Again at Once.

Stoppage Resulted from Strike, and Other Workings on Company's Property Were Abandoned a. that Time.

made by Harris Franklin, one of the heavlest stockholders and the general manager of the Golden Reward mines and treatmer A plants, to the effect that shortly after the first of this month preparations wild be made for resuming work in the 60-ton smelter of the company, which ans been shut down for almost two years. The shutdown was the result of a strike in the smelter over the employment of an additional man ou one of the figors of the plant, which gave to each shift the work of half a man to lighten its labors. The strike threw 200 men rait of employment at the smelter and as rgany more at the mines. Since the closing down of the smelter the company has been operating its cyanide plant in the First ward of Deadwood and treating in it 350 sons of ore daily, besides shipping to outside smelting plants from 100 to 150 tons out side smelting plants from 100 to 100 tons of, ore daily for treatment. This shipping (re has been mined from openings from which is being taken the silicious ores are cared at the cyanide plant, but the principal supply, upon which was depended to keep the smelter running, was formerly taken from other workings on the company's property. These workings were abandoned when the smelter shut down, the pumpe and other machinery withdrawn in from them and they were allowed to fill with water. This water will have to be pumped out before work in the mines can be resumed, the stopes and cities repaired and retimbered and a whole lot of dear workings. During the last few months of the size secundations of the values being saved by any witnerses. and retimbered and a whole lot of dear work done before miners can again begin taking out ore. It is estimated that this several important improvements have been made at the mine, among them being a wire trainway from the principal openings to the mill, while developments on the vein investigations and additions will be made to the sureliting plant. It is now believed that the investigations made of the ore bodies at the Orro Fino group of mines in the Bare Butte clistrict has convinced the company that it can always be sure of a supply of smelting ores, and that with the starting of work on the mines of the company, which were closed down in the Ruby Basin and Baid mountain districts, work will also be company the from the various openings on the Lena mine, the properties of the connection of the company that it is plant on 100 tons of ore taken from the various openings on the Lena mine, there have been land frauds in the last three months to do, and in the mines at the mine, among them being a wire trainway from the principal openings to the mill while developments on the vein have been assured that no such eviludence, up to that date, had been assured that no such eviludence, up to that date, had been assured that no such eviludence, up to that date, had been assured that no such eviludence, up to that date, had been assured that no such eviludence, up to that date, had been assured that no such eviludence, up to that date, had been assured that no such eviludence, up to that date, had been assured that on the dence, up to that date, had been assured that no such eviludence, up to that date, had been assured that on the dence, up to that date, had been assured that on the dence, up to that date, had been assured that one the dence, up to that date, had been assured that no such eviludence, up to that date, had been assured that one the dence, up to that date, had been assured that loss are trainway four dence, up to that date, had been assured that los are trainway four dence, up to that date, had been assu and retimbered and a whole lot of deam amalgamating. During the last few months mountain districts, work will also be com- from the various openings on the Lena menced on the Oro Fino. Although the and the results obtained are said to have ears has had he most important plant in a state of idleness, it still maintained its place as the largest producer of gold, with the exception of the Homestake, of any company in the Black Hills. The decision and to adjust the machinery. A shut-down Caus to again blow in the smelter has been of a few days was caused by the bursting tailed with joy by residents of the First of the water supply pipe, but this has been ward of Deadwood and the people of the fixed and the plant is again in operation.

Sinking Hidden Treasure Shaft. Work of sinking in the Hidden Treasure straft will be resumed this week, additional zainers being put on. This company, which owns 200 acres of land on the phonelite belt of Deadwood guich, above Central City, has one of the best prospects in the district, one on which a great deal of which is of a good quality, and during the watson trial. He had, however, left for this whole performance is that of the fina new shaft was started and is now down 175 feet, and from the bottom of it drifts have been run on the vein which it is collowing for a distance of fifty feet. At this depth the ore body is about fifty feet what the ore is worth and the treatment wide, and the crosscuts made have not reached the side walls and are still in ore is the intention to increase the present which will run from \$3 to \$20 a ton gold. working force of miners and conduct opera-In another shaft, the first to be put down, a small vein of phonolitic ore was struck, velopments warrant a larger and more comwhich assays very high, but as the vein is a very small one in this particular locality. work in the shaft after it had reached a depth of 125 feet was abandoned temporarily and begun where the new shaft has and the prospects for the coming year are been sent down and where the ore body is very flattering. Recent developments have much larger. This property is controlled brought to light new properties upon which great deal of money in its development.

