Richest Man In World Is Not An American But A Japanese Trader

Fortune Has Been Built Up In Empire Through Many Years Of Trading.

Most people believe that the richest man in the world must be an American. Some particularly nationalistic Frenchmen will claim that some Lyons silk man is the wealthiest. In the days when Hugo Stinnes lived, the Germans read his name written in giant letters on the coalboats on the Rhine, and told us: "Der reichste mann in der welt." In reality, the richest man in the world is neither American nor French, nor English. He is a Japanese and his name is Hachiroemon Mitsui.

One cannot say that he is a self-made man or a "new rich." His fortune, indeed, does not date back to yesterday. It is simply the result of centuries of hard work and efforts.

A thing that might surprise us is that there is nothing in the history of that fortune that resembles in any way the daring speculation or enterprises which so often are the basis of success of modern millionaires.

The billions which have come down to this man are the most magnificent testimony to what human effort may bring about if pursued through twelve generations.

All that is sold or bought or transported in Japan is placed under the sign of "M B K."

These three initials are the ones of the Mitsui Bussan Kaisha, or "Hitsui Company of Trade."

There is also a Mitsui bank, a Mitsui Construction company, a Mitsui Storage company. All these companies are presided over by M Hachiroemon Mitsui, the present king of this state within a state

The first artisan of this unheard of success was a woman. A woman dealing with financial and commercial matters in the year 1660 in the Far East—that is something undreamed of!

This woman's name was Schuhe She was the daughter of a samuran and had married Hokub Mitsui, prince of Chigo. The name of Chigo is one of the oldest names of the Japanese aristocracy. Foreseeing the future, this genius of a woman understood that money was the surest guaranty of future grandeur. She decided to go into business.

She started by lending money

Her success was so remarkable that she started a sake wine business and, showing her very modern understanding of publicity, she called her shop "The Prince of Chigo's Wine Shop.' It was something as incredible as if the aristocrats of 200 years ago had read a poster announcing "The Duke de la Rochefoucauld's Wine and Liquor Shop."

Of her three boys only Hachirobe became famous. It was he who managed his mother's business after her death. He expended it remarkably and founded new enterprises in the three biggest towns of the empire.

Hachirobe Hitsui worked a real revolution in the commercial habits and traditions of Japan. He introduced sales for cash which up to then had been unknown, and got people accustomed to paying cash by allowing them a rebate on cash payments. He organized department stores before ever any European business men thought of them.

Shortly before 1639 he founded a mutual aid society for his employes which gave them medical assistance. In a word, Hachirobe Hitsui was a man of genius.—Translated for the Milwaukee Journal from Le Gringoire Paris.

Jonas Talked And Then Talked Again

Said Things, Then Squirmed and Hedged, Was Substantial Justice?

(Monroe Journal).

Without a record vote the senate of he United States on last Wednesday refused to "advise and consent" to the appointment of Mr. Charles A. Jonas as U. S. district attorney for this district.

Mr. Jonas has made himself a victim of loose talk. And the fact that he had talked so loosely, both in what he said originally, and in his explanation of it before the senate committee, lodged in the minds of at least some senators the belief that he is not a man of such equitable temper as to be best fitted for an important office.

The idea that Mr. Jonas was defeated on the ground that he was personally obnoxious to Senator Bailey in the sense which that term is generally understood, is wholly untrue. Senator Bailey stated to the senate in reply to a question point blank from Senator Reed of Pennsylvania, that Mr. Jonas was personally obnoxious because of the slanderous things he had said about the courts of North Carolina. And on this explanation Senator Reed, Republican, stated that he would vote against Jonas.

Senator Norris of Nebraska took the ground that if Mr Jonas' protestations of sympatny for honest elections had been sircere, he would not have rushed into the newspapers and libeled the Nye investigating committee (insinuating that it had been bought) when that committee came to North Carolina in the interest of honest elections. And in the investigation before the committee Jonas made such an exhibition of himself on that score that his cause was injured. Among other things he admitted that he had libelled the senate committee (that is admitted that he had said the things which the senators considered libelous) and when he made his attack he did not know what the duty of that committee was and was ignorant of the law under which it was operating. And Senator Bailey said on the floor of the senate that while Jonas had denied that he knew what the law was, he subsequently said twice that he did know.

There was no charge that Mr. Jonas is not strictly an upright and honest man in all his personal relations, a thing to which most of those writing or appearing in his behalf largely confined their remarks to. He was turned down because of evidence that he was so partisan and rash a man in his public utterances that he came within the reasonable definition of what may be considered obnoxious and objectionable to the senators from North Carolina who opposed his confirmation.

