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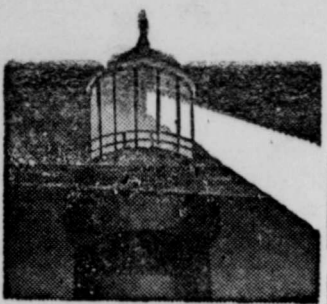
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On The BEAM

By J. W. King, Sr.

Loraine merchants this week are again offering RED TAG DAYS specials to the people of this area on Friday and Saturday. You will want to read every ad in the paper, especially those that have the RED TAG DAYS specials in them. Read the ads then go to the merchants and buy what you need at a bargain.

We have a hard time convincing some merchants that advertising pays. Our readers can help us to convince them by patronizing them. Tell them you saw their ad in the paper. Watch for the RED TAGS in the stores, and buy the merchandise so marked.

RED TAG DAYS coming as they are just a short time before Christmas may give you an opportunity to buy gifts at a bargain price. You can find a lot of nice Christmas gifts in Loraine if you will shop here. Of course we do not have some of the great big stores packed with glittering merchandise like some of the bigger towns do but our merchants have a good stock of merchandise and there are hundreds of gifts you won't have to leave town to buy if you'll just look around a little. You won't be bothered with parking meters here either.

Buck Hughs and his band students are to be commended on placing in the all-district band at Anson last Saturday. Mr. Hughs and his bands are doing a good work here and the people appreciate it.

GOLDEN AGE CLUB
A covered dish supper will be the attraction at the meeting of the Golden Age Club Monday night along with games of 42 and dominoes. Supper will be at 7 and each member will bring a covered dish.

AI ARM SOUNDED FOR FIRE PRACTICE
The Loraine Fire Department, one of the best volunteer organizations in this part of the country, meets for practice every second and fourth Monday nights. Two short blasts on the fire siren will let the firemen know when practice night comes.

VIEWS

THREATS
What is a threat. Pat saw in the papers that our President Lyndon Johnson was threatened by a man in the New York area last week. He called it a joke. Can a threat ever be a joke?
If we will think seriously, we can readily see that any threat, major or minor, can never be classified as a joke, neither can it be accepted as such. Threats must be treated realistically.
What causes one to make threats? Surely, no one will make any sort of threat, even in a jocular vein, without cause. They come from a background of Fear, Hate, Jealousy, Envy, or curiosity.
Some make threats just to see what various reactions will be. In other words, "What would happen if I make such and such a threat?" It is done, from this curious vein for a place in the limelight.
Some make threats from the viewpoint of envy. Much writing is being released as to how to shield presidents from danger. Yet most of the conclusions are that a president must take some risks. He or she must keep before the people. Threats come from some envying the spotlight before the people.
Some make threats from the standpoint of jealousy. Neither for my policies won't and I will get even by making threats that will show the world where I stand. It is surprising, sometimes, how many are jealous of the winner and thus try to discredit him or her by the way of threats.
Hate and fear make strange bedfellows. Many threats originate in minds warped by these two kindred characteristics. Pat has known the best of friends to be parted to a degree by one of the friends being elevated in the profession of the men. Pat has heard some say they were going to watch the reactions of the elevated one. Of course this meant an adverse approach and became a threat.
You see, all threats are not on the life. They can become character assassins, influence killers, and friendship destroyers. May we watch our threats.

PAT

Teyla Bates, homemaker teacher in Loraine High School, has announced she will conduct adult sewing classes for the women of the Loraine community who are interested in sewing. Classes for beginners will be on Tuesdays and Thursdays and for advanced students on Wednesday and Friday. Contact Mrs. Bates if you are interested.

"To Report A Fire Dial 2700"

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Valuable Prizes Offered Residents For Best Home Christmas Decorations

TWO LORAINIANS WIN AT COLLEGE JUDGING CONTEST
Two Loraine boys, both of them prominent in the FFA when they were in high school here, received honors in livestock judging contest at Sul Ross College recently. Both are students at Sul Ross.

Larry Blair, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dual Blair won two trophies by winning first place in hog and sheep judging and also first place in the overall judging of livestock judged. The trophies had his name engraved on them.

Linton Ray Webb, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Webb, tied for second place and also took fifth place in the overall judging.

Both the boys received their training in judging livestock while in high school here under Raymond Holt, agriculture teacher.

FOOD SERVICE MET AT WESTBROOK
The Mitchell County Chapter of the Food Service Association met at the school cafeteria in Westbrook Monday night. Gifts were exchanged from a beautifully decorated tree. Plans were made to attend the state meeting in Lubbock next June.

The next chapter meeting will be at Colorado City.

DELTA KAPPA GAMMA
The Beta Epsilon Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma, teachers organization, met in Colorado City High School home economics department Sunday afternoon at 2 p.m. The program subject was "Changes in Sociological Patterns". Miss Mabel Smith of Colorado City gave a fine treatise on various phases of the subject.

Members attending from Loraine were Miss Edith Wilkerson, Mrs. Mabel Givens, Mrs. Estha Coffee and Mrs. Cora Johnson.

LUNCHROOM MENU DEC. 16-20
Monday: Wieners and kraut, creamed potatoes, green beans, fruit pie, bread, butter, milk.
Tuesday: Rolled roast, gravy, English peas, rice, peaches, bread, butter, milk.
Wednesday: Pinto beans, buttered cabbage, chilled tomatoes, onion, pickles, fresh orange, cornbread, butter, milk.
Thursday: Pot roast, green salad, fruit jello, bread, butter, milk.
Friday: Turkey and dressing, giblet gravy, cranberry sauce, sweet potatoes, English peas, fruit salad, bread, butter, milk.

Top Ten Selected National Honor Society

For the second six weeks Carol Little leads the Top Ten National Honor Society and also led for the first six weeks this year. Scholarship, character, service, and leadership are the criteria for selection of the National Honor Society students in Loraine High School. The local chapter is affiliated with National organization.