Mining and Milling company by the United recently discovered deposits really are, States government for its ground 205.30 acres situated along Box Eider creek, in are rich in free gold, and specimens are nouthern Lawrence county, in the Box sumerous. Elder mining district. This property has been held under location and annual assessment by its present owners for the last ten years, during which time the annual work done upon it has developed in way some very strong ledges of gold and copper bearing ores. Three years ago the present company was organized and incorporated and since that time has been doing work with a view of getting the ground patented. Its officers are: J. W. Finnegan, Chadron, Neb., president; P. M. Bonniwell, Whitewood, S. D., vice president; b S. Denman, Whitewood, secretary; O. E. Collins, Chadron, treasurer. The ground of the company is only a short distance from that of the Lucky Strike, and is in a rich district; it is well wooded and on it is an excellent water right.

Ohio Company Will Reorganize.

it is stated that there will be a reorganiz ation of the Ohio-Deadwood Gold Mining company shortly. This company owns to acres of ground on Little Rapid creek, in Pennington county, half a mile west from the town of Rochford, which has in the past received a great deal of development. Experts are expected from the east to give the ground a thorough examination, and on their report depends the further development of the property. It is said that under the new management abundant funds will be available to carry on any scheme of development that may be decided upon

Fifty-four pounds of gold, worth in the neighborhood of \$17 an ounce, is the result of a six days' run of the imperial mill in Deadwood. This little bunch of gold is worth something over \$11,000. For some time past the imperial has been running on ore from the McGovern group, a recent purchase of the company. The imperial is now milling about 200 tons of ore a day, and it is averaging higher than the ordinary cyaniding ores. Developments on this ground show that the ore bodies resemble very closely the rich ores taken from the Mark Twain property of the Horseshoe company and demonstrates that the ore deposits or the Bald Mountain district are more extensive than has been generally believed, and it is doubtful if the present generation will see the ore deposits of this district on hausted. The company has been making arrangements for several weeks to increase the capacity of its leaching department, and when this has been accomplished the mill will be capable of treating at least one-half as much more ore as it is at the present time, and will bring its capacity up to almost 300 tons daily.

Anaconda Shaft Goes Lower. Sinking has been resumed in the Anaconda shaft. When work was suspended by the company about a year ago the shaft had reached a depth of 185 feet, and it was then the intention to have sunk to the 500foot level and to crosscut at each 100 feet.

MINING IN THE BLACK HILLS bringing with him the result of the last MITCHELL MAKES STATEMENT \$30,000. The mill is working spiens As and the company is treating 7.300 true of ore Golden Reward Smelter to Be Put to Work | monthly. During the last work a steam | Emphatically Denies Any Connection with heating plant has been plac of in the mill. the exhaust steam from 'Ae Boilers being utilized. The company 's now so situated WAS SHUT DOWN TWO YEARS AGO that it does not make any difference what WILL DEMAND AN IMMEDIATE TRIAL the condition of the, weather may be, it can run its mines and mill, most of the workings being vader cover and connected with the plant sy a railroad, over which is operated a stram locomotive. Work on a new tunnel, to be 300 reet in length, is being pushs A, and when it has been finished the com many will begin to mill ore from the DEADWOOD, S. D., Jan. 1.—(Special.)— second, contact. To do so now would re-One of the most important announcements quir., a host plant to be built, and this of the new year is that which has been tu anel will do away with that expense and ized statement by Senator Mitchell re-Aake the ore on that contact available at garding his connection with the alleged (small expense.

Le Roy Resumes Work. CUSTER CITY, S. D., Jan. L-(Special.)-

Work on the Le Roy Mining company's Work on the Le Roy Mining company's ground near Custer City has been resumed and will be continued throughout the rest of the winter. When the company shut down the showing of ore was a good one, and it is believed that the present work will place the mine in condition such as will justify the operation of a treatment plant on it.

