

Clubs and Parties . . .

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Winter Guest Club
Honors Members

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Forbes, winter residents of Avon Park, from Nebraska, were the surprised guests of honor at the Winter Guest Club on last Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Forbes have endeavored themselves in the hearts of the club members and as their 40th wedding anniversary occurs in April, the advance party was arranged as one of the guests were leaving early the following week.

A card party was in progress when Major J. W. Zimmerman announced that honored guests were present and that R. H. Bova and would take over for the program. Mr. Bova, in his own inimitable way, asked Mrs. George Symonds to escort Mr. and Mrs. Forbes to the platform, and much to her amusement, to include herself in the honor guest role.

He then, in a very humorous vein, which proved him to be no amateur in speech making, pre-

sented Mr. and Mrs. Forbes with an electric toaster set. "Happy Anniversary to You" was sung by the entire audience to which they very graciously responded. Mrs. Symonds was given a beautiful pin in appreciation of her work with the entertainments of the season, and she, in turn thanked all who had aided in making the Tuesday evening programs so successful.

After a song or two, and a harmonica solo, "Jusants" by Cal Starrett, ice cream and cake were served by a committee, consisting of Mrs. Bova, Mrs. Kelley, Miss Humphries, and Mrs. Hammond.

Mr. and Mrs. Forbes were greeted by the members and card playing resumed until a late hour.

The consensus of opinion with everyone present was that the Winter Guest Club is a splendid organization, and that this year has been outstanding in sociability and fellowship, with the get-together spirit predominating in all its functions.

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Joan Scarborough
Has Lovely Party

Little Miss Joan Scarborough, winsome daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joel Scarborough, was two years old on Friday night. To celebrate this happy event, her mother entertained a number of her young friends at a party at their home from three to five o'clock in the afternoon.

Bouquets of spring garden flowers were arranged in the party room, to emphasize a color note of pink and white. The children enjoyed toys and games during the afternoon, and the pretty birthday gifts were opened and admired.

Delicious refreshments of cake and pink and white ice cream were served in the dining room. The table was a vision of loveliness with the white birthday cake, glowing with two pink candles, as the centerpiece. The circus theme was predominant with a row of gay little red animals parading around the outer edge of the cake. Streamers of pink and white crepe paper extended from the chandelier to the table, and each plate, and pink balloons were given each child as a favor. Candy dishes held pink mints that were enjoyed by the children.

Young friends invited to share the party with Joan were Sandra Lou DeHoghe, Clement McFarland, Michael Eithers, Lewler Wells, Pat O'Neill, Kitty Lou Brown, Patricia Pollock, Clara Joe Sullivan, Remy Farnell, and Marnelle Jordan.

TO ATTEND GRAND CHAPTER

Members of Leigh chapter, No. 85, Order of Eastern Star, who will attend the Grand Chapter meeting in Tampa next week are Mrs. Agnes Cox, Grand Instructor of District 15, and a member of the chapter, was the surprised honoree at a handsomely entertained party in honor of her birthday anniversary. The many dainty handkerchiefs were accompanied with messages to best wishes, and "many happy returns of the day".

Delicious refreshments of chicken salad, potatoe sautées, corn, and cake were served. The beautiful white birthday cake was aglow with 18 brightly burning candles. Those present were Mrs. W. J. Perry Gifford of Frostproof, Mrs. W. D. Cameron, Mrs. Lena Clements, Mrs. David Stuckey, Miss Jennie Gribble, Mrs. W. J. Pratt, Mrs. Howard Maddox, Mrs. H. W. Reddick, Mrs. D. L. Griffin, Mrs. Chester Yates, Fred Touchton, Miss Evelyn Clements, Mrs. Agnes Cox, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hinkle, Mrs. J. L. Deigal, Mrs. Estelle Sonnenman, Mrs. R. F. Wilson, and Mrs. Jas. Alitchson.

GUILD TO MEET WEDNESDAY

St. Margaret's Guild will meet next Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. G. S. O'Brien. All members are invited to attend.

