

User Stories – a piece of cake?







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Few words about me:

-  Creating products and services since 2000
-  Worked for: Adidas, Reebok, Cinema City, Admiral Markets, Bakoma, eSky, Vattenfall etc.
-  Got some certificates: PSM3, PSM2, PSM1, PSPO
-  Co-organised some conferences and meetups: Agile Coach Camp Poland, Agile Silesia
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Some questions for a good starter...

As a User
I want to have a menu

As a User
I want to have a contact form
so that I can contact the shop

As a user I want this new design ->

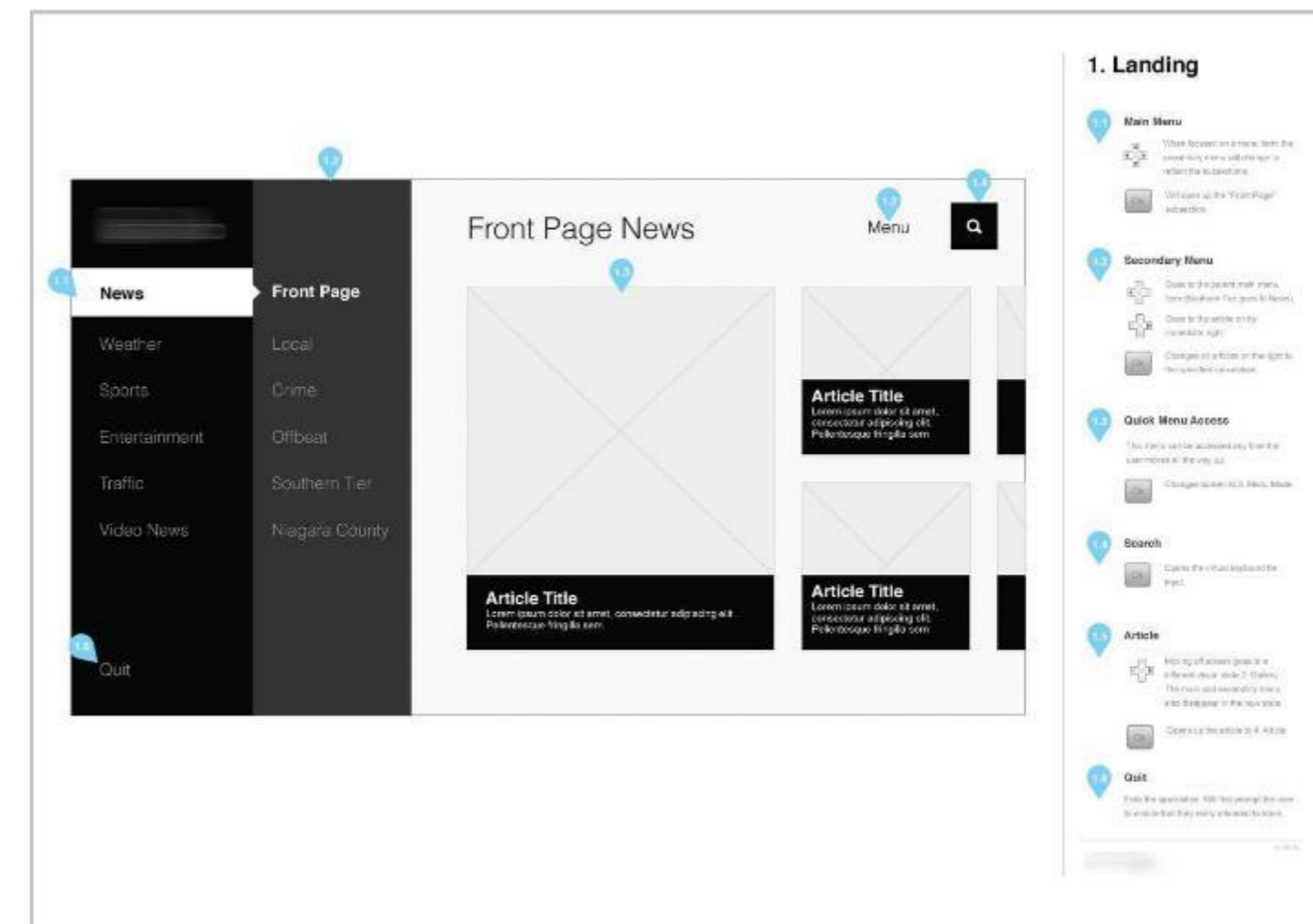
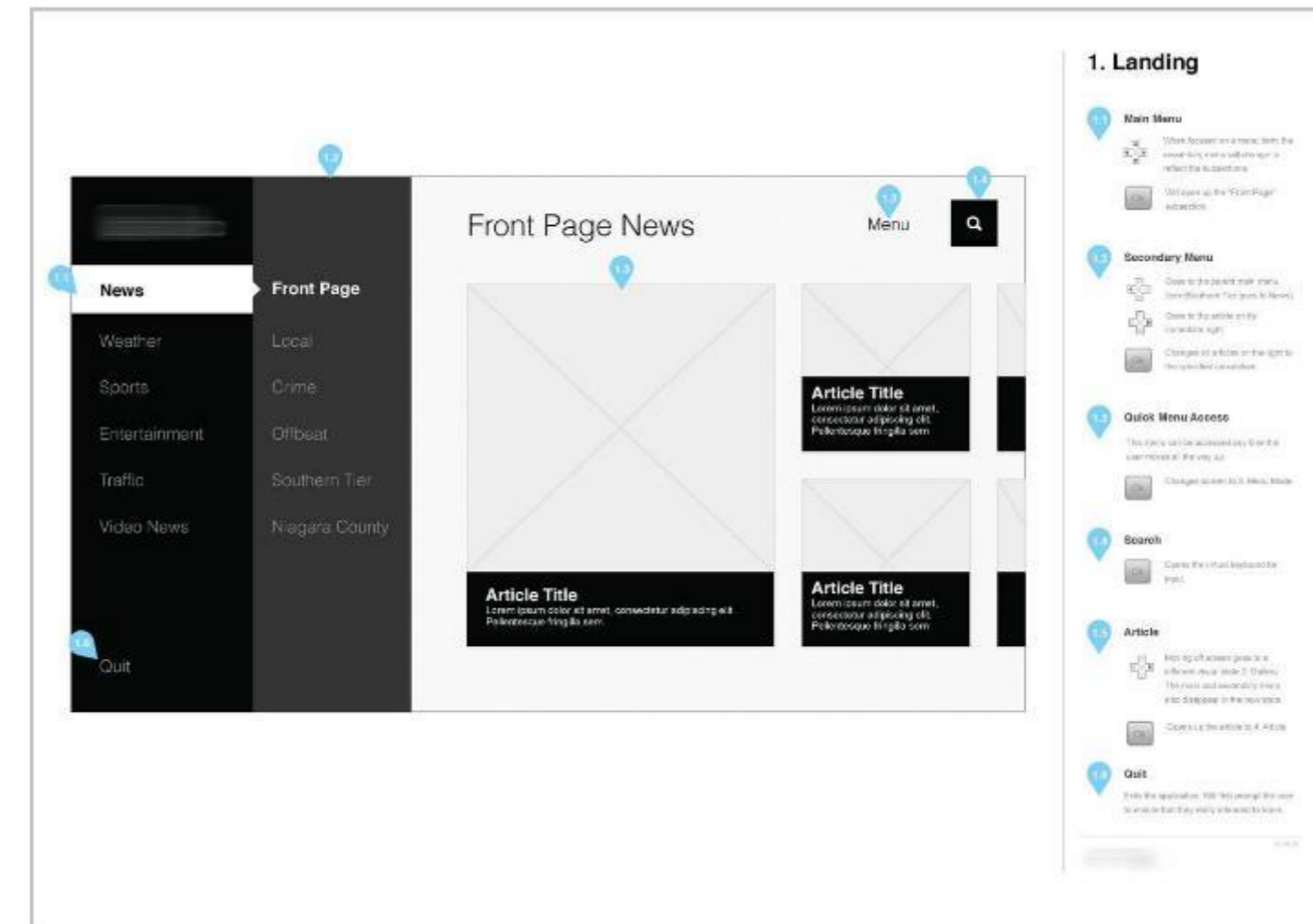
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**As a User
I want to
move columns X and Y
from database A to B**