Arrangements have been made for continuing work on the Interstate Mining company's ground in the Penobscot district of Custer county. The main working shaft has reached a depth of fifty feet and is in solid quartz, which carries high values in gold.

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been better than \$5 per ton, free milling.

Ivanhoe Mill in Operation.

Last week the Ivanhoe company started The property of the company is located eight miles east from the town of Custer City and has been under development for several years, the main shaft being down over 100 feet, and is equipped with a fine capacity of fifteen tons a day, and has been built more with the idea of demonstrating tions on a larger scale, and should the deplete mill will be built on the ground.

Many property owners in the vicinity of Custer City have completed the assessment work for the year upon their mining ground by Nebraska people, who are spending a ore of a high grade has been found, but of Mr. Hall in the prosecution of the cases cannot be handled with this fine effect. as most of the work has been done on the and made his request to the president for Each of the other male parts is a small Patent has been given to the Myrtle surface, it is not known how extensive the Mr. Hall's removal. some of them, however, near Custer City,

Nebraska News Notes.

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TECUMSEH, Jan. 1.—Charles Slagle, a farmer living near this city, preserved a number of watermelons this season. At Christmas time they were just as inscious as though they had just come off the vines. FREMONT, Jan. 1.—The new year received an unusually noisy greeting this morning. Whistless were blown, the church bells rung and guns fired about the same as on the morning of July t. The weather is more like April than January.

TABLE ROCK, Jan. 1.—Miss Margaret Loomis of Lincoln has succeeded Miss Bracelin as assistant principal. Miss Bracelin recently resigned, having been elected to a position in the schools at Lead, S. D. Miss Loomis will enter on her dutles on Monday.

TECUMSEH, Jan. 1.- The village of Crab TECUMSEH, Jan. 1.—The village of Crab-Orchard, in this county, is now igniced by its new electric lights. A home stock com-pany was formed, which put in a very creditable plant, and the lights have just been started. Within sixty days after the ground was broken for the power house the lights were running. FARMONT and 1.—The county

ights were running

FAHMONT Jan, 1.—The annual convention of the Fairmont Creamery company traveling representatives was held here Thursday and Friday, about thirty of the employes being present from Iowa, Kansas, Missouri and Nebraska. The small banquet followed at the Clarendon and a royal good time was enjoyed by all.

FAIRMONT, Jan 1.—Charles E. Walters, reassurer of the Fairmont Creamery company for the last year, resigned the position to take effect January 1. Mr. Walters still retains his financial interests in the company. He will move to Iowa, where he will embark in the banking business.

PAPILLION, Jan. 1.—The Papillion post of the Grand Army of the Republic has elected the following officers: Harrison Sprague, vice commander; N. R. Wilcox, quartermaster; J. M. Whitted, sergeant; A. W. Trumble, chaplain; Charles Nownes, nuartermaster; J. M. Whitted, sergeant; A. W. Trumble, chapitan; Charles Nownes, officer of the day; ira Malott, officer of the guard. The post is composed of twenty-tive members.

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TABLE ROCK, Jan. L.—On the arrival of train No. 15 from the east yesterday a physician was hurriedly called to the depot to look after a porter on the train, who had been budly bruised by a fall at Dawsod in getting on the train. After the dressing of his wounds he was taken by to St. Joseph on No. 16. His face was badly bruised and his knee was severely injured.

TECUMSEH, Jan. 1.—Representative-elect William Ernst and Mrs. Ernst of Lincoln precinct will soon take up their residence in Tecumseh. Mr. Ernst is an extensive cattle raiser and has fived on his present farm for many years. During the session of the legislature Mr. and Mrs. Ernst will be quartered at 1721 C street in Lincoln, and when the body adjourns they will move to Tecumseh if a suitable house is secured by that time.

