Evening State Journal.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1871.

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Washington, Nov. 3.—A proclamation is pending restoring Marion county to civil rights and placing Union county under martial law. These are South Carolina districts, but the nomenclature of the new constitution calls them counties.

Army Contractor Indicted

Cincinnati, Nov. 3.—The Federal Grand Jury has indicted Benj. F. Davidson, army contractor, for presenting fraudulent vouchers for forage, amounting to seventy thousand dollars.

Steamer Disabled and Quarantined.

Halifax, Nov. 3.—The ship "Kooria Maria" from Brunswick, for England, put in here for repairs, having been ashore. She was placed in quarantine with one case of fever on board.

Dexter's Time Beaten.

Philadelphia, November 3.—Goldsmith Maid beat Lucy for three thousand dollars. Time: 2:22½, 2:18¾, 2:18¼, thus beating Dexter's time over Suffolk Park track.

From London.

London, Nov. 3.—General surprise is expressed that the bank of England has made no change in the rate of interest at the meeting of the Governor's yesterday.—This circumstance is ascribed, by rumor, to the fact that a loan is about to be placed on the market to meet American engagements arising from some financial failures. American houses here know nothing of the matter.

The New York Times and the Tribune on Governor Bullock.

New York, Nov. 2.—The *Times* says: "Governor Bullock, of Georgia, arrived in this city yesterday. He states that all his official acts are matters of record, and that Governor Canby has a detailed statement of all financial transactions, and that there is no foundation whatever for the wild charges that are being made against him. He also states that he is ready for any fair investigation, and intends soon to return to Georgia and demand it; but he is not willing to permit any arrest, at the instance of his political enemies in Georgia, because his friends advise him it would result in his being ku-kluxed by a mob under the instigation of the men who were so near grasping the State government, and have been so neatly and effectively foiled."

The *Tribune* says: "The letter of Gov. Bullock, of Georgia, announcing his resignation, is not very clear upon the points on which the public desire more light. He says he resigned because there was a conspiracy to impeach and remove him, and that by resigning he defeated that conspiracy. Some people will say that he gave up his office to escape impeachment, but Gov. Bullock also says that by surrendering his office into the hands of the President of the Senate, Mr. Conly, he secured an honest successor. As we understand the case Mr. Conly would have become acting Governor even if Governor Bullock had been removed by the conspirators, and the retiring Governor expressly says that no proceedings against Conly have been suggested. The whole affair is certainly very hazy."

A Protest Against the Proceedings in South Carolina.

Baltimore, November 2.—A mass meeting of the Democratic Conservative party of this city was held to-night in Monument Square to protest against the proceedings in South Carolina under the suspension of the writ of *habeas corpus*, or, as the call for the meeting states, "a grand uprising to protest against the wicked war now being waged against liberty and law."

The clubs of the various wards—20 in number—paraded the streets with torches, banners, transparencies, devices, &c., and bands of music. Hon. Reverdy Johnson presided at the meeting.

Resolutions were passed and addresses delivered by Hon. Reverdy Johnson, Hon. Pinckney Whyte, Hon. Joshua Vansant, the Mayor elect, and others. The number present was estimated at from 8,000 to 10,000.

From Washington.

MINISTER CATACAZY.

Washington, Nov. 2.—It is announced positively that Minister Catacazy will not be received after the visit of Prince Alexis. Should he persist in exercising the functions as Minister of Russia, his passports will be handed to him.

RUMORS OF MORE HEAVY FRAUDS.

There are rumors to-day of the discovery of heavy additional frauds in the Pension office, and that the proper parties will be arrested on the return of the Commissioner.

New York Items.

New York, Nov. 2.—The Stock Exchange adjourns on Tuesday on account of the election.

The Mercantile Insurance Company of this city has suspended.

Edward D. Nelson, an artist, has been killed by being run over by a railroad train.

Joseph F. Jay has been elected president of the Panama railroad, vice Hoadley resigned.