A careful reading of the record in the senate must convince any one that Mr. Jonas got about what could reasonably be expected. Mr. Jonas has been one of the most violent talkers about corruption in North Carolina and when called to book he so hedged and backfired that the senate was not favorably impressed by his course. And, too, there was his statement made to H. E. C. Bryant that the Pritchard contest was his answer to Senator Morrison's first request that he be not confirmed. Mr. Jonas at first denied this statement and then hedged on it like he had hedged about his remarks about Senator Nye. Therefore, at least some of the senators must have concluded that Mr. Jonas was interested in the Pritchard contest as a matter of revenge and political manipulation.

The sum of the matter seems to be that Mr. Jonas fell like so many others fall, as a result of too much prosperity. On being elected to congress in 1928, he misread the signs. He must have decided that he was more of an IT than he thought he was. He was caught in the whirl of the times when Democratic prospects were in a low ebb in North Carolina and when it was highly fashionable to talk about how mean the demmies are. He went too far. He was not willing to stop with damning the Democrats of the state but took a far journey and damned a Republican committee sent down by a Republican senate. At any rate, Mr. Jonas has been trimmed nicely and no doubt with substantial justice.

Double Shoals News Of Week

Methodist Plan Revival. David Lankford Ill. Personals.

(Special to The Star.)

Double Shoals, April 6.—A large crowd was present Sunday night at the Methodist church at regular monthly services. The pastor, Rev E. E. Snow of Fallston delivered one of the best sermons since he became pastor of the church from the subject of "The Need and Joy of a Revival—In Business, Body, Soul and Church."

At the close of the sermon the majority upon invitation, joined hands with the pastor saying we want such a revival.

Mr. David Lankford is seriously ill in the Shelby hospital with double pneumonia, his many friends will be sorry to know

Mr. David Grigg is very sick at his home with bronchial pneumonia and ulcerated stomach.

Rev. E. E. Snow, of Fallston, and J. W. Costner and Mrs. Mary Dietz were the supper guests Sunday night of Mr. and Mrs. Everett L. Champion.

The weekly teachers' meeting of the Baptist church will meet Friday night of this week.

Mrs. Vick Thackerson of Shelby spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Evans Lankford.

Mrs. G. C. Eskridge spent Saturday in Shelby shopping.

Mr. Clemmie Towery of Lawndale spent Friday night with his sister, Mr. Carl Turner.

Mr. Loyd Cook spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cook of Carpenters Grove communtiy.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stroup of Shelby spent the week-end with Mrs. Stroup's mother, Mrs. Joseph Lankford.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Chapman of upper Cleveland spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hull.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Panther of Shelby spent the week-end with Mrs. Joseph Lankford

Mr. and Mrs. Shannon Lee, of Palm Tree, spent Tuesday night with Mrs. Mary Dietz.

Mr. Dule McFarlin has been sick for the past few days but is better and able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Dother Pearson of Shelby visited their grandmother Mrs. Wright Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Toney, of Lawndale, spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs. Due McFarlin.

Mr. and Mrs. David Thackerson and Everett Lee Champion and little son, Delmer, visited Mr. and Mrs. Bryson Russ at Henrietta Sunday.

Mrs. Jim Toney of Catawba county is visiting her brother, David Grigg who is very sick.

Mr. Charles L. Champion and family motored to Morganton Sunday.

Little Miss Pauline Costner has been confined to her bed sick with flu for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cornwell and children spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Cornwell.

Questions and Answers—

(Our readers can get an answer to The Cleveland Star, Washington Bureau, 1322 New York avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C. Write your name and address on one side of the paper, state your question clearly and enclose 2 cents in stamps for reply postage. Do not write legal, medical or religious questions.)

Q. Have giraffes, kangaroos and armadillos voice?

A. No.

Q. On what ticket did the late Senator Robert M. LaFollette run for president and how many votes did he receive?

A. He was the nominee of the Progressive and Socialist parties in 1924, and received 4,822,856 votes In several states other party names had to be used on the ballots.

Q. What is the normal temperature of the human body?

A. It is 98.6 degrees Fahrenheit.

Q. Is money won by Americans on foreign sweepstakes subject to income tax,

A. Yes.

Q. Did George Washington have any brothers and sisters?

A. He had two half-brothers, Lawrence and Augustine, three full brothers, Samuel, John Augustine and Charles; and one sister, Betty.

