

## OFFICIAL REPORT

### Commodore Dewey Sends An Account of the Engagement at Manila.

#### SPANISH SHIPS WERE DESTROYED

##### One Hundred and Fifty of the Enemy Were Killed and Many More Seriously Wounded.

Our Ships, With Not a Single American, Were Killed—The President Called the Engagement "A Great Victory."

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deed or more anxious newspaper correspondents and curious observers viewed the dispatch as Mr. Finney read it. It was as follows:

Cavite, May 4, 1898.  
 "Lords, Secretary Navy. I have taken possession of the naval station at Cavite, Philippines island, and destroyed its fortifications. I have destroyed fortifications at the bay entrance, paroling the garrison. I control the bay completely and can take the city at any time. The stevedores in excellent health and spirits. The Spanish loss not fully known, but very heavy; including the captain of the Reina Christina. I am assisting in protecting the Spanish sick and wounded. Two hundred and fifty sick and wounded in hospitals within our lines. Much excitement at Manila. Will protect foreign residents."

As the last word of the dispatch was being received, a message was received from Manila, dated this morning, which says: "The news of our victory at Cavite is a great triumph for our arms and for the honor of our country. The President has called the engagement 'a great victory.'"

It is a matter of fact the Americans rescued some 800 Spaniards and sent them ashore. All the Spanish vessels are destroyed, with 5,000 men. The Spanish estimate gives their loss at 1,000 killed and wounded. In the Reina Maria Christina, 200 men, and believed to have been killed or drowned.



VICE ADMIRAL MONTEDEYMO. (The Spanish Commander Who Was Defeated at Manila.)

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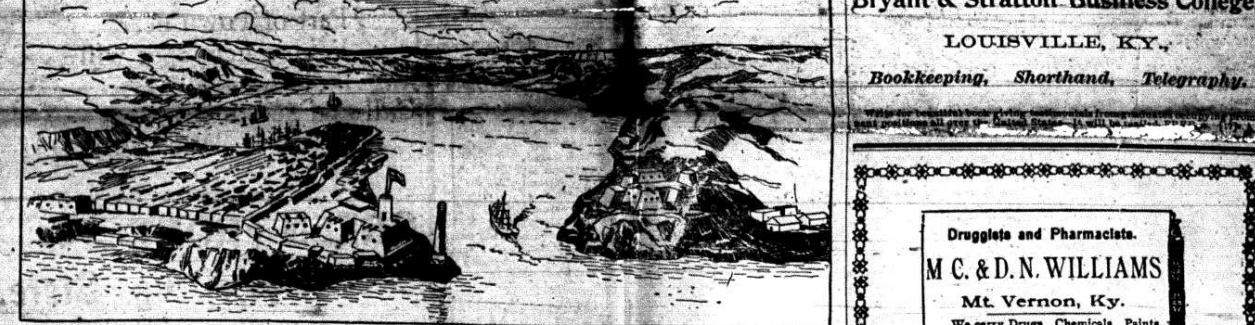
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## SAN JUAN BAY, PUERTO RICO, SHOWING FORTIFICATIONS.



the number and impetuosity of the newspaper contingent, the officials of the navigation bureau, whose cipher desks promptly closed and locked their doors against invasion. One of the officers of the bureau had been on duty every moment of the 24 hours for several weeks past waiting to receive cablegrams of importance.

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Cash	100,000		
	500,000		500,000

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Terrific Battle

Fought in Cardenas Harbor Between the American Ships, Wilmington.

Winslow and Hudson; and Spanish Gunboats and Land Batteries.

Key West, Fla., May 12.—The engagement took place yesterday at 2 o'clock inside the harbor.

The above gunboats entered the harbor to attack the Spanish gunboats that were known to be there; and were not discovered until the Spanish opened fire.

Later—As we go to press the report comes that in the battle at Cardenas two Spanish gunboats were sunk and others badly damaged.

It is reported that Sampson is bombarding San Juan, Porto Rico, and that the fortification are rapidly crumbling under the fire of the American fleet.

