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SOUP

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STATE NEWS.

Happenings in North Carolina.

Dr. J. D. Hufham has resigned as pastor of the Baptist church at Henderson.

The new dress put on by the Progressive Farmer greatly improves its appearance.

The Goldsboro Rifles won the military prize, \$50, at the New Bern fair.

The postoffice at Chapel Hill was burglarized Wednesday night. The safe was blown open and \$150 in cash and \$500 in stamps taken.

Nearly \$5,000,000 worth of silver was exported to China from this country during the eight months ended February 28.

Base Ball.

Oxford, N. C., April 20—A game of ball was played here yesterday between Horner School and Oak Ridge teams. The score was 9 to 1 in favor of Horner. In the ninth inning Kenna, Horner's pitcher, was struck on the head while at the bat and fainted, but recovered and pitched the last inning in which three men were struck out.

Fulford-Blow.

On next Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock, in St. Paul's Episcopal church, Miss Maude Lillington Blow, of Greenville, will be married to Mr. Nathaniel Simmons Fulford, of Washington. They will leave on the morning train for a bridal tour.

TARBORO NOTES

Tame Republican Convention—Rev Mr Morton Sick—Beautiful Marriage.

Tarboro, N. C., April 20.—Edgecombe Republicans held their county convention here yesterday. It was a tame affair with an utter lack of enthusiasm. No ticket was nominated, but delegates to the State and Congressional conventions were elected. The negroes were at a loss.

Rev. J. B. Morton, the beloved pastor of the Presbyterian church, is seriously ill. His many friends are very anxious about him.

In the Episcopal church at 8:30 o'clock last night Mr. J. Frank Martin and Miss Lena Pennington were married by Rev. E. W. Gamble. It was a most beautiful wedding. A reception was given at the home of the bride's parents.

Nominees at Asheville.

Asheville, N. C., April 20—The nominees of the Democratic party in their tour of the State spoke here yesterday. A white supremacy banner was raised and buttons were distributed among the crowd. Aycock appeared at his best. Memories of Vance and associations surrounding the spot where the great leader of the people rests, seemed to inspire him to his noblest effort. Thousands heard his peerless speech and were enthused with his eloquence. Many Republican supporters were gained for the amendment, and lukewarm Democrats were aroused to a sense of their duty. Lacy also made a good speech, completely captivating the workmen. Dr. Dixon spoke characteristically and humorously, being heartily applauded. It was a great day for Democracy in Buncombe.

Brother Dickey's Philosophy.

Money makes de boss go, but it takes a pine saplin' ter persuade de mule.

Dar's blossoms enough in de springtime ter hide all de graves dat sorrow kin make.

I got no fault at all wid dis worl'. It's des so bright dat sometimes I git's blinded fum lookin' at it.

Some folks think jedgment day is so fur off dey kin git a good, long sleep fo' Satau ketches holt er 'em.

Dar's allus one mo' river ter cross; but sometimes de ferryman is fas' asleep, en you got ter swim it.

De only way ter make a garden in dis worl' is to take good keer er de flowers, en see ter it dat dey gits plenty er sunshine en rain.

De Georgy mockin' bird combines business wid pleasure. He eats his breakfas' whilst he is a singin' of a song en thankin' God fer it.

Plowin' in a Georgy cotton field makes sound sleep en pleasant dreams at night. But some folks don't keer 'bout gittin' sleep dat way.

No man has a right to waste the time of other people.

The coming man is sometimes the one with a bill to collect.

Alimony is the court plaster that often heals a broken heart.

It seems queer that baggage has to be checked before it will go.

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GREENVILLE, N. C.

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS FEBRUARY 13TH, 1900

Resources.	Liabilities.
Loans and Discounts : \$99,707.39	Capital stock paid in : \$25,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures : 1,928.85	Surplus and Undivided Profits less Expenses paid : 8,015.29
Due from Banks : : 70,085.60	Deposits subject to check : : 162,422.45
Cash Items : : : 2,995.62	Due to Banks : : : 137.46
Cash : : : : 19,930.16	Cashiers' chks outstanding : 1,207.53
Rev. Stamps : : : : 135.01	
Total \$194,782.63	Total \$194,782.63

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FRIDAY, APRIL 20, 1900.

