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LOCAL OPTION AT THE AUDITORIUM

Awarding of the Prizes for the Best Essays on the Local Option Question.

The Local Option Campaign Committee have planned to hold a mass-meeting at the Auditorium tonight, April 4th, at which the awarding committee, consisting of Prof. Searles, E. E. Easton, Mrs. S. F. Haller, Mrs. Jewett and Dr. Gable will announce the winners of the prizes for the best essay on the question of "Why Should Downers Grove Township Become Anti-Saloon Territory?" by the pupils of the public schools.

There will be solos and duets, and local speakers will address the meeting. On Sunday evening the speaker of the evening will be Rev. Evans of La-Grange, Mr. Goddard of Chicago, a splendid baritone singer, will assist the united choirs of this village. Extra seats have been placed in the Auditorium to accommodate the large audience that is expected. At a grand rally Monday night prominent speakers from the city have been secured, and the Downers Grove band will furnish the music.

A GRAND SPRING CLEAN UP.

About three weeks ago we published the proclamation of Governor Deneen for Arbor Day. What a grand, good thing it would be for Downers Grove if the President of the village would issue a proclamation for a general spring cleaning day in connection with Arbor Day.

If it would be possible to get all the different clubs, associations, men, women, school children, and even the idlers, whose most strenuous task is to stand around and do nothing, might be induced to lend a helping hand and do something for a change. If some good club will only take the matter up and get it started.

For instance, the Women's Club, with their influence; the Business Men's Association, the Boys' Club, the church societies. What a grand cleaning up of useless, unsightly rubbish that would be!

We hope this suggestion will meet with approval. Push it along; you will be surprised at the results.

Local Happenings

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

All communications for this paper should be accompanied by the name of the author; not necessarily for publication, but as an evidence of good faith on the part of the writer. Write only on one side of the paper. Be particularly careful, in giving names and dates, to have the letters and figures plain and distinct.

—R. J. Holmes has gone to Texas on business.

—A No. 1 hams, twelve cents a pound. L. Klein.

—Sewing machines repaired at E. M. Diener's.

—F. M. Lincoln is at home from his business trip.

—Miss Gromsch is the guest of Mrs. Rose Waples.

—Miss Edna Wright spent last Sunday at Lisle.

—Mrs. Wilder was a visitor in the village Sunday.

—Singer sewing machines for sale at E. M. Diener's.

—German Evangelical Lutheran.—Service Sunday, April 5, 2:30 p. m., at the Congregational church. Rev. M. Nickel, of Lace, will conduct the service. A cordial welcome to all.

—Have your harness repaired and oiled in preparation for spring work at C. Penner's.

—Dr. Walter Barber called on Naperville friends Sunday.

—For painting or paper hanging call up Moberg & Son.

—Mrs. Berner spent a few days with friends in Ravenswood.

—Mrs. Storpes, of Chicago, is the guest of her son and family.

—Mrs. Geo. Allison is entertaining her sister from Indianapolis.

—Dr. and Mrs. Gourley entertained at cards last Saturday evening.

—We have several good bargains in real estate advertised this week.

—Miss Abbey Andrus and Mrs. D. P. Thompson spent Sunday at Aurora.

—Mrs. W. J. Jewell, of New York city, is a guest of Mrs. John D. Duncan.

—Mrs. Gourley entertained the "Busy Bee" Society on Wednesday afternoon.

—The Misses Riel entertained a party of friends from Austin Tuesday evening.

—Invitations are out for an at home at Mrs. King Bush's for next Friday afternoon.

—Mr. John L. Rand, of Bowen, Ill., visited his sister, Mrs. C. A. Bush one day this week.

—Leave your orders for Easter lilies with John Gollan at the greenhouse. Telephone 1053.

—Wheeler & Wilson sewing machines for sale at E. M. Diener's.

—Miss Anna Tolman and Robert Mountcer are spending a week in the city with friends.

—F. F. Farmilee made an address on Local Option at the First M. E. Church in Aurora, Friday.

—Best mixed lawn seed; also white clover and all kinds of grass seed at Mertz & Mochel.

—Mrs. T. H. Murray and boy are visiting Mrs. Murray's sister at Rochelle this week.