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that time. PAPILLION, Jan. 1 -A reorganization of PAPILLION, Jan. 1—A reorganization of the Papillion Times Printing company has been perfected with the following officers: G. P. Miller, president and treasurer: J. M. Gates, vice president; J. P. Raderman, secretary, A majority of the stock was disposed of to prominent men of Papillion and vicinity and the company cleared of indebtedness. An increase was made in the capital stock from \$5.00 to \$5.30, which amount was divided into sixty-three shares of \$100 cach. The most material change in the paper is the advancement of J. P. Raderman to the position as manager, to take the place of G. D. McClaskey, Mr. McClaskey has not decided upon a new location.

foot level and to crosscut at each los feet. The shaft is following down one of the many veins which cross the territory of the company, consisting of between 600 or 700 acres of ground along Elk creek. For more than a week the steam hosting plant, power drills and other machinery for deep mining which the company had been installing during its months of idleness in the mines, is now running and giving the best of satisfaction.

Superintendent Heizer of the Spearfish company came into Deadwood Thursday,

the Land Frauds.

Removal of Hall Due to Trouble of Long Standing Which Culminated in the Land Frand

Cases.

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 1.-The Oregonian today prints the following authorland frauds conspiracy:

I am as innocent as a babe unborn of my compilety in any land frauds in bregon or elsewhere. I assert in the most omittee terms that the indictment must

That there have been land frauds in Oregon I do not deny, but, speaking for myself, I do deny in the most positive and unqualified manner that I have been anywise, either directly of any bene-

Cause of Removal of Hall.

The causes which led to the removal of John H. Hall, United States district attorney for Oregon, date back prior to the indictments rendered against S. A. D.

stirring within, and suddenly, under genular that the case of against S. A. D. Puter and Mrs. Emma Watson, but did not be been acute until after the recent trial of the land fraud cases.

It is said that the case of George Sorenson was one of the first causes that led to the theory that Mr. Hall be removed. Sorenson was wanted badly as a witness by the government in the Puter-tweet and could not be located. Mr. Henry asked that he be found, as his evidence would have been material in the completion of the government's case. No one seemed to know anything of his where-tweet abouts until about the close cof the case, when, it is asserted, Mr. Hall said he thought he knew where Sorenson co. do be found. He said he thought that Sorenson was at La Crosse, Wis., and it afterward developed, so it is said, that he had been in communication with him there. It was the recent trial to rejuvenation, the stirring within, and suddenly, under genulate that the person to that possession of better nature essential to rejuvenation. He same session. I refer to the special revenue committee. You may recall that when that committee was appointed the World-Herald of Omaha intimated that it was "rotten." The Herald said Said Sars and pouglas represented the Northwestern schilds and the subtimated that it is associate that the work in making disposition does not excite the character study, given to a nicety. The inference is that of the finished actor.

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> CUNNINGHAM MAKES A CATCH Arrests Two Men as They Were Breaking Window in Saloon

> > Building.

Officer Cunningham arrested John Karten living at Second and Williams, and Charles McCarthy, living at 412 Hickory street, this morning at 1 o'clock, as they were apparently about to enter the saloon of Fred Ingersol, at 1102 South Sixth street. Officer Cunningham was standing across the street from the saloon when two men came along and stopped under a window of the saloon about five feet above the level of the sidewalk. One of the men lifted the other up to the sill of the window and then they broke the glass and was about to enter when Cunningham thought it time to interfere. He ran across the street, and before they could get away placed them under arrest.

The window was broken by using a por bottle filled with sand. Owing to the fact that the men had not entered the building when arrested they were booked as suspicious characters.

Fix Terms of Court.

TECUMSEH, Neb., Jan. 1.-(Special.) Judges W. H. Kelligar and A. H. Babcock of the First Judicial district have agreed on the following schedules for holding district court in the several counties the comng year:

Richardson County-January 30, June 5 and November 8. Grand Jury at the Janu-Pawnee county-February 20, June 12 and Jettober 2. No grand jury.

Jefferson County-March 6, June 5 and
September 18. Grand jury at the March erm. Nemaha County-March 20, June 19 and September 3. Grand Jury at the March Gage Coun y-March 10, June 13 and Septenniar is No grand juty.

Johnson County—April 19, June 26 and October 23. Grand jury at the April term.

Petit juries will be employed at the terms in the several counties with the exception of at the June terms, when no juries will be used in any of the counties, unless the judges otherwise order.