Q. How far is it by rail from New York to Chicago.

A. It is 909 miles.

Q. Where is Assyria

A. The Assyrian Empire existed from 728 B. C. to 606 B. C. It has been extinct for over 2,300 years.

Q. How did Floyd Gibbons lose his left eye?

A. He lost it while he was war correspondent in France during the World war.

Q. Did George Washington sign the Declaration of Independence.

A. No. It was issued by the Continental Congress of which he was not a member.

Q. What is the Volstead act?

A. It is the law to enforce the 18th amendment to the constitution and introduced by Representative Andrew J. Volstead and passed by congress October 28, 1919, becoming effective January 16, 1920

Q. How many Mary's and John's are mentioned in the New Testament?

A. The Mary's of the New Testament are Mary, the mother of James; the other Mary; Mary of Clopas; Mary of Bethany, sister of Martha; Mary Magdalene; Mary the mother of Mark; Mary saluted by Paul; and the Virgin Mary. The John's of the New Testament are John the Baptist, John the disciple of Jesus, John the father of Simon Peter, John Mark, and John of Acts 4:6.

Q. How many members has the United States Interstate Commerce commission?

A. Eleven.

Q. What is the name of the song that Norma Shearer sang in the motion picture "Private Lives?"

A. "Some Day I'll Find You."

Q. What are the salaries of the chief justice and the associate justices of the United States supreme court?

A. The salary of the chief justice is $20,500 a year and that of the associate justices $20,000 a year.

Q. What is a fluoroscope?

A. A device for observing the shadows of objects cast by the x-ray.

Q. How much air is there in water?

A. Water does not contain air. It is composed of oxygen and hydrogen. Air is composed of oxygen, nitrogen and argon.

Q. What is the total population and area of the Japanese Empire?

A. Area 260,738 square miles; population 91,278,819

Col. Freeman, War Vet, Will Make Keynote Speech At State Convention

Governor Gardner Makes Selection After Conferring With Chairman Mull.

Raleigh, April 6.—Colonel George K. Freeman, Goldsboro lawyer and ex-commander of the American legion for North Carolina, will make the Democratic keynote speech here June 16 when the state convention is held.

Governor Gardner conferred with State Chairman O. M. Mull Monday and then announced that Colonel Freeman will be the temporary chairman, which honor carries with it the duty to make the keynote speech. Some of these addresses have made political history and some of them of course never have been heard three feet from the speaker's stand, nor read, though printed in full in the papers. But the keynoter often is the most important orator of the whole campaign year. There never is any doubt that the honor of speaking the word in season is a great one.

The selection of Colonel Freeman is a double-barreled distinction. He is the first of the American legionnaires to be so exalted. There were 45 of these soldiers in the late general assembly, but until State Treasurer John P. Stedman was called to his post he was the only man among the legion who has been decorated with a constitutional office. Frank D. Grist, commissioner of labor, and Dan C. Boney, commissioner of insurance hold state offices, and many soldiers are employed in the department. But party policy has not been before interpreted by a legionnaire.

Colonel Freeman is not identified with the administration. There is no connection with it direct or indirect. But Governor Gardner is very happy to have so fine and militant a young Democrat to speak for the party and the record that it has made through the first 32 years of the new century.

The keynoter served with great credit overseas. For 1929 and 1930 he was chosen state commander of the American legion and he has been a member of the national executive committee of the American legion. He has been chairman of the Democratic executive committee of Wayne county and was a delegate to the national Democratic convention in 1924.

Events About Washington

Washington. — Party platforms take in scores of subjects, but doesn't it strike you as peculiar that the only plank which is causing discussion in either party is the one covering prohibition? Excited speculation about that one plank has been in progress for many months, with never a word to indicate that certain other issues demand consideration.

And that same wet-dry question, more important in politics than ever befor edespite the pressure of many other problems, has produced a situation in the Democratic party that no one could possibly have anticipated four years ago.

Most of the drys among politicians in the south and west are supporting the wet Governor Roosevelt of New York, whose bitterest opposition comes from dripping wet leaders in the east. Two of the party's most rabid drys, Senator Sheppard of Texas and William G. McAdoo, are endorsing Speaker Garner.

Almost everyone here is convinced that Garner, if nominated, will declare for re-submission which, according to official dry warnings, would make him a wet. McAdoo has committed himself to the extent of heading the Garner slate of delegates entered in the California primaries.