—Fine line of Easter candies, box candies and smokers' articles at Fred Hoffert's new store.

—Miss Pauline Bradbury and some friends were guests of Ray and Lucille Bradbury, Sunday.

—Mrs. David Grant and children, of Oak Park, has been visiting at the home of M. A. Sackstreder.

—Mrs. E. J. W. Dietz has been called to Madison, Wis., by the illness of her sister, Mrs. Leavitt.

—Mrs. Harry D. Foster, of Omaha, was a guest at Mrs. Hodges and other friends and relatives last week.

—Wayne Jefferson, son of George Jefferson, has gone to the Baptist hospital, Chicago, for an operation.

—Plevka & MacDougall have just received one ton of axle grease that will be sold at prices that will surprise you.

—Rev. B. L. Prescott attended the Hillsdale college alumni banquet in Chicago last Saturday evening, March 28th.

—Heinz and Armour's baked beans, Richelieu canned goods, at L. Klein.

—Now is the time to make your selections for spring planting. Look up the Austin Nursery Co. ad. on another page.

—Miss Loomis, who has been visiting with Mrs. Willard Norton and family for two weeks, has returned to the city.

—Now is the time to advertise your property to rent or for sale.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Riel spent Sunday at their home on Maple avenue, returning to Chicago hospital in the evening.

—Bapet's bread has been sold in Downers Grove for over ten years. Give it a trial. For sale at E. M. Diener's.

—The Philathea Bible Class held a meeting of the Social Committee at the home of Mrs. Fowler, on Thursday evening.

—The Iota Theta Pi Sorority gave their initial party at the home of Ruth Lancaster on Tuesday evening, and all report a very enjoyable time.

—Mrs. Bertha Stover, the missionary, who has been in Downers Grove several times the past year, will sail for Africa the middle of the month.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church will meet in the church basement Thursday, April 9th, for a regular all-day meeting. A large attendance is desired.

—Mrs. D. P. Thompson entertained quite a few North Siders Wednesday evening. Among the out-of-town people were Miss Davidson of Chicago and a couple from Eola.

—Order your Easter lilies now. Visit the green house of C. V. Wolf.

—Mr. and Mrs. John H. Lipsey and son have returned home. During the illness of Mrs. Lipsey they were detained at the home of Mrs. Soper in Chicago for six weeks.

—The Cottage Dining Room has been compelled to move to larger quarters, on account of increased trade. They are now at 12 Curtis street, next door to their former location.

—Small smoked picnic hams, 9 cents a pound, at L. Klein's.

—Dr. F. Gable, Miss Grace Huling, Rev. B. L. Prescott and F. G. Huling attended the B. Y. P. U. board meeting at the Second church, Chicago, on Tuesday evening, March 31st.

—Red Comb Poultry Mixture; also

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FIRE ON MAIN STREET

In the Business Section—Rescue of John Wilson.

Monday morning at 1:30 the shriek of the fire whistle woke up the people of the town. Fire was discovered in the frame building at 67 Main street, occupied by E. Robe as a shoe repair shop.

Officer Banker, who discovered the fire, kicked in the door and aroused J. Wilson, who was sleeping in the rear of the shop, and took him out of the building, where he left him, going over to the telephone office to turn in the alarm, and on his return he found that Mr. Wilson had re-entered the building, which by this time was thick with smoke, to get his clothes, and Officer Banker had quite a time getting him out.

The fire, being right across the street from the hose house, it did not take long to get it under control, but the flames had eaten their way between the floors and the joist under the roof and it took some time to extinguish it entirely.

Mr. Wilson was given a bunk in the Village Hall, when he was seen after the fire was under control. He claimed to have lost his watch and some money he had in his clothes. His watch and glasses were found on a bench and his trousers on a chair, and a nickel and a copper cent were found in the pockets.

Someone was heard to make the remark that Chief Klein and the firemen must be for local option. Asked why, he said because they believe in filling things up with water.

The building, which is owned by H. J. Hawkins, was damaged to the extent of $500, fully covered by insurance. E. Robe sustained a loss on tools and stock of $200. No insurance.

WOODMAN CONVENTION.