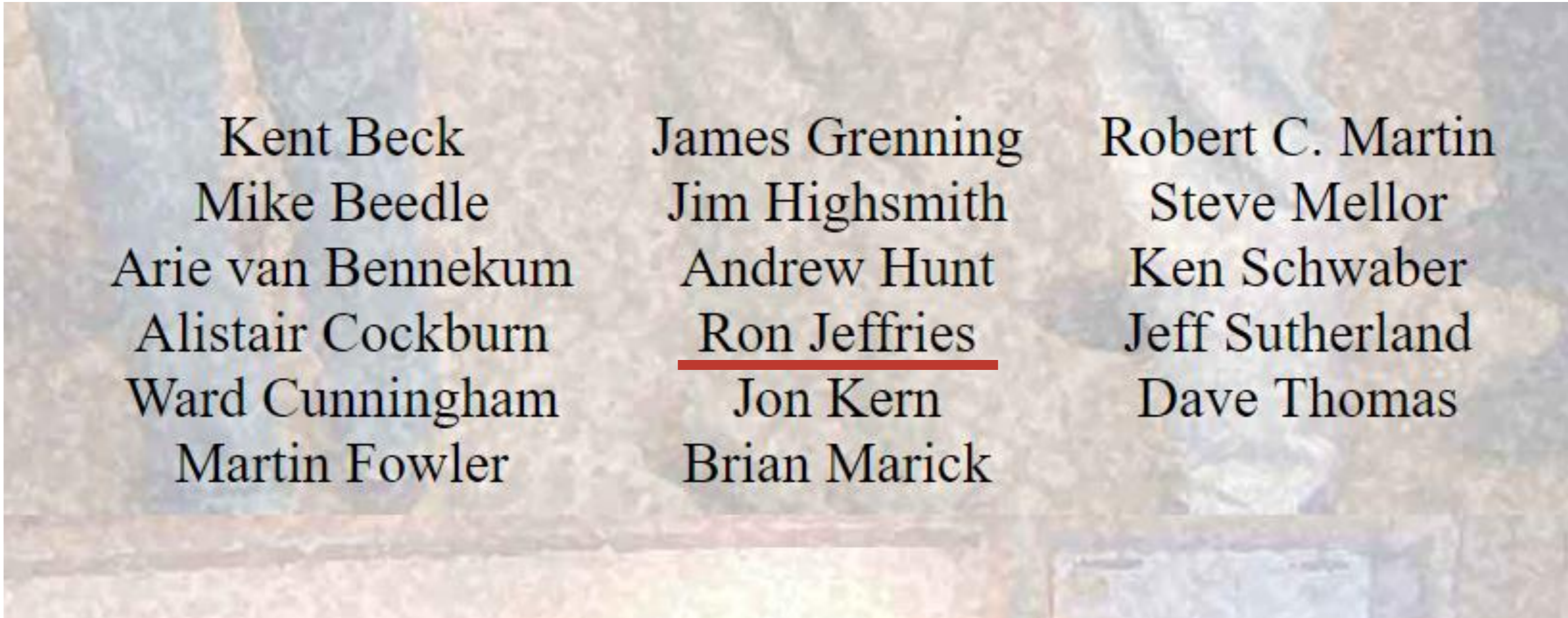
As a <role>
I can <capability>,
so that <receive benefit>

In order to <receive benefit>
as a <role>,
I can <goal/desire>

As a User who bought a product
I can contact the seller,
so that I know what's my order status

As a User who bought a product
I can check my order status,
so that I know when the package will arrive

Short story of User Stories



Ron Jeffries: XP Installed (2000)

