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LOOKING FORWARD—II.

In our article of Friday, commenting on the undeniable fact that the productive and exporting power of this country has not developed as it should within the last ten years, we dwelt chiefly on the Government aspect of the question, and showed how not a little of the blame lay with continual misgovernment, excessive taxation and false protection.

We now propose, starting from the same basis, to deal with the question in another light.

Referring once more to the official statistics of foreign commerce, we find the exports of the Republic divided into five heads; namely, live stock, slaughter-house produce, other produce, and provisions for vessels. The last forms such an insignificant proportion of the whole that we need not refer to it again.

The most important division is slaughter house produce. This in fact, gives from 85 to 90 per cent of the whole exportation. We have no percentage tables of the various items of which it is formed, but the principal may be mentioned as jerked beef (about one-fifth of the whole) beef extract, hides, horns, hoofs, grease, and the various other results of the slaughtering industry, and wool. With the exception of the various preparations of beef, these are all more or less raw material in the most primitive condition. The rural products consist chiefly of wheat and flour, and small quantities of other cereal and garden produce. Even in the best of seasons, none of these are exported in any important quantities, the whole division being some 3 or 4 per cent of the whole exportation.

The other products mainly consist of different kinds of paving and building stones, and quarry produce, sent to Buenos Aires. These reach about 3 to 4 per cent of the whole importation, and the remainder is made up of the other two divisions.

This rough sketch clearly shows then that the present exporting power of the Republic almost entirely rests on the live stock industry. And here, we think, we reach one secret of the fact that exportation has advanced so little of recent years, namely that the live-stock industry has reached its maximum in the matter of quantity and that any future development must be in the matter of quality. It is only recently that the attention of stock-farmers has been turned to this matter, and that serious efforts are being made to raise the standard of horses, cattle and sheep reared in the country.

Looking at the principal exports as enumerated above, many remarks suggest themselves at once. One of the principal exports is jerked beef. This can not be called by any means a first class product. The principal market for it is Brazil and the West Indian Islands, where it is consumed by the negroes. So far from any expansion in this line, the reverse is certain. With the exception of the preparations of preserved or extracted beef, the other slaughter house products, which form so large a proportion of the exportation, are of the commonest, crudest description, and we do not see the possibility of any great expansion in this direction in the matter of quantity. The future consideration must be entirely that of quality. This is especially applicable to cattle. By raising the beef to the ordinary level of the English market, we think there is an opening for a considerable trade in the export of live cattle.

But all this live-stock produce, is after all a second rate business, and the country is fit for something better. It is in quite other directions that attention must be turned if it is intended seriously to increase the producing powers of the country, whether for exportation or to supplant present importations.

The next hope lies, then, in agriculture. The agricultural development of the country at present is small indeed compared to its capacity, and here we have before us an almost unworked mine of wealth. Of this we will speak in our next.

NEWS OF THE DAY

MONTEVIDEO
SUNDAY, APRIL 10, 1892.

Palm Sunday. Saints Ezekiel and Ulpian. Com Byron died, 1786. General Booth born, 1829. Catholic Emancipation Bill passed, 1829. 101 days past, 265 to the end of the year.

Parliament.
In the Chamber of Senators, on Friday, the Message from the Executive relative to the temporary reduction of service of the Municipal Loan was referred to the Committee of Finance. Three petitions for pensions were referred to Committee.

The discussion in detail of the Bill for the Unification of the Internal Debt was then resumed. Without further debate Art. 1 was approved in the form recommended by the Committee of Finance, the form as approved by the other Chamber being rejected.

Articles 2, 3, 4 and 5 were approved without debate, and the Bill was declared sanctioned in its first reading. After some discussion it was resolved that, in view of the approaching Easter holidays, the second reading should take place on the Saturday, and that there should be no sittings during Holy Week.

The rest of the sitting was occupied with further desultory discussion of the Bill concerning commercial mortgages.

Revision of the Constitution.
The following is a translation of the Bill presented to the Chamber, and fathered by Deputies A. M. Rodriguez, L. M. Gil, H. Gallina and J. Campistegui.