W. H. Barnhart, Frank Haunessor, Guy Bush and S. A. Dexter attended the County Convention of the Modern Woodmen at West Chicago Wednesday as the delegates of Maple Camp, 898, of the local lodge. W. H. Barnhart was elected a delegate to the State convention, to be held at East St. Louis May 6. The next county convention will be held at Downers Grove. The delegates report being royally entertained by the camp at West Chicago.

Wheaton Happenings

—Miss Carrie B. Ashley is assisting in the Gary-Wheaton bank for a few weeks.

—Prof. Peak's dancing class closes the season next week with a "flower cotillion."

—C. A. Prout has just finished a 135-acre subdivision at Winfield, for C. E. Bolles, of West Chicago.

—Charles S. Keating, C. E., of Surveyor Prout's office, was at Adrian, Michigan, this week visiting relatives.

—Harold Prout was a home visitor a day or two last week from Champaign, where he is attending the University of Illinois.

—Alonzo E. Wilson and F. E. Herrick, of Wheaton, spoke Tuesday afternoon at the W. C. T. U. county convention at West Chicago.

—Public Engineer C. A. Prout was in Chicago two days last week as a witness in a railroad case involving the Aurora, De Kalb and Rockford line.

—Remember you will have to vote "yes" if you want to wipe out the saloon. Put your cross (X) after the "yes." Election, April 7th. Polls open from 7 a. m. until 5 p. m.

—Miss Lillian Le Fevre is enjoying a week's vacation from her school. Saturday evening she entertained a large party of her Wheaton friends. She returns to Grafton Hall, Fond du Lac, Wis., on Monday next.

—Samuel Fox, a farmer around here for a number of years, has moved to Knox, Indiana, where he has purchased 40 acres of land. He is a neighbor there of William Lendrum, who moved to those parts from here last fall.

—The judges for the Anti-Saloon league prize essays contest are selected from the Women's clubs, of Wheaton, and are as follows: Study club, Miss Alice Fisher; Woman's club, Mrs. John B. Norman; History club, Mrs. G. R. Thomas.

—Judge Orrin N. Carter, chief justice of the Supreme court, who this week administered the *nunc demitis* to the hopes of the Chicago liquor men in reference to the little ballot, is well known here, having been a student at Wheaton college in his youth, graduating from the college in the class of 1877.

—The ordination services for Rev. Joseph E. Ludgate, of Wheaton, were held at the College church last Monday night. The ordination sermon was preached by Rev. Dr. W. W. Willard, of the New England Congregational church, of Aurora. Dr. Evans presided. Rev. Vallentine, of Glen Ellyn, and Prof. G. H. Smith assisted in the services.

—A new candidate has entered the race for the nomination on the Republican ticket for the office of representative in the general assembly from

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AUDITORIUM PACKED.

At Local Option Meeting, Sunday, March 29th.

The capacity of the Auditorium was taxed to its utmost to care for the crowd that assembled to hear President H. J. Kiekhoefer, of Northwestern College, Naperville. Every chair was filled and between fifty and a hundred people were standing. Many were turned away from the hall on account of the crowd.

The Ladies' Glee Club of the college was present, and rendered three selections.

Dr. Kiekhoefer speaks clearly, and he delivered some telling blows against the liquor business. He stated that the very fact that the saloon was licensed was evidence that it had no inherent right to be here, and existed only because of permission. He said that inasmuch as licenses were renewed every year, that the people were not obliged to grant them again of they found that which they licensed to be detrimental. The speaker admitted that there was a difference of opinion as to this, and that some thought the liquor traffic to be profitable. "Yes," said Dr. Kiekhoefer, "it is—to the liquor dealers, but not to the community."

The taxation end of the controversy was discussed, in connection with the revenue received from the traffic. The speaker said that the amount of revenue received did not compare with the amount of money taken out of the community by the business, and further, that the business left no adequate return for the money taken. His argument to prove that the presence of liquor in the community increased the tax rate, was something like this: Those who spend their money for liquor are generally those who can least afford to do so. As a result these people have little or no property on which to pay taxes, and consequently the burden of taxation falls on the other members of the community.

