

The *Cascadian* shire of Glenn Linn

Northern Region, East Kingdom

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Business meetings are the second Wednesday of each month. September's meeting is 9/12/07 7:00pm Glens Falls National Bank Community Room 13 South Street, Glens Falls, NY. Agenda: Nominations for next term's officers, Officer's reports, NRWC XV, B&BXI, NL 2008, new winter site practice and more!

Combat **P**ractices

Heavy List and **Rapier** practices are held every Thursday in Crandall Park 6:00pm. **Youth Fighter** practice is held the first and third Thursdays in Crandall Park at 6:00pm. Any questions please contact our Knight Marshal Kettle.



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The current two-year term ends January 1, 2008 for all Officers.
The September 12 Business meeting will hold nominations.
Elections to occur at November business meeting.
New Officers will take office January 1, 2008.
Please vote!

From the Chronicler

(From the unpublished Spring edition)

by Lady Lleucu ferch Robert

Unto the populace of the Shire of Glenn Linn and our friends does your Chronicler, Lady Lleucu ferch Robert, send warm greetings,

It is my hope that this spring issue of the Cascadian finds you in good health. I beg your pardon for the tardiness of this publication, as mundane activities have used up much of my “spare” time as of late.

You will notice that the Cascadian’s format has changed. Most notably, I will no longer be producing it as a booklet, because that format is most logical for a printed publication, but the majority of you are reading this electronically. The new format should also make it easier for those of you who wish to print your own copy to do so.

As always, I give my sincerest thanks to those who have submitted articles, Lady Frigga and Lady Moreta. I present them to you with the hope that they may inspire you to embark on your own adventures, or try your hand at your own creations.

I invite all of you to send submission for future issues. Suggestions for submissions include artwork, how-to articles, stories about your experiences in the SCA, fun medieval facts or puzzles, and anything else you can think of related to medieval history, or SCA life.

Now that the snow has melted even in the farthest reaches of our northern shire, and we prepare for war, camping, and all the outdoor frolicking the warm weather allows, I wish you all a safe and fun-filled season.

From the Chatelaine

by Lady Freygerðr in stórráða Halladóttir

Well it is late Summer. Gone are the days of heat and the simple dog days of Summer. The nights have become cool and thoughts have turned to scheduling changes of Autumn. Don’t forget that many activities will begin again in the fair Shire of Glenn Linn as well! Many who welcomed the break in the Spring are now anticipating with renewed interest the same activities, practices, events, get-togethers - be it local dinners or campouts. If one is able please consider attending an event this Fall; there are SO many so near Glenn Linn. Camping events lasting the weekend are held until October. Some are even close enough that a day drive there and back is completely feasible if overnight camping is not to your taste. Please look on the East Kingdom Events listing to see all of the great events that are nearby (Concordia, Coldwood, BBM, Freehold, esp Crossroads at Canterbury - an event that is hosted by three different groups!). Volunteers are always needed to make all the fun stuff in Glenn Linn happen. No need to stand on invitation only: if you see a need and you have an interest, please step forward!!

