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A GLADSTONE-PARNELL ALLIANCE.

LONDON, Jan. 25.—Mr. Collings' amendment to the address on the subject of allotments, though strongly supported by Mr. Gladstone, was opposed by the Marquis of Hartington. Sir Michael Hicks-Beach said the Government would willingly accept the decision of the House, as they would resign office with reluctance and would retire without regret. The amendment was accepted by a vote of 329 to 250, the Government thus being defeated.

The result of the division was received by the Irish members with derisive cheers and cries of "boycotted." The House, on the motion of Sir Michael Hicks Beach, adjourned until Thursday. Lord Hartington, Mr. Courtney, Sir John Lubbock, Mr. Rothschild, Grey, Elliott, Wodehouse and other moderate Liberals voted with the Conservatives. Mr. Gladstone, Mr. Chamberlain, Sir Charles Dilke, Mr. Trevelyan, Mr. Labouchere, Mr. Bradlaugh and Lord Richard Grosvenor and all 73 Parnellites voted against the Government.

DUBLIN, Jan. 25.—The Parnellites are in the liveliest state of jubilation to night over the defeat of the Government. They declare they have taught a wholesome lesson the subject of political perfidy. They openly boast that they entered into alliance with Mr. Gladstone, the price of their support being the promise of a measure of Local Government, and that he does not hesitate in complying with their demand, as they hold the whip hand and can turn him out at anymoment should he repudiate. The Ulster members are taking very wildly, and darkly mutter threats of resorting to arms to save the Union.

THE LIQUOR LAWS.

On Friday last a deputation from the Grand Division Sons of Temperance waited on the Ontario Government to make a number of representations and requests regarding the enforcement of the Scott Act, and certain proposed amendments to the license law. After Mr. J. W. Manning, of Alliston, the spokesman of the deputation, had explained what the Sons of Temperance wanted, the following discussion took place, as reported by the Globe:

MR. MOWAT—Do you find that the law at present is enforced?

MR. MANNING—Pretty generally. Recent instances seem to be that you can go as far as you please in the direction of enforcement. When you come to total suppression the general sentiment of the people is in favor of restriction.

MR. MOWAT—Where there is a violation of the law you have no difficulty in proving it in getting a conviction?

MR. MANNING intimated that he had not experienced any difficulty.

MR. OTTER said that there was difficulty in every case in Toronto.

MR. MANNING said that he thought the quantity of liquor on the premises in quantities to charge for family use should be abolished instead of merely *prima facie*, evidence that it was for sale.

MR. FRASER thought that this was a question for the Judge, in his discretion, to decide.

Members of the deputation said that under the present law a man could swear himself out of court, and a long discussion ensued, in which Mr. Fraser and Mr. Hardy maintained that to prevent the liquor dealer from testifying in his own behalf, would be in the tendency of modern legislation, such is the direction of allowing all persons to testify, even persons charged with the gravest crimes known to the law. Mr. Cowell, a member of the deputation, concurred in this view.

MR. MANNING asked whether the Government considered that the recent decision of the Privy Council placed the enforcement of the Scott Act under the control of the local government.

MR. MOWAT said that the Government had not thoroughly considered what its position was; that this and kindred matters were now under consideration, and they would be settled in a few days they would all be thoroughly considered. The suggestions journals were such as should receive attention.

MR. MANNING said that the abolition of treating was a matter to which the deputation attached much importance.

MR. FRASER said that it seemed to him that such a law would be extremely difficult to carry out. Did the deputation know of any such law being enforced?

MR. MANNING thought there was in one of the States of the Union.

MR. MOWAT said that if any member of the deputation had a collection of the liquor laws he would be very glad to avail himself of it.

MR. MANNING next drew attention to the petition to prohibit all sorts of screens, blinds, &c.

MR. FRASER—Why should not a respectable man be allowed to have a glass of wine without being seen?

MR. MANNING—Why should he be ashamed of it?

MR. FRASER said that that was the man's character—a man might not choose to eat his breakfast on the street.