Dr. Kiekhoefer stated that the churches were not the only ones engaged in this movement, but that factory managers, and the heads of great business and railroad corporations favored it because they realized that non-drinking men are the most trustworthy and efficient workmen. And they know that if their men are to keep sober, the temptations to drink must be removed.

The singing of the Glee Club was appreciated and added very much to the interest of the meeting.

Among the Churches

—St. Andrews Episcopal church services as usual on Sunday, April 5th. Sunday school 10 a. m.; morning prayer with sermon by the Rev. G. D. Adams, priest in charge, 11 a. m. During Lent services every Wednesday evening, 8 o'clock. Celebration of Holy Communion, third Sunday in the month. Seats free. All are welcome.

Methodist Episcopal Church.—Rev. F. F. Farmilee, Pastor.—Class meeting at 9:30 a. m. Public worship at 10:30 a. m.; subject, "An Unholy Commerce Destroyed." Sabbath school at 12.05 p. m. Junior League at 3 p. m. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Union service in the evening at the Auditorium, to be addressed by Rev. B. B. Evans of La Grange, Ill.

—Baptist church—The pastor, B. L. Prescott, will preach at the morning service, 10:45; subject of sermon, "Under the Juniper Tree." Communion at the close of the sermon. Sunday school at 12 m. You will find here a live and splendidly equipped Sunday school. We shall be glad to welcome you to our classes. B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m.; subject of meeting, "Songs of the Heart." The men whom God accepts. The 24th Psalm. Evening service at the Auditorium.

Special services are being held at the Methodist Episcopal Church. Last week Rev. Thornton of Park Ridge assisted the pastor. His services were greatly appreciated. Mr. Thornton began his ministry when a student some thirty-two years ago in this village. He gave interesting reminiscences of earlier days. This week the pastors of the local churches have assisted, Rev. Stamm preaching on Monday evening, Rev. Allingham on Tuesday evening, Rev. Dr. Prescott on Thursday evening. All the services have been quite spiritual and very profitable to those in attendance. Rev. W. H. Otjen of Naperville will preach Friday evening.

—Congregational church—Sunday, April 5. Morning service at 10:30. At this service the pastor will preach a short sermon appropriate to the occasion. There will be an accession of new members, after which the sacrament of the Lord's supper will be administered. Sunday school will follow from 12 to 1 o'clock. The Men's Bible class has important business and there should be a full attendance. No vesper service. The regular C. E. meeting at 6 o'clock. Subject, "Songs of the Heart." Leader, Carrie Winters. The church will unite in the Union Temperance meeting at the Auditorium at 7:30. Junior C. E. meeting Wednesday at 3:45 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 o'clock. Leader, the pastor.

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TOWN CAUCUS

At the Auditorium Monday Night.

The village caucus held for the purpose of nominating Village Trustees for the coming election was held Monday evening in the Auditorium. There were about 250 voters present, being the best and most representative body of men ever gathered together for this purpose in the village.

F. E. Dowe, of the Caucus Committee, called the meeting to order. He called for the nomination of a permanent chairman for the meeting. H. P. Jones nominated Capt. T. S. Rogers. E. V. Lawrence moved to substitute the name of Mr. Findlay. Motion put by chairman. Motion lost. The original motion was then put and carried. Capt. Rogers then took the chair, stating briefly that this year would be a critical one for the village on account of the large amount of improvement in contemplation, and Trustees should have the qualifications to fill the office.

Nominations for Secretary were then called for. J. W. Rogers nominated H. P. Jones. Martin White nominated C. H. Staats. Guy Bush then moved that there be two secretaries, who also act as tellers. Motion carried, and the gentlemen named declared elected. The call for the meeting was then read by Mr. Jones.

Nominations were then called for. E. Schultz then moved that nominations be made to fill the several vacancies separately. J. W. Grayes nominated E. Gallup as Trustee to succeed J. W. Graves. Mr. Peters then nominated E. V. Lawrence. The ballot resulted as follows: E. Gallup, 156; E. V. Lawrence, 101. The chairman declared E. Gallup the choice of the caucus.