Attractive Bride



MRS. O. R. CRUIK
(Cut courtesy Tampa Tribune)

Wedding of Interest
To Friends Here

Miss Elmeria Sadler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Sadler, and Orville Ray Cruise of Sebring, son of Benjamin Cruise of Knoxville, Tenn., were married on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the First Baptist church. The Rev. Jack P. Dalton officiated in the presence of relatives and a few close friends.

Mrs. Adelle Causey attended the bride as matron of honor. She wore a black and white tailored spring suit, and a corsage of Eucharist lilies.

The bride was most attractive in a blue red-tinge ensemble, with which she wore white accessories. Her flowers were a shoulder corsage of sweetest roses and Her flowers were a shoulder corsage of sweetest roses.

Marvin Griffin of Sebring attended the groom as best man. Immediately after the wedding, the couple left for a short wedding trip returning to Sebring, where Mr. Cruise is employed and where they will reside.

Mrs. Cruise is a graduate of the Avon Park high school. She has been connected with the local telephone exchange for some time. The young couple will have the sincere congratulations of their many friends here and in Sebring.

Mrs. Shepherd Is
Hostess to Circle

Mrs. H. H. Shepherd was hostess to members of her circle of the First Baptist church, at her home on Monday afternoon. Mrs. W. C. Touchton led the devotionals, and Mrs. J. L. Collins, chairman, conducted the business meeting. Mrs. Collins also led the program from "The Commission" magazine.

Mrs. Shepherd served enjoyable refreshments of fresh coconut cake and iced tea to those present who were Miss Bernice Bryant, Mrs. W. C. Touchton, Mrs. David Stuckey, Mrs. Jennie Gribble, Mrs. Frank Collins, Mrs. J. L. Collins, Mrs. Harold Guerdin, Mrs. J. P. Sheppard, and Mrs. E. Ray Wells.

Opha Meeks and
Alton Jones Married

Miss Opha Meeks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Meeks, and Alton Jones, bridegroom of Avon Park, were married Friday morning at 11 o'clock at the parsonage of the Church of the Nazarenes. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. D. Croft, pastor of the church, in the presence of relatives and friends.

The couple left immediately after the ceremony for Lyons, Ga., the former home of the groom, where they will reside. They will also visit in Tifton, Ga., with relatives of the bride. Upon their return, they will make their home in Avon Park.

Lakeland Visitor
Honoree at Party

Mrs. Harold Guerdin very graciously entertained at a lovely party at her home on Thursday evening, the affair being given in honor of her house guest, Miss Bernice Bryant of Lakeland. The living room was beautifully decorated with arrangements of roses, carnations, and anemones in pastel shades, and baby breath.

The pleasant diversion of the evening was music, in which Mr. and Mrs. Duhr Martin were successful in making high score. Their prize, an Easter novelty filled with candies, was suggestive of the up-coming Easter season. Ray Wells, low scorer, was given a miniature china dog for a what-not shelf. Delicious refreshments of cinnamon apple pie topped with whipped cream, and iced tea were served late in the evening.

Friends sharing the party with Miss Bryant, and Mr. and Mrs. Guerdin, were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Babcock of Sebring, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Collins, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Sheppard, Mr. and Mrs. Paul McFarland, Mr. and Mrs. Dorra Martin, and I. H. Ford.

Mrs. Cloue Elected
Auxiliary President

Mrs. Ruth Cloue was elected president of the American Legion Auxiliary at the meeting Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Demos Mandis. Mrs. Ben T. Stewart was elected vice-president; Mrs. Chas. Sherman, secretary; Mrs. Ed. Welch, treasurer; Mrs. S. Y. Hart, chaplain; Mrs. David Stuckey, historian; and Mrs. K. L. Adams, sergeant at arms.

Installation of officers will be held during April. Mrs. W. J. Prevatt, president, presided over the meeting, appointed Mrs. Stewart and Mrs. C. H. Lewiston, a committee to contact the Legion, and make necessary arrangements for a joint installation, if agreeable with them. If a joint installation is held, it was suggested that the affair be supplemented with a covered dish supper.