The Congregational Association.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 2.—The annual meeting of the Congregational Association, composed of 50 delegates, after three days' session, adjourned *sine die*. Two churches have been established in Virginia—one at Henderson and the other at Hampton.

Fatal Accident.

San Francisco. Nov. 2.—The front pavillion for the Mechanics' Fair fell in today, killing one person and fatally injuring another.

From Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Nov. 2.—The City Treasurer has resigned. The charges against him were heard to-day, and he was held to bail in $100,000 to answer.

From Berlin.

Berlin, Nov. 2.—The workingmen's committee of this city summon a Congress of workingmen here on the 9th inst., the object of which is to organize a grand strike for increase of wages and decrease of hours.

FREE DISCUSSION.

Under the above caption, we cheerfully give space to all articles suitable for publication, when ever it is possible to do so. We must not be considered as endorsing or opposing the views of those whose articles appear in this column, but simply as desirous of encouraging discussion of questions likely to effect public interest.

[COMMUNICATED.

Our benignant, pious and illustrious chief calls upon the people to pray and to give thanks to God for the blessings he has conferred upon them, and for their merciful exemption from evils.—*Richmond Whig.*

We are struck with surprise when a journal of long standing and national reputation should so far forget the proper decorum which should characterize a newspaper as to offer to its readers an article so sacrilegious as the above. In adopting the "new departure," has the *Whig* forgotten its duty to God, and would it inculcate in the so-called Conservative party a total forgetfulness of Providence? We believe all true Virginians will deprecate and utterly abhor this "departure" from the conservative faith of our people.

A. L. R.

GENERAL NEWS.

—Halifax cleared $100,000 off the regatta.

—Bogus "Chicago sufferers" are abundant and thievish in Western cities and towns.

—San Francisco sends $100,000 to the Chicago and $20,000 to the Wisconsin sufferers.

—Michael Maloney was found guilty of murder in the first degree at Memphis, yesterday, for killing a negro some years ago.

—Dr. A. S. Dowd, President of the Mississippi State Senate, died at Greenwood Springs, near Aberdeen, on Sunday the 22d of October.

—The Terre Haute (Indiana) *Journal* says: "In some of the river bottom farms, it is no great shucks this fall to find 75 bushels of corn to the acre."

—France has paid Germany £60,000,000 of the indemnity, leaving £140,000,000 due, of which $20,000,000 is payable next spring and the remainder at the end of three years.

—In Savannah, the other day, a rooster enjoyed a ride through the streets on the back of a runaway horse which had been frightened by the perching of the fowl upon him.

—Charles Dean, a prominent citizen of Greenwood, Mississippi, was shot and killed by an unknown assassin a few days ago. A gentleman who acompanied him was also fired upon, but escaped.

—Mr. L. A. Hardee, of Honeymoon, near Jacksonville, carries to the Augusta Fair several banana trees, varieties of ripe strawberries, and, among other things, thirteen oranges that weigh thirty-one pounds.

—The Navy department has received a letter from Dr. Peterman, of Gotha, confirming the reported discovery of an open Polar Sea by the expedition under Captain Weyprecht and Lieutenant Payer, of the Austrian army.

—Miss Josephine C. Spinner, daughter of the U. S. Treasurer, well known in Washington society, is to be married to Mr. Jas. M. Shoemaker, in the First M. E. church at Mohawk, N. Y., on Wednesday evening next, the 8th instant.

—Second Lieutenant Frederick D. Grant, 4th cavalry, (eldest son of the President,) has been ordered to report to the General of the Army. Lieut. Grant will accompany General Sherman and Colonel Audenreid on their tour of inspection to Europe.

—A Mr. J. L. Vernon, a Virginian, is out in New York with the offer of a reward of $3,000 for the recovery of $12,000 in gold dust, out of which he thinks he has been defrauded by two men who accompanied him from Colorado, where he has been working a gold mine.