For one of the projects of the Loraine High School Chapter of the National Honor Society, a framed display of the pictures and scholastic ranks of the ten highest ranking NHS students is placed in a prominent place in the hall. These ranks are determined following each six weeks period and such rank is calculated from the time the NHS student entered the ninth grade through the six weeks period for which the ranks are made.

The ranks for the second six weeks are: Carol Little (Junior), 1st-95.64; Judy McDaniel (Senior), 2nd-95.07; Nancy Coffee (Soph.), 3rd-95.01; Harold Ray Preston (Junior), 4th-93.63; Sherry Graham (Junior), 5th-93.33; Carla Britton (Senior), 6th-93.31; Barbara Doyle (Senior), 7th-93.14; Don Small (Senior), 8th-92.97; Chaela Mae Martin (Junior), 9th-92.12; and Joyce Furlow (Senior), 10th-91.69.

The NHS Chapter is planning to have their Christmas meeting, Friday in the Chapter's meeting room at school. Refreshments are in charge of Sheila Oliver (Chairman), Loreta Hart and Don Small and Service Arrangements are to be made by Joe Cushing (Chairman) and Joyce Furlow.

Bridal Shower Honors Mrs. Edward Beaty

Mrs. Jack Linnam hosted a bridal shower in her home Thursday honoring Mrs. Edward Beaty a recent bride.

Favors were Christmas greenery and tiny red balls.

The serving table was covered with lace over red, centered with a crystal punch bowl surrounded by green cedar, pine burs and colorful balls. The table also held a bouquet of red roses and red tapers. Mrs. Roy Wells and Mrs. W. A. Taylor presided at the table serving cranberry punch, cookies and nuts.

Mrs. Alvie Bennett led the group in guessing games. Gifts were opened and passed to be admired. Mrs. Percy Bond registered gifts.

Other hostesses were Mmes Ralph Lankford, Wiley Walker, S. E. Meadows, C. H. Martin, Lillian Martin, Bennett Blair.

Funeral Saturday For Mrs. W. H. Howell

Funeral services for Mrs. W. H. Howell, 83, were held at the First Baptist Church here Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock with the pastor Rev. Jimmy Turner officiating.

Burial was in the Loraine Cemetery under direction of Godfrey Funeral Home of Albany. Mrs. Howell died at 3:20 a.m. Friday in the Bluebonnet Lodge Rest Home in Albany following a long illness.

Mrs. Howell was born January 27, 1880, in Omaha, Ark. She was married to W. H. Howell in 1898. He preceded her in death in 1951.

The Howell family came to Loraine in 1908 and remained here most of the time until 1959 when she moved to Albany after the death of her husband.

Mrs. Howell was president of the WMS here in 1934 and friends here say she was always a gracious hostess at WMS and Sunday School class meetings.

Survivors include one son, J. W. (Red) Howell of Ozona; two daughters, Mrs. C. M. Reese of Albany and Mrs. W. H. Turner of Junction; two sisters, Mrs. Bertha Bailey of Seattle, Washington, and Mrs. Nell Wilcoxson of Los Angeles, California.

Friday and Saturday December 13-14 Are RED TAG DAYS In Loraine

Jimmy Hall Home From Duty In Vietnam

U.S. Forces, Vietnam (AHTNC) Army Capt. James A. Hall, whose wife, Barbara, lives at 507 Rannels, Big Spring, Texas, is among the 1,000 American military personnel who have received orders to return home from duties in the Republic of Vietnam. The movement of personnel began Dec. 3.

The 1,000-man cut in U. S. Forces is being undertaken because the training of the Vietnamese armed forces has progressed to the point where the withdrawal of some U. S. Forces is possible.

Captain Hall served with the U. S. Military Assistance Advisory Group (MAAG), Vietnam, MAAG Vietnam, is an Army-Navy-Marine Air Force organization which advises the Armed Forces of the Republic of Vietnam on training, use of equipment and tactical operations.

The 26-year-old officer, son of Mr. and Mrs. James C. Hall, Loraine, entered the Army in September 1959 and had been overseas since last April.

A 1954 graduate of Loraine High School, he graduated from Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, in 1959.

Loraine merchants are offering again this Friday and Saturday exceptional bargains on the second RED TAG DAYS in Loraine. You can always do well by trading in Loraine but on these two RED TAG DAYS this month you will find many items advertised at bargain prices you will want to buy for Christmas for yourself or for giving.

You can see by reading the ads in the paper this week those merchants who are participating in this special event to attract trade to Loraine.

Each ad carries the RED TAG DAYS sign easily identified, and merchants will have their merchandise they have on special marked with a RED TAG that can be easily seen. Watch for them.

These special days coming as they are just before Christmas offer you a special inducement to come to Loraine to trade. The merchants here want, need, and appreciate your business.

VETERAN C OF C LEADER SUCCEEDS

J. H. Greene, 79, retired manager of Chambers of Commerce at Big Spring and Colorado City and an organizer of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce died at 7:30 a.m. Saturday in a Big Spring hospital.

Mr. Greene will be remembered by many Loraine people who had occasion to associate with him during the many years he spent in Colorado City in business, as director of relief work in the county during the depression, and as Chamber of Commerce manager.

J. W. King Jr. of Plainview Spent Friday Night with his Parents Mr. and Mrs. J. W. King Sr. He was on his way to Odessa where he was to attend a marching contest for high school bands in that area.

LOLAINE STUDENTS WITH MCMURRY BAND ON TOUR

Joretta Hall and Kenneth Johnson, members of the McMurry College 1963 Band in Abilene will be with the group on their annual fall tour when they perform in five towns in the Panhandle area of Texas.

Miss Hall, McMurry College sophomore student, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Price Hall, Loraine. Her major course of study is elementary education. Also on the McMurry College campus she is a member of Baptist Student Union, Student Education Association, Gamma Sigma Social Club, and is a McMurry College Band Maidennette.