Following the meeting, Mrs. Mandis served an enjoyable refreshment course, consisting of punch and dainty individual cakes.

Bouquets of carnations and baby breath provided a lovely decoration in the living room.

Those present were Mrs. E. C. Jarrett, Mrs. Ed. Welch, Mrs. David Stuckey, Mrs. W. J. Prevatt, Mrs. Chas. Sherman, Mrs. John H. Hood, Mrs. Ben T. Stewart, Mrs. L. Deigal, Mrs. C. P. Wilson, Mrs. H. R. Cruise, Mrs. C. H. Lewiston, Mrs. Howard Maddox, Mrs. Demos Mandis, Mrs. W. M. Hetherington, Mrs. Walter S. Setis, and Mrs. Ruth Cloue.

Woodman Circle
Meets Tuesday

The members of the Woodman Circle enjoyed a covered dish luncheon at the home of Mrs. Daley Ten Eyck on Tuesday. The tables were arranged on the spacious veranda overlooking the lake. A delicious luncheon was served at one o'clock, and an informal hour followed.

A short business session was presided over by Mrs. H. W. Harden, who invited the members to meet at her home for the next luncheon meeting.

Those present were Mrs. Hazel Howell, Mrs. Harry Jackson, Mrs. H. W. Harden, Mrs. Leslie Lewiston, Mrs. H. W. Reddick, Mrs. Marjorie Amling, Mrs. J. T. Lamb, and Mrs. Daley Ten Eyck.

Club Party Given
at Boardman Home

At the invitation of a colorful "Blue Jay" to the social night, members of the BFWC gathered in gratifying number at the home of Mrs. Muriel Boardman, Monday night, when three tables of bridge were played and one of rummty. The floating prize, a surprise feast, was given to Miss Evelyn Clements, it being a lively plump purple baby chick; the high score prize a set of beautiful novelty

frances, was attained by Mrs. Frances Clark; a dainty daisy flowered handkerchief was awarded to Miss Margaret Bogt, for capturing the rummty table prize.

Vases of flowers added beauty and fragrance and at the same time carried out the Easter motif. Refreshments consisted of delicious canapés, potato chips, ripe olives, and coffee. A neat with four colored Easter eggs, graced each table, and guests were pleased to take the eggs as souvenirs.

Charming hostesses in charge of the delightful affair were, Mrs. Muriel Boardman, Miss Verna Heim, and Mrs. Geraldine Mackay.

Participating members were Mrs. Clara Bigbie, Mrs. Katherine Bristol, Miss Sarah Browning, Mrs. Margaret Chandler, Mrs. Frances Clark, Miss Evelyn Clements, Mrs. Virginia Cloud, Miss Willie Pearson, Mrs. Wilma Peden, Mrs. Margaret Stuckey, Mrs. Daley Ten Eyck, Miss Margaret Vogt, and the hostesses.

The regular monthly business meeting of the club will be Monday night, April 7, when arrangements will be made for the annual May picnic, consequently all members are urged to be present.

—Contributed.

Mrs. Wingfield Is
Hostess to Circle

Circle number one of the W. M. S. of the First Baptist Church met at the home of Mrs. C. R. Wingfield Monday afternoon. Mrs. Fred Touchton, chairman, had charge of the meeting. Mrs. Otto Skipper read the devotionals from the 34th Psalm, followed with prayer by Mrs. W. McFarland.

This was a circle program meeting. Those taking part on the program were: Mrs. Otto Skipper, "Our First Task"; Mrs. J. P. Dalton, "Baptists in Training Camps"; Mrs. S. F. Longbottom, "The Challenge of Honesty". Delicious refreshments of punch and cake were served to the following members: Mrs. Fred Touch-

ton, Mrs. Otto Skipper, Mrs. J. P. Dalton, Mrs. S. F. Longbottom, Mrs. W. W. McFarland, Mrs. E. Davis, Mrs. Lena Clements, Mrs. D. H. Bowman, Mrs. R. L. Adams, Mrs. J. E. Crosby and Mrs. J. A. Bishop.