Fitzhugh Lee will be Military Governor of Cuba. He has also been commissioned a Major General of volunteers.

It is now reported that the Spanish fleet that was coming this way has turned back.

Large quantities of ammunition are being sent to Cuba for the Insurgents and for the use of the large body of soldiers that are being sent there by Uncle Sam.

LIVINGSTON.

Lige Herrin was at Mt. Vernon, Sunday.

Tona Stewart, of Wildie, was here Monday.

Mrs. Mary Hicks is visiting her parents at Wildie this week.

Mrs. J. S. Cooper spent Sunday at Mullins Station, the guest of Mrs. W. F. Tubbs.

Mrs. B. King and Mrs. Armstrong, of Moreland, have returned after a visit to Mrs. King, daughter of Mrs. E. Fishback.

Misses Lena and Ella Bentley have returned from London. While there they were the guests of Miss Bessie Magee.

Ken Pike preached at the Presbyterian church Sunday night.

Dr. J. H. Pettus was in Crab Orchard, Sunday.

Messrs. Foster, French, Murphy and Wilson were down from London, Sunday.

R. A. Sparks visited relatives in London last week.

William Lane and wife of near Paint Lick is visiting their nephew W. F. Garrett.

W. O. Burns was in Stanford the first of the week.

Miss Maggie Lewis, of Danville, is visiting Mrs. Dr. Cooper.

A Party composed of W. F. Sheridan, C. O. Brown, Chas. Brewer, Buck Taylor, J. H. Shannon, Walter Saunders, Chas. Burnes left Tuesday on a fishing trip up Rockcastle River.

Mrs. W. T. Merrimee arrived Monday and has taken rooms with Geo. Pope. Mr. Merrimee will join her when the new depot is occupied which will be Monday, May 10th.

Mrs. W. B. Dillion has returned after a protracted visit to her mother's Mrs. Broaddus in Lincoln county.

Mrs. John Smith and Champ Mullins still remain very low.

Articles of Incorporation.

We, A. H. Bastin, and Curtis Gover, of Crab Orchard, Ky., James Maret, of Mt. Vernon, Ky., E. A. Albright, of Brodhead, Ky., and I. M. Bruce, of Stanford, Ky., do hereby associate ourselves together for the purpose of being created a body corporate under the name and style of "The Crab Orchard, Stanford and Mt. Vernon Telephone Co."

In testimony whereof the said incorporators have hereunto subscribed their names, this the 16th day of April, 1898.

The business of the Corporation shall be conducted by a Board of three Directors; and until the first election is held as herein provided, the Directors shall be the undersigned, A. H. Bastin, A. E. Al and qualified; and the stockholders of this corporation shall, on the 1st Saturday in January of each year thereafter, hold an election for the purpose of electing three directors, which election shall be held at eight and I. M. Bruce, and E. A. Albright shall be Secretary and Treasurer, who shall hold their offices until their successors are elected and qualified.

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CHURCHES.

Christians—Holds services at 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. on Sunday. Presbyterian—Holds services on the 1st Sunday.

MISCELL.

Ashted Lodge No. 60 meets 1st Monday 10 A.M. 4th Monday 8:30 P.M.

LOCAL & OTHERWISE.