3 Cs:



Card



Conversation



Confirmation

Card

- 10x15cm
- 13x20cm

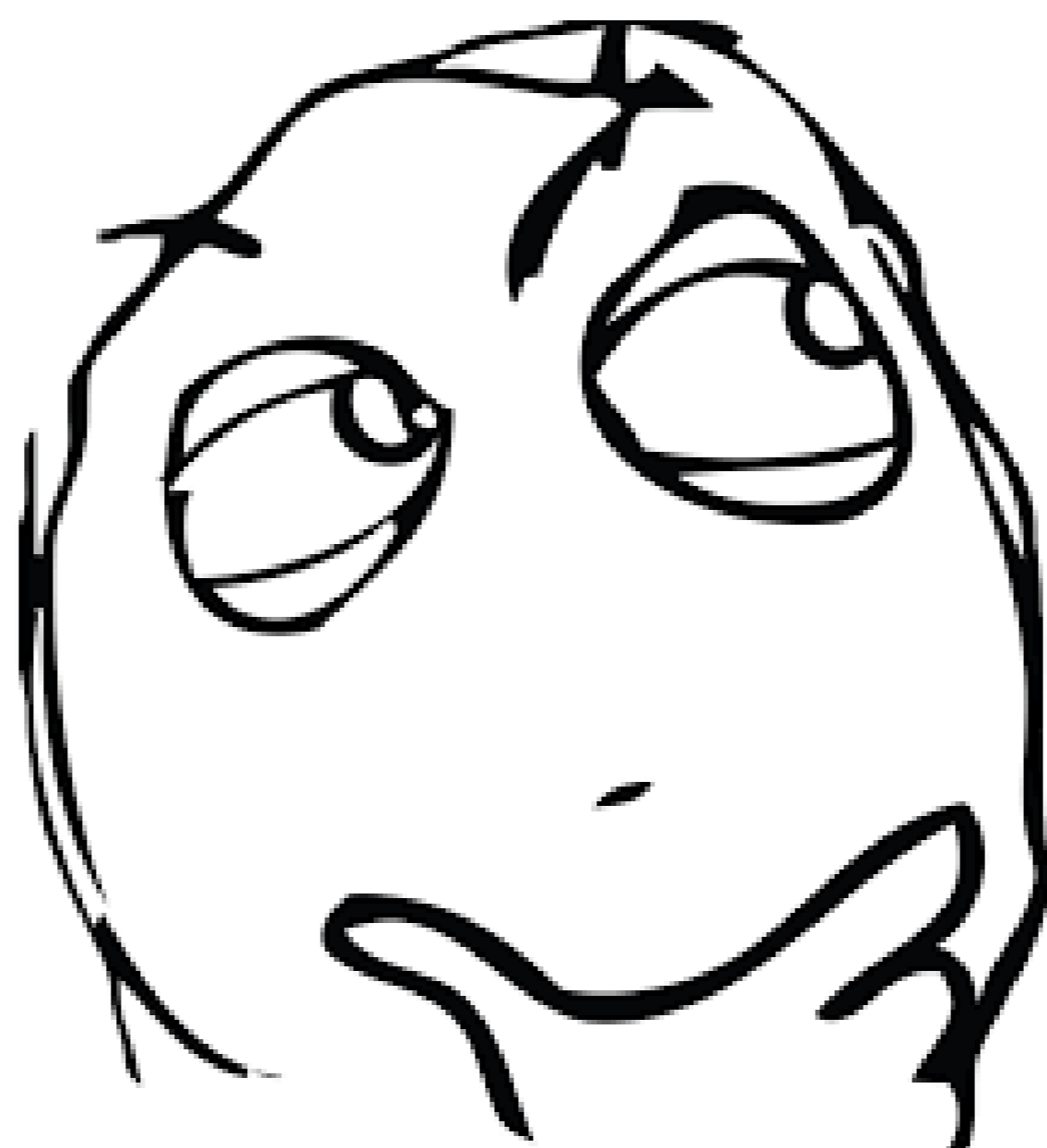
Conversation

User Story is a promise for conversation
Customers with developers onsite together
Customer explains what he/she needs
Avoid implementation questions

Confirmation

Automated Acceptance Tests

**As a <role>
I can <capability>,
so that <receive benefit>**



User Stories as a Product Backlog Items

Scrum (n): A framework within which people can address complex adaptive problems, while productively and **creatively** delivering products of the highest possible value.

What about the Confirmation in Scrum?

As a Scrum Team,
We can solve problems,
Instead of implementing solutions,
So that we can productively and creatively
deliver products of the highest possible value

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