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- 2 We are building a new \$800,000 Ford engine alloy foundry, one of the few in the country. It is already producing lightweight airplane engine castings.
- 3 Army reconnaissance cars—military vehicles of an entirely new type—are rolling off special Ford assembly lines at the rate of more than 600 a month. We have produced army and navy cars and bomber service trucks.
- 4 The government has given the "go-ahead" and work is now under way for the construction of an \$11,000,000 Ford plant to produce bomber airplane assemblies by mass production methods.

5 Several months ago work was started on our own initiative, on an entirely new 1500 horsepower airplane engine specially designed for mass production. This engine is now in the test stage and plans are being developed for producing it in large quantities when and if needed.

6 A Ford aircraft apprentices school has been established, to train 2000 students at a time.

That is a report of progress to date.

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THE GENERAL'S ARMY WHITE

THE FROM 50 FAR: Intelligence Officer Henning's warning that 200,000 German troops were poised to make an attack on the United States caused grave concern in army headquarters, but the people here at the station, who are "war mongers," without warlike, four large chapters were attacked by the enemy.

CHAPTER XI—Continued
In the swift jumble of action, Boynton caught the full of wounded men, heard the cries of pain, and the shrill of commanders' whistles, the lack of suballiers show the brilliant artillery. Rifle flashes stabbed the gray dawn as the enemy poured to the ground and fired back. Boynton hugged the earth only long enough to satisfy himself that it was an attack wave, not a mere patrol, he had encountered; then he fell back, his men firing intermittently as they ran, to the shelter of fox holes in the outpost.

The outpost line, lightly held, poured lead from its anti-aircraft guns and machine guns. When it found itself confronted by superior forces, its defenders promptly retreated to the main line of the resistance which ran a ragged, irregular line of trenches and centers of resistance over a front of ten to twenty yards. Van Hasek's infantry, in waves of men that reached across the whole front, struck the main line resistance just as visibility exposed the attack.

Colonel Hall of the 8th, observing the attack from a vantage-point, expected nothing more than that. Later, when Van Hasek's reserve maneuver had cut a critical hole into the division's vital, the whole force of the frontal attack was coming rushing in to mop up with Brenner and bayonets.

The 8th's Grenadier, light machine guns, 37-millimeter cannon, and small mortars poured all their hot fury into the surging assault. One enemy wave after another fell into dead and wounded, but only to be replaced by living waves that poured relentlessly on.

Half an hour of furious fighting passed before Colonel Hall accepted the evidence of his own eyes.

"My God, the tools are going to penetrate our center!" he roared.

Astride the Laredo-Avon highway, Van Hasek's infantry drove ahead while successive waves of men melted across open terrain where there was little benefit of cover. Desperately the enemy commanders led in reserve the superior hordes of men out of which they could pay the red costs of their error in underestimating an enemy who had not been expected to offer serious resistance here.

What Van Hasek's infantry lost to their slower bodies they made up by auxiliary arms, light machine guns, mortars of many calibers, light and heavy tanks, superiority of artillery. Shrapnel, mortars, and munitions now beat down on the American front line with the force of the red convulsions of some Salamis scourge escaped from hell. Van Hasek's reserve was until Boynton could see the distended eyes and gaping, grimacing terror of their faces, as they bared themselves to a death and destruction they did not even turn their backs.

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Actively, Mole and his staff seized information as it came in over the field wires and from observation planes. Van Hasek's torments, which were moving up from Laredo. But no fresh movement of reserves was located in the immediate area of the battle.

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But discipline held up, and a stern, stubborn fighting spirit pervaded the ranks. That word came from the commanders of infantry who had taken the brunt of the losses, it came from the artillery regiments which were still being pounded by long-range artillery.

As succeeding battle reports from the Texas front poured into Washington over the radio, Captain Henning was assailed by growing restlessness at his own inaction in the face of the enemy's attack. Throughout the day he had looked about the cases along Connecticut Avenue looking for the Van Hasek staff spies, Fincke and Boggie. Evening found him holding the belt.