—Wheeling, West Va., boasts of a man who has "twice been a candidate for United States Senator, once for State Senate, once for the House of Delegates, twice for the city council, and once for the constitutional convention, all within seven years—and it may be added, has never been elected to anything."

Gadesden county industrial and immigration association held their regular meeting at Quincy, Fla., on the 14th ult. Several interesting reports were made. The most experienced farmers report a very short yield of cotton. Corn and cane crops good. The president, Judge Du Pont, stated that the crops in Gadsden and Decatur (Ga.) counties were better than any he had seen in his travels in the Southern States.

—According to the official returns, the majority for the Republican candidate for Auditor-General in Pennsylvania, David Stanton, is 14,490. That of Robert B. Beath, for Surveyor-General, is 20,370. One cause of the difference in this majority is owing to a disaffection in Alleghany county, where about twenty-five hundred German Republicans adopted as their ticket McCandless and Beath. Thus while McCandless ran ahead of his ticket, Cooper, the other Democratic candidate, ran behind. The majority for a constitutional convention is 260,158. The last constitutional convention was in 1838—thirty-three years ago.

—A man who had fought "mit" Sherman was caught in one of the Wisconsin prairie fires with no means of building a back fire, and so he imitated the gophers. Cutting a huge sod with his hunting knife, he threw the dry dirt out until a hole sufficient for his body was made, when he crawled in and rolled the turf over him. He lay there until the fire had passed over him and was spreading furiously on its way miles distant, and then slowly he crawled out of his living grave, heated fearfully, but injured in no way whatever.

The latest details of the Los Angelos horror gives a worse version of the riot than was first reported. The mob appears to have been actuated solely from animosity of race and a desire for plunder. The witnesses before the coroner's jury are apparently reluctant to give testimony, fearing that they will implicate two Chinamen, who boasted of having assisted in killing the Chinese. The Chinaman who shot Officer Beldwam has been arrested and turned over to the authorities by the Chinese themselves and is now in jail. Only four rioters have been arrested. From fourteen to thirty thousand dollars and all the valuables belonging to the Chinese were carried off by the mob, and even those arrested were robbed on their way to jail.

—The news that a controlling interest in the Louisville, Cincinnati and Lexington railroad has been purchased by the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad Company will create some surprise among those who supposed that the Pennsylvania Company had secured that important link between the North and South. If the verbal agreement which is reported to have been entered into is concluded, the Pennsylvania Company will have to take some new and important action. It has gained an independent entrance into Cincinnati, and for the sake of securing a Southern connection, has built, of great cost, a bridge across the Ohio. A road South the Pennsylvania Company must now have. How it is going to be obtained is a question of much interest to Cincinnati. The reported agreement, if confirmed, assures the entrance of the Ohio & Chesapeake railroad into this city, and gives us another and important connection with the East.—*Cincinnati Gazette.*

The Situation at Yorkville.

The following information was brought by a gentleman from Yorkville, yesterday, of the stuation of affairs there:

Two hundred Ku-Klux in all have made voluntary confession of their connection with the Klan, and have surrendered themselves to the authorities, totally disgusted with their connection with it. Thirty-seven of this class came in Monday afternoon. These make their confessions of their connection with the nefarious organization in writing.

Three hundred, it is estimated, have fled to escape the penalty of their crimes or to avoid arrest. Among this last number is General Avery, the Grand "Cyclops," who is reported as being in Canada at the present time. This is the report; our informant was not aware of the full amount of credit that should be attached to it.

One hundred and two are confined in the jail at Yorkville. These are the men who have been arrested by the officers.

One person confined among this number was ascertained to have been innocent of the charge against him, and promptly released.

The prisoners state they have every comfort to be expected under the circumstances, that they are well treated, have plenty to eat, and that their friends are allowed to visit them, the reception hours being from 10 till 12 o'clock each day.

Captain Ogden, United States Army, has immediate charge of the jail.