Harry Skinner says he will support Bryan, but he believes Butler wants to give the North Carolina electoral vote to McKinley. He says further that the people shall know when the Populist National convention meets at Sioux Falls if Butler is trading for McKinley. Butler refuses to talk much but says the Populist State convention was not really for Bryan. He says he is a candidate for re-election to the Senate.

The Populists had a breezy time at their State convention in Raleigh. Col. Harry Skinner threw a bomb in the camp when he exposed the duplicity and trickery of Senator Marion Butler. The platform endorsed W. J. Bryan. Col. Skinner urged that if they were honest in this they would have the same Presidential Electors in North Carolina that the Democrats have. He was hissed and the convention voted him down. The Colonel says he believes Butler is at heart a McKinleyite. He says the ticket nominated by the convention is just a political play on the part of Butler and that when the Republican convention meets next month their leaders and Butler will take down and put up whom they please. He says the Populists have played politics long enough and it is time they were being honest.

Aycock's speech at the Democratic State convention was the greatest speech that we have ever heard at any convention held in this State, and we have attended every convention, with only one exception, that has been held by the Democrats of this State since 1865. We have never heard any man surpass it, not even Vance himself, and greater praise than this cannot be given it.

This speech had evidently been carefully prepared, every sentence closely considered and appropriately placed, and yet was spoken so forcefully and gracefully as if it was extemporaneous. It was eminently the speech of a statesman delivered by an orator, and was heard with closest attention by the most enthusiastic convention ever held in the State. It was a grand occasion for a great speech, and the man and the hour had met, and Aycock proved himself fully equal to it.—Pittsboro Record.

When it comes to eagles a bird in the hand is worth two in the mint.

The platform adopted by the Populist State convention was a long winded affair. It endorsed William J. Bryan. It commended the present State administration and challenged a comparison therewith. It condemned the Democratic Legislature of 1899 for extravagance, added a further condemnation for carelessness, and heaped up a still further denunciation against it for submitting a disfranchising constitutional amendment, and proposed in lieu of this an amendment disqualifying all negroes and persons of negro descent to the third generation. It denounced the election law passed by the last Legislature. It pledged to increase the efficiency of the public school system, and also to increase the necessary facilities of caring for the unfortunates of the State.

A great part of the platform was taken up in denouncing the constitutional amendment, and in drawing conclusions as to who it would and would not disfranchise. Col. Harry Skinner offered a minority report and besides saying if they wanted Bryan for President they should give him an honest endorsement, he told them they best not make this constitutional amendment a party question but leave it to the individual to act on as he pleases.

Tenure Of Office.

Referring again to the result of the Senatorial primaries in Alabama, we note that Senator Morgan carried every county in the State and that he spent all of Monday in opening telegrams and receiving personal congratulations. Speaking of his re-election, now practically achieved, The Louisville Courier Journal Says:

"The sending back of Mr. Morgan is in line with the policy of the South when a man who had done faithful and distinguished service in Congress was re-elected as long as he chose to offer. That policy brought up that race of statesmen whose influence on legislation made the South preponderant in the nation's councils. Mr. Morgan would have been a worthy Senator of that older day, and he is thrice worthy now in this time of men who buy their seats either outright with money or else with the petty arts of the professional politician."

This is something that deserves to be "chewed and digested." Before the civil war the South had in either branch of Congress a body of trained statesmen, and by reason of this fact and despite the fact that neither in population nor area was it consequential as compared with the other sections, its "influence on legislation" was preponderant. A first-class man once secured was kept in the public service as long as he would remain in it. We would impress this lesson upon North Carolina at this time when, as to the Senate at least, it cannot be said that we are influenced by personal considerations. When the present Senators are retired and their places filled by men of first class ability who are fully representative of the sentiments and aspirations of the State, they should be kept there as Vance and Ransom were kept, until one died and the current of political parties turned against the other. It is by this means and this only that the people can secure the best service, and they need to take the fact to heart.—Charlotte News.

