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Council Makes Appointments For Semester

Commentator Granted \$150 At First Meeting of Current Year

The regular grant of \$150 to cover expenses for the fall term was allotted Commentator at a special meeting of Student Council last Monday night. Appointments of committee heads as well as smaller appropriations were also made at this meeting.

Hyman Koenigsberg '40 was selected to head the Concert Bureau for the forthcoming year. The Social Committee has been placed under the direction of Philip Gorodetzer '40. The function of this group is to arrange student social affairs. Assisting Gorodetzer are Robert Schwartz '40 and Milton Kramer '42. Two additional aides will be named by the chairman pending confirmation by the Student Council.

Alex Newman '40 was appointed chairman of the Awards Committee, four members of which have already been chosen. These include Bernard Sussman '40, Leo Robbins '40, Sid Merrin '40, and the chairman. One committee member has yet to be selected.

Among the appropriations made by the Student Council were a grant of \$15 for the Debating Society and \$6.50 for the Concert Bureau. The Athletic Council was also allotted \$7.00.

Provisions were made for the establishment of mail box in the main office for the exclusive purpose of Student Council mail.

Aside from the various appointments and appropriations made at the meeting, a resolution providing for a committee of three to supervise Dining Room activities. The proposed group would be composed of one faculty member, one representative of the Student Council, and a member of the Yeshiva College Women's Organization.

The next meeting of the Council was called for two weeks hence by Jacob E. Goldman, presiding officer and President of the Student Council.

Plans For French Magazine Drafted

Plans to replace last year's mimeographed form by a printed issue of "Le Flambeau" have already been formulated by the French Club, Felix Wimpfheimer '42, editor of the magazine, announced. The group is also attempting to exchange articles with L'Ecole Rabbiniqne, a rabbinical seminary in Paris.

Last year's edition of the "Flambeau", which was under the editorship of Jerome Kestenbaum, received the commendations of many prominent persons in the linguistic field.

The French Minister of Education during a recent visit to the New York World's Fair, highly praised the publication to Mr. Braun, advisor to the Cercle Francais.

The initial meeting for the election of officers will be held in the near future, Wimpfheimer stated.

EDITORIAL

As COMMENTATOR is being put to bed, the latest news developments point to the possibility of a cessation of the fiery debate now raging in the Senate chamber. The reason advanced is that President Roosevelt should intervene in the European conflagration on behalf of peace.

In the meantime, wholesale filibusterings and cross discussions are affording us a golden opportunity to ruminate upon the possible effects of the cataclysm that threatens to engulf our own country.

Ever since his creation, man has manifested the primitive instinct to kill his fellow-man in order to satiate his innate cravings. At first all signs pointed to greed and lust as the underlying motives.

As man progressed, advancing by degrees from the barbarous to the "civilized" stage, his excuses took on a variety of forms. He had created a Frankenstein which he neither was able nor desired to destroy.

Brother was pitted against brother, armies—constituting the flower of manhood—were sent to their doom in order that this monster might continue living.

It was thought that the universal carnage of 1914-18 had put an end to the insidious designs of the ogre. It was believed that the millions who had sacrificed their lives upon the altar of peace had not died in vain.

Yet today, despite the fact that mangled forms confined in government hospitals and sanitariums serve as a grim reminder of our "profits" on foreign slaughter-fields; despite the fact that the world has become enslaved to an economic depression, the foremost European powers are once again engaged in a war to end all wars.

Here in America the destiny of our national democratic institution is being rolled back and forth on the floor of the Senate chamber.

Colleges today, as never before, have within their power to render a great service in the present crisis. They can stimulate the widest possible discussion on the basic issues being debated in Congress. With but few exceptions, they view in the European conflagration on behalf of peace.

Can we remain indifferent to the outcome of the European war? Should the United States refuse to sell supplies to a belligerent nation? Do we desire a repetition of hiding in no-man's land, in some foul-smelling shell hole drenched with the blood of innocent victims of circumstances?

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Revel Addresses Student Assembly

Tickets Obtainable To Yiddish Theatre

Special discounts of thirty-five to fifty percent may be obtained for "Clinton Street", opening October 12, at the Mercury Theatre, according to an announcement by the Concert Bureau.