Mr. Young nominated Len Puffer to succeed Myron Brunson. Mr. Bus nominated John Willis Handy. The ballot resulted as follows: J. W. Handy, 146; Len Puffer, 86. Mr. Handy was declared the nominee. Mr. Prince then nominated C. H. Dicke to succeed E. Schultz. Mr. Findlay nominated J. W. McIlroy. The ballot resulted as follows: Dicke, 132; McIlroy, 92. C. H. Dicke was declared the nominee.

J. M. Burns then nominated B. C. White for Village Clerk to succeed himself. There being no other nominations, Guy Bush made a motion to nominate B. C. White by acclamation. Motion carried.

A motion was then made to have the same Caucus Committee for the ensuing year. Motion carried. Caucus then adjourned after being complimented by Capt. Rogers on its fair treatment of all candidates.

Cass Correspondence

—Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Heartt were calling on friends in Cass Monday.

—Chas. Sass, living near Byrnville, is preparing to build a large basement barn.

—The many friends of Patrick Welch are pleased to see him able to be up and around again.

—Wm. Clutter has resigned his position with M. B. Madden and will leave for Michigan soon.

—Miss Cora Streblow, of Vera Cruz, Calif., returned to Chicago Monday after a few weeks' visit with friends and relatives in Cass.

—Chas. Oldfield, Wm. Meyer, and Wm. Rohme were called upon to appraise the estate of the late Mrs. C. Warkentien one day this week.

—There are two new telephone patrons in Cass, Mrs. Rinold Zielke and and Mrs. Louis Steinhaus, who will be pleased to hear the cheerful hello of their friends.

—About fifty friends and neighbors of Merritt Chilvers gave him a surprise on Wednesday night, it being the 1st of April. Many were the April fool jokes played in the shape of fake cakes and pies and other edibles. Charles Hawkins ate part of a roll of cotton batting, mistaking it for pudding. Many of the others ate odds and ends of different articles. The party broke up at a late hour all voting Mr. and Mrs. Chilvers royal hosts.

WINS GOLD MEDAL

In W. C. T. U. Contest, West Chicago.

John E. Huling was the successful contestant in the gold medal contest held under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. at West Chicago last Monday evening, March 30th. Mr. Huling's selection was entitled "Baptized in Blood" and he delivered it in a masterful manner. Miss Nellie Smart was also a contestant from Downers Grove. In addition to the two above mentioned, there were two contestants from Wheaton and one from Naperville.

A French professor is demonstrating by means of a heavy cannon ball and a camel's-hair brush that the earth revolves upon its axis. We hope somebody will make haste now to prove that our planet is not a flat arrangement supported by pillars that stand on nothing.

CHICAGO MINISTERS AT ODDS.

Challenge Starts New Bible Controversy.

Chicago, March 28.—One of the most bitter religious controversies which have arisen in the last few years is now engaging the ministers of this city in heated debate as a result of the recent speech of Rev. Dr. Mangasarian, the head of the Independent Religious Society.

Does the Bible condemn the use of wine and other liquors? is the question at issue, and the controversy had its rise in a public challenge of Dr. Mangasarian's to ministers and others to produce any text from the Old or New Testament which favored the prohibition of liquor.

"In the Old Testament," he said, "wine is spoken of as the daily drink of the people and the offering which accompanies the daily sacrifice to the Lord.

"It was not for liquor or in a drunken stupor that Judas betrays his Savior. He did it for thirty pieces of silver; yet no one would say that the fault lay in the free circulation of silver. The sin is not in the thing coveted, be it liquor or silver, but in the man who covets it."

In further defense of his position regarding the attitude of the Bible, Dr. Mangasarian quoted the passage from the Old Testament which refers to "wine which cheereth God and man."

This sensational speech has aroused strong protest from many of the Chicago divines, and elaborate answers are being prepared, but no real refutation of the points at issue have as yet appeared.

Dr. Mangasarian did not confine himself to the Bible, but passed to the general question of prohibition, and took a fling at some other time-honored notions.

"The nations that do not drink," he said, "are not ones which we should be proud to imitate. For over 1,300 years, from one end to the other of the great Mohammedan nation, drinking has been a sin. Here we have an example of prohibition on an enormous scale for centuries. But grass grows in the markets of Constantinople and Bagdad, and the sensuality and brutality of the Mohammedan races has increased.