MR. HARDY also made some objections to the proposal.

The meeting then proceeded to discuss the question of the Local Government

ENFORCING THE SCOTT ACT.

The members of the Government made very careful inquiries as to the measures upon which the deputation would be satisfied.

MR. PARDEE asked whether if the Government should appoint police magistrates, commissioners, and inspectors the temperance people would put their shoulders to the wheel to enforce the law; or would they expect the Government to employ detectives and enforce the law through the department of justice.

MR. MANNING answered that he thought the temperance people should stand at the back of the authorities.

A long discussion ensued in which the deputation laid considerable stress on the opinion that a magistrate who was known to be opposed to the enforcement of the law should not be appointed.

POWERS OF MUNICIPALITIES.

During the discussion Mr. Fraser directed the attention of the deputation to the 18th section of the Ontario Act, 44 Vic., chap. 27, as follows:—

"The Council of any county, city, town, township or village, in which the second part of the Canada Temperance Act, 1878, is in force, may from time to time set apart any sum or sums of money for the purpose of paying any officer or officers, person or persons for enforcing or assisting to enforce the Canada Temperance Act, 1878, under their respective jurisdictions, and for the payment of any costs or expenses incurred in and about enforcing or attempting to enforce the same; and such Councils are hereby authorized and empowered to appoint one or more persons to enforce or assist in enforcing the provisions of the said Act, and to pass by-laws for the government and control of such officers or persons, and defining their duties and mode or amount of payment."

MR. FRASER added that he was surprised that Scott Act Committees had not availed themselves of this provision The same public feeling which enabled the Act to be adopted in a county should be sufficient to compel the council to adopt this provision for enforcing the law.

The discussion then veered off to the question of whether the Province or the municipality should pay the expense of enforcing the law, The disposition of fines was recognized as an important element in determining the question; but it appeared that the Scott Act did not clearly point out how the fines should be disposed of. Mr. Fraser thought that if all the fines were put into one fund for the enforcement of the Act, the remainder of the expense might be borne by the municipalities in which the Act was passed. After some further discussion, the deputation thanked the Government for their courteous hearing and withdrew.

Archbishop Kilmorey has withdrawn his petition for abolish the Lord-Lieutenancy of

The Failure of the Scott Act.

(Berlin Telegraph)

We believe it may be stated without the least chance of contradiction, that wherever the Scott Act has been tried it has proved a failure to put a stop to intemperance, arising from the fact that it is not enforced, and that liquor is sold as openly and publicly as before the Act was passed. The Simcoe Reformer, which strongly supported the passage of the act, contained in its late issue the following:—

"Drunkenness ran riot in the town on Christmas eve. We think we do not over estimate, when we say there were on the streets of the town on that night at one time or another, one hundred men and boys drunk—appallingly drunk. And the Scott act is working. How it works in Oxford may be judged from the following extract from the Ingersoll Chronicle of last week: "Although the scenes of drunkenness were possibly not so frequent on New Year's day as on Christmas day we are satisfied from information derived from reliable sources, and from our own observation, that there was never more in any past year. On New Year's eve, all New Year's day and for into the night intoxicated men were on the streets. On New Year's eve the neighborhood of the Salvation Army barracks was made hideous by the gangs of drunken rowdies congregated there, and by the noise going on inside until long after midnight. These are unpleasant things to speak of and we simply do so whenever we esteem it our duty. Let it not be understood that we wish to convey the idea that on similar days in past years there was no drunkenness or rodwyism. On the contrary there always has been abundance of it, but facts show that the Scott Act has as yet not lessened the evils."

CONSUMPTION CURED.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of consumption, bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and lung affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases has felt it his duty to make it known to his fellow sufferers. Actuated by this motive and desiring to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this receipt, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper, W. A. Noyes, 149 Powers Block, Rochester N. Y.

A Great Scheme.