The play is a saga in Yiddish of life on New York's famous East Side, somewhat similar in nature to "Street Scene" and "Dead End." Lem Ward, who directed "One Third of a Nation" is staging the current production.

Whitford Is Added To English Staff

Will Lecture On History of English Literature

Prof. Robert Calvin Whitford, director of student activities and head of the English department at L.I.U. has been added to the faculty to teach the course in the history of English literature, it was announced by President Revel.

Beside eleven years of teaching at L.I.U., Prof. Whitford has taught at Knox, Illinois, Indiana, Texas, and Maine. He is the author of a number of books including "American Standards of Writing," and "Readings in Science," and is also a frequent contributor to many literary and intellectual magazines.

After having received his B.A. degree at City College, where his father is Professor Emeritus of Mathematics, and where he edited the literary publication "Mercury", Prof. Whitford took post-graduate courses at Columbia. There he received his M. A., while the degree of Ph. D. was conferred on him by the University of Illinois.

Outlines Yeshiva Aims In Welcoming Talk To New Students

GOLDMAN PRESIDES

College Publications Introduced By Chanover and Krevsky

Dr. Bernard Revel, President of the Faculty, and Jacob E. Goldman '40, President of Student Council, extended official greetings to the student body at the first general assembly, which was held in the auditorium yesterday afternoon. Other speakers were Hyman Chanover '41, editor of the Commentator and Seymour Krevsky '40, editor of the Masmid.

Doctor Revel, whose remarks were addressed particularly to the Freshman Class, pointed out that the Yeshiva College is unique by virtue of the Jewish education which it offers in conjunction with the secular courses. He also stressed the fact that this combination produces in the student the ability to properly evaluate the factors of life.

Before introducing the editor-in-chief of the Commentator, Goldman urged the Freshman Class to participate in extra-curricular activities in order to fully enter into the spirit of Yeshiva life. He also commented upon the fact that the members of the faculty represent a synthesis of Hebrew and secular knowledge.

Included in Chanover's remarks were an announcement of the establishment of a journalism class and an appeal to the student body to patronize only Commentator advertisers.

Following Chanover's address, the editor of the Masmid encouraged lower classmen to contribute original material to the yearbook. He emphasized the fact that the Masmid represents the achievements of all students and not merely those of the Senior Class. Concluding his speech, Krevsky made an urgent request to the student body for the solicitation of advertisements in order to facilitate this year's publication.

Plans For Alumni Faculty Mixer Set

An Alumni-Faculty Mixer, under the sponsorship of the Alumni Association, will be held Monday, October 23, at 8 p.m., Isaac B. Rose '38, secretary of the organization announced. The event, at which an outline of plans for the coming year will be presented, is scheduled to contain a program of varied entertainment and addresses by both college students and alumni.

The annual theatre party, under the auspices of the Alumni Association, will be held at the Yiddish Art Theatre, Tuesday evening, November 14th. Maurice Schwartz's adaptation of Sholem Asch's "Redemption" will be the dramatic presentation. Tickets for the affair may be procured either from I. B. Rose '38, or from E. Zapinsky '35.

Hit Parade Of Entertainers At Senior-Frosh Smoker Turns Gala Affair Into Hilarious Class-Nite Preview

by JOS. SOKOLOV

The senior-frosh smoker held last night in the Riets Reception Hall broke more than one tradition by being of a nature removed from the purely intellectual affair that has held sway for so many years.

True to all promises made by Phil Gorodetzer '40, M.C. for the evening, the haze of smoke that hung over the assemblage at the affair was not a smoke screen to obscure any speeches. It served instead to cover a slow retreat of sleepy frosh.

In line with this self-imposed task of setting new precedents, the singing portion of the entertainment program, heretofore identified with the Chassidic spirit, turned classical upon the group-singing of Dr. Damon's theme song, "We're in the King's Navy".

Following the short welcoming address which, as per promise, was NOT delivered by Gorodetzer, "Shiky" Bard '40 astounded the veterans present with some new additions to his time-worn repertoire of characterizations. Some-one undoubtedly having treated

"Shiky" to the cinema recently, our "mity atom" turned in a sneak preview of the forthcoming Class Nite by bursting forth with a rendition of Sergeant Markoff's powerful speech as in the picture "Beau Geste".

