. D. Congdon and son of North Platte, F. J. Coates of Grand Island, J. A. Parks of York, L. W. Wilson of Merna, W. A. Masters of Hastings and W. H. Essex of Lincoln.

Ex-Senator John D. Pope of Saline county, candidate for congress on the republican ticket, was at republican headquarters yesterday. He manifests the utmost confidence in his chance of election and gives assurances of unusual enthusiasm among republicans in his section.

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Mrs. Benson is Guardian Grand Circle, Women of Woodcraft, of Seattle, Wash., the largest woman's organization on the Pacific coast.

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Peruna has come to be so universally recognized as a specific cure for catarrhal affections, acute or chronic, that it is amazing that anyone should continue to suffer on with such a persistant malady, neglecting to take a remedy that is sure.

Of course, it may be that many people have not yet come to know of this remedy for catarrhal affections, but it is strange it should be so after such multitudes have been cured by it and so many papers have heralded it from one end of the country to the other. Men and women of all ages and rank, the rich and poor, the learned and illiterate, are daily giving unsolicited testimony to the fact that Peruna will cure all catarrhal diseases.

A free book on catarrhal ailments, written by Dr. Hartman, the compounder of Peruna, will be sent by The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, Ohio.

MONUMENT TO FIFTH CORPS

President and Party Attend Memorial Services at Fredericksburg.

GENERAL SICKLES ORATOR OF THE DAY

Public Exercises and Official Welcome for Society of the Army of the Potomac—Butterfield Lays Cornerstone.

FREDERICKSBURG, Va., May 25.—Fair weather favored the presidential party in their visit to the memorial services of the Army of the Potomac here today. It was distinctly confederate weather, however, with more gray than blue in the sky. The special train from Washington arrived at 11:10 and found the whole population of the staid old Virginia town grouped about the depot or massed along the main street, with the national colors appearing everywhere.

The special carried all the members of the cabinet except Secretary Wilson. There also were in the party General Nelson A. Miles, his chief aide, Colonel Michler; General Joseph Wheeler, Former Adjutant General Ruggles, who was colonel of the president's old regiment during the war, and the Marine band.

The train was met at Quantico by a reception committee from Fredericksburg, consisting of Hon. Horace F. Crisman, Major T. P. Morris and Postmaster John M. Griffin, who accompanied the presidential party to Fredericksburg, where they were turned over to the hospitalities of the local committee.

The procession formed at the depot and, headed by the Marine band, moved at once to the court house, where the public exercises were held and an official welcome tendered to the Society of the Potomac. The address of welcome was delivered by St. George R. Fitzhugh and the response was made by General Martin T. E. McMahon. The oration of the day was then delivered by General Daniel E. Sickles.

Mr. Fitzhugh's oration was a striking piece of oratorical work. He paid the highest tribute to the Army of the Potomac and to its confederate opponents, saying that to erase the names of the Spotsylvania battlefields from the history of the American army would be to rob it of half its glory. The same blood shed on the Fredericksburg fields, he said, still flowed in the veins of the American soldiers, wherever the American arms might be in the future, whether those who bore them were ex-federals or ex-confederates or descendants of the two, they would stand shoulder to shoulder and their record would be one that would take no luster from the glory won by the stars and stripes on the bloody battlefields of Virginia. President McKinley and his cabinet officers applauded this sentiment heartily and the speaker was lustily cheered by the large audience.

The exercises at the court house were followed by a luncheon served in the opera house to the members of the society, the women and invited guests. This was over by 2 o'clock, after which the president held a brief reception at the residence of Mr. St. George R. Fitzhugh before the party proceeded to the National cemetery for the ceremonies incident to the corner stone laying of the Fifth corps monument.

The corner stone of the monument was laid by General Daniel E. Butterfield. He had prepared for the occasion a handsome silver trowel appropriately inscribed and after the ceremony this was presented to the Masonic lodge of Fredericksburg.

The monument was the personal gift of General Daniel Butterfield to the National Memorial association. This in itself was a unique feature, as the battlefield monuments heretofore have been mostly the gifts of corporated societies or furnished by popular subscriptions. The ceremony was with due Masonic rites and at its completion the secretary of war accepted the gift in the name of the American people.

The visit of the president to Fredericksburg was primarily in honor of the annual reunion of the Army of the Potomac. The town was in gala dress.

Sale of Keiser's Goods.

TABLE ROCK, Neb., May 25.—(Special.)—The stock of goods of J. E. Keiser recently attached here after his flight are being closed out today by the sheriff. They were attached by and are being sold out by his brother-in-law, Henry Kuper. Keiser's whereabouts are still unknown.

Rain at Elgin.

ELGIN, Neb., May 25.—(Special Telegram.)—For three hours rain has been falling here continuously. The corn has all been planted and small grain is looking well.

NATIVES OUTWIT WRECKERS

Charleston's Masts Cut Off to Hide the Hull from the Wrecking Crew.

SEATTLE, Wash., May 25.—The Manila Freedom prints a story to the effect that the steamer Churruca recently touched at the island where the Charleston was wrecked and found the natives in possession of a number of articles belonging to the cruiser. Inasmuch as the wrecking expedition sent out shortly after the Charleston was wrecked failed to find anything of the vessel the theory is advanced that the natives contrived to cut off the masts of the cruiser below the point submerged, thereby hiding the hull from the government and saving the work of salvage for their own time. The Charleston is barely submerged at low tide now.

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Gee Golly But it's Fun—

Onct every week now my boss lets me stay home on' push dat new lawnmower wich he dun brought—an' say, if all his lawnmowers runs as slick as dis one dey am easy runnin' fur shore—an' he says dey do—He's got a powerful lot uv dem—an' rakes besides—an' his prices am so low anybody can afford to own a mower an' a rake—Dis week he am bin awful bisy sellin' dem Leonard Clearable Frigerators, dem good, kin', an' de Blue Flame Gasoline stoves—de kin' you can't blow up—I never seen sich a crowd o' folks buyin' frigerators, mowers, gasoline stoves an' ice cream freezers—but you know my boss is popular—an' he's got de good kin' o' goods at way down prices.

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Just a Word—

About our water color exhibit—We are daily receiving the congratulations of an art-loving public for bringing to Omaha such a large and meritorious collection of paintings—Among these pictures are to be found examples of such noted water colorists as Mitchell, Bozane, Derrick, Hugo Fisher, Brown, Northcote, Mulholland and a dozen others—in all 200 magnificent paintings—We have them in a special room on our second floor and should be pleased to have you call and see them—All pictures shown in sheet form daytime only.

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