Dr. Raymond T. Bynum, well-known West Texas musician and band master listed in "Who's Who in The Southwest"

The band will open their tour Dec. 8 in the First Methodist Church of Shamrock for a Sunday evening service entitled "Let Us Worship Through Music", a program of sacred music that is a complete worship service. Monday, Dec. 9, the McMurry musicians will perform in Perryton, Tuesday they will present an evening program in Pampa, Wednesday morning and Wednesday afternoon of Dec. 10 they will present programs in the Clarendon and Childress High Schools.

The band is under the direction of Dr. Raymond T. Bynum, well-known West Texas musician and band master listed in "Who's Who in The Southwest".

ATTEND CONFERENCE

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mahon, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Templeton, and Rev. and Mrs. Frank Story attended the Big Spring District conference of The Methodist Church at First Methodist Church Big Spring last Friday December 6th.

Workshops were held in every area of the work of the Church and many helpful suggestions leading to understand the over all program of the Church.

Dr. J. H. Holt, returned Missionary from the Philippines and Professor of Missions in Perkins School of Theology at SMU was the Conference preacher.

He delivered a great message concerning the Role of the Layman in the Church Program. Among other great statements was this one: "Don't sell the product. Preach the place, but if the Church is to reach those who are unconcerned, the laymen must do it".

MITCHELL COUNTY MAN HANGED IN JAIL

A Mitchell County farmer Clyde R. Thompson, 53, was found dead by hanging in a jail cell in the county jail at San Angelo about 11:30 a.m. Tuesday, it was reported by Mitchell County Sheriff Lewis Claston.

Thompson had been in the Tom Green County jail since Dec. 4 on a worthless check charge, Tom Green County Sheriff Cecil Turner said.

Thompson was found hanging from a cell bar by a metal clothes hanger which had been formed into a noose and the hook slipped over the bar, the Sheriff said.

Other occupants of the jail playing cards in a nearby cell saw Thompson and notified the jailer who got the body down but could not revive him.

Thompson was born June 15, 1910 in Mitchell County and was a member of the Baptist Church.

Funeral was held at 4 p.m. Wednesday from Kiker and Son Chapel with the Rev. Neil Rogers pastor of Calvary Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in the Colorado City Cemetery.

Survivors include his mother, Mrs. J. M. Thompson of Colorado City; four sisters, Mrs. Keith Miles and Mrs. Bill Gale both of Loraine, and Mrs. Dorothy Taylor of Denver, Colorado; three brothers, C. E. of Midland, J. A. of Silver and Leroy of Cherry Hill N. J.

COTTON SAMPLES AGAIN MOVE TO SAMPLE OFFICE

Open weather allowed the cotton harvest to resume. Classing activity picked up considerably at the U.S.A.'s Cotton Classing Office in Abilene, Texas, according to B. B. Manly, Jr. in Charge, total samples classed for the week ending December 6, 1963 was 16,579 as compared to 4,758 for the previous week. The season's total now stands at 318,733 samples, which is about 80 percent of the expected total for the year.

About 1,300 of the samples classed last week were submitted from the area surrounded by Dickens, Steele, Rains, and Jones Counties. This area is the territory of District 2 served by the Abilene Classing Office.

Grades were lower as compared to previous weeks. Twelve percent of the cotton was White Spotted, and 10 percent was Spotted. Middling Light Spot continued to be the predominant grade, with 40 percent of the cotton classed in this category. Thirty-four percent was called Strict-Low Middling Light Spot. A little more than one percent of the cotton was reduced in grade due to rough preparation, bark, or trash.

State-to-months from District 2 were as follows: 3 percent was 78 and shorter; 48 percent was 30/32; 46 percent was 15/16 and 2 percent was 31/32 and longer.

Micronaire readings dropped slightly, with about 6 percent of the samples "miking" below the 3 mark.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mahoney and Nubbin and Mrs. Bessie Mahoney went to Austin Saturday to visit with their sister and daughter Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Dastler and family. Mrs. Bessie Mahoney remained there with her daughter and family for an indefinite visit.

Five Members Loraine H. S. Band Selected For All-District Band

Five members of the Loraine High School Band were selected in an audition held Saturday in Anson for membership in the All-District Band. The five were among the 111 piece band chosen from more than 200 student musicians during the annual meet of the Northwest District of Region II of the Texas Music Educators Association. The group presented a concert in the Anson Elementary School gymnasium at 7 p.m.

Tryouts and rehearsals during the day long audition began at 8:30 a.m. Dr. Neill Humfeld, Director of Bands and head of the Instrumental Department at East Texas State College at Commerce, was chairman.

Loraine students selected for the all-district band are: Judy McDaniel and Bobby Schroeder, clarinet; Carol Little, bass clarinet; Don Small, cornet; and Andres Cardoza, base horn.

The Loraine High School Band is under direction of Buck Hughs.

Other Loraine students participating in the audition were Cindy Mahon, Alto Sax; Sharon Berry and Susan Terry, Flute; Ray-Shell Beights, Baritone; and Arleta Martin, Drums.

Hospital Notes

Entering Johnson Hospital the past week were Mrs. Ray Kidd, Mrs. J. J. Land, Hal Bennett, Joe Beth Allen, Mrs. L. E. Allen, Linda Stewart, Donnie Compton, Mrs. Loyd Hair, Mrs. Bob Hale, Joe Graham, J. W. Martin, Mrs. Manuel Lopez, Charlie Dowdlear, Mrs. Ruben Valdez, Mrs. L. B. Hampton, Paul Neal, Mrs. James Baker, Mrs. Gary Swan, John Ridge, Anita Luera, Mrs. Luis Moreno, Dullie Darlene Perez.