Happily I am Yours In Service,
Frigga

Pennsic Story: NSTIW... By Lisa Mendez Bapp

Our journey home from Pennsic began at approx. 10:30 am on Friday.(Just after the River Battle.) Brother Josh returned from the battlefield with just enough time to disarm and change cloths, and then it was off to Butler to gas up our tanks and the cars as well. With great smiles on our faces and full tummies beneath us, the key to the ignition was turned. So great was the silence of the engine. Thus began the real trek home. After a minor bit of tinkering and some of my best swear words, it was determined that the alternator was the problem.. When we asked where the nearest auto parts store was, we were told " About 3 miles that way." Much sweaty trekking later we found the parts store and set about buying the proper tools and a new alternator. Of course there was no proper alternator to be found, so we had to wait for one to be delivered. This took about an hr or so, so no great drama there. Drama could have happened when it turned out to be the wrong alternator, and we had to exchange it for an alternator that was sitting on the shelf the whole time, but we kept cool and proceeded on yet another sweaty trek back "about 3 miles" to the car where mechanical things were perpetrated, and we got a jump from another Northern Army brother headed home to Michigan. Spent 12 minutes exchanging pleasantries, but never managed to exchange names (gonna look for him next Pennsic though) and away we went to the parts store to get the \$70 deposit for the core charge. Unfortunately in the 3 miles back to the store the battery was drained dead, and we just managed to putt into the parking lot. Well dangit, we must have Fubared the battery with the inverter we plugged in! Just get a new one and All Will Be Groovy! So we did. Turns out you can get about 205 miles on a full brand new battery with out any signal from the alternator. Unfortunately, we had 500 to go. Did I mention 2 teenage boy 13 and 15 respectively? They come into play as a serious stress inducer. Not in little bursts mind you, but like gravity lol. Our first break down was in Williamstown? just outside Buffalo. We managed to get near enough a hotel and after a bit of credit card finagling, we got a room for ourselves and the boys for the night. In the morning we got up and stretched and walked to the restaurant next door and asked where the nearest parts store. To which they replied, "about 3 miles that way" and pointed. So with a shrug, we set off to get a small socket set (the previous set was a loaner from the Auto parts store) Upon arriving 3 miles later we found that small socket sets are waaaay overpriced anywhere near Buffalo, at least a genuine auto parts store. So we called home and found that a Wal-mart was "about 3 miles" the other way from our hotel. So with a shrug we galumphed off in the general direction of Wally-world. 5 Miles later we found a Home Depot, praised the gods, and got a made-in-cheapasstan socket set, trudged 2 miles back to the car and the hotel and performed minor surgery on the van. Off we shot like a herd of turtles, eyes ,not on the gas gauge, but on the battery meter. 160 miles later, break down number 3 occurs, but this time on an interstate rest area. A phone call north to family and the wait was on for 5 hours for them to arrive and only then begin the slow lurch home again. Anyway 30 min jump charge, and were off on the road again. For 30 miles. Then another charge, and we got 10 miles. And another and we got 6. We decided to change game plans and just switched batteries. Another 200 Miles! But the family member pulled their back out yanking the battery. One more battery change and the final 60 miles home were complete. Add snarling arguments and an over riding feeling of desperation, and there yah have it, in the skinny at least, our hellish ride home.

Needless to say we cannot wait till Pennsic next year. See you all there, and hopefully much sooner!

Lisa, Allen, Josh and the Boys

How to Make Wad Buttons by Lady Moreta atte Birchwode

Materials:

Fabric- wool is best (shrinks and compacts well), but linen and cotton filled with wool bits works & allows matching buttons to garb
Thread- to match cover fabric
Needle- fairly sturdy sewing or embroidery
Scissors

How To:

1. Cut the cover fabric into squares or circles and the stuffing wool into tiny pieces
2. Stitch gathering stitches in a circle
3. Fill with tiny pieces of fabric by pulling the gathering thread a bit at a time and compacting the bits by packing down with finger or pencil
4. Wrap the thread around the gathering line 9-15 times
5. Sew a row of buttonhole stitches around the wrapped thread (O.K. to catch in the cover fabric)
6. Steam the buttons (to make them harder & shrink) over a double boiler of boiling water in a colander for 10 minutes then plunge into ice water
7. Dry and trim the shank

Alternative Method:

Instead of using little pieces to stuff with, tuck the edge of the circle inside to fill the button. Pull closed. Sew directly onto the garb by making a shank with several threads and covering this shank with buttonhole stitch.

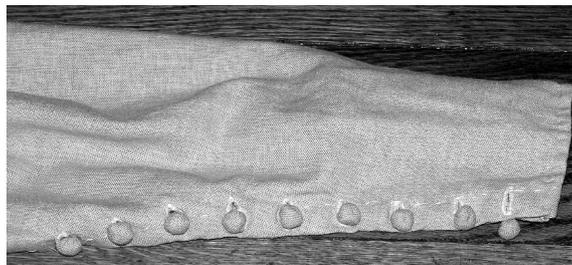
Tips:

Determine the button size by trying various size circles.
Make a template for the desired circle size -oak tag or the back of a check pad is a good weight.
The smaller the fill bits, the better the compaction.
Buttons can be flattened somewhat after the ice water plunge.
Use Fray Check on the raw edges of the shank (or if you have time to kill, turn under the edges and sew.
For fancy buttons embroider a design in the center of the circles before filling.