Art. 1.—The revision of the Constitution of the Republic, which the XVII Legislature should practice in accordance with the resolution of the Hon. Gen. Assembly on June 11, 1888, shall be effected in both Chambers, observing the procedure established in the following articles.
Art. 2.—Every reform, variation or addition to the Constitution should be presented in writing, in each Chamber, and when it has been explained by its author, if it should be supported by 3 Senators and 5 Deputies, respectively, it shall be referred to the study of the Special Committee of Constitution.

Art. 3.—There shall be created a Special Committee of Constitution in each Chamber, composed of 5 Senators and 10 Deputies, respectively, elected by a majority of votes in each Chamber. This Committee shall have for object to study the reforms, additions or changes in the Constitution proposed by the Senators or Deputies, and to draw up in each case the Bill of Reforms in the Constitution which has to be submitted to the discussion of each Chamber.

Art. 4.—The Committees of Constitution shall present their report 3 months before the close of the 3rd period of the XVII Legislature.
Art. 5.—The Bill of Reforms in the Constitution being accepted in general by a third part of the members present in each Chamber, it shall pass to the discussion in detail, and there shall only be considered as incorporated in the Bill which has to be submitted to the consideration of the XVIII Legislature (in accord with Arts. 157 and 158 of the reigning Constitution), those reforms, additions or changes which have been approved in each case by a third part of the members present of each Chamber.

Art. 6.—In the course of the debate, the Senators and Deputies may propose reforms or additions to the Constitution or to the Bill of the Committee, but these may not enter into general discussion without being drawn up in accord with Art. 2, duly seconded, and passed to the study of the Committee of Constitution. The Committee shall be allowed ten days to report upon each of these reforms, in this term may be extended by special resolution of the Chamber at the request of the majority of the Committee.

Art. 7.—The constituent Chambers shall meet on the days and hours appointed by themselves.
Art. 8.—Let this be communicated etc.

SUNDRIES.

Government, according to the representations of the local Italian Chamber of Commerce, has decided that the Republic shall be officially represented, but on a very modest scale, at the Italo-American Exhibition shortly to be held in Genoa. For this purpose it agrees to rent a space of 250 square metres in the general pavilion at an expense of 5000 francs, all the other expenses being at the charge of the exhibitors. The exhibit will be under the care of and prepared by the said Italian Chamber of Commerce.

We read in a London contemporary that advances from Washington report that serious negotiations are pending for the sale of the Island of Cuba to the United States. The terms are said to have been already

agreed, and the opinion in official circles is that the transaction will be carried through. By such a sale Spain might be at once relieved of her financial difficulties, provided only that Spanish pride is not allowed to stand in the way. This is of interest to many here, as Cuba is an important market for jerked beef, and if it fell into the hands of the United States, it would probably quickly be closed to that staple local product.

Lieut.-Col. Goldsmid, before proceeding to Argentina, where he will represent Baron Hirsch in relation to the Jewish settlements in that Republic, was presented, at the Jewish Working Men's Club, with a farewell address by the members of the Chovevei Zion, which is an association formed primarily for the colonisation by Jews of the Holy Land, but which naturally takes a deep interest in the work about to be accomplished in the River Plate. Lieut.-Col. Goldsmid made a felicitous speech. "When," he said, "Baron Hirsch asked him to accept the responsible task, he thought he could not better carry out the wishes of the Chovevei Zion than by consenting to undertake the mission. Everything had a beginning, even the alphabet began with A and ended with Z, so he intended to commence with Argentina and end with Zion."—S.A. Journal.

We are requested to state that the game of polo announced for today will take place at 8 a. m., instead of at 3 p. m. as originally intended, thus leaving the players free for other engagements in the afternoon. Our readers are also reminded of the cricket match, Club XI versus 18. There are no races.

We hear that the Central Uruguay Railway C.C. will hold an athletic meeting, for members only, at Peñarol next Sunday. This club should possess some notable athletes, mostly heavy weights.

The following good tale appears in the B. A. Standard.—"A distinguished English visitor made the retort courteous yesterday to an 'hijo del pais' of the old school, whom he had saluted with a genial 'Good morning' at 1 p. m. 'Sir,' said the 'hijo,' 'in this country we always say good afternoon after mid-day.' 'You must excuse me,' retorted our polite countryman, 'I have only just arrived from England, and your Argentine weather is so charming that it seems to me like a perpetual morning.'"