Dismissed: Donnie Compton, Oscar Arnos, Mrs. D. O. Hopkins, Mrs. Clarence Cain, Mrs. Johnny Jermigan and baby, Tomas Garza, Mrs. Ray Kidd, Mrs. George Martin and baby, Joe Beth Allen, Mrs. L. E. Allen, Kimberly De Lonz, Linda Stewart, Joe Graham, A. R. Miles, Mrs. Loyd Hair, Mrs. Bob Hale, R. H. Bennett, Mrs. L. B. Hampton, Paul Neal, Mrs. Ruben Valdez and baby, Mrs. Irene Stewart, Mrs. Clayton McCourtney, Mrs. J. N. Baker, Mrs. J. J. Land, Mrs. Manuel Lopez and Mrs. Minnie Helm, J. W. Martin.

Born To: Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Lopez of Loraine, a boy Dec. 6; Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Valdez of Loraine, a boy Dec. 7; Mr. and Mrs. James Baker of Colorado City a boy Dec. 8; Mr. and Mrs. Keith Hill of Colorado City, a boy Dec. 9; Mr. and Mrs. Clayton McCourtney of Loraine, a boy Dec. 10; Mr. and Mrs. Luis Moreno of Loraine, a boy Dec. 10.

Use Classified Ads

Spell Quiz

Which of the following is spelled correctly?
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(Meaning: To hinder; defeat.)
See Page 2 for correct answer.

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'Sweetheart' from Day of Birth Is National March of Dimes Girl

"She was a sweetheart from the day she was born." This is the way her mother describes winsome, bright little Mary Lou Graves, 5, of Flint, Mich., who has been named the 1964 National March of Dimes Child.

Blonde, blue-eyed, vivacious Mary Lou is indeed a sweetheart, but one who has had more than her share of sadness. She was born with a birth defect called spina bifida, which means that the base of her spine was not closed properly. At the age of one month, she underwent an operation to correct this condition. Since then, Mary Lou has fought to be able to walk, and sometimes, she has had to fight to live.

Today, the lower part of her body is paralyzed, and she is extremely vulnerable to infections. In spite of this, Mary Lou is a cheerful little girl determined not to miss any of the pleasures of growing up.

Proud of the fact that she lives in a state known as the auto capital of the world, Mary Lou tells visitors that her wheel chair is a "Kadiac." She has a frisky puppy named Prince, and she scurries after him as fast as Kadiac's wheels can take her. She tags along after her mother, helping to sweep the floor, dust the furniture and dry the silverware.

One of her favorite jobs is baby sitting for her two younger sisters and brother who were all born without defects.

March of Dimes Symbol
The National Foundation-March of Dimes has chosen Mary Lou to symbolize the 250,000 children born with a serious birth defect each year in this country.

Basil O'Connor, president of The National Foundation, explains the problem of birth defects, and the voluntary health organization's attack on it, in this way:

"Why did something go wrong when Mary Lou's tiny body was being formed? Why is a seriously defective child born to one out of 10 American families?"
"Can more of these children be helped with present medical knowledge?"



Favorite dressmaker of Mary Lou Graves, 1964 National March of Dimes Child, is her mother, Mrs. Raymond Graves of Flint, Mich.

"What more must we know to prevent this from happening to babies yet unborn?"
"Simply stated, these are the questions for which hundreds of March of Dimes-supported scientists seek answers."

Because the answers which will come too late to help children already afflicted like Mary Lou, the March of Dimes is fighting the problem of birth defects in still another way—through a growing nationwide network of March of Dimes hospital centers seeking the most effective treatment for these children. Currently, there are 44 of these centers across the country.

Grateful for Help
Mary Lou may be unaware of all the national and international efforts to help solve the birth defects mystery, but her parents are not. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Graves are grateful to the Genesee County (Mich.) Chapter of The National Foundation for financial aid to help

with Mary Lou's frequent hospitalizations.
"The March of Dimes is the greatest friend we ever had," Mrs. Graves says. "The March of Dimes helped us pay for hospital bills, medications, the wheel chair and other necessary items."

Mary Lou wants to be a nurse when she grows up, Mrs. Graves reports. "Wouldn't it be wonderful if she could be?" the March of Dimes Child's mother says. "Then maybe she could pay back some of the kindness shown to her. Until then, my husband and I can only say thank you to everyone who contributes to the March of Dimes, because more knowledge might mean more medical techniques that may help our Mary Lou."

As March of Dimes President O'Connor points out, the ultimate aim of knowledge gathered from this scientific research is to prevent birth defects from harming thousands of tiny bodies not yet born.

Mrs. Pauline Smiley hosted a dinner Sunday for her brothers and sisters and families. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Ira Crowner of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Crowner and Kim of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Crowner of Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Armstrong and children Charles, Tony and Janie of Coahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Wright Hock and Susan, Mr. and Mrs. Sharon Henderson, Jay and Brad of Colorado City, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crowner.

Mr. and Mrs. George Henley visited his brother and wife Mr. and Mrs. Jess Henley in Hemphill Sunday.

There is no guessing when you read it in the paper. If you fail to get the meaning the first time, you can read it again.

Mr. and Mrs. Merilyn Bruce and daughters Debbie and Charla of Houston will spend the weekend with his parents Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bruce and with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Daylon Bruce and children of Sweetwater will also spend the weekend in the Bruce home.

Miss Eileen House went to Stanton Sunday afternoon to spend the week in the home of her brother Mr. and Mrs. Preston House whose daughter had surgery a few days ago. She will return home Saturday.