Harry Skinner hit the bull's-eye when he told Senator Butler's convention yesterday that if they honestly favored the election of Bryan and intended honestly to support him with a view to his election, to endorse the Democratic nominees for electors-at-large, Dan Hugh McLean and Lee S. Overman.

Mr. Butler's convention did not endorse that. The people can and will draw their own conclusion.—Raleigh Post.

The meanest men in North Carolina belong to that class of politicians who seek to keep the common people in ignorance and thus be able for years to come to use them for selfish and ignoble ends. The Constitutional amendment, if ratified, and it will be ratified, will do more to stimulate and stir up a desire for education among the children of North Carolina than anything else. Then the man who opposes the amendment is certainly a strange character. The man who opposes the amendment and thereby tries to keep the poor children in darkness and mental oblivion, is a——Can you tell us? Let all the lights from the smallest candle power to the great search lights be turned on. He who fears discussion is a coward and his course is not just.—Lexington Dispatch.

Women are still finding recognition for their talents in hitherto untried fields. Chicago has a woman street inspector and they say she is the only inspector in the city who holds the contractors strictly to the letter of their instructions. A New York young woman is earning a nice income hanging pictures and decorating interiors of residences and offices. Down in Georgia two young women are making a fortune cultivating holly and mistletoe for the market at Christmas times. A young woman of San Francisco has set up as a tailor of men's clothing. She evidently figured that since the women's tailoring field had been invaded by men, it was a poor rule that would not work both ways. According to recent advices from Japan, the women of that country, are taking the place of men in all the minor government positions. And thus it goes on. Every the energetic woman finds new things for her hands and head to do; she invades new fields and industries and succeeds.

Here is a good item which shows the hard struggle the politician has to contend with, says the Raleigh Visitor. It shows how rugged is the path and what expedients have to be resorted to at times to keep up in the procession. This is the item taken from an exchange: "A nearby editor who is believed, wouldn't imperil his immortal soul unnecessarily, prints the following: 'Two well known candidates running for the same office were canvassing near town last week. Both happened on the same road a short distance apart; the hindmost one called at a certain house, where a bright little girl came to the door. Said he 'Sissie, will you please bring me a drink of water?' which she quickly did, then he gave her candy and said: 'Did the man just ahead of me give you candy?' 'Yes, sir.' Then he gave her a nickel and said: 'Did he give you money?' 'Yes, sir, he gave me ten cents.' Then picking her up in his arms, he kissed her and said: 'Did he kiss you?' 'Yes, sir, and he kissed ma, too.'"

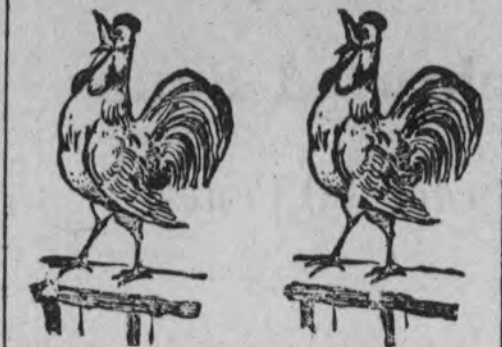
Home made bread is responsible for many a married man's crusty temper.

The chap who carries his watch in his back trousers pocket is sure of being ahead of time.

Marriage is a serious thing, but to a great many girls it isn't half as serious as being single.

Some actors are like some eggs. They get on the stage because they are good for nothing else.