The uneasy political position in Rio Janeiro is taking a strange turn. According to telegrams received yesterday, Vice and acting president Marshal Peixoto has signed a decree dismissing from their posts the military officers who subscribed to the manifesto asking for the election of a president of the Republic. The preamble of the decree contains some very severe remarks from Peixoto respecting these officers, whose conduct he strongly condemns. In the lack of other information as to Peixoto's conduct in this, we can only applaud it, in spite of its apparent arbitrariness, as a wholesome check to military interference in politics. The more the military are checked the better for South America.

A London financial contemporary alludes to this country in the following terms.—"The only people who can make money out of the Uruguayans are the eminent financiers who receive fat commissions for selling their securities. Uruguay is a constitutional defaulter." And in the same paper we find a correspondent saying—"Between now and 1900 the Uruguayans may default half a dozen times. It may be that there is no reason why they should; but they probably will if it pays them to do so. Our late experience with the repudiators of the *Banda Oriental* is quite enough to warn all European investors against placing any faith in Uruguayan promises per Barings or anyone else." This is the sort of reputation this unhappy country has earned through the Conversion Scheme and similar shady practices.

The annual Oxford and Cambridge Boatrace was rowed yesterday, Oxford gaining the victory. This makes 26 races to Oxford against 22 to Cambridge and one dead heat.

We greatly regret to hear of the mortal illness of Mr. Willie Jones of the Commercial Bank. All hopes of his recovery are considered lost, and his death is only a matter of days, perhaps of hours. Great sympathy is felt with his family in this trial.

The Board of Health had a long conference on Friday with the Minister of Government, respecting the houses of ill-fame concerning which there has been so much said recently. We understand that the Board, to whom the question has been referred, is opposed to the present regulations, and still more to the arbitrary orders recently issued by the Minister and executed with such excess of zeal by the police.

The Petitions Committee of the Representatives recommends a pension of \$40 the month to Doña Emilia Masini, whose claim to national support lies in the fact that her father was one of the framers of the Constitution of the Republic.

The successful conjurer Frizzo gives his farewell performance at the Politeama this evening, with a novel and attractive programme, including the living shadows, a never failing source of amusement. Those who have not yet seen these, should not lose the opportunity.

The Directorate of the Sociedad Viduola Saltena reports that the vine harvest of the season now concluded has produced 504 *botardales* of most of first quality, and the produce for the season, including alcohols and cereals, is valued at about \$24,000.

Dr. Cornelio Villagran has presented to the Municipal Board of San José a scheme for the foundation in that Department of an Agricultural School. He thinks such a School could be started for the modest expense of \$380 the month, if the Board would grant the land and buildings necessary, and that it would soon become self-supporting besides lending valuable aid to the cause of agriculture.

A Galveston telegram from New York, dated Friday, states that a cyclone of extraordinary violence has been felt in the city and suburbs, destroying ten houses and a suburb causing the death of several church and wounding many more.

A duel with swords took place on Friday afternoon, near Buenos Aires, between Sr. Emilio Mitre y Vedia, an editor of the B. A. *Nacion* and Sr. Carlos Oliveira, of the *Dia* of La Plata. The latter was severely wounded in the head and breast, and died from the effects yesterday. Sr. Mitre thus has the honorable satisfaction of knowing that he has killed a fellow creature.

When such results take place, duelling becomes removed from the regions of farce to those of crime, and we protest against it in the strongest manner possible. We know Sr. Mitre y Vedia to be an honorable man and a distinguished journalist, but we hope to see him punished in the severest manner for this offence against society and the law, if only as a deterrent example to others. We are waiting to learn the attitude of the police.

It appears that the telegrams sent from Buenos Aires to this city are still subject to censure, and therefore not entirely reliable in the matter of news. We believe that the state of seige is temporarily suspended today on account of the elections. Government has gained its object in having cowed the radicals. More political arrests are said to have taken place. The officers arrested are to be submitted to a Council of War. According to the *Nacion*, Government is busy with the Budget for 1892-93, and also with the annual laws of taxes and imposts. The one and the other equally require reduction.