That is a great scheme of Sir John Macdonald's, to run a line of steamers from British Columbia to Hong Kong, with the Canadian Pacific Railway connecting it with the line from Liverpool to Halifax. The point is made that this would remove the absolute necessity of retaining control of the Suez canal in case of trouble in the East, and that by this means British troops could be taken to Aria wholly through British territory, and nothing but war with the United States could block communications. As matters are likely to become warm in the East before many years have passed by, the advantage of this connection is very obvious.—Buffalo News.

Victimized.

A number of country folks were victimized at St. Lawrence market, Toronto, on Saturday by sharpers who professed to be buyers for well known firms. One farmer's wife was sitting on the wagon selling butter, when a stranger came along and taking up a basket enquired: "how may pounds are here?" He then ascertained the price, after which he wrote on a card, "Seventeen pounds of butter at 19 cents; will pay at Ball's." He handed this to the woman and walked off with the butter. The woman is still looking for "Ball's." Several others were treated the same way, in one case losing as high as forty pounds of butter."—World.

The Eclectic Magazine for February contains "The Origin of the Alphabet," Contemporary Review; "Poetry, Politics and Conservatism," National Review; "The Coming Contest of the World," Fortnightly Review; "Merlin Kentigern," Blackwood's Magazine; "Superfine English," Cornhill Magazine; "An Anglo-Saxon Alliance," Contemporary Review; "Our Insular Ignorance," Nineteenth Century; "Solar Myths," Nineteenth Century; "On Love's Labors Lost," Macmillan's Magazine; "Irish Shootings," Macmillan's Magazine; "The Pessimism of Old Age" Spectator; "Crime and Insanity," Saturday Review; "Alladin's Cave," Spectator; "On Drapery and its Interpration," Merry England; "The Story of the Bab," Contemporary Review; Literary Notices, Foreign Literary Notes and Miscellany. Published by E. R. Pelton, 25 Bond Street, New York, at $5 a year. Single copies 45 cents.

A SENSATION.

An unparalled sensation is being created all over Ontario by the wonderful and unequalled manner in which Neuralgia, Toothache, Rheumatism, Backache, Headache, is removed by but one application of Fluid Lightning. No offensive, discustbg drugs need to taken for days. It is an instant cure. Try 25c. bottle from J. H. McCollom, Druggist.

A Canadian the Victor.

Barnes, the victor in the great type setting match just finished in Chicago, is, as many of our readers know, a Canadian. He was for some years a resident of Tilsonburg, Ont., in which place it is said he was an apprentice. Barnes is not only a wonderful compositor but is also a first class all-round printer.—Chicago Canadian-American.

"I say Aunt Chloe, you are getting around right smart." "Yes indeed I is, honey. I was pestered and sick abed with Rheumatism for six years and done tried this West's World's Wonder or Family Liniment the people are taking so much about, and I was sure enough cured. It done saved this old nigger's life." Price 25 cents and 50 cents per bottle. Sold by J. H. McCollom.

Moody and Sankey propose to make an extended tour on the South, commencing this week.

The London Telegraph says that Patti has been offered an engagement in Brazil at $6000 a night.

It is said Right Hon. W. A. Smith, the new Chief Secretary for Ireland, is about to return to England.

Susan Barbour, an aged negress, was found frozen to death on Sunday night near Edgar's Mills, Ont.

Jackson County Poorhouse, Michigan, has been burned and five corpses have been taken from the buildings.

Archbishop Walsh and Lord Mayor Sullivan have declined to attend Lord Carnarvon's farewell dinner.

In reply to an appeal from the people of Greece, Mr. Gladstone advises them to submit to the will of the powers.

Mr. Morley, Prof. Freeman, and others are forming an association of Englishmen and Scotchmen to promote Home Rule.

It is stated that several orange lodges have petitioned the government against amnestying the Northwest prisoners.

Mexico proposes to hold a International Exhibition in 1892 to commemorate the 400th anniversary of the landing of Columbus.

Parnell has instructed the nationalist electors of Armagh to vote for the liberal candidate in the coming parliamentary election in that division.

A bill is before the French chamber of deputies to tax foreign workmen, and another bill to exclude them from employment under state contracts.