The preliminary examinations before the United States Commissioner will be made so soon as the confessions can be gone through with. The latter embrace so numerous a class that it has been found necessary to parole them to report on stated days, that ther confessions may be taken down in full. This has been done in the cases thus far, and it is stated will furnish some choice reading for some of their Democratic friends.

The statement contained in the Columbia *Phœnix*, of Sunday, is denied *in toto*, as being false from beginning to end, as no women have been arrested.—*Columbia (S. C.) Union.*

SAVINGS FOR OLD AGE.—No one denies that it is wise to make provision for old age, but we are not all agreed as to the kind of provision it is best to lay in. Certainly we shall want a little money, for a destitute old man is indeed a sorry sight; yes, save money by all means. But an old man needs just that particular kind of strength which young men are apt to waste. Many a foolish young fellow will throw away on a holliday a certain amount of nervous energy, which he will never feel the want of until he is seventy, and then, how much he will want it! It is curious, but true, that a bottle of champagne at twenty, will intensify the rheumatism at threescore.

It is a fact, that overtasking the eyes at fourteen, may necessitate the aid of spectacles at forty instead of sixty. We advise our young readers to be saving of health for their old age, for the maxim holds good in regard to health as well as to money, "Waste not, Want not." It is the greatest mistake to suppose that violation of the laws of health can escape its penalty. Nature forgives no sin, no error; she lets off the offender for fifty years sometimes, but she catches him at last, and inflicts the punishment just when and where, and just how he feels it most. Save up for old age, but save knowledge; save the recollections of good and noble deeds, innocent pleasures and pure thoughts; save friends, save love. Save rich stores of the kind of wealth which time cannot diminish nor death take away.—*Rural New Yorker.*

THE NEW "SHORT CUT" TO EUROPE. The opening of the European and North American railway is an event of more than usual importance. This road, which completes a connection between New York and Halifax by the most direct route practicable, will shorten the present quickest time between that port and Liverpool by many hours, and when the line is completed to White Haven Bay, at the extreme eastern end of Nova Scotia, the distance to Liverpool will be still further reduced by cutting off some one hundred and twenty-five miles of sea voyage.

The whole saving of distance effected by the new line is at least seven hundred miles, and as the saving in distance is made by cutting off the least safe and agreeable part of the voyage, it may be expected that the new line will effect an important diversion of European travel. No such diversion of freights need be anticipated, since the cost of transshipment and forwarding them by rail would be at once more costly and less expeditious than by sending them direct to this and other ports of entry without breaking bulk; but it is safe to predict for the line an extensive and profitable local and throuhg traffic, and its prospects of success rest upon a substantial basis.—*New York Bulletin.*

A DUELLING INCIDENT.—An indiscreet gentleman, who had given offense to a young lady in Louisville, Kentucky, a few days since, was challenged by the that-is-to-be husband of the insulted. While the challenged party was reading the invitation to go out and be shot, his little daughter came up and said, "Papa, mother wants you!" The father then turned to the challenge-bearer, and said:

" This is my little girl, whose happiness and education and living would be taken from her were I to be killed. I have also a wife and a baby whose welfare I must look to. This meeting, if fatal to me, would deprive them of their only support. My opponent is a young man, without wife, or children, or family. He has very little to lose." The challenge-bearer was almost melted to tears. The picture just drawn was true to life, and he determined to return to his principal and ask for a compromise. The latter was a high-toned, chivalrous Kentucky gentleman, whose heart at once responded to the appeal for mercy. A compromise was effected. It was agreed that the duel should be postponed till the first party got married and became the father of children. Then they will be on an equal footing and can test each other's courage.

GOOD NEWS.—The Asheville *Citizen* learns upon the authority of Col. Tate, President of the Eastern Division of the Western North Carolina railroad, that he has made arrangements with the Pennsylvania Central railroad company, for the completion of the road from Old Fort, to Wolf Creek, Tenn., and that the work will commence in the course of a few weeks, or as soon as the contract can be carried out in detail.—*Raleigh (N. C.) Era.*

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DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES for the Eastern District of Virginia.