Holy Trinity Church.
Palm Sunday.
Holy Communion 8 a. m.
Sunday School 10 a. m.
Morning Service 11 a. m.
Evening Service 7.30 p. m.

Wednesday, April 13, Litany 9 a. m.
Thursday, April 14, Thursday before Easter, Holy Communion, 8 a. m. Sunday School Children's Singing Class, 3 p. m.
Friday, April 15, Good Friday, Morning Service 11 a. m.

American Church.
Calle Treinta y Tres, No. 264
Morning Service 11 a. m.
Sunday School 12.30 p. m.
Evening Service 7.15 p. m.
Prayer Meeting, Thursdays at 8 p. m.
A. W. Greenman, Pastor.
Residence, calle Tacuarembó 242.

Salvation Army.
118 Calle Colon.
English Meetings.
Sundays at 10 a. m. 3 p. m. and 7.30 p. m.
Every weekday at 8 p. m.
Every Thursday at 8 p. m.
Admission Free.—All are invited.
Spanish meetings at 156 Calle Agraciada and Sarandí 50, esquina Maciel, every evening at 8 p. m. and every Sunday at 3 and 7.30 p. m.
S. R. Ewens, Staff Capt.

No one can spend ten cents to better advantage than by procuring a bottle of "Ejous" or "Apple Blossoms," which the Bazat Enciclopedico, Telford and Co., and many others are selling at this price. This Perfume is becoming more and more popular, and deservedly so.

KOBOLDS.—THERE ARE SUCH BEINGS.

We do not know that anyone has ever gravely claimed to have seen one. And yet there is no doubt whatever that there are such beings. And yet there is no doubt whatever that there are such beings. Else, who is it that wrenches off our shirt-buttons, mislays our keys, makes our pen splutter, and tickles us in inaccessible regions of our back when we want to look important? If we could catch one we should pin him down, classify him, put him under a glass case, and ask rude questions as to his parentage and habits. But the kobolds have been spared this last indignity. There are no specimens in the Natural History Museum. There are some people who even doubt their existence, and offer the most ridiculously commonplace explanations of their pranks. Have you never found, when dressing in the morning, that everything you don't want conspires to get into your way, and everything you do want persists in getting out of it? Your razor jabs and nitches your chin; the soap splashes into your eye; your tooth-

brush tumbles into the water-jug, and you have to dredge for it; and, finally, your collar-stud breaks loose and rolls into limbo. You hunt it wildly round and round, and, finally, run it to earth in the farthest corner under the bed. Your wife will make irrelevant remarks about late hours; and refer inconsequently to that horrid club. But she is quite wrong. It is the kobolds. And have you never carefully put a letter away in a particular place, expecting to find it there when you came back? When you did come back, have you never found that the letter had disappeared? Have you not gone ravening about the house, burrowing behind book-cases, prodding corners, and overturning furniture, while your wife follows behind and mildly deplores your untidy habits? Again she is ludicrously wrong. It is the kobolds who took that letter when you were not looking, and put it in your pocket, where it has been all the time.

The kobolds love to make for you in the morning when you are in a hurry to catch the early train. They start by breaking a boot-lace, they hide your gloves and brush your hat the wrong way, they blow out the match when you try to light a cigarette, and fasten your coat-tails in the front door as you slam it behind you. On the way to the station the ferrule of your umbrella catches in something; you stop with a jerk and look down. It appears to be only a grating, but it is really a kobold. When they have once decided to spend a day with a man, he seldom gets rid of them before he turns into bed at night. He is certain to lose his temper before long, and then it is all up with him. There is nothing that amuses them so much as a man in a temper. They get little bits of mud from passing hansoms and dab them on his collar; they gather smuts from the chimneys and smear them on his nose, where he can see them but cannot localise them; they collect little puffs of wind from street corners and blow his hat over area railings and into mud holes; they tweak his necktie into grotesque shapes and drop his eyeglasses into the gutter. They dance invisibly round him, pulling, pushing, poking, pinching, prodding, and pelting him, and the madder he grows the more they enjoy themselves. In the evening they are still at it. They spill his wine on the tablecloth, and send the soup down the wrong way; they fill his mouth with fish bones; they loosen the top of the pepper castor, and empty its contents into his plate. They get into his favourite pipe and clog it so that it will not draw. His wife explains, as he sits puffing and blowing at the mouthpiece, that this wouldn't happen if he cleaned his pipes out regularly—which is absurd; because he was going to clean them all out to-morrow.