The English police state that they have discovered that the threats against the Prince of Wales had no other foundation than the silly talk of a half witted fellow living in Chester.

Alfred Hoes, a counterfeiter, has been arrested at Quebec. A die and a large quantity of metal were seized, as well as a number of partly finished coins.

Fifteen cases of smallpox are reported at La Jeune, Loretto, Que. The provincial sanitary police found 23 cases at St. Benno and 15 deaths. Not a single case has been reported and there were no placards.

Local Intelligence:

CROUP, WHOOPING COUGH and Bronchitis immediately relieved by Shiloh's Cure. Sold by J. H. McCollom.

ICE HARVEST.—Mr. Stinson Bradley has commenced cutting ice on the pond.

For lame back, side or chest, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Price 25 cents. Sold by J. H. McCollom.

OUR thanks are due to Dr. E. C. Carradice, for late Jacksonville, Florida, newspapers.

SLEEPLESS NIGHTS, made miserable by that terrible cough. Shiloh's Cure is the remedy for you. Sold by J. H. McCollom.

THE January sittings of the First Division Court will be held to-morrow, commencing at ten o'clock. The docket will not be very long.

THAT HACKING COUGH can be so quickly cured by Shiloh's Cure. We guarantee it. Sold by J. H. McCollom.

A fine granite monument is to be erected in memory of the late Col. Clay, of Norval. Mr. Hobson, of Brampton, has the contract.—Herald.

Immense stock of woolen and merino socks just to hand. Best value in the trade at Treble's, corner of King and James streets, Hamilton.

SKATING RINK.—The Milton curling and skating rink opened on Saturday evening last with a large attendance. Mr. Book has the management.

Heavy wool socks at 20 cents, 25 cents, 50 cents, and undershirts and drawers at small prices at Treble's, corner of King and James streets, Hamilton.

L. T. U.—Mr. J. Gordon Mowat will deliver an address this evening at the Orange Hall, Hornby, where a branch of the Liberal Temperance Union will be organized.

Just to hand by steamship Servia, five cases of cashmere and Scotch lamb's wool underwear, at Treble's, corner of King and James streets, Hamilton.

Mr. Charles Murray, of Esquesing, has received the appointment of Revising Officer's Clerk for this County. We are sure the duties will be efficiently performed.—Herald.

Direct importation; one case of dressing gowns and girdles; very choice goods. Treble's, corner of King and James streets, Hamilton.

CURLING.—The Georgetown Curling club played Walkerton Tuesday afternoon in Guelph and captured the Caledonian medal. On the same day they had a game with Guelph and lost the Ontario tankard.—Herald.

WILL YOU SUFFER with Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint? Shiloh's Vitalizer is guaranteed to cure you. Sold by J. H. McCollom.

REGINA VS. CHEW.—The young man Chew, of Trafalgar, who was committed to jail some time ago on charge of rape, was tired yesterday before Judge Miller. The case was weak against the prisoner, who proved an alibi and was acquitted.

SHILOH'S VITALIZER is what you need for Consumption, Loss of Appetite, Dizziness, and all symptoms of Dyspepsia. Price 10 and 75 cents per bottle.

BIG REDUCTIONS in all kinds of men's underclothing, gents' furnishings, men's ordered clothing, ready-made clothing, and overcoats. carpets, flannels, tweeds, blankets, furs, hats and caps. The goods will be slaughtered irrespective of cost before stocktaking. Don't fail to get a share of the bargains—McLeod, Anderson & Co.

ANNIVERSARY SERMON AND TEA-MEETING in Boston Church, Esquesing. The sermon will be preached by Rev. J. D. Duncan, of Paisley, on February 7th, 1886. Teameeting on Monday, February 8th, 1886. Addresses will be delivered by Rev. B. Duncan, of Paisley; John Thomson, J. M. A., of Ayr, Robt. Hyde, of Montreal; Arch. Blair, B. A., of Nassagaweya, and Rev. Kirkpatrick. Music will be furnished by the choir of the church. Tea served from 5.30 to 7.30. Admission 25 cents.