The highlight of the evening's fine entertainment was provided by a guest star, W. Lawrence. His masterful impersonations of such famous radio and screen stars as Fred Allen, Paul Muni, Ned Sparks, and Walter Winchell gave many the impression that the radio had been turned on.

Oscar Fleishaker '39, who came all the way from the Bronx to make the affair a success before he realized that he had already graduated, followed with a loud, ear-splitting, "tenk yoo". He proceeded (in an Oh! F. high C) to

PUBLICITY BUREAU

Maurice Wozniak '40, has been appointed director of the Publicity Bureau, Jacob Goldman '40, President of the Student Council announced. This bureau is a subsidiary of the Commentator whose function is the dissemination of information about Yeshiva College and its activities.

explain to the yearlings why "vee moost have ah union". So realistic was his passionate appeal, that some freshmen are still indignant at the "communist propaganda" at their affair. As of yore, the audience helped out with the lusty "yay, yay, tenk-yoo's" that have marked Oh's appearances in the past.

Sandwiched in somewhere on the program was Mike Abramowitz's performance, not to be sneezed at.

The entertainment was to have been concluded with a lengthy dissertation by E. Fischer '42, who recalled the hardships he was made to suffer in his first day at Yeshiva College. However, his rendition of his adventures among the "pygmies" produced such a clamor of "encores", that he was not allowed to retreat till he had again sent the audience into convulsions of laughter with his new version of the story about the "naive rabbinical investigator". This new version as rendered by Menahem Mendel cut the beard off the tale, and paved the way for the singing of Hatikvah, with which the gathering broke up.

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Orchids to Council

During the past week Student Council has dedicated its efforts and facilities to the orientation of the freshmen in their new environment. Observed by every veteran in the institution was the undeniable fact that the ceremonies far surpassed those of former years in colorfulness and elaborateness.

Beside the usual run of welcoming committees, elections, and assemblies, this semester has witnessed the inauguration of a totally novel manner of orientation. We refer specifically to the freshman-senior smoker celebrated last night within the confines of the dormitory building.

Time was when the newcomer, being abysmally ignorant of the lofty ideals of Yeshiva, would be obliged to cull his information bit by bit. This year as never before, the overwhelming number of incomers necessitated a complete alteration in the plans of Student Council.

All eyes sought the organization most qualified to introduce the freshmen to the traditions and activities of Yeshiva College. A solution was soon discovered in the seniors.

To the members of the fourth year class fell the task of inducting the incomers into the "Yeshiva way." The burden charged upon them is an arduous one. It does not terminate with a mere smoker. Completion of the sequel to last night's affair will only come about when YESHIVA has ineradicably been stamped upon the minds of the younger set.

The impact of the two groups is expected to generate a recognition of the primary concern of the student body—maintenance of synthesis of Torah and secular knowledge—in the newcomers. When this anticipation is actualized, the

task of the seniors will have been completed.

Credit is therefore due Student Council for having taken the initial measures to solve a pressing though time-worn problem.

Lest We Forget

Owing to the usual rush of activity that accompanies the initial sessions of the semester, we have almost become oblivious of the fact that the portals of the dining room have not as yet been opened.

Although negotiations are still in their incipient stages, the student body should be informed that Mr. Brenner, a former concessionaire, has signed an agreement with the Ladies Auxiliary to take over the lunch room for the coming year.

Despite the fact that our appreciation of their efforts on behalf of the students cannot be over-estimated, the Women's Organization has committed a flagrant crime. They cannot deny that a committee of three, representing the faculty, student body, and Ladies Auxiliary was appointed last year. This committee was charged with complete jurisdiction over problems pertaining to the cafeteria.

Why, then, in dealing with Mr. Brenner have the women acted alone? Have they not gleaned sufficient lessons from our sorrowful experiences of the past?

A resolution has been passed by council that the student body be empowered to delegate representatives who will have a say in the administration of the dining room.

We trust that this unanimous resolution will not be ignored, and that through continued cooperation of all parties concerned lunch room problems will have become relegated to the past.