Nebraskans at Harvard. CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Jan. 1.-(Special Teelgram, A large number of students in the different classes at Harvard university, according to the annual catalogue and students' register, issued today, are from the middle west. Among them are the following Nebraskans: Academy, Henry William Nieman, Schuyler. Law school, Eracty Roy Buckner, A. B., Lincoin; Ira Ryner, S. B., Cedar Rapids, Neb. Medical school, Walter Garfield, Hiltner, S. B., Lyacoln.

Students Bent Alumni. TFF UMSEH. Neb., Jan. 1.—(Special.)—They High school girls' basket ball team defeated the alumni girls' team of the school by the score of 11 to 6, in an exciting game of the score of 12 to 6, in an exciting game of the opera house last evening. The attendance was very good, and the proceeds, go to the plane fund of the new school house. A play, "Streets of New York," will be given by the young people next Friday evening, for the same benefit.

St. Louis Beats Chicago. ST. Louis Beats thicage.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 1.—The first of a two days series of foot ball games between picked teams from the St. Louis and Chicago associations was played at Sportman's park today, resulting: St. Louis.

2. Chicago, 2. The second game will be played tomorrow.

AT THE PLAYHOUSES

"A Message from Mars" at the Boyd.

Edward Vivillation of Shillingford Sir Roland Wright Joe, the Coster The Emperor Muggeridge

The Emperor Miss Leils Frost Mr. H. G. Peags Policeman Mr. M. W. H. Glimore Watchman Mr. W. W. H. Glimore Watchman Mr. W. W. Ashton Boy M. W. W. H. Glimore Watchman Mr. W. W. Ashton Boy M. W. W. H. Glimore Watchman Mr. H. W. Ashton Boy M. W. M. Masser Blaid The Messenger from Mars & Phalips The Messenger from Mars & Phalips The Messenger from Mars B. Phalips The Messenger from Mars R. Phalips Miss Edels Herister & Ferry Woman M. Miss Kelle Herister & Flower Girl Miss Edels Herister & Flower Girl Miss Edels Herister & Flower Girl Miss Loraine Frost Minnie Templer Miss Moster Sand Girl Miss Loraine Frost Minnie Templer Miss Most Mars and A play worn waile. A comercy of de lights with a moral so well deministered as to be wholly acceptable—and, probabil; casily forgotten when it comes to the appellication thereof. And thoroughly enjoyable from end to end. Mr. Ganthony has the moral of the manner, particularly as he does not make it at all apparent that he is just preaching. The lesson is one that all of us might benefit from, but we very likely won't That is quite beside the point. "A Message from Mars' is the story of a man who is intensely and wholly selfish and incompared to the manner, particularly as he does not make the straight of the manner of the season of the state and the season of the sea

case against himself at every point. As the dream unfolds he struggles against the better impulses that start up, all the time consistently keeping in view the truth of his character. Brought to the bitterest of adversity, he begins to feel the good stirring within, and suddenly, under genuine stress, he comes to that possession of

that the messenger is seen coming through illimitable space, growing more and more Finally Mr. Henry became convinced that distinct, until he stands fully outlined and he was not receiving the cordial sympathy sentient on the stage. The exit naturally one, but very essential to the action of the

omdy, and all are excellently done. Miss Mona Harrison is very good as Minnie Tempier, the girl Horace Parker came so near losing in his disregard for her peranal feelings. She has one strong scene with the star in the first act, and a very tender one in the last, both of which are carried off finely. Miss Bartlett does the rather difficult role of Miss Parker, the maiden aunt of Horace Parker, with much tact. The other women in the cast, and even the little children, are all part of a

most commendable whole, It wasn't a very large audience at the Boyd last night, but it was a genuinely appreciative one, and the efforts of the star and his company were generously applauded. If the piece is patronized on its merits, the Boyd will be filled to overflowing at each of the remaining three performances. "A Message from Mars" will be delivered again at a special matinee this afternoon, this evening and on Tuesday

Fritz and Snitz" at the Krug.

Mason and Mason, no matter what the name of the vehicle, are always welcome to omaha. They are known as a pair of really riably come with a collection of new songs and jokes, and with a company worthy of its leaders, "Fritz and Snitz," which pened at the Krug theater at a matinee yesterday afternoon is no exception. It bement that has been grouped under the The principals have the backing of a sprightly bunch of comedians, a well-fed were heartily enjoyed by audiences of the time in July. customary Sunday size. "Fritz and Snitz" will be given at a special holiday matines this afternoon and will continue at the Krug until after Wednesday evening, with the customary matinee on Wednesday.