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE
For Memorials and Markers made by Sweetwater Marble and Granite Works see Ed Hallmark phone 734-2669. 4tc

CARPETS and Custom Made Draperies. Free estimates. We're as close as your telephone. Call RA 8-3340. Hammond Floor Covering, Colorado City. 13tc

Photographic supplies, films, developing, etc. Novelty gift items, picture frames made any size. Hallmark Photographic Service. 48tc

For Sale—A good used, easy to play upright piano, recommended for beginner students. Call 734-2743. Mrs. Garland Cary. 30tc

For Sale—Used upright piano, \$100. Phone 2484. Leroy Cernutt. 30tc

For Sale—Bedroom furniture, bed, 5-drawer chest, dresser. Priced cheap for quick sale. Call 734-2296. 28tc

For irrigation equipment of all kinds: aluminum, underground plastic or asbestos cement call John Mayse, SBJ Co., San Angelo 653-5909 or 653-5662. 31-4tp

For Lease—624 acres 5 miles S.E. of Loraine, fenced sheep proof and cross fenced, 2 good wells and mills. Would sell 100 or 200 acres and lease balance 13 cash, balance 6% interest. 90 acres cultivation, fair improvements. G. B. Tartt. 32tc

Studio Girl Cosmetics and gifts for men, women and children on sale at 15% discount until December 24. See at my home on Robert Lee Highway across from Wallace school. Phone RA 8-3715. Counselor and area leader Mrs. Cecil Schater. 32-2tc

FOR RENT
For Rent—7 room furnished house in Loraine. Contact Mrs. Jim Merket RA 8-4662, Colorado City, Texas. 31-4tc

CHURCH NEWS

Loraine Gospel Mission Services
Wednesday 7:30 p.m.
Saturday 7:30 p.m.
Sunday 10 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Rev. K. W. Gurley, Pastor

MARY MARTHA S. S. CLASS
The Mary Martha Sunday School Class of the Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Raymond Wheeler Monday night with Mrs. Rosa Hamrick and Mrs. Frank Sanford as co-hostesses.

Following the song Silent Night, Mrs. Earl Phillips gave the devotional. The Christmas Story was told by Mrs. Vance Dickenson and Mrs. Loyd Wiggins led in prayer.

Games were directed by Mrs. Wheeler and gifts were distributed from a beautifully decorated tree.

Fruit cake, cookies, sandwiches, candy and punch were served to 20 members.

WEEK OF PRAYER
The Baptist WMS is observing the Week of Prayer for Foreign Missions this week with programs each afternoon Monday through Friday. Theme for the week is Crown Him Lord.

The Willie Mae Kennedy Circle had charge of the program Monday afternoon with Mrs. J. W. King chairman. The subject for the program was Crown Him Lord Among the People of the Orient. Mrs. Woodrow Pratt played meditation music preceding the program.

Mrs. Thomas Riden gave a musical reading "Teach Me to Pray"; Mrs. W. C. Rogers read the scripture 1 Chronicles 16:23-26. After the song All Hail the Power of Jesus Name the Call to Prayer was read by Mrs. Cline Taylor.

Mrs. Dexter Taylor told of past work done by Southern Baptist missions in China and Mrs. Woodrow Pratt in Japan. Other parts were given by Mmes Myrtle Martin, Pauline Smiley, and Lynn Compton. Others attending were Mrs. Loyd Wiggins, Mrs. Buck Taylor, Mrs. Roy Baird and Mrs. H. L. Leach.

Eight members of the WMS met at the church Tuesday afternoon and presented a program on the subject "Crown Him Lord, Among the People of Africa, Europe and the Near East with the Jean King Circle in charge. Mrs. Woodrow Pratt played prayer songs as the members were arriving. Mrs. Riden gave the scripture reading Psalms 145:1-21. Mrs. Roy Baird read the prayer calendar.

Mrs. H. L. Leach gave parts about Southern Baptist mission work in Africa, Europe and asked for prayers for missionaries in Israel, for the schools in Kenya and Tanganyika and for workers in Ghana.

Others attending were Mmes Shep Compton, Bernice Hallmark, Dexter Taylor, Jimmy Turner.

GLEANERS S. S. CLASS HAS CHRISTMAS PARTY
Members of Gleaners Sunday School Class of the Methodist Sunday School held their Christmas and luncheon party in the fellowship hall of the church Tuesday. Rev. Frank Story gave the invocation.

Theme for the program which followed was "Leave Christ In

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Christmas." Mrs. Hugh Hallmark led and Mrs. Earl Hallmark accompanied as the group sang the class song What A Friend, Mrs. C. M. Duke gave the opening prayer. Mrs. J. G. Bruce gave Nativity of Christ, then the group sang O Little Town. Mrs. Jim Johnson gave the Christmas Story The Annunciation as told by Mary and read a Christmas poem A Christmas Prayer, Somebody's Mother.

Mrs. F. M. Richey read the names of those who have passed on and in memory of them Mrs. Hugh Hallmark and Mrs. Frank Crowner sang as a duet Precious Memories. Mrs. J. D. McDonald closed the program with prayer.

Mrs. J. E. Price, president, was in charge of the business session. A box of gifts brought by members was delivered to shut-ins. An offering of \$25 was given by the class for the Methodist Orphans Home at Waco.

Decorations were white cloths on the table with red crepe paper down the center, a miniature Christmas tree and red candles. A Christmas centerpiece was on the piano.

Eighteen members and thirteen visitors were present.

JUNIOR G. A.
The Junior G. A. of the First Baptist Church met in the junior department at the church Wednesday evening. Mickie Jacks led the prayer for missionaries.

Mrs. Tartt finished the mission study book The Big Difference. The girls ate a meal as eaten in Israel which consisted of rice, with lamb chops, grapes and peanuts.

Present were Mickie Jacks, Rita Trout, Jan Mearse, Gwen Tartt, Nancy Graham, Cindy McDaniel, Susan Compton, Mrs. Dessie Riden and Mrs. Shep Compton.

Today's MEDITATION
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Read I Corinthians 3:17-46
We all, with unveiled face, beholding the glory of the Lord, are being changed into his likeness from one degree of glory to another; for this comes from the Lord who is the Spirit. (II Corinthians 3:18. RSV.)

In a television study, I was surprised to see a cameraman focusing his camera on a piece of blank white paper.