W. H. Brown was in from Lever Green. Mulcahy, the Danville tailor was here this week. James Crawford was in town Wednesday. W. H. Mounce was up from Crab Orchard Monday. Mrs. W. J. Sparks is visiting home folks here. Bruce Richardson was in from Conway Tuesday. Miss Kathie Spradlin is visiting Miss Margie McClary. Miss Carrie Lair was her shopping Thursday last. Mrs. Rosalind Nesbitt was a visiting Pittsburg last week. The corkscrow is often mightier than either pen or sword. Harry Blazer one of our business men called on us Monday. You can easily fill the public eye if you have sufficient dust. Frank Blazer, Conway was married to Miss Owens last week. Mrs. Maggie Thompson, of Louisville, is visiting relatives here. Henry Mobley, of Conway has not volunteered, up to this time. A. T. Fish, Wildie, W. D. McGuire, Goodchall, attended court. "Tony" Brooks was on Monday's train returning to Hazel Patch. Walnut Flat will be connected with Crab Orchard telephone exchange. Mt. Vernon Lime Co. wants 10 more hands to work at ballast quarry. S. H. Martin is erecting another dwelling at Mareburg. He is an extensive builder. Miss Lena McClure held the lucky No. 501, which drew the \$500 range at U. G. Bakers. Our accommodating assistant post master who has been sick for some time is feeling better. The editor swears to the circulation of his paper, and the advertisers d. the rest of the swearing. Ed Albright has a force of men distributing telephone poles between here and Crab Orchard. Of the twenty-four jurymen summoned for last weeks special term twenty-one were republicans. Malaria is a malady the doctor says you have got when he doesn't know what is the matter with you. Judge Morrow held a special four days term of court beginning last Wednesday for trial of civil cases. Among the visiting attorneys were Judge Alcorn, Stanford, C. W. Lester, Williamsburg.

Robbin Mullins is traveling for A. Wright & Co. shoe dealers, Prestonsburg, Va. Miss Emma Hayes, a pretty bride, of near Wildie, visited relatives here Thursday. The North Jellico Coal Co. of Gray, Ky., has our thanks for a special war map of Cuba. Rev. Frank Wells, Baptist of Louisville, has been holding services here during the week. Some men are so stingy that they will squeeze a dollar till the eagle gets sick at the stomach. H. C. Moore, of Madison County, and Miss Lucy Bartlett, of Conway were married last week. Walter Saunders, the SIGNAL's good friend of Livingston, was with us during last week's court. Highest prices paid for ginseng, yellowroot, bloodroot and maple root by S. W. Prewitt. Mrs. Mattie Yeager, of Osgard, is the daughter of the late Grandfather, M. J. Miller, this place. Mrs. Georgia Coyle, Mrs. Mattie Williams, Mrs. Dr. Lovell, Sim Davis and E. P. Cox went to Louisville Monday. A. H. Beale was in the last Tuesday making arrangements for connecting that place by telephone to balance of the world. Capt. B. N. Roller informs us that the local division officers now located at Rowland, will move to Livingston on train No. 23 Monday next. In answer to a telegram from Capt. Duncan, Carroll Portman, John D. Miller and Tyece Gentry went to volunteer. Rockcastle has sent six to fight Spain. J. L. Arnold, through his attorneys Williams & Williams has gained a \$600 suit with damages against the Matson Lumber Co. in court of appeals. After the present scrimmage events will be dated from "since the war" but confusion sets in as it will interfere with the usual contest date of the war of the 60s. The brush that the Town Board ordered removed from the ditch on West Main is still there. It looks like a Spanish breastworks. Yes, quite an ornament to that end of town. This office has inquiries from a man who wishes to buy a small farm not far from town. Persons having farms or real estate for sale are invited to consult the editor of this paper. G. W. Jones of Conway, was here Tuesday and reports the arrival of a girl at J. S. Arnold's and a boy at W. R. Jones' named Jimmie Fitzhugh Lee, grand-children of Mr. Jones. The closing exercises of Collegiate Institute, will begin Tuesday night, May 24th with speaking etc. Wednesday night a drama will be rendered. Commencement exercises will be held on Thursday being at 10 a. m. Miss Lizette Herrin came up Tuesday from Stanford with Drs. Carpenter and Brown. The doctor came with the expectation of assisting Dr. Lovell in performing an operation upon Samuel Fields, but the matter was deferred as the patient had a change for the better. Some thief made a big haul here Sunday night. H. C. Gentry was robbed of one pair of harness, bridles and check floes. J. L. Joplin, Edible, Hugh Miller check lines, Andy Baker a saddle, James White some bridles. The party who did the work left town over Crab Orchard road. A few days since a gang of birds about the size of English sparrows with dark brown breasts while top knot, glistening black wings and pretty plumage visited the farm of N. M. Shumate. They were perfectly gentle, allowing the children to pick them up and play with them. TO SURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. For sale by M. C. & D. N. Williams, Oct 6 0m