Documentation:

Textiles and Clothing c.1150-1450, Elisabeth Crowfoot, Frances Pritchard, and Kay Staniland, Museum of London, 1992, Pp. 166-167 , figures 141 & 142 show sleeves found in a 14 th century deposit (2nd half) with wad buttons.

The buttons on the sleeve photographed here are spaced one inch apart. Extant garment fragments have buttons sewn on so close together that they are nearly touching. Construction and photo by Lady Lleucu ferch Robert.



NRWC XIV *followup:*

Thanks to all who helped with the event! Especially to our esteemed Autocrat Lord Oram y Maen and his wonderful wife Lady Lleucu ferch Robert for their tireless and ongoing effort before, during and after the event. Additional heartfelt thanks to all those who were also tireless and giving with their time and effort in pre, during and post event as well as transporting: Corgon, the Fitz, Morgan, Brigit, Connor, Brian, Tetsu, Rat, Kettle, Valdimarr, Asgar, Frigga, Nate, Kat, Moreta, Seamus, Raven, Sue, Alexia, Sir Stephen, Mistress Kayleigh, Omelan the Left, Mistress Eleanor, Molly Blythe, William the Mysterious, all of the teachers for A&S (Sheldon, Albreda, Mistress Bricia, Irene, Julien and others) and anyone else whose efforts have not been listed here - this fabulous event would not have happened without each of you!! Thank you!

Next year's date is listed on the EK events listing already. Plans have begun! Please contact Ratbec Castus with any suggestions or offers to help!

What's Happening in Glenn Linn

Fall Brawl: Come welcome the glorious Autumn sunshine amongst friends once again in Crandall Park, October 14, 2007 near the Pavilion. Plans to make this particular day of fighting, fun and friends a Northern Regional practice! Look for updates on the Glenn Linn message board:

Spring Demo: The demo held on May 19, 2007 in conjunction with the Rotary of Glens Falls's Water Walk was a huge success! In addition to most of the individuals of our Shire coming out to enjoy the beautiful day's weather and comradery and support of a worthy cause, many from north and south of us drove to participate in the fighting and official Unbelts Practice. Twenty heavy list fighters and three fencers



Photo courtesy of Liam St. Liam

maintained the spectacle that those who

are not in the SCA love to see most. The Shire of Glenn Linn was

given by the Glens Falls Rotary two Certificates of Appreciation: "Most Laps, 3rd Place" and "Most Exciting Entertainment." Heartfelt thanks is extended to everyone who helped in any manner.

Special thanks extend to some who were tireless with their attention and effort beforehand and during the demo.

A follow up Newcomer's Meeting was held a week following and the turnout was great! Please welcome our new members of the Shire if you see them: Lisa, Allen, Brian, Allen, Josh, Dave, Chris, and others! Many enjoyed the day, the flurry of activity, each other's company and all whilst supporting the cause for health and clean water in another country. Twenty five thousand dollars was raised for this purpose. That's no small drop; THANK you Glenn Linn!

Northern Lights 2008: The Northern Lights Committee contacted us regarding the Shire of Glenn Linn hosting this Arts&Sciences event in February or March 2008. Now is the time to find a site as well as for kind gentles to come forward to plan the details. Lisa and Allen have graciously decided to be co-feastocrats for the dayboard. Thank you Lisa and Allen!

To fan your interest, please view these wonderful photos of the creativity and diligence of the artisans at previous Northern Lights events: <http://sca.trmilne.com/photos/nl2004.html> <http://sca.trmilne.com/photos/nl2006.html> <http://sca.trmilne.com/photos/nl2007.html>
Thank you Alaxandr an Chobhlaigh mac Lochloinn for your time and effort in chronicling Northern Lights..

Blades & Blarney XI: The day has been reserved for Saturday, February 16, **2008**. An initial event listing is placed on the EK events page. Please look for updated information soon as details are developed and firmed. Thank you Lisa and Allen, who have agreed to be co-Feastocrats! Anyone else wishing to donate their time and effort to make this event possible, please contact Blades and Blarney's autocrat Frigga.

GL Officer Terms End: Nominations during September 11's Business Meeting. Elections held November 14 and thru the mail. Business meetings are in downtown Glens Falls at the Glens Falls National Bank's Community Room located on 13 South Street, Glens Falls, NY. The meeting starts at 7:00pm.