I asked him why he did this. He told me, focused too long on a person or on an object, has a tendency to hold the image, even when the lens is pointed elsewhere. Engineers call this "burning in."

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When we focus our attention on money or power or any other form of self-seeking, there is a real danger that these things will "burn in." Only by directing our attention to the purity of God can we renew His image in our lives.

Prayer and worship direct our attention toward God, from whom our strength comes to keep us loyal in all things good.

Prayer: Help me, O God, to reserve times when all else but Thy greatness can be shut out of my life. Then having seen Thy glory, may I learn to share it with others. In Christ's name. Amen. Thought For The Day: By daily focusing our attention upon Christ, we renew His image in our lives.

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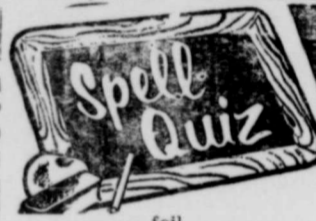
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1. Marco Polo, who wrote an account of his 13th century travels in Asia, was an: Indian Prince Italian Merchant English Sailor

2. The length of an average hippopotamus is about: 8 feet 13 feet 21 feet

Quiz Answer: 1. Italian merchant; 2. 13 feet



Capt. and Mrs. Jimmy Hall of Big Spring visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hall, Jr., Monday night. Jimmy has just returned from Vietnam where he has been on duty since April. He will be on leave until after Christmas.

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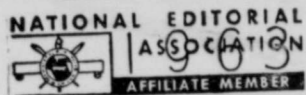
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Taxes cost us more than food.

Taxes take about 29% of the total workday as compared with 17.3% for food and tobacco, 6.9% for clothing and accessories; 17.5% for housing and household operation; 4.4% for medical and dental care; 8.1% for transportation; 2.9% for recreation; and 12.9% for all other expenses. The U. S. Department of Agriculture points out that the cost of food has risen less than most other items on the cost-of-living index.

For all items other than food, the increase is 20.9% since 1947-49. Transportation costs have gone up 45.7%; housing, 32.5%; rent, 43.1%; medical care, 29.6%. For all food, including that sold in restaurants, the increase is 21.2%. The real cost of our food is lower than it has ever been. Wages from an hour's factory work, for example, will buy 83% more round steak than in 1929.

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EDWARD HOWARD MAPS

Edward Howard Maps, "beatnik," firearms expert, college graduate, artist and sculptor, who is charged with brutally slaying his wife and four-month-old daughter, is one of the FBI's "Ten Most Wanted Fugitives."

Firemen attempting to extinguish a blaze in Maps' Stroudsburg, Pennsylvania, home on January 21, 1962, found the infant dead of smoke inhalation, and Maps' young wife dying of a fractured skull and cerebral hemorrhage. At least ten fires had been set in the home and the gas oven was turned on.

Maps was missing but allegedly telephoned two neighbors shortly after the crimes were discovered, threatening one with being "next." A Federal warrant charging Maps with unlawful interstate flight to avoid prosecution for murder and arson was issued on January 23, 1962, at Scranton, Pennsylvania.

Generally known as an artist and sculptor, he is a nonconformist who shuns ordinary footwear, going barefoot in the summer and wearing sandals without socks during the winter. A sloppy dresser of unkempt and untidy appearance, he was discharged from the Marine Corps as a schizophrenic.

A white American, born on June 29, 1922, at Passaic, New Jersey, Maps is 5' 8" tall, weighs 170 pounds, has a ruddy complexion, broad shoulders, a barrel-chested build and is unusually strong. His eyes are brown, he has bushy, curly graying-black hair and sometimes wears a full beard and mustache.

Consider Maps armed and extremely dangerous. Please immediately notify the nearest FBI office of any information concerning his whereabouts.



QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Q. When my National Service Life Insurance Endowment policy reaches the end of the premium payment period, may I receive monthly payments for the rest of my life?

A. No. However, you may choose a lump-sum settlement or payments over a period of three months to 240 months in equal installments.

Q. What will be the Veterans Administration's procedure in mailing out the increased Dependency and Indemnity Compensation payments to widows and children of disabled deceased veterans?

A. The increase will be mailed out in October. This will be a special check. The regular October check will contain the usual amount. Starting in November the checks will be at the new rates.

Q. My discharge was burned in a home fire. Can the VA furnish me a duplicate?

A. You should write to the Defense Personnel Records Center, 9700 Page Boulevard, St. Louis, Mo. Be sure to give your full name, rank and serial number. If the serial number is not known, give your dates of entry into and discharge from the service.

Woodrow Pratt, Percy Bond, Ray Preston and A. C. Caswell were in Waco last Tuesday and Wednesday where they attended the session of the Grand Lodge of Texas as representatives from Lorraine Lodge No. 1307.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Thompson of Colorado City visited Mrs. Cora Hall last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy J. Long of Abilene visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. Troy Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Kidd and Mrs. Cora Hall during the weekend.

Mrs. K. L. Taylor, Mrs. Floyd Griffin and Mrs. Cora Hall visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Gage in Sweetwater Thursday.



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ARMY OFFERS ENLISTEES CHRISTMAS LEAVE

Again, as in previous years a Christmas leave policy is being offered by the U. S. Army, according to Sergeant First Class Joe Welch, U. S. Army Recruiter. Men enlisting in the Army from now through New Year's Day may request as much as 15 days leave before reporting for basic training.

This liberal leave policy was designed to permit young men to enjoy the holiday season with their families. While on leave, the enlistees are on the Army payroll earning full pay and allowances.

Those who desire more information on this leave offer and many other benefits available to young men may contact Sergeant Welch at 1825 25th Street, Snyder, Texas or call Collect HI 3-9675 or HI 3-9934.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Costin and son of Haskell visited her mother Mrs. Earnest Meadows Sunday afternoon.