A gold medal contest will take place here Monday night, May 19th. Gerlie Davis was awarded the silver medal in Monday evening's contest. The Mt. Vernon Lime Co. will use oil for fuel in place of wood and coal. The Methodists will meet at the Court house next Sunday, to organize a church. They will meet at 9 a. m. You are cordially invited to be present. The Young Men's Baptist Association meets at Buffalo, July 14-17th. Rate one fare for round trip. Through car line via H. & D. from Cincinnati via Toledo, Detroit and through Canada and Niagara Falls. Write W. W. Penn, Junction City. We can show you the latest styles in millinery, and they are cheap in price. We can make you the neatest fitting dress, waist, or skirt to be had. Have expectations. We have some citizens very anxious to join a recruiting company for the Spanish war. They were too slow to get out with first call. J. P. McNew has a very sick child. Mrs. Owens of Pine Hill, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Francisco. Mrs. Turpin is with her daughters, Mrs. W. Tate and Mrs. A. A. Wright. Mrs. Henry Brown was in town shopping Tuesday week. Miss Lizzie Herrin came up from the Indians for a few days rest. Dr. Denton has been ill for a few days but is out again. Mrs. Mattie Carter has been worse for a few days. Dr. Clark is putting a nice fence around his new building on the R. R. Messrs. Conrad Hiatt, Cross and others were here Wednesday with some stock. Peter Shouts and father were in town Wednesday. Miss Bettie Anderson of Paint Lick, is still with her uncle J. G. Fritch. Dr. Burdett, head quarters for war news. New line of Millinery next door to Albright Druggist. R. S. Martin and wife, and Miss Sallie Purcell have returned from Louisville. Mr. Lucas, retail dealer in Bowler Gate Latch business, was here Tuesday for latches. Messrs Geo. Brooks and John Newland hosted the U. S. flag over the water-tank here. Messrs Harve Dunn and Ora Fifth spent a few days in Danville last week. The only collar pad at S. W. Davis'. An interesting article from J. F. Griffin in regard to old bones in his office will appear next week. Dr. P. A. Fennington, dentist, will be here during regular term of Circuit court to practice his profession. If you are a subscriber to the SIGNAL you can get the Weekly Louisville Dispatch for 50 cts. Commercial, 40 cts. Courier Journal, (twice a week), 50 cts. Post Daily, \$1-75. Cincinnati Inquire 50 cts. Chattanooga Farm & Trade 25 cts.

Three bushes of hollenders are each other. Nobody was hurt and all are anxious to try it over. J. H. Reams and Joel Anglin are connected with the Associated Press and keep posted about the war. Polly Townsend died at Sam Fisher's near here Sunday night rather suddenly. Some suspected that she was poisoned, but it was not confirmed by investigation. Geo. Johnson has his dwelling completed, making it the nicest home in this section of the county. Boon Burnett, our track walker, is on the sick list. Next Sunday is communion meeting at Flat Rock church. Wallace Lawson, who has been in Jackson county logging, has moved back to his home on Brush creek. W. D. Lawwell was at Mt. Vernon, Monday on business. We have some citizens very anxious to join a recruiting company for the Spanish war. They were too slow to get out with first call. J. P. McNew has a very sick child. Mrs. Owens of Pine Hill, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Francisco. Mrs. Turpin is with her daughters, Mrs. W. Tate and Mrs. A. A. Wright. Mrs. Henry Brown was in town shopping Tuesday week. Miss Lizzie Herrin came up from the Indians for a few days rest. Dr. Denton has been ill for a few days but is out again. Mrs. Mattie Carter has been worse for a few days. Dr. Clark is putting a nice fence around his new building on the R. R. Messrs. Conrad Hiatt, Cross and others were here Wednesday with some stock. Peter Shouts and father were in town Wednesday. Miss Bettie Anderson of Paint Lick, is still with her uncle J. G. Fritch. Dr. Burdett, head quarters for war news. New line of Millinery next door to Albright Druggist. R. S. Martin and wife, and Miss Sallie Purcell have returned from Louisville. Mr. Lucas, retail dealer in Bowler Gate Latch business, was here Tuesday for latches. Messrs Geo. Brooks and John Newland hosted the U. S. flag over the water-tank here. Messrs Harve Dunn and Ora Fifth spent a few days in Danville last week. The only collar pad at S. W. Davis'. An interesting article from J. F. Griffin in regard to old bones in his office will appear next week. Dr. P. A. Fennington, dentist, will be here during regular term of Circuit court to practice his profession. If you are a subscriber to the SIGNAL you can get the Weekly Louisville Dispatch for 50 cts. Commercial, 40 cts. Courier Journal, (twice a week), 50 cts. Post Daily, \$1-75. Cincinnati Inquire 50 cts. Chattanooga Farm & Trade 25 cts.