Casino night: Thank you Goose and Kelly for the excellent evening of casino nickle games. There were many who went, had fun and left with filled with all of the yummy food, drink and friendship.

Good bye: Long has left the area to attend grad school in Buffalo. Good luck, study hard and see you soon! Lleucu and Oram are moving to Maine in September. Their upbeat presence will be dearly missed, and my jealousy of the Malagentians knows no bounds. **And Hello:** Alethea and Liam have completed their move westward into our Shire of Glenn Linn. Welcome! Welcome home John Mandrake Traveler of the North! And soon we will welcome Rat as Deputy Exchequer. It'll be a seamless transition when Oram moves to Malagentia.
Good luck to everyone!

One of GL's YFP starts *Heavy*..
Say hi to Amanda when you see her at practice!

Look for notice
of a new
location for the
December's
Business

**Indoor Winter
Combat Site TBA:**
Look for info on
indoor site when the
weather turns cold.

Tidbits of News

Pennsic 36: Congratulations to Ketilfastr Thorkilson known as Kettle for winning the Knowne World Novice Tournament at Pennsic this year! He competed with over 120 combatants for the title.

The belt was returned by Lord Deacon, who won the tourney last year as a member of Glenn Linn. Looks like Glenn Linn has some sort of record to uphold :) We are proud of you Kettle! Lord Asgar Roulfsonu fought on the Unbelted team after the Field Battle. Vivat Ketil and Asgar!!



Photo courtesy of Kat

Northern Region events!! Talk of moving the Northern Region towards a Principality has begun once again, with ideas and minds joining on a new Nordvinland yahoo group. It's been a very hot topic with most individuals agreeable to making this idea come to fruition. People are willing to spend the long time and effort to patiently develop the and maintain the existing rapport between groups. There is much time to coordinate, learn, develop all of the aspects required to realize this exciting idea.

Donations for food and drink for fighters of the 3rd Division is being collected by Frigga locally. Please don't be shy in giving empty/clean returnables to Asgar or Frigga - ALL funds raised will be put toward these tables at various third division events. Thanks!



I had a most wonderful weekend at Southern Region Spring War Practice 2006, even despite the rain. This event is held in the Shire of Owlsherst at site that allows one to easily welcome the beauty of early Spring time. The longest walk from one end of the site to the other is no more than five minutes - even if one is dodging puddles. Everyone seemed more than happy to fight in or slush through the rain.... The various cabins and houses were filled with gentles doing more than just trying to stay out of the cold and wetness. Spirits were high, and relaxation and conversation were the main agenda.

We were late leaving Glenn Linn. As we drove onto the site, night was settling in and it was sprinkling. After Troll, and a query of "which number screen house?" a wonderful old friend recognized Asgar's voice - we first met Ulrich when I was hugely pregnant with Gavin in 2002. We introduced him to the SCA whilst living in Coldwood, but he has since moved to Long Island -but it's truly a small world: we have seen him at many events since, always delighted and surprised to see him each time!

After setting up the bedding and dressing in layers of garb to fight the chill, we walked the two minutes back to the nice'n'toasty noise-filled common hall. Despite each having three cups of (now a camping staple) hot chocolate with marshmallows, the clan finally grew tired, and I herded them off to bed. As I was lying awake from the muscle numbing cold, feeling every inch a lack of wool blankets and warm hat, I heard our friend Kane from Coldwood -now of Aethelmarc- arrive. I helped him set up and was even a bit warmer for it whilst catching up on news before I crawled back under the covers to sleep.

The morning daylight revealed the beauty of the site, Bright grey clouds overcast the soggy green field, and dark wooden buildings rested on the rolling green grassy hills... and quite a few strikingly bright flowered trees punctuated the winter brown trees that were just beginning to tip with the green buds of Spring.



Can you see the screen houses nestled in there?