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DATED Jan. 14, 1900.	No. 28 Daily		No. 25 Daily		No. 103 Daily ex- Sunday		No. 41 Daily		No. 49 Daily	
	A M	P M	A M	P M	A M	P M	A M	P M	A M	P M
Leave Weldon	11 30	8 55								
Ar Rocky Mount	12 55	9 52								
Leave Tarboro	12 21	6 00								
Lv Rocky Mount	1 00	9 52	6 37	5 40	12 52					
Leave Wilson	1 58	10 25	7 16	6 20	2 40					
Leave Selma	2 55	11 03								
Lv Fayetteville	4 30	12 30								
Ar Florence	7 25	3 24								
		P M A M:								
Ar Goldsboro			7 53							
Lv Goldsboro				7 01	3 2					
Lv Magnolia				8 09	4 35					
Wilmington				9 40	6 0					

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

DATED Jan. 14, 1900.	No. 28 Daily		No. 25 Daily		No. 103 Daily ex- Sunday		No. 41 Daily		No. 49 Daily	
	A M	P M	A M	P M	A M	P M	A M	P M	A M	P M
Lv Florence	10 45	7 45								
Lv Fayetteville	12 30	9 45								
Leave Selma	1 55	10 56								
Arrive Wilson	2 35	11 33								
		A M /		P M A M						
Lv Wilmington			6 50	1 1						
Lv Magnolia			8	1						
Lv Goldsboro			9 27							
		P M		A M P M						
Leave Wilson	2 35	5 43	11 33	1 30						
Ar Rocky Mount	3 30	6 25	12 09	11 11						
Arrive Tarboro			1 04							
Leave Tarboro	12 21									
Lv Rocky Mount	3 30		12 09							
Ar Weldon	4 32		1 04							

Wilmington & Weldon Railroad, Yadkin Division Main Line—Train leaves Wilmington 9 00 a m, arrives Fayetteville 12 05 p m, leaves Fayetteville 12 25 p m, arrives Sanford 1 43 p m. Returning leaves Sanford 2 30 p m, arrive Fayetteville 3 41 p m, leaves Fayetteville 3 46 p m, arrives Wilmington 6 40 a m

Bennettsville Branch—Train leaves Bennettsville 8 15 a m, Maxton 9 20 a m, Red Springs 9 53 a m, Hope Mills 10 42 a m, arrive Fayetteville 10 55. Returning leaves Fayetteville 4 40 p m, Hope Mills 4 55 p m, Red Springs 5 35 p m, Maxton 6 15 p m, arrives Bennettsville 7 15 p m

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Trains on Washington Branch leave Weldon 8 10 a m and 2 30 p m, arrive Farmale 9 a m and 4 00 p m, returning leave Farmale 9 35 a m and 6 30 p m, arrive Washington 11 00 a m and 7 30 p m, daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro daily except Sunday at 5 30 p m, Sunday 4 15 p m, arrives Plymouth 7 40 p m, 6 10 p m, returning, leaves Plymouth daily, except Sunday, 7 50 a m, and Sunday 9 00 a m, arrives Tarboro 10 10 a m, 11 00 a m. Train on Midland N C branch leaves Goldsboro daily, except Sunday, 7 05 a m, arriving Smithfield 8 10 a m, returning leaves Smithfield 9 00 a m, arrives at Goldsboro 10 25 a m.

Train on Nashville Branch leave Rocky Mount at 10 a m, 3 40 p m, arrive Nashville 11 10 a m, 4 03 p m, Spring Hope 10 40 a m, 4 25 p m. Returning leave Spring Hope 11 30 a m, 4 55 p m, Nashville 12 15 a m, arrive at Rocky Mount 11 45 a m, 6 00 p m, daily except Sunday.

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METHODIST.—Services every Sunday, morning and evening. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Rev. N. M. Watson, pastor. Sunday school 3 p. m. W. F. Harding, superintendent.

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CHRISTIAN.—Services at the Opera House every 2nd Sunday morning and night. Rev. D. W. Davis, pastor.

CATHOLIC.—No regular services.