"Back in the time of Tacitus the Romans found the Teutons great drinkers, and that historian commented on it, but he also commented on their bravery and morality. Through all the intervening centuries Germany has been a drinking nation, but today she stands shoulder to shoulder with the great nations of all time in art, philosophy, religion, culture, science, commerce and government.

"England is a drinking nation, but she has conquered total abstinence in India."

THIMBLE PARTY.

One of the pleasantest affairs of the season was the thimble party given Wednesday afternoon, April 1st, by Mrs. C. G. Graves, for the officers of Vesta Chapter, No. 242, O. E. S.; a feature appropriate to the day was the fact that all the ladies were to bring their work, but upon arrival they were informed by the hostess that they were to work for her, each guest being handed a block to be outlined for an autograph quilt. A very happy afternoon was spent. Our genial hostess, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Horace Dutton, seeing that all were well entertained.

Delicious refreshments were served the tables being decorated with roses and the places by the officers appropriate colors. The day being also the birthday of our able Secretary, Mrs. A. C. Burt, the Worthy Matron, Mrs. N. C. Pearce, on behalf of the officers, presented her with an Eastern Star spoon.

A mill at Great Barrington, Mass., was shut down in a most unusual manner a few weeks ago, when water bugs, crowding into the space around the engine stop push button produced a short circuit and the consequent stoppage.

EIGHTY YEARS YOUNG

Mrs. Lucinda B. Chandler Celebrates Her Sixth Birthday.

A very unique birthday reminiscence occurred at the home of Mrs. Bates on Wednesday afternoon, April first. Mrs. Lucinda B. Chandler, well known to many residents of Downers Grove, who has been spending a few days with her friend, Mrs. Bates, happened to mention her coming eightieth birthday. Mrs. Bates at once took up the matter and invited a number of the acquaintances and old friends of Mrs. Chandler to spend the afternoon with her. It was an event that will never be forgotten by those present. Mrs. Chandler sang Longfellow's beautiful words in "The Bridge," and an old time favorite, "The Beautiful Hills," accompanying herself on the piano with ease and smoothness. She also gave some very interesting reminiscences of her long and busy life, which illustrate some of the sources of its power. An incident of her childhood when, at nine years of age, a fit of anger put her to bed for two days and made her resolve never again to allow her temper to have the mastery, illustrates the dominating note of her character. Another distinguishing trait which has been a life long aid to health as well as success in many varying lines of work, was a total absence of fear. At the early age of fourteen a great responsibility was suddenly thrust upon her, and in the almost superhuman effort made to meet it, she became conscious of her own power when she was able to overcome fear. This gave her a leverage, so to speak, for future action, which she never allowed herself to lose.

The lessons of such a life have an immense value to humanity. The young, especially, are inclined to shrink from constant, persistent effort toward the attainment of any ideal. The desire is often present, but they are inclined to look for some easy way to reach the end. There are few lives that reach even the allotted three-score-and-ten that do not show some dominating purpose that has its roots in "the things that endure."

The friends of Mrs. Chandler rejoice with her in the proofs of the effect of eighty years of "plain living and high thinking"; profoundly congratulate her on the achievements of an unusual birthday, and wish her many happy and busy years.

Naperville Doings

Mrs. H. C. Litgens of Batavia spent part of last week with her mother, Mrs. Wm. Nadelhoffer.

It is stated that if local option passes in Lockport several saloon-keepers will change their business from saloon to drug store. One man has already secured the promise of a young druggist to act as proprietor.

Mrs. C. W. Richmond, a former resident of Naperville, died suddenly at her home in La Grange last Thursday. The funeral was held from the late residence Saturday afternoon. A number of her friends from town attended the funeral.

Valentine Thurn of Sterling is in line for a Carnegie medal for his daring act, last Thursday, when he sprang in front of a C., B. & Q. passenger train and snatched the 2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. William Harding almost from beneath the wheels of an engine.

The death of Andrew Hunter occurred at the residence of his son James, three miles north of Barber's Corners, on Monday, March 16, at the age of 74 years. The funeral services were conducted by the Rev. M. R. McNutt from the late home on Wednesday morning, March 18. The remains were taken to Lockport for interment.

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