In the feast hall, many hovered around the large fire pit in the center of the round building. Mid-morning there was a very relaxed Court held by King Brian in the Feast Hall, while people drank their coffee and ate some of the offered breakfast. The boys had more hot chocolate with marshmallows! An Award of Arms and scroll was awarded, and two ladies were sent to vigil. Ironically, they had been planning for each other but were sent

together! Many fighters were walking around partially armored as well - waiting for the delayed start at noon or for the cold rain to stop sooner. Later in the day feast was served here. Oh, was it delicious! It

was so toasty warm inside, and the conversation and camaraderie were wonderful! I loved its circular shape; all the long tables pointed towards the center like spokes (each spoke consisting of two picnic tables laid end to end). The glow of the many candles transformed the room into believable decadence of a glorious medieval dinner. By the final course, all of the children were playing around the circular fire pit in the center - laughing, no trouble caused, entertainment for all.



During feast, we sat with two from the Northern Shores Region, Baron Conrad and Yesungge, who drove all the way from Halifax in Canada! I wished that I had my Northern Army flag finished to hang out! I think it would have been nice to let other northerners know that others were there too.

The twins first ever Youth Combat was at this event in a very dry and very large hall while Asgar was on the marshy field. At one end a Herbalist meeting was held - the bits and snips I heard were quite interesting. Under the large hall's roofed porch, other youth activities were held. There was only one other in div. In addition to the twins-- it was fabulously just the three of them who fought in the Youth "tourney" all afternoon. I really wish I hadn't forgotten my camera! My cheeks were sore with laughter. They got pretty silly and tired by the end, always having fun, but the wonderful Marshals, Raven of Rusted Woodlands and his lovely wife Alexia, were tolerant of the fun while certain it always remained safe. At that time Raven and I discussed Glenn Linn's lack of youth combat despite the high interest. One month later he graciously drove up from Rusted Woodlands (north NJ) to hold a fight practice in Glenn Linn.

Wonderfully, Hana was staying in the screen house next to ours, so the Asgarsons three played with her in the damp woods and puddles all Saturday evening and some on Sunday morning before all were packing to leave.

I was even able to get to a class(!) called "lost wax carving." I started carving a ring, and was able to get a handout on Viking chain knitting - one way to finish the chain was something I had been wondering particularly about.

Other than the sun not shining, it was still a fabulously enjoyable weekend - who needs the baking hot sunshine? Not I Northern I. The low temperature at night was the hardest to deal with. The packing list and how our sleeping gear is set up has been permanently altered by these two nights of bone chilling, muscle cramp-filled sleep. Who knew the rain was no real problem?

All were quite excited to be going to Southern Region Spring War Practice this past April. As the number of days counted down, the energy level and anticipation heightened for all within my house, especially since it opens the SCA camping season for us. To revisit a beautiful site with wonderful friends. My boys hoped to and succeeded in participating in youth combat, thrown weapons and especially see their own friends again (There be Dragons!). The Spring grass was that much brighter for enjoyment in the soothingly warm sunshine. I look forward most of all to the relaxation and fun of returning to such a wonderful event! It's hard to believe that it is an entire year between visits to Southern Region Spring War Practice. But it is not surprising that each of us looks forward to going again each year!

Heraldic IOI: tinctures

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word list:

ARGENT - silver/white
AZURE - blue
BRUNATRE - brown
CENDREE - cinder-grey
GUILLES - red
MURREY - mulberry-purplish red
PURPURE - purple
ROSE - pink
SABLE - black
SANGUINE - dark blood red
TENNE - tawny orange
VERT - green

Definition and spelling taken from the Heraldic Primer webpage on the SCA website.
<http://www.sca.org/heraldry/primer/tinctures.html>

Puzzle by Frigga and <http://www.abcteach.com/>

March/April/May 2007 Meeting Minutes

Officers' Reports

Seneschal:

- o Blades and Blarney X was a success, profit this year.
- o Congrats to Lord Deacan who was Squired by Sir Stephen Grandchamp.
- o Seamus and Asgar's names have passed, another change to Oram.

Exchequer:

- o Need to write checks to come out of first quarter before giving account balance.
- o First quarter report due this month.
- o Use the acquisition form!

- o Long house depreciation.
- o Reimbursement checks distributed.

Chatelaine:

- o Walking With the Tyger receipts submitted to Exchequer. Pamphlet copies available if needed, also available online.
- o Shire's numbers the same 36 adults, 17 kids (email full membership numbers to Seneschal)
- o Spring demo in Crandall Park in conjunction with Rotary Club's Water Walk. Walk will be 9am – 3pm; fighting will be held in ball field; will include an unbelt practice; A&S display; possibly have garb for people to try on; samples of tablet weaving, figure loop braiding for people to try.
- o Newcomers meeting will be scheduled for the Wednesday following the demo.