Whatever he attempts, the kobolds are before hand with him. They make the gas bubble, and the chairs creak, and put hairs in his pen, until he finally gives in and decides that the day is a failure. And then he finds they have hidden the corkscrew. They are humorous little creatures, without much malice in them. The steady-going, methodical man they leave alone—the man who cuts up paper into little squares over night to wipe his razor on in the morning and puts all his cab fares down in an account book before going to bed. It is the erratic, unsystematic fellow whom they attack, the man who stuffs cheques into chimney ornaments and does not fold up his night-shirt in the morning. The cold-blooded man, when he misses one train, buys a paper and waits patiently for the next; the kobolds leave him alone. It is no fun pinching a man who won't stamp and swear. Women, I suppose, suffer from them occasionally, but not as men do. Women are injured to discomfort from the time when they gather up their back hair, let out the final tack in their skirts, and claim to be seventeen. A being who can stagger about all day on a pair of four-inch heels, with her waist crushed in a whalebone frame, who can submit to have her nose tickled by a veil and her heels clogged with petticoats, never losing her temper or saying a wicked word—such a being can afford no sport for the kobolds. They would die of ennui. But to a man they are a very real torment. Not that they break his legs, gouge out his eyes, or inflict any irreparable injury upon him; but they are at the bottom of all those petty worries and minor accidents which make up the sum of a miserable day.

THE DECLINE OF RELIGIOUS INTOLERANCE.

The death of the men who have made themselves famous in any sphere in which the strongest of human interests are active enables us sometimes to measure our intellectual and moral progress. Religious beliefs have always sharply divided English people, and we have made ourselves peculiarly liable to the reproach of intolerance. Frenchmen and Germans of average culture and intelligence regard us, not without amused contempt, as a nation of sectarians and bigots. All manner of exaggerated stories are

current on the Continent concerning this insular peculiarity. It will be remembered that when Voltaire came to England, he discovered that we had fifty religions, and only one sane. He found, too, that every one of these religious bodies was alarmed at the spiritual danger to which professors of the forty-nine other creeds were exposed. Every sect believed it possessed the only real key to salvation, whilst to the satirical foreign critic it proved unconsciously its deficiency in the first elements of Christian charity. The Continental picture was grossly overdrawn, of course; still there was some truth in it. But this traditional English intolerance has been greatly weakened within the last twenty years. The sectarian spirit has ceased to affect the national life. The death of Manning, Spurgeon, Dr. Fraser, and other men of religious eminence has lately afforded pleasing proof of the decline of bigotry.—Nottingham Daily Express.

EDITORIAL VICISSITUDES IN THE EAST.

The Arakan News of January 2 has the following pathetic editorial:—While wishing our readers (subscribers and non-subscribers) a very Happy New Year, we must apologize to them for not issuing our paper last Wednesday. Our excuse is this. Our whole staff, including the editor, were so much knocked up with the excitement of the sports last Saturday that on Sunday they were laid up with what our readers will charitably call Arakan Fever. Monday was fixed as settling day for certain bets made on Saturday, which unfortunately for this paper were won by the wrong side. As the losers could not stump up at once, the winners bombarded and took possession of the office and the press, and refused to vacate until payment was made. On Tuesday the staff of this paper in turn assailed those in possession, and after a hard-fought battle routed them; but it took all Wednesday and Thursday to collect and arrange the forms and the types which had been freely used as missiles in Tuesday's battle. The proprietor claims that he could not get the police to assist him, as most of them were suffering from a sort of Arakan fever, and that he had to get the police to assist him, as most of them were suffering from a sort of Arakan fever, and that he had to get the police to assist him, as most of them were suffering from a sort of Arakan fever.

COLD.