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We believe that college students are potentially one of the nation's strongest anti-war blocs and impregnable bulwarks of defense only when united. To defer answering the queries found on the adjoining page may mean ultimate severance of those bonds that hold the collegiate front fast.

While time still affords us the opportunity, perhaps we can succeed in compelling legislators to become divorced of politics for a change. Perhaps we can demonstrate the power that American youth is capable of wielding.

Your immediate cooperation is imperative.

Obituary

It was with sincere sorrow that we learned of the untimely passing of the father of Sidney and Bernard Finklestein.

We extend to them our heartfelt condolences in their bereavement.

SOMEWHERE, OVER THE RAINBOW



Maybe I'm Wrong

by JACOB E. GOLDMAN

Recent developments on the Eastern extremity of the Atlantic have already had their effect upon the American intellect. Since the outbreak of the current war every street corner Johnny, every sidewalk kibitzer—yeah every proletarian has become a self-styled critic of foreign affairs. The bars, the sidewalks and all the hang-outs of the four estates have suddenly become infested with back-seat diplomats of the first rank.

It is most interesting to innocently eavesdrop upon some street conversation which nine times out of every ten is centered about the war situation.

But by far the most wholesome type of good clean unadulterated fun in this amateur master-minding marathon can be had by just picking an argument with any Communist of the Stalinist variety. Ever since that Russian-German farce known commonly as the "non-aggression pact" the Communists have so blindly followed their Fuehrer Browder that the mask of Marxist ideology which they have been placing over their basically Fascist teachings has withered away into thin air baring the naked truth. Today, the only unprejudiced name that we can call these Communists would be Russian Nationalists.

How any rationally thinking person can continue to put his faith in the doctrines advanced by the Russian government—especially in view of the events of the last few weeks—is beyond the comprehension of this writer. Even extreme revolutionary Marxists should by now realize that Marxian Socialism was a guise—an opiate behind which the Fascist leadership of Soviet Russia was able to carry on unmolested—in the name of the revolution just as Hitler carried on in the name of Aryan Germany.

Inconsistency has always been a constantly prevalent characteristic of the Fascist states; and now our own American Communists have blundered into this same error of diplomacy. It's strange how these extremely patriotic and highly altruistic American Stalinists who only last year denounced the Embargo and favored its abandonment in favor of a more liberal foreign war policy so that Loyalist Spain might be the gainer—these selfsame liberty seeking individuals suddenly face

about and take up the banner of isolation to guarantee American Neutrality. Not only are the two views incongruous but it's evident from the very outset that this sudden burst of patriotism is nothing more than a screen for its anti-democratic attitude in the current crisis.

And what is the position of the Jew? Well, a careful study of the situation and of past experiences will not make the outlook very reassuring. Some 3,500,000 Polish Jews, for the most part Orthodox, will be divided up between Germany and Russia. We can about guess what will happen to those who fall under the yoke of the Nazi regime. Untold persecution lies in store for them coupled with economic and physical isolation. Who can deny that such circumstances are abominable? But there is at least one ray of hope. Though the tactics of the Mad Dog of Europe have usually brought undying misery upon the Jewish population, at least the spirit will not be killed. The Yeshivah will continue to thrive (we hope please G-d) and the spirit of Judaism should remain intact. The bodies of the Jews may suffer perdition but their profoundly Orthodox souls will be the victors because they will be allowed to retain the Torah and continue in its study.

But on the other side of the new Russo-German frontier the situation will be quite the reverse. Physically and economically, the Jews will be treated as equals with all the other races living there. But who knows what will happen to Jewish education, to the Yeshivah, to the Torah which has been the sustaining force of Jewish life. Its true that religious practice will be condoned by the Communist state but it cannot live and thrive unless the youth be inculcated with the spirit of Judaism, and that will be thoroughly impossible under the Communist system.

How sad it is that the Polish Jewish community which has been for so many centuries the seat of the perpetuation of Orthodox Judaism must meet such a fate. Our only hope—and in this we hope side by side with the entire democratic world with whom we must bind ourselves to fight intolerance—is to see a victory against the forces of persecution and aggression.