Mistress of Arts & Sciences:

- o B&BX embroidery contest: Alayne won both prizes
- o B&BX fastening roundtable
- o A&S subjects needed, sewing circles.
- o March meeting included Queen's favors and icord.
- o Athena's Thimble – March meeting held to share info acquired at Hrim Schola; April meeting schedule for black work (later cancelled due to weather); May 6 meeting will be the last until after summer.
- o Oran requesting banner made for siege competition at War Camp; need design.

Knight Marshal:

- o Resignation letter submitted by Deacon. Effective on April 1, 2007.
- o Kettle appointed interim KM beginning 4/1/07. Asgar remains Deputy.
- o Fight practices Saturday 12:45pm. No injuries/problems.
- o Youth Combat practices held on the first and third Thursday of each month. Submit receipts for helmets at April business meeting. Asgar is Marshal in Training!
- o Fencing practices remain suspended.
- o Someone needed to take over site search for this Autumn's practices (please!).
- o Loaner equipment was handed off from Deacon to Kettle; Kettle will take inventory.

Chronicler:

- o No spring Cascadian yet, because nothing was submitted.
- o Moreta and Frigga submitted articles in April and newsletter should be published before demo.

Mistress of the List:

- o 21 fencers attended B&BX

Other Business

Rental Storage Unit – Needs to remain at current location due to lease.

NRWC 2007 – Separate meeting held; topics discussed in general business meeting:

- o Puppeteer – do we still want one? We do not have contact info for the woman we had thought of asking.
- o Oran needs archery marshal contact info.

Will there be a fencing tournament – Oran asked if this can be decided soon so that website can be updated.

- o Frigga got paperwork from Warren County and forwarded it to Oram.
- o Need dumpsters (3) – one in the back needs to be a walk-in.

Northern Lights:

-Need someone (autocrat) to head up coordination of site (St. Mary's).

-Space required: competition needs 50-60 cafeteria size tables, mingling/merchant space, performance space, judges room, usable kitchen, handicap accessibility, dancing(?).

Known World Handbook (shire library) loaned from Deacon to Frigga and then loaned again at Newcomer's meeting after demo.

Practices and Events Nearby (or nearly enough nearby!)

Events 2007

Please see the EK Event listing online or the Pikestaff for detailed information.

September

14 - 16 [RP][HP] **Crossroads at Canterbury** (proudly hosting) Fall King's & Queen's
Champions of Arms Tournament

Shire of Quintavia - Spencer, MA

22 **Lost Tip Archers Gathering IV**

Shire of Panther Vale - Randolph, VT

October

5 - 7 **Closing of the Inne**

Shire of Coldwood - Peru, NY

6 **Generic Dead Viking meets Kris Kringle**

Shire of Nordenhalle - Kingston, NY

13 **Winter Nights**

Barony of Concordia of the Snows - Albany, NY

20 **Mimir's Well: An A&S and East Kingdom War Collegium**

Shire of Mountain Freehold - Warren, VT

November

3 [RP] **Fall Crown Tournament**

Barony of Concordia of the Snows - Colonie, NY

17 **Bjorn's Ceilidh XXVII**

Barony of Concordia of the Snows - Cohoes, NY

Practices

Please be aware of changes/cancellations posted.

Coldwood: Heavy - each Tuesday at Sir Stephen's residence, indoor Winter site is the Salvation Army Plattsburgh, NY

Concordia: Rapier, Heavy - each Monday 6:30pm Park indoor site Schenectady School

Glenn Linn: Heavy - each Thursday 6:00pm til dark Crandall Park, indoor site to be determined;
Youth - first and third Thursday of each month 6:00pm Crandall Park; Rapier - second and third Thursday of each month 6:00pm Crandall Park

Freehold: Heavy - each Tuesday 6-8pm, Oakledge Park (Flynn Street) Burlington, right on the lake; indoor site to be determined

Central Region Practice in Bergental: Heavy - Sundays 10/14, 11/11, 12/9 1-6pm, Bethesda Lutheran Church on Island Pond Road Springfield, MA (\$2 fee for site)

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