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INSTALLMENT ELEVEN

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its regimental reserve line. A second attack launched against that line, if it succeeded, meant inevitable defeat.

Into the melee came rushing American reserves, a co-ordinated counter-attack by the 2d and the 3d Battalion of the 8th. They hit with a vigor that halted the menacing enemy masses.

Their semi-automatic, pouring death as fast as fingers could work triggers, gave to the attacking American battalions the infantry weight of twice their numbers.

Van Hasek's men fell back, dug themselves into fox holes, waited. A full came into the firing. The soldiers roared on, machine guns, light cannon chattered and boomed. Now the volcanic eruption of battle lost something of its volume. The cries of the stricken could be heard, pinned down by the enemy.

Van Hasek had lost the first round. He had committed the blunder of underestimating his enemy. In his haste to blast his way through to San Antonio his concept had misled him to disregard sound tactical principles. No matter if the enemy

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subalterns. Henning had served with the 11th for nearly a year until he went to the air corps, from which service he had been matched for military intelligence duty. Briefly he followed every scrap of available information on the 11th.

Henning was picking at his dinner at the Mayflower when there came a final flash on the 11th.

"You heard this afternoon the gallant young officer, Captain Boll of our infantry," the broadcaster announced. "You recall that, although wounded in the cheek, he ignored his own wound and saw his men through to the Second Division south of San Antonio."

The announcer paused, his voice shook with feeling as he read a brief dispatch from San Antonio that brought the incident of Boll to tragic consummation.

"Captain Henry Boll, 11th United States Infantry, died early this evening of wounds received in action. Captain Boll collapsed a few minutes after reaching the hospital and died without having regained consciousness."

For a long time Henning sat looking across the blue of evening from in front of him, then he left his unfinished dinner and went out into the street. The soldier spirit flared into revolt within him against this soft spot of his own present duty when there was a man's role on the border.

He walked to the Shoreham to get himself in hand. Even Flagell's assertion that the Coalition spy net was more dangerous to the country than Van Hasek's present invasion brought him small comfort. He had finally reminded himself that he had a job to do and not until he had it would there be hope of relief.

Washington, the whole country, was a state of confusion. Benning had been shut off from the War Department with its staggering problems of small uncertainties, and crushing workload.

Official reassurance was being fed over the radio to those sections of the country whose immediate reach Van Hasek's invasion. They were told there was no immediate danger of new air raids. The Army was pushing through its interception net and extending its intelligence service to bring them warning well in advance of any further raid.

New Orleans, Galveston, and other cities were being organized against air raids that could not be circumvented by the time being. It was a matter of avoiding crowds, of getting underground against demolition bombs and gas. People who could leave those cities were urged to take refuge in towns and hamlets under control, although hundreds of thousands needed no such warning and were pouring into the country from the cities.

In New York, Washington, Philadelphia, Baltimore, and other centers of population, organization against air attacks had been feverish for some time. The Midwest and West were told there was no present need for alarm. However, some cities were urged to be prepared for a possible attack.

Reports of a mysterious brewing of mischief in the Orient, had been reported for some time. Mobilization of the four existing Regular Army and eighteen National Guard infantry divisions was reported sixty per cent complete. The Third Army was to concentrate in Texas as rapidly as possible, but the War Department refused to give out military details. No censorship of military news had been clamped down yet and the press was printing, without restriction, whatever news it could get.

Benning ordered an elaborate dinner at the Shoreham. Though he had no appetite, he made a pretense of eating. He kept up conversation those who came and went. Before starting on his rounds, Benning had stationed Lieutenant Jones, an intelligence assistant, on guard over the Massachusetts Avenue apartment of Mrs. Pudel, who had been killed and disarmed on the capital. Jones' instructions were to hold Boggie under close observation and let Benning know as quickly as possible if the Italian appeared.

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Speaking of SPORTS

By ROBERT McSHANE

A QUICK glance at the crystal ball is enough to convince most interested observers that the University of Chicago will not long remain a member of the Big Ten.