CHARGED WITH INDECENT ASSAULT.—A young girl named Kippen, who lives in Nassagaweya, about three miles from Milton, laid a charge of rape, alleged to have been committed on her on Dec. 23th, against Robert Brush, on Friday last. Brush was arrested, lodged in jail and kept there until Monday, when he was brought before Geo. Smith, Esq., J. P. On going before the Magistrate the girl changed the charge of rape to one of indecent assault. and swore to Brush's identity as the man who committed it. The prisoner was committed for trial, but was released from custody on bail. He will be tried on Saturday. He bears an excellent character here, and it is said that he will have no difficulty in proving and alibi and clearing himself.

CATARRH CURED, health and sweet breath secured, by Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. Price 50 cents. Nasal Injector free.

THE dissolution sale still continues at the Mammoth House, Georgetown Unheard of bargains in millinery, mantles, mantle cloths, dress goods, dress silks, fancy woolen goods, hosiery, winceys and general dry-goods. Now is your time to make money by buying the cheapest goods ever offered.—McLeod, Anderson & Co.

THE SMALLPOX.—The young girl, Miss Wright, who contracted smallpox in Toronto and brought it here is rapidly recovering. She states that her family, who live in Toronto, were quarantined for some time for that disease, but the medical health officer finally pronounced it measels and gave them their liberty. A brother and sister have, we understand, since died in the hospital—where they were taken by the health officers after been allowed their freedom—and other members of the family are still afflicted. Enquiry should be made by Toronto authorities and if the medical officer neglected his duty or was careless—as he appears to have been—he should at once receive his discharge.—Herald.

WORK FOR THE WINTER.—A fortune for agents. Farmers' sons and others can make money fast by handling our new book, "World's Wonders," an illustrated panorama of discoveries, achievements and adventures of all the great tropical and polar explorers. A complete history of the world's most wonderful, interesting, and least familiar features, strange people and curious creatures. Retails low. Sells fast. Big commission. Send for terms.—BRADLEY, GARRETSON & Co., Brantford. 50-tf

COMMITTED FOR TRIAL.—On 22nd of August last Mr. Charles Hughes, of Nassagaweya, went to Georgetown on business and put his horses in ashed. On taking his team from the shed when about to return home he found that an accordeon which he had left in the wagon had disappeared, but he was unable to find out what had become of it. Last week a pair of roller skates belonging to a Georgetown man disappeared, and a young man named Harry Hull being suspected of having appropriated them; a warrant was issued to search among his affects for them. The constable who made the search did not find the skates, but did find Mr. Hughes's missing accordeon. A warrant was thereupon issued against Hull who was brought before Messrs. Ruston and McKenzie, J. P.'s, and committed to jail for trial. Chief Constable Search escorted him over to Milton on Monday, and delivered him over to Jailer Vanallen.

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Beware of any druggist who will try to induce you to take anything in place of McGregor & Parke's Carbolic Cerate. It is a marvel of healing. Sores, Cuts, Burns, etc.—No family should be without it. It has no equal. Get McGregor & Parke's, and have no other. Only 25c. per box at McCollom's Drug Store.

GUELPH V. GEORGETOWN.

A curling match played in Guelph on the 19th instant beween Guelph and Georgetown, at Georgetown, in the first draw for the Ontario. Tankard competition, resulted in a victory for the home club:—

Guelph.	Rink No. 1.	Georgetown.
James Emslie,		G. S. Goodwillie,
R. Mitchell,		Jos. Barber,
A. Robertson,		J. C. McKay,
A. Congleton, skip...15		H. H. Spiers, skip.....8
	Rink No. 2.	
Jas. Anderson,		W. F. McCollom,
J. Spaulding,		J. C McKay,
T. Dobbie,		L. Grant,
D. Kennedy, skip....18		A. Murray, skip.....9
31		17

GEORGETOWN V. WALKERTON

In the afternoon of the same day a game was played for the R. Caledonian District Medal between Walkerton and Georgetown, in Guelph, with the following result:—