Vandeville at the (reighton-Orpheum The bill at the vaudeville house for the current week is an average one in point of merit, and that is saying enough, for the average down at the Orpheum is high It contains no very high spots and only one that is low. Fox and Foxie open the bill, a clever clown with the smartest dog that comes to Omaha. Binns, Binns and Binns do a musical turn that is genuinely good, although lovers of good music can not help the regret that performers of their merits mix with their art such horseplay as they furnish to provoke laughter. Happy Jack Gardner sings some new parodies and some that are not new. Alcide Capitaine may not altogether realize the advertised condition of the perfect gymnast, but she is a very handsome little woman, with a fine muscular development, and gives a pleasing performance on the trapege. Charles Leonard Fletcher is a elever actor, and makes up on the stage to represent some well known people and some interesting characters from well known novels. His performance was much enjoyed by the audiences yesterday. Colini-Clairons do what they describe as 'Parisian whirlwind dances.' The whiriwind will be admitted by any who see them, and there is no reason to dispute the Parisian part of it, but their reception yesterday was not a remarkably warm one. Mitchell and Love call their act "Married Life from the Inside." It didn't lon Drug Co., Omaha, Neb.

show any reason for the title. Neither did they show any reason for the act. It must be the old one-they need the money. The moving pictures are good. A special matinee will be given today.

MOCKETT REPLIES TO SEARS

Insists that Stueffer Investigating Committee Was a Fair one.

LINCOLN, Neb., Dec. 21.—W. G. Sears, Teknmah, Neb., Dear Sir: Perhaps for the first time in the history of Neuraska, her people are compelled to witness the humilisting speciacie of an honored judge, drug-ging the ermine of his high onice through he political mire in order to vent a per-sonal spite. * * The Stueffer matter

and fair a committee as could have a appointed from among the members of

the house.

That was the committee which you characterized as "rotten," and say it was named to "whitewash" Mr. Stueffer. Your charge of "rottenness" does not disturb me; it was made with reference to s committee of which you were a member at the same session. I refer to the special revenue committee. You may recall that revenue committee was appointed the

year.
You were employed in the committee as attorney for the state, and I presume the testimony was largely in response to

attorney for the state, and I presume the testimony was largely in response to your own questions. I have observed, however that when an attorney finds himself in a tight place he asks for "more time," and that is what you did. You moved that the report be deferred for two days and made a special order for April 4, 8 p. m.

The house, much to your relief, I believe, did not agree, and the question being upon the motion of Mr. McAllister to adopt the report, it carried. You did not even put the house members individually upon record by demanding a roll call upon the motion.

Mr. Rouse then moved that your committee be instructed to report upon house roll No. 164, which was the Stueffer claim. You suggest that both parties should have been represented on the committee. It would have been improper, in my judgment, to have appointed democrats upon a committee to investigate a republican official. In the very nature of the case they must have entered upon their work with more or less prejudice. " Mr. Ager never said a word to me about this Stueffer matter, nor about the committee or its findings. Why should he care anything about it? Your statement that "almost every morning of the session he (Ager) was in the speaker's room with the door shut from half an hour to an hour after the convening time of the house had arrived" is a mailclous falschood, and every member of the house knows it to be such. Mr. Ager or any citizen of Nebraska was welcome at the speaker's office at any time during the session. Yours truly,

J. H. MOCKETT, JR.

Sheriffs Elect Officers. KEARNEY, Neb., Jan. 1-(Special Telefunny Germans dialect comedians, and invan this city yesterday and was not a engthy one, though considerable business was transacted. The old officers were re-clected, these being John Power, Omaha, president, and Nicholas Ress, Lincoln, secretary and treasurer. It was decided to general head of musical farce, and is ask the legislature to so amend the law as all music and laughter from end to end, to give all sheriffs a fixed salary, the same to be governed by the population of the county in which the officer serves. The chorus and a collection of show girls that next meeting of the association will be speaks well for the manager's eye. The held in Minden, the date to be announced two performances witnessed yesterday later by the secretary, but it will be some

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