LODGES

E. A. F. & A. M.—Greenville Lodge, No. 284, meets first and third Monday evening. R. Williams, W. M. J. M. Reuss, Sec.

I. O. O. F.—Covenant Lodge, No. 17. Meets every Tuesday evening. R. L. Humber, N. G. E. E. Griffin, Sec.

K. of P.—Tar River Lodge, No. 93, meets every Friday evening. R. M. Moye, C. C.; T. M. Hooker, K. of R. and S.

E. A.—Zeb Vance Council, No. 1696, meets every Thursday evening. W. B. Wilson, R. M. R. Lang, Sec.

J. R. O. U. A. M.—Meets every Wednesday night at 7:30, in I. O. O. F. hall. J. B. White, Councillor.

A. O. A.—Egyptian Council, No. 6, meets every first and third Thursday nights in Odd Fellows Hall. J. Z. Gardner Worthy Chief; D. S. Smith, Sec.

I. O. H.—Greenville Conclave No. 540, meets every second and fourth Monday nights in Odd Fellows Hall. W. B. Wilson Archon; D. S. Smith Sec.

SMALL CHAT.

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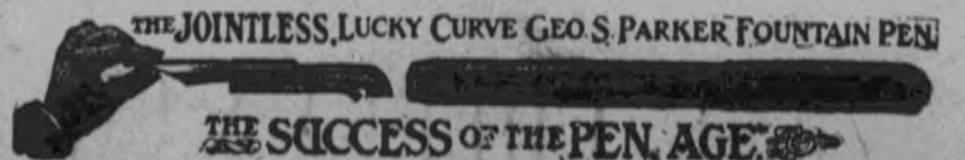
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THE DAILY REFLECTOR

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Rain tonight, clearing Saturday. Rapid rise in rivers of North Carolina with flooding of low lands.

Maximum	71
Minimum	65
Mean	68
Rainfall (24 hours to 6 p. m.)	1.00

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Tables for any room.
 Pretty line toilet sets.
 Lounges and couches.
 Beautiful bed room suits.
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 Lamps for hall or bed room.
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 Combination cases for the sitting room.
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 We can and will sell stoves and furniture at rock bottom prices. We buy these goods only in car lots, thus obtaining the lowest possible prices. Respectfully,



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COTTON MARKET.

As wired to Speight & Co., cotton and peanut buyers.
 New York future quotations to day are as follows:

	Opening.	Close
May	9 44	9 44
Aug.	9 27	9 25
Oct.	8 20	8 18
Dec.	8 05	8 04

Receipts 4,000.
 LIVERPOOL.
 Opening. Close
 Apr & May 5 20 5 20

CHICAGO MARKET.
 Wheat—May. 65½ 65½
 Ribs—May. 7 07½ 7 05

LOCAL MARKET.
 Spot cotton in Greenville 9 3-16

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SPRING BLOSSOMS.

Pretty Weather Brings Them Out.

E. W. Pace is in Greenville.
 F. Powell went to Rocky Mount this morning.
 B. E. Parham returned from Scotland Neck Thursday.
 N. S. Fulford, of Washington, came up Thursday evening.
 Ex-Sheriff W. H. Harrington returned home Thursday evening.

N. H. Whitfield returned from Scotland Neck Thursday evening.
 Lee Stewart left this morning for Petersburg, Va. on a visit to relatives.

Miss Helen Perkins left this morning for Washington, N. C. on a visit.

Mrs. R. E. Lee, who has been visiting here, left this morning for Wilson.

Misses Florence Starkey and Cornelia Joyner returned this morning from the New Bern fair.

T. W. Clawson, agent for the Wilmington Messenger, is in town and made us a pleasant call this morning.

Harry Skinner returned Thursday evening from Raleigh, where he has been attending the Populist State convention.

Messrs. C. T. Lipscomb, Vernon Haskett, Fred Forbes, Carey Mayo, Rat Rountree, B. E. Patrick, C. S. Forbes, Tom Duke, Hugh Shepard and Jim Moore, returned this morning from New Bern, where they have been attending the fair.

Stole a Suit.