Walkerton.	Rink No. 1.	Georgetown.
J. T. Nicholas,		G. S. Goodwillie,
E. Pengelly,		Jos. Barber,
J. F. H. Gunn,		J. C. Wetherald,
R. M. Hughes, skip .13		H. H. Spiers, skip.....22
	Rink No. 2.	
J. R. Clark,		W. F. McCollom,
C. Dempsey,		J. C. McKay,
W. Richardson,		L. Grant,
W. A. Green, skip....13		A. Murray, skip.....25
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THE WARDENSHIP.—The following is a statement of the fifteen ballots taken on Tuesday in the election for the Wardenship:

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Baxter.....	8	4	4	6	5	6	5	4	4	6	6	7	7	5	8
Storey.....	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	6	7	7	7	7	7
Buck.....	4	8	2	1	2	1	2	1	1	1	2	1	1	8	
Dalton.....	1	1	1	1											
Robinson.....			1		1	1	1	1	1						
Lindsay.....									1	1					
Warren.....									1	1					
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MARRIED.

EARLY—LESLIE—On the 20th January at the residence of the bride's father, Chinguacousy, by the Rev. J. Alexander, of Norval, Miss Matilda J. Leslie, daughter of Joseph Leslie, Esq., to Mr. William Early, of Esquesing Township.

DIED.

DOUGLASS—At "The Carse," Milton, on Sunday, Jan. 24, Robert Douglass, A. B., M.D., late of Port Elgin, in his 53rd year.

CULLODEN—At Indianapolis, Ind., on 31st January, L. P. Culloden, aged 63 years.

You are sowing the seeds of Consumption by neglecting that cough. Much misery and lingering sickness can be avoided by using West's Cough Syrup, as it will completely cure you. "Hoarseness, Influenza, Coughs, Colds, Whooping Cough, Asthma, Bronchitis, and all Throat and Lung Disease vanish like magic before West's Cough Syrup. Sold at J. H. McCollom's Drug Store. Price 25 cents, 50 cents, and $1.00 per bottle.

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As we finish Stock-taking by the 1st of February, it is our aim to turn as many goods as possible into money, making our stock as low as possible. The way we have been doing this, with success, is by marking goods to such extemely low prices that it does not require the use of a microscope to see the reductions.

25c. Dress Goods 25c.

All our 30, 35 and 37½c. Fancy French Dress Goods we have reduces (all of them) to 25c.

12½c. Dress Goods 12½c.

We have about 35 pieces of Dress Goods left which we have reduced from 15 and 20c to 12½c.

12½c. Dress Goods 12½c.

Dress Goods are composed of Meltons, Serges, Costumes, Bradford Twills, Fancy Stripes and Figures, all worth from 15 to 30c.

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We are showing the best Canadian Pin for 1c. a paper. Two hundred pins for a cent.

All Clothing reduced 20 per cent.

Men's Overcoats reduced 20 per cent.

All Clothing reduced 20 per cent.

Men's Suits reduced 20 per cent.

All Clothing reduced 20 per cent.

Boy's Clothing reduced 20 per cent.

$3 50 Men's Overcoats $3 50

It would pay you to buy an Overcoat if you were not to use it for a years, the prices

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low. You can buy an Overcoat or a suit of Clothes for less than the price of the Tweed that is in them.

Our Men's Suits.

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No retail house in Hamilton is selling within 25 per cent. as cheap as we are.

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All Clothing reduced 20 per cent.

Men's Suits reduced 20 per cent.

All Clothing reduced 20 per cent.

Boys' Clothing reduced 20 per cent

6½c. Commet Collars 6½c.

Have you got any of our 6½c. Commet Collars, our 35½c. White Shirts, our 15c. Ladies Hose.

8½c. Cotton Tick 8½c.

Nive pieces of Cotton Tick reduced from 12½ to 8½c. Better Tick in proportion. Sheetings and pillow Cottons at cost.

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We are now showing a good Bed Comforter worth 85c. for 65c. Good lines reduced to $1, $1.25 and $1.40, worth more money.

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