(London Standard.) With a view to obtain campaigning experience, the Russian Military authorities have been trying some experiments more curious than humane. Eight infantry soldiers were ordered to bivouac under canvas when the snow lay thick on the ground and the temperature outside was just two degrees above zero. They were provided with a truss of straw for mattress, but no other bedding, except their heavy overcoats, and their usual winter uniform, jackboots and all, with their knapsacks for pillows. At nine the victims to Science lay down, and in a short time were oblivious. At one o'clock the thermometer inside the tent rose to the comparative warmth of seventeen degrees above zero, and the soldiers slept on. But three hours later the temperature fell, and the infantrymen awoke so cold that they had to run about to keep themselves from actual freezing. The conclusion from these experiments, therefore, is that a man may, on a pinch, take his rest with the thermometer close on zero, but that a few degrees below this point will be apt to cause death, while the sleeper is in that drowsy, cataleptic condition which so often ends the life of people caught in a blizzard. But anyone familiar with great extremes of temperature will regard the account with some suspicion, for much depends on the temperament of the individuals concerned, and the condition in which they were before being subjected to the pieces of bureaucratic cruelty described. A stout man with a good fat dinner as fuel for his interior will unquestionably keep up his animal heat much longer than another who goes to bed, as these soldiers most likely did, on a bowl of cabbage soup and a samovar of weak tea. Again, much depends on the man's training. Some individuals can bear cold with far greater ease than others. An Eskimo will scrape a hole in the snow, and with no other covering than his skin clothes, more through an Arctic night with the thermometer forty or fifty degrees below zero; while the Tierra del Fuegians go out fishing with an Antarctic wind blowing snow and sleet, clad in no more protective raiment than a bit of skin, which is shifted about as the direction of the blast suggests. And much also depends on the state of the atmosphere. A damp cold of a very moderate amount, as determined by the thermometer, is infinitely chillier than a dry frost like that of Canada and Central North America, and it is quite possible to travel in the Far North with the air sixty, or even sixty-five, degrees below zero, provided there is no wind. With wind the cold is intolerable, except under a load of furs covering every part of the body so completely as to render motion, sight, and hearing impossible. At Verkhoyansk in Siberia, the July temperature is often as high as ninety-six degrees, while it has been known to fall in January as low as eighty-one degrees below zero. During the winter Kane passed at Besselmer Harbour on the Northern Coast of Greenland, fifty-three below zero was the greatest cold recorded; but the English Expedition of 1875-76 experienced, less than four degrees further North, though on the other

side of Smith's Sound, could one hundred and five degrees below freezing; Belcher records the lowest winter temperature of Welling channel to have been sixty-two and a half degrees below zero and during Schwatka's Expedition it was said that the temperature was on one occasion as low as seventy-one degrees below that point, though doubt has been expressed as to the accuracy of the thermometer employed. Owing to his powers of modifying heat and cold by artificial means, man can bear extremes of temperature which would be death to many of the lower animals. Yet some of these are amazingly endowed with that power. Tropical parrots have, we know, lived through snowy English Winters. Monkeys may often be seen climbing snow-laden trees in the Himalayas, and the footprints of the tiger have been repeatedly noticed on the plains of Central Asia, when white with their winter blanket. The camel lives through the Siberian January, and the puma ranges from far North in America to far south in the same Continent. It hunts its prey in the Adirondack Mountains when the thermometer is below zero with the same convenience that it does in the sweltering canyons of the South in the Rocky Mountains; it ascends to the snow level in search of the mountain sheep, and its tracks have been noticed on the Chilean Cordillera at an elevation of over ten thousand feet. Nor is it less remarkable, that dogs taken from England by members of the various Polar Expeditions were found to endure the intense cold without inconvenience, nor did they ever show any apparent sign of being at all conscious of it.

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Saladero Killings.

Table with columns: Name, Amount, Total. Lists names like H. Piñeyra, Vellozo & San Martin, etc.

ARRIVALS AND SAILINGS.

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SHIPPING NOTES.

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Table with columns: 1st Ring, 2nd Ring, National Bank, etc. Lists stock prices for various items.

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BUSINESS NOTES.

The killings in the up-river saladeros to March 31 were as follows—F. Bentos 99,000, Guaviyú 7000, N. Paysandú 19,000, Casa Blanca 20,000, Mercedes 14,000, Curaim 23,000, Colon 9,500, Moretá 3,800, Concordia 6,000, Garbino 12,500, Spangenberg 18,000, Gualaguay 10,000.—Total 243,500.

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