To all whom it may concern, Greeting:

Notice is hereby given, That, on the 30th day of October, 1871, four (4) barrels of whiskey and one (1) barrel of apple brandy, valued at $200, and said to be claimed by T. D. Jeffries, were seized by the Marshal of the United States for said district as forfeited to the use of the United States, and the same is libeled and prosecuted in this Court in the name of the United States, for condemnation for the causes in the said libel set forth, and that said cause will stand for trial at the court-room in the city of Richmond, on the 18th day of November, 1871, next, when and where all persons are warned to appear to show cause why condemnation should not be decreed, and to intervene for their interests.

Dated October 30th, 1871.

DAVID B. PARKER,
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ASSIGNEE'S SALE

OF

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IN PITTSYLVANIA COUNTY, AT AUCTION

By virtue of a decree of the U. S. District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia, I will sell, as assignee of James T. Law, bankrupt, in the town of Danville, in front of the post-office, on

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 24TH, 1871,

at 12 o'clock M., a one-ninth undivided interest in

FOUR HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FOUR ACRES OF LAND,

lying in Pittsylvania county, Va., on the waters of Sandy river, adjoining the lands of Henry D. Hines and others.

ALSO,

at the same time and place, an interest in the estate of Burwell Law, dec'd.

TERMS—One-third cash; the balance on a credit of 6 and 12 months, equal installments, secured by bonds with good security, for the deferred payments and title retained until all of the purchase money is paid.

THOS. E. COBBS,
no 3—1aw3w Assignee.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE

OF

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN FRANKLIN COUNTY, AT AUCTION.

By virtue of a decree of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia I will sell, as assignee of William Hairston, bankrupt, at Franklin court-house, Va., on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 4TH, 1871,

A TRACT OF LAND,

containing 25 acres, lying in Franklin county, Va, on the waters of Bubble's branch, adjoining the lands of Perry Ferguson and others.

ALSO,

at the same time and place one-third interest in 500 acres of land held by the bankrupt's mother during her life, and lying in Franklin county, Va, on the waters of Pig river, and adjoining the lands of Pefer Sanders and others.

TERMS—One-third cash; the balance on a credit of 6 and 12 months, the purchaser giving bonds, with good security, for the deferred payments, and title retained until all of the purchase money is paid. THOS. E. COBBS,
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ASSIGNEE'S SALE

OF

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN THE COUNTIES OF PITTSYLVANIA AND LOUISA, AT AUCTION.

By virtue of a decree of the U. S. District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia, I will sell, as assignee of James W. Milner, bankrupt, at Cascade, Pittsylvania county, Va., on

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1871,

one lot at the village of Cascade, Pittsylvania county, Va., and a one-sixth interest in

ONE HUNDRED ACRES OF LAND

lying in Louisa county, Va. This property will be sold free from all liens and encumbrances.

TERMS—One third [cash; the balance on a credit of 6 and 12 months, equal installments, the purchaser giving bonds, with good security, for the deferred payments, and title retained until all of the purchase money is paid.

THOS. E. COBBS,
no 3—1aw3w Assignee.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE

OF

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN FRANKLIN CO., VA, AT AUCTION.

By virtue of a decree of the U. S. District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia, I will sell, as assignee of Moses T. Greer, bankrupt, on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 4TH, 1871,

at Franklin court-house, Va., a three-fifth interest in the estate of Fletcher J. Thompson, dec'd, consisting of

ONE HUNDRED and SIXTY ACRES OF LAND

Also, at the same time and place, one-fifty-fifth interest in

SIX HUNDRED ACRES OF LAND,

belonging to the estate of Marshall Price, dec'd. All of the above lands are situated in Franklin county, Va., on the waters of Blackwater river.