ON THE SIDELINES

by ABE KARP

Yeshiva's claim to fame in the realm of sports has always been its basketball team. We are fortunate this year in possessing one of the best teams that has ever taken the court for the Blue and White. It is short, fast, and aggressive, depending mainly on speed and deft ballhandling. The Quinhooplets employ the zone defense to counteract their lack of height.

The First Five are all veterans, having played together not only last year, but also during their stay in the Talmudical Academy High School. And here they are:

Irv Koslowe—captain and erstwhile coach of the Quinhooplets... sparkplugs team with his inspired playing... realized life-long ambition this summer by growing a half-inch to hit six feet... is an excellent shot from back court and backboard, and a big shot in school politics... has three years of varsity experience and should be at his peak this season... Kos is the cog around which the team revolves.

Abe Avrech—only other remnant of Trupin era... shaped like a triangle upside-down... is exceedingly fast and tricky and a superb ball-handler, dribbler, and shot... his unusual stamina may be attributed to his work in the Health Bureau where he must have learned the tricks of the trade... is looking forward to this his last year on the varsity to be his best.

Sam Rosenbloom—set-shot Sam, the all form man, is one of the three sophs on First Five... competent court man, but why he picks a basketball floor to pay homage to Terpsichore is beyond us... improves each shining hour.

Hesh Esterson—Han'some Hal, Borough Park's gift to the Y.C. hoopsters has developed a left handed shot that is the envy of the boys... is a good ball-handler... slight of build and medium height... is fast and shifty on

Pedagogical Guide Written by Deutsch

A handbook for Hebrew and religious school teachers on methods of teaching Jewish current events to children has recently been published by Samuel Deutsch '34.

Basing his study on a survey of many schools where this subject is taught, Mr. Deutsch explains in detail the ten most effective methods of teaching this increasingly important subject.

Mr. Deutsch is a teacher at the Harrisburg Hebrew school and editor of the Jewish News, which is used as a current events text in schools throughout the United States and Canada.

floor... from all indications he should have a great season.

Irv Jaret—Itz the G'litz, the Bensonhurst brillo-top has improved amazingly... especially in floor work—his last season's weakness... the darling of the galleries, he manages however to keep his mind on the game—but not his eyes... is dependable afield and 'neath the rim... good luck for a good season.

There's your team. They work hard and sacrifice much to give the school a team it can be proud of. All they want is the feeling that you're behind them. The way to show this is by attending the games, and cheering them on to victory.

The final date for the renting of mail-boxes in the Dormitory Building is Friday, October 13th, Morris Schnall '40, co-chairman of the mail-box committee announced. Mail-boxes may be obtained from Martin Hinchin or Morris Schnall upon payment of twenty-five cents plus a fifteen cent deposit for the key.

Nathan Levinson '38, Leonard Rosenfeld '37 and Israel Klaven '37, were recently ordained to the rabbinate. Levinson, while at college was manager of the Debating Society and head of the Speakers Bureau. Rosenfeld was secretary of the Alumni for the year 1938-39.

Varsity Quints Start Practice

Team's Warm-up Reveals Fair Talents

In response to "Cap" Koslowe's call for the initial basketball practice-session of the season, thirteen varsity aspirants reported at the gym Monday night. Although play was dominated by the seven veterans, the newcomers, despite their lack of experience, showed to advantage. Among the newcomers, highest hope was expressed for Art Brandwein, a talented lad from the T. A. The veteran starting five of Irv Koslowe, Abe Avrech, Hesh Esterson, Irv Jaret, and Sam Rosenbloom, worked rather impressively as a unit against the scrub team, dribbling, shooting and handling the ball with midseason form.

Great Hopes Held

As practice progressed, Koslowe stressed the importance of fast, deft pass-play to overcome the lack of height of team members.

"We are doing very well, considering that we lack the tutorage of a coach," said Captain Koslowe, who with Abe Avrech is completing his fourth and final year of service on the varsity. "Not one man was lost from last year's team, and the new recruits will strengthen us considerably. I am convinced that last year's fine record will be surpassed especially if we have the whole-hearted support of the student body behind us.