Marion Rhodes has returned to his home in Corpus Christi after attending the funeral for his father L. W. Rhodes last week and visiting a few days with his mother.

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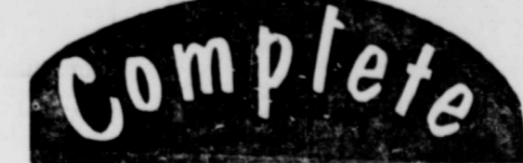
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Seven foods are particularly abundant. They make up the U. S. Department of Agriculture's December plentiful foods list, points out the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

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therefore, more favorable for increased use by consumers. Similar reasons stand behind the listing of pork, turkeys, pean- US\$DA's Agricultural Marketing Service, that keeps in constant touch with available supplies of all farm-produced foods, says consumers will find it to their advantage to shop the 'plentiful route.' Food markets regularly promote these items with special prices and a wide choice of quality.



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birds at first limited the good that could come from hatchery-produced quail. But again landowners cooperated and today, despite the bulldozer, there is considerably more habitat than even a dozen years ago. This same story is true of the fish hatcheries. Perhaps there are too many hatcheries. Perhaps it was economically unsound to give away fish to private landowners to stock private ponds. But the fact remains that we have more good fishing in Texas today than the Indians ever dreamed of in their wildest imaginations. We are catching over-size bass from stock tanks in far western Texas where 50 years ago a bass was unknown. Men and women who hunt and fish paid the bill for all this. None of the money came from the general funds of the state. Work was hampered many times, but never stopped, by lawmakers who found it impossible to have their own way with men trained in the field of wildlife con-

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With the passing of the old Game and Fish Commission, as a result of the legislature merging the wildlife and parks, there are many of us who can shed a tear. The old commission cannot pass without some thought of the service it has given to sportsmen for nearly 40 years. There is no denying that when the game and fish commission came into the picture that game had been greatly depleted in Tex-

as. Many men who killed a deer 40 years ago doubted that their grandchildren would have such an opportunity. There was practically no fishing. Then through the tireless work of the commission and its hundreds of efficient employees, game began to make a comeback. Trained biologists were able to study the needs of wildlife. By passing this information on to the landowners, they were in a position to bring about a restoration.

Wildlife had been shot out in most counties. In Central Texas, where today there is a overabundance of deer, it was almost impossible to find a legal buck back in those days. Bulldozers had pushed civilization into the heart of the wil life habitat. Very few counties in Texas had any wildlife remaining. But today the story has changed. There's hardly a county in the state that doesn't have some game in shootable quantities. A typical example is in the Lower Valley, where the white winged dove was uprooted from the colonial nesting areas. They left and went to Mexico. Our game commission, with the aid of both state and federal funds, was able to buy management areas; and now for the last dozen years we've been able to harvest white-wings. The commission started a quail hatchery. Even though it has been greatly maligned, it was a huge success as a plant and turned out great number of birds. Lack of proper cover for the

YARBOROUGH, LEGION CHIEF MEET



SENATOR RALPH W. YARBOROUGH of Texas, right, confers on veterans legislation, the nuclear test ban treaty and other current issues with the National Commander of the American Legion, Dan Foley of Minnesota. Senator Yarborough, a veteran of World War II, Legionnaire and chairman of the important Senate Veterans Affairs Subcommittee, pledged to support pending veterans' bills which are backed by the American Legion. The American Legion supported ratification of the test ban treaty which Senator Yarborough also supported and which passed the Senate 80-19. (This photo was made in the Senate Reception Room, with a figure of former U. S. Vice President John Nance Garner of Texas in the background.)

servation. Despite obstructions our wildlife continued to prosper. During all this time the state park system was operating with a miserably budget. It is entirely possible that under the new program, with parks and wildlife combined, a great job can be done.

CARD OF THANKS
With deepest gratitude we extend this word of thanks to our kind and thoughtful friends for their many expressions of sympathy.
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Howell
Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Turner
Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Reese
Mrs. Tom Finley.

Mrs. Frank Walker of Odessa was a guest of Mrs. Pearl Albright Friday night.

CARD OF THANKS
For every act of kindness, words of sympathy, the lovely flowers and food provided for us by our friends and neighbors during our time of sorrow we shall be forever grateful. The care and attention given Mr. Cook while he was a patient in Johnson Hospital by the doctors and nurses gave us comfort. May God bless each and everyone.
Mrs. H. B. Cook and family

Mrs. Josephine Marshall returned home with her son and wife Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Marshall of Big Spring and spent the weekend with them.

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J. EDGAR HOOVER ASKS A QUESTION

Are we Americans admitted to be identified today with decency and morality? Are we forsaking the time-tested principles upon which our great country was founded for a standard more accommodating code of conduct?

There appears to be a preponderance of evidence to indicate a truthful reply to these questions has to be in the affirmative. However, here a true answer is the "wrong" answer, and it is high time righteous, freedom-loving people take a closer look at what is happening to our moral standards.

Morality is one of the more perplexing and controversial problems facing our Nation. Why? Primarily, it is because of individual selective moral cowardice on the part of our society. We do not have the courage to stand in conflict with the mad rush for material wealth, indulgence, and social prestige. We are condoners and appeasers of a practice which we distrust and disapprove but which we will not overtly oppose.

The lack of morality and integrity stems from a false sense of values. Many persons are so preoccupied with selfishness and greed they no longer know or care for that matter where honor

stops and dishonor commences. Others are simply confused. Rationalization and double standards have so clouded some moral principles that right and wrong are no longer clearly distinguishable.

Moral retrogression is not confined to any one group or sector of our country. This social illness is universal. Immorality rears its ugly head in every American institution and profession. None is free from its stigma. It is reflected equally as much in corporate price-fixing as in teenage vandalism in payoffs to politicians as in classroom cheating; in sports world bribes as in law enforcement scandals; and in income tax returns padding as in voting frauds.