TERMS—One-third cash; the balance on a credit of six and twelve months, the purchaser giving bonds, with good security, for the deferred payments, and title retained until all of the purchase money is paid. THOS. E. COBBS,
no 3—1aw3w Assignee.

PUBLIC SALE.

Will be sold at public auction, on the 9th day of November, 1871, at 12 o'clock M., at the factory of Tatum & Brown, in Patrick county, Va., the following property, to wit:

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500 lbs. SCRAP TOBACCO,
2 BOX SCREWS,
2 SCREW PRESSES,
1 ROLL BENCH,
1 IRON LEVER.

The above property is sold by order of the U. S. District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia.

TERMS OF SALE—Cash.

G. C. ALDEN,
oc 24—tds Special Commissioner

BANKRUPT NOTICES.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES for the Eastern District of Virginia.

In the matter of P. Keenan et als vs. W. J. Cussen, bankrupt—in bankruptcy.

To Whom it May Concern—The undersigned, H. W. Bransford, of Richmond city, Virginia, hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of the estate of W. J. Cussen, of Richmond city, in said District, who was, on the 6th day of September, 1871, adjudged a bankrupt on the petition of P. Keenan et als by the District Court of said District.

Dated Richmond, October 12, 1871.

H. W. BRANSFORD,
oc 13—F3w Assignee.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES for the Eastern District of Virginia.

In the matter of J. Rananzhan vs. J. D. & A. F. Mosby, bankrupts—in bankruptcy.

To Whom it May Concern—The undersigned, Francis T. Isbell, of Richmond city, Virginia, hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of the estate of J. D. & A. F. Mosby, of Henrico county, in said District, who were, on the 15th day of August, 1871, adjudged bankrupts on the petition of J. Rananzhan by the District Court of said district.

Dated Richmond, October 12th, 1871.

FRANCIS T. ISBELL,
oc 13—F3w Assignee.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES for the Eastern District of Virginia.

In the matter of Charles Howard, bankrupt—in bankruptcy.

Eastern District of Virginia, ss:

Notice is hereby given that a last general meeting of the creditors of the said Charles Howard, bankrupt, for the purpose of declaring a dividend, will be held at Richmond, at the office of W. W. Forbes, register in bankruptcy, in said district, on Wednesday, the 1st day of November, 1871, at 10 o'clock A. M., in accordance with the provisions of the 27th and 28th sections of the bankruptcy act of March 2d, 1867.

Dated at Richmond, this 21st day of October, 1871. JOHN JOHNS, JR.,
oc 21—S2w Assignee.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES for the Eastern District of Virginia.

In the matter of S. C. Hunt et als vs. J. H. McNeir, bankrupt—in bankruptcy.

To Whom it May Concern—The undersigned, Robert Leckey, of Richmond city, Virginia, hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of the estate of J. H. McNeir, of Richmond city, in said district, who was, on the 15th day of July, 1871, declared a bankrupt on the petition of S. C. Hunt et als by the District Court of said district.

Dated Richmond, October 12, 1871.
oc 13—F3w RO. LECKEY, Assignee.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES for the Eastern District of Virginia.

In the matter of Apolus Boutwell, bankrupt—in bankruptcy.

To Whom it May Concern:—The undersigned, Emmet Crump, of Richmond city, Virginia, hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of the estate of Apolus Boutwell, of Caroline county, in said district, who was, on the 19th day of September, A. D., 1871, adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition by the District court of said district.

Dated Richmond, October 12, 1871.
oc 13—F3w EMMET CRUMP, Assignee.

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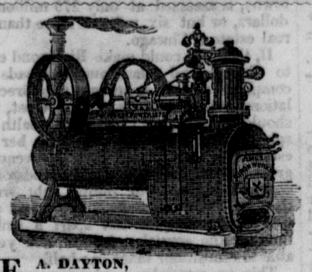

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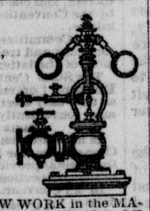

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