The University of Chicago, as you may remember, withdrew from Western conference football on December 21, 1939. That move caused no end of sorrow to the university's followers.

But Chicago's sports program hadn't yet reached its depth. This year the Maroons failed to win a single conference basketball game. Taking cognizance of this alarming state of affairs, Robert Maynard Hutchins, the university's widely quoted president, announced that if a losing basketball team has a depressing effect on the student body, then Chicago will leave the basketball—at least in its present competitive form. The university, under this policy, would meet opposition that it had found in Big Ten circles.

With this announcement the ghostly chorus of the Midway, was swelled by the more earthy cries of Western conference athletic directors. Several of these directors were quite outspoken in their opinions that the conference would be much better off if the Maroons were to withdraw from all team competition. Wendell S. Wilson, athletic director of the University of California, in the most direct attack on Chicago's president since that school withdrew from the conference, declared that "I am sick and tired of reading newspaper and magazine articles in which the Maroons are attacked on intercollegiate grounds."

A Wasted Chance
"I feel myself guilty, along with some other athletic director of the Big Ten, for not voting to drop Chicago from the conference. I have repeated statements are a handicap to the athletic policy in the Western conference schools."

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Put small cooked hamburger cakes between two hot biscuits, halved and top them with a brown savory gravy or well seasoned white sauce.

A strong railing to prevent falls the elderly are two important necessities for any elderly person. When the steps are in a dark place, several coats of white paint applied to the steps will make for greater safety.

Put your white wash on the sunny side of the line and keep the colored clothing in the shade.

To glass doughnuts while they are still warm dip in bowl in which 3 tablespoons butter have been mixed with 4 cups sifted boiling water and 1 cup scalded milk. The eye-protecting bangles "dry" on sugar paper.

ASK ME ANOTHER
The Questions
1. Who has charge of the Great Seal of the United States?
2. How does the size of an electron compare with that of an orange?
3. Tweedle-dum and Tweedle-dee are characters in what story?
4. Who was the first king of the house of Windsor?
5. Can eclipses of the sun occur in any month of the year?
6. What does a caratist represent?
7. What American city is called "The Queen City of the Lakes"?
8. What is a serape?
9. How many states in the United States border on the Pacific coast?
10. What does it mean when a defendant in a criminal case makes a plea of nolo contendere?

The Answers
1. The secretary of state has charge of the Great Seal.
2. If an electron and an orange could be magnified equally until the orange was as large as the earth, the electron would still be too small to be visible to the unaided eye.
3. Lewis Carroll's "Alice's Adventures in Wonderland."
4. George V. The name of the British royal family was changed to Windsor in 1917.
5. Eclipses of the sun, visible at some parts of the earth's surface, have been recorded in every month of the year.
6. A woman (a woman's figure) used as a column in architecture.
7. Buffalo, N. Y.
8. A blanket worn as an outer garment by Spanish-Americans in the United States.
9. Three: California, Oregon and Washington.
10. A defendant in a criminal case may make a plea of nolo contendere, which means that he, while not admitting guilt, will accept a conviction and the resultant punishment. Moreover, such a plea does not defer him from pleading not guilty of the charge in further proceedings.

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TIPS to Gardeners

CHOOSE BEANS WISELY
The gardener should be well acquainted with the many available varieties of stringless beans, if he is to get the most from his bean crop.

If stringless is the principal interest, the gardener should select either Bonito (green-podded) or Golden Wax (yellow). Bonito is excellent for use when small, in shoe-string size. It is also a good choice for home canning, for it produces abundantly.

The gardener interested in yield over a long season should select both a bush bean, and a pole bean. The pole beans begin producing when the yield from the bush beans tapers off.

Kentucky Wonder is one of the best all-purpose pole beans. It provides good quality snap beans. When past the snap stage, the pods may be cut up, and cooked southern style. Later, this bean may be used in the green shell stage. In the more mature stage the beans may be used in baking or in soup.

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