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Services at the Baptist church Saturday night and Sunday. C. C. Williams bought of Fritz Krueger 200 barrels lime for fertilizer. Judge R. G. Williams is in Frankfort arguing with Equalization Board for a reduction on Rockcastle's rate of 9 per cent. Last Saturday, on Crooked creek Jim Walker Mullins shot and killed his cousin, Walker Mullins. It is claimed that the shooting was accidental. Mullins is here under guard. Drs. W. B. Penney and E. J. Brown of Stanford, are making up a company to be in readiness for the second call for volunteers. See their muster-roll at SIGNAL office. NOTICE. The public is notified that you are hereby notified that I will not be responsible, nor assume payment for any debt or debts contracted by my wife, Anna Shumate, nor will I be responsible for any of her actions or accounts or costs on same. N. M. SHUMATE. This April 11th, 1898.

EVERYBODY LOOK. I am selling the Singer Sewing Machine on easy terms and keep all kinds of sewing machine needles all hands, shuttles, and everything that belongs to a sewing machine. Will send needles by mail to any address. I also clean and repair all kinds of machines. You can see here every Saturday. W. M. OWENS Mt. Vernon Ky. A side saddle for \$3.00 and up to \$15.00 at S. W. Davis. CONTRACTORS ATTENTION. I want a man with a saw mill to cut 300,000 feet of lumber. I will furnish logs on yard. Work to be begun as soon as possible. Location, good mill site with plenty water, 7 miles South of Mt. Vernon. Write or call on me at once. J. W. Marler. Mt. Vernon Ky 25 if. A leather collar for 60c up to \$2.50 at S. W. Davis.

HIDE MARKET. No. 1 green hides per lb 6 to 70 " horse hides, mane and tail 75c to \$1.45 " dry flint hides per lb 10c to 12c. " sheep hides 20c to 40c each " goat hides 20c to 30c each " dog hides 20c to 25c each " tallow 1/4c to 2c per lb. Call on S. W. Davis, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

WAGONS MADE BY H. C. Gentry, ARE AS GOOD AS THE BEST. Twenty-eight years experience in the business. Horse shoeing a specialty. Also gene blacksmithing. Richmond Street, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

Fine cigars and tobacco at the Green Front drug store. No. 1 baled hay for sale at 50cts. by A. H. Bastin Crab Orchard. I am prepared to take photographs, and will be pleased to have your order. Mrs. S. W. DAVIS.

TOM FERRELL DEALER IN WHISKIES, WINES, &c., &c., ROWLAND, KY. Fine \*\* at \*\* \$2 and \*\* up. WANTED. SWIFT HICKORY SPOKS. 2x2, 30 inches long, all white grade or better.....\$12 per M. 2x2, 30 inches long, red. 6 per M. 1 1/2"x3 1/2", 28 inches long, red, 4 per M. 1 1/2"x3 1/2", 28 inches long, white, 5 per M. SINGLES TREK BILLIARDS. 2 1/2"x3 1/2", 38 inches long, white, \$16 per M. To be delivered at any station between Hazel Patch and Crab Orchard. L. L. JARRETT, Inspector, Brodhead, Ky.