Intensive Schedule Ahead

After the opening game with Essex Jr. College on the home court, November 6, the quinhooplets face an intensive schedule of 20 games, which includes such formidable opponents as Paterson, John Marshall, Hudson, N.Y.U. and C.C.N.Y. teams.

The next practice session will be held tonight and candidates for varsity berths are urged to attend.



Humor Esq.

BY DAVE AND ABE

Now that the Yeshiva College basketball team is entering "big time", they're searching for a fitting nick name.

May we suggest: Yeshiva "Wolves".

A Y.C. prof. spent half a period leafing through a book looking for the class homework assignment, but couldn't find it. When he reads this he'll find out why.

He was looking for the physics assignment in an embryology book.

Quote of the week:

".....Now-a-days a pregnant woman takes two weeks of confinement, two months to recover, and two years to talk about it." Dr. Margalith.

A freshman who was told to endorse a check, sat down and concocted this:

To Whom It May Concern,
I, the undersigned do hereby heartily endorse this check.

Yours truly,

War Bulletin (via the grapevine)

Our foreign correspondent Zuch Neiss informs us of Hitler's latest form of execution:

The condemned one is blindfolded and told to extend his hands palms up. A piece of meat

is placed in one hand, a slab of butter in the other, and the blindfold removed.

The prisoner dies of astonishment.

We wanted to be the first ones to extend a hearty welcome to the new secretary in the registrar's office. But it seems that the Wizard of Az(ner), as usual, beat us to it.

This column offers a year's subscription to any and all who will send us, engraved on a silver platter, the surname of Rabbi Isaac Elchanan (you know—after whom this school is named).

Hint: It isn't Yeshiva.

Thought of any week:
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Nov. 21	Brooklyn Pharmacy	32-46
Dec. 12	Essex Jr. College	59-14
Dec. 19	St. Johns Pharmacy	41-19
Dec. 28	C.C.N.Y. Downtown	—
Jan. 6	Hudson	36-63
Jan. 11	Marshall	28-21
Feb. 26	Jersey State Teachers	—
Home		
Nov. 6	Essex Jr. College	59-14
Dec. 11	N.Y.U. Physical Ed.	33-20
Feb. 10	C.C.N.Y. Uptown Eve.	41-59
Feb. 21	Paterson	—
	Bergen	34-37
	N.Y.U. Commerce	27-32
	N.Y.U. Wash. Sq.	21-14
	N.Y.U. Wash. Sq. Eve.	—
	N.Y.U. Law	51-21
	Seminary	47-18
	Alumni	—

*First score is that of Yeshiva.

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4.) Have you a better plan for Neutrality?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If the Fascist nations should make rapid headway, would you still favor American Neutrality?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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Frehmen Choose 1939-1940 Officers

Jacob Walker '43, of the Bronx, was elected Freshman Class President at a special meeting held last Monday night in Room 312. Joseph Karasik, of San Francisco, was chosen Vice-President of the class.

The elections for class secretary and athletic manager were not held, and a special meeting of the class will be held for this purpose in the near future.

Jacob E. Goldman '40, President of Student Council, and Irv Koslowe '40, Vice-President, presided at the meeting.

Announcements

CO-OP

The Co-op store officially opened last Monday afternoon with a complete stock of merchandise, including radios, shavers, and wearing apparel. Myron B. Movsky '41, and his assistant manager, Sydney Feigenbaum '40, will supervise.

Pending the completion of a permanent time schedule, the store will be open daily at 1:30 P. M.

LIBRARY

Among the more important innovations initiated by the Yeshiva College library, will be a succession of periodic exhibits pertaining to national and international problems, stated Mr. I. Goldberg, librarian. The first of these exhibits will be, "The Strategic Importance of the Balkan Nations in Europe."

Mr. Goldberg also asserted that the library will be open from 2 to 10 p.m. during the course of ordinary school days.

CHESS TEAM

The Yeshiva College chess team is sorely in need of recruits for its diminished ranks, Bernard Sussman '39, the newly appointed captain, announced. Daniel Gutman '42 and Sussman will be the nucleus of this year's team.

The first meeting of the Chess and Checkers Club will be held some time next week, and all those interested in this activity are urged to attend.

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