A negro named Will Wooten, from Greenville, stole a suit of clothes from J. J. Stroud in Ayden Wednesday night. Mr. Stroud had just returned from the fair at New Bern, and placed the suit in a buggy, intending to drive out in the country, when the negro slipped up to the buggy and walked off with the suit.

The negro was caught and placed in the lock up but broke out that night and has not yet been captured.

Increasing Cotton.

From what we can learn now about planting time the cotton acreage will be considerably increased this year in this section. Some farmers will almost entirely abandon tobacco culture while others will reduce the acreage in that crop, putting the difference in cotton. If they are going to make a big cotton crop and want anything for it they should be especially interested in helping to establish cotton mills.

All Christian Men.

It is evident that the one great effort of the Democratic party in the campaign which has begun will be to carry the amendment. The men who have been chosen to fill the State offices represent the best citizenship of the State. Without a single exception as far as we know, they are all Christian men from Mr. Ayeock, candidate for Governor, down the candidate for the smallest office. This fact makes the whole State the subject of sincere congratulations.

Talk it Up.

Some of our readers are discussing the suggestion of THE REFLECTOR taking the afternoon press dispatches. We are very anxious to take them, and if those interested will just help us increase the patronage of the paper enough to justify the extra expense the dispatches will not be long coming. Speak to your non-subscribing neighbor about it. We are going to make an early canvass to see what can be done. All the interest you show in your town paper helps to make it that much better.

DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.

At a meeting of the Democratic Executive Committee held in Greenville on the 14th day of April, 1900, a convention for the nomination of Democratic candidates for the Legislature and the various county offices and for the appointment of delegates to the First Congressional District Democratic convention, was called to meet in the Court House, in Greenville, at 12 o'clock M., on Saturday, May 19th, 1900.

Township primaries, for the purpose of appointing delegates to said county convention, were called to meet at the usual places in each township on Saturday, May 12th, 1900, at 3 o'clock P. M. The said primaries will also elect an Executive Committee for each precinct, composed of five members, and also nominate candidates for Justices of the Peace and Constable. The number of delegates and alternates each township will be entitled to is as follows:

- Beaver Dam 5
- Belvoir 5
- Bethel 9
- Carolina 8
- Chicod 20
- Contentnea 21
- Falkland 8
- Farmville 7
- Greenville 29
- Pactolus 4
- Swift Creek 11

All white men in the county of Pitt who favor the white people controlling the affairs of State and county, and who intend to vote to that end, are cordially invited to attend and participate in these meetings.

ALEX. L. BLOW, Chm'n.
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Announcement.

Many of the needs that confront you with the advent of Spring are being met by these requirements and how they may be met with satisfaction and economy that we wish to speak of. Our line is now ready. We present the latest and most up-to-date scale of uniformly low figures—so low that they may be truthfully called "price concessions." These goods are fully as attractive in style and quality as the more expensive and we are perfectly confident that they will be chosen by your judgment as a careful buyer in every way. This is a conservative statement regarding facts which can be easily substantiated any time you visit our store. Our goods are here. Have you call and see our new Spring line. It will be worth your while to see the quality and style will be apparent and the price will present its own argument. In extending this invitation we are not urging you to become a buyer on the strength of our statements but to become a visitor. We do not ask you to buy; but bring your experience and best judgment with you and compare our reasonable attractions with your most cherished memories of cheap buying—we'll leave the rest to your own inclination. Our stock is of the practical, popular kind, that shows in a marked degree the evidences of a careful and judicious selection from the best markets. Variety, new novelties, and a thorough up-to-date quality in all things is everywhere apparent. Our Spring goods are marked for quick selling. It is a matter for you to decide quickly as to whether you shall select from our full assortment of fresh, desirable styles, or take chances on perfect satisfaction a little later on, when stocks of necessity, must be more or less broken. We should prefer to see you today or tomorrow; later in the season we should be very likely to please you but now we are certain to do so. Remember, such opportunities do not have to wait long for new comers. A look will convince you these are no idle words—will you call and give it? Yours respectfully,

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