Immorality itself is not the only danger of the crisis. Some theorists suggest our moral standards be scrapped for a less restrictive code by which our moral derelictions can be justified. Such thinking is a flight from responsibility and an accelerant to further moral decadence. If the destruction of our great Nation itself were the goal of these advocates, they could not devise a better means to achieve it.

With the approach of the joyous Holiday Season, let us as God-loving people shoulder our moral responsibilities, not flee from them. Let us stand proud and

erect, champions all, for morality, integrity, and godliness. Let us assure that it may always be said of our country: "America is great because she is good."

FARM BUREAU MEETS

Directors of the Mitchell County Farm Bureau held their monthly meeting at the bureau office on Thursday night Dec. 5.

President Murrell Blessingame and Jimmie Henderson, voting delegates to the state convention held in Fort Worth in November, reported on the convention.

The county organization exceeded its membership quota for the fiscal year which ended Oct. 31. It was reported the state organization has a membership of 89,401.

Mr. Ed Cumble of Bronte, Texas as FB field representative, attended the meeting to assist in planning the membership drive for this year, and other programs.

County agent Buddy Logsdon was a visitor and discussed the county livestock show to be held Jan. 9, 10, 11. The Mitchell County Farm Bureau will furnish one of the championship award trophies.

Mr. and Mrs. Rogers returned home Sunday after spending the weekend with their daughter and husband Mr. and Mrs. Olen D. Hair in Levelland.

SEARCH BEGINS FOR CONSERVATION HOMEMAKER

College Station, Dec. 9.—The search for Texas champion conservation homemaker for 1964 is getting underway, reminds Claudia C. Williams, Texas Agricultural Extension Service program specialist and state judging committee chairman.

Each county in a Texas Soil Conservation District may nominate one woman who lives on a conservation farm or ranch by submitting a record of her conservation accomplishments to the county home demonstration agent.

Records of all nominees should be ready for county judging committees by Feb. 1.

The top Texas homemaker will

be selected, along with five regional winners, from among the outstanding district and regional candidates whose records are to be submitted to Mrs. Florence W. Low, assistant director for home economics with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

The annual judging activity is sponsored by the Fort Worth Press, in Cooperation with Soil Conservation Districts, the Agricultural Extension Service and other groups. It offers recognition for achievements of Texas women in the area of conservation in the home and on the farm.

All homemakers—whether they live in the city or in the country—are land users in their own right if their home has a plot of land, and they have the opportunity, and need to practice soil and water conservation, as well as

conservation of time, energy and family finances. "Active attention to the care of your land may help to refresh your partnership with the nation's farmers and ranchers as stewards of the land," Miss Williams reminds homemakers.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank the Johnson Hospital staff for their wonderful care, and Dr. Johnson and Dr. Terry while I was a patient in the hospital. May God bless each and everyone of you.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Swafford

Mrs. L. W. Rhodes left Saturday night for Oklahoma City to visit with her daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Grady Little for a while.

Classified Ads Pay

Guests in the home of Mrs. Dotie Marshall Monday were her son Jim Marshall of Abilene, and his daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Ray Roberts and daughter Christi Kay of Kansas City.

Mrs. G. E. Emfinger and son Phil of Seminole spent Thursday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John White.

Mrs. Bessie Gale of Snyder visited Mrs. Lynn Compton Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. F. Walker moved Saturday to Odessa where she will make her home near her son E. O. Walker who lives there.

Eddie Dale and David Lynn Bowlin of Snyder visited their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Cline Taylor during the weekend.

Mrs. Del Kirby and daughter Sandra of Big Spring spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Martin Dobbs.

Mrs. Sybil Eddins of El Paso where she is a teacher in the public schools, was a recent visitor in the home of her brother Mr. and Mrs. Martin Dobbs and family.

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FRIDAY — SATURDAY
December 13 — 14
THE THREE STOOGES GO AROUND THE WORLD IN A DAZE

SUNDAY — MONDAY
December 15 — 16
SPENCER'S MOUNTAIN
Henry Fonda - Maureen O'Hara

TUESDAY — WEDNESDAY
December 17 — 18
THUNDER ISLAND
Gene Nelson

THURSDAY
December 19
LIMOSNEROS CON GARROTE
V. y Capulina - Kippy Casado

The girls of the FFA will go caroling Wednesday night, December 18, and will give a white box to some needy family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mahon spent Sunday with their son and family Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Mahon in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Walker of Odessa were dinner guests of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hallmark Saturday.

Gladiola Flour	5 lbs	.49
Armour's Vegetole	3 lb	.59
Hunts Peaches	5 No. 300 Cans	\$1.00
 Russets 10 lb	.39	
 Delicious Apples 4 lb Bag	.49	
 Golden Ripe Bananas 1 lb	.10	
 Fresh Krisp Cabbage 1 lb	.05	
Quality Meats		
Fresh Pork Liver	1 lb	.19
Tall Corn Bacon	1 lb	.49
Chuck Roast	1 lb	.49
Club Steak	1 lb	.69

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December 13 & 14

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Hershey's Cocoa
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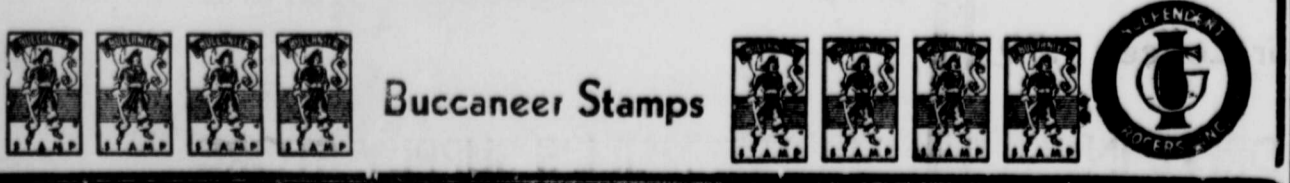
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