Buggy harness for \$5.30 complete Hand made wagon breaching for 25 at S. W. Davis'. HAY. No. 1 Timothy baled hay for sale. Orders filled promptly by A. H. Bastin, Crab Orchard. Write for prices. S. W. DAVIS. SET FREE.—The best built house in Mt. Vernon, with 5 rooms and kitchen and the best cellar in the county; on 1/2 acre lot, for sale or will trade for a small farm. Call on J. P. LEICHLITER, 22-1f.

Dr. P. A. Fennington, dentist, will be here during regular term of Circuit court to practice his profession. If you are a subscriber to the SIGNAL you can get the Weekly Louisville Dispatch for 50 cts. Commercial, 40 cts. Courier Journal, (twice a week), 50 cts. Post Daily, \$1-75. Cincinnati Inquire 50 cts. Chattanooga Farm & Trade 25 cts.

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Bad Eruptions

Bones Break Out and Discharged But Hood's Cured. My son had eruptions and sores on his face which continued to grow in spite of medicines...

Hood's Sarsaparilla

America's Greatest Medicine. It is for all Prepared only by C. L. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

It matters make the man that explains some man's unusual condition. It was a child by his feelings he apt to travel in a rigger outfit...

Past Time in Colorado

A new through Sleeping Car line between St. Louis and Colorado Springs will be established over the Washakie Road...

SYRUP OF FIGS

Both the method and results when Syrup of Figs is taken is pleasant and refreshing to the taste...

CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.

BAKER'S CHOCOLATE

Celebrated for more than a century as a delicious, nutritious, and flesh-forming beverage...

AN ENGAGEMENT.

Santa Clara Water Batteries and the Vicksburg and Cutler Morrill Fight.

Key West, Fla., May 9.—Only poor shellsmith of the marksmanship of the Spanish gunners saved the Vicksburg and the cutter Morrill from destruction...

The wily Spaniards had arranged a trap to send a couple of our ships to the bottom. They baited it with a man would bait a trap...

NEEDED HIM IN THE MORNING

The Cool Record of a Write-Down. Her Complimentary Pianos and Her Visit to Washington.

WOMEN'S WORDS

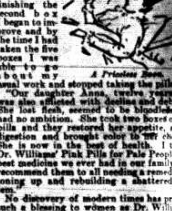
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Among wedding slated for the morning is that of a clever young lawyer who has just won his bride during which he had the best address in his...

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A CHERVOIL WOMAN.

From the Democrat, Boston. Every woman should be happy in the possession of the Cervoil. But no one can be cheerful and contented unless they have perfect health...



Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. A man who was ailing from the effects of a cold and a cough...

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Throwing Into the Shade. 'It's a little tough on our young Chicago, but she has to get used to it.'

Deadness Cannot Be Cured. In a bad application, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear...

Man's Eye and Hard Work. The eye has become the subject of bacteriological investigation by eminent oculists and ophthalmologists...

Shake Like a Top. A man who was ailing from the effects of a cold and a cough...

Many People Cannot Drink. It is a curious fact that some people can drink coffee at night...

A National Relief. It is a good deal more than a few cents to a poor soul...

Wife's Contempt. A man who was ailing from the effects of a cold and a cough...

He Didn't Hold His Own. He was seated in the front of the first picture...

Somewhat's Reassurance. On the first and third Tuesdays of May and June...

The Idea of Looking for a Man. 'What is the idea of looking for a man in public life to enter public life?'

She Was Surprised. Mrs. Huntley—It must have been very interesting to have had to appear in court...

Opportunity may trip a giant—Ram's Horn.

THE ADVERTISER.

Advertisement for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and other products, including a testimonial from a woman.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

It is the name to remember when buying Sarsaparilla. Dr. Ayer's Sarsaparilla has been curing people right along for nearly 50 years...

SAPOLIO RHEUMATISM

YOU WILL REALIZE THAT THEY LIVE WELL WHO LIVE CLEARLY. IF YOU USE SAPOLIO RHEUMATISM... TAKE THESE TAPES FOR THE RHEUMATISM.

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