Hoover And Grant!

Mr. Hoover has often of late been compared with Lincoln and Washington by fellow Republicans, but it remained for Senator Simeon D. Fess, of Ohio, chairman of the G. O. P. national committee, to liken his administration to that of Grant. Fess entered his 'teens during the Grant period, but he is a great scholar and it is generally conceded that the scandals of the Grant administration, involving a host of high officeholders, are unmatched in American history. But good old Papa Fess, addressing a Young Republicans' group, said:

"The opposition to General Grant in his first term was just exactly as the opposition we have in our own party today toward President Hoover, but you always have it from certain groups toward any man who happens to be president of the United States."

One rises in protest to protest the Hoover administration's prestige!

Kind-Hearted Hiram.

Senator Hiram Johnson of California, ferocious as he is when slashing at international bankers and internationalists, has a soft, kindly heart.

Few pairs of senators are such bitter political enemies as he and the other California senator, Sam Shortridge. Both are Republicans, but Shortridge is pro-Hoover and conservative. Johnson opposed him in his 1926 campaign for renomination and probably will oppose him again this year.

But recently "Sad Sam" became quite ill and was conducted to be! And while Johnson set out to do all kinds of legislative favors for him, Mrs. Johnson began sending flowers and fruit. They did everything for Sam that they could think of. After getting well and back on the job, Shortridge told the senate:

"I have no words adequate to express my deep appreciation. . . . I shall never forget his kindness."

Not For Huey

There will be no kind words exchanged between those two Louisiana Democratic senators, Huey Long and the older Edwin S. Broussard. They hate each other and the "Kingfish" has promised not to let him have another term.

When Long is absent in Louisiana, as he often is, it's Sheppard of Texas and not Broussard—to whom the duty falls by custom—who announces that he is 'necessarily out of the city."

In contrast is the faithful performance of Carter Glass of Virginia, whose colleague, Claude Swanson, has been away these many weeks as a delegate to the Geneva Arms conference and will be gone many weeks more. Day after day, Glass regularly announces to the senate that "my colleague the senior senator from Virginia is absent in attendance upon the disarmament conference at Geneva."

Air Cooling For Long Trip Trains; Extra Fares Stop

Pullman System Of Temperature Control Ordered For The George Washington.

Some of the principal Eastern railroad lines, besides reducing schedules of their crack flyers and abolishing extra fares on many others, are planning other vigorous steps in an attempt to halt the decline of passenger travel.

Added comforts and conveniences for the public seem to be the keynote of the plans the railroad managers have worked out, some of which will become apparent in early summer. Chief among them are plans for air-cooling and conditioning passenger coaches and sleeping cars.

The apparent reluctance of the railroad managers to go into the air-cooling and conditioning of whole trains on a large scale has been due to their feeling that the application of air-cooling systems to railroad trains, as has successfully been done for short distances by the Baltimore and Ohio between New Yok and Washington, had not reached a stage of perfection where the large initial expenditures were warranted for long distance trains of sleeping cars.

The Pullman Company, after exhaustive testing and research, seems to have developed a system of cooling sleeping cars, chair cars and coaches which meets the views of the mechanical departments of the railroads, and it has sufficient orders on hand to cause it to put 500 men at work in its shops at Pullman, Ill. The shops practically have been closed for two years.

Although cooling systems have been applied to individual dining cars and to chair cars, and Pullman has on hand orders for cooling a score of diners for some of the Western lines which operate across the desert, the first order for equipping a solid sleeping car train with the Pullman air-cooling and conditioning system was placed early this year by the Chesapeake & Ohio, for its new train, the George Washington, which will be put in operation April 24.

The system which is being installed on the George Washington operates electrically and uses a new refrigerating agent which is described as odorless and harmless, but which is capable of maintaining temperatures as lo was 65 degrees when the outside temperatures are as high as 100.

Twenty-one Pullman sleepers and observations lounge cars are being equipped for the George Washington.

The Chesapeake and Ohio, which claims Geoge Washington as the originator of its route and also as the first president of one of its predecessor companies, has named the train as its contribution to the Bicentennial celebration. The train, in addition to being entirely air-cooled and conditioned, will be furnished and decorated in the Colonial manner, and its cars are to be named for persons and places associated with Washington's part in the Revolution.

Belwood News Of Current Week

Picnic in Sain's Pasture. Twin Girls Are Born. Quilting Party.

(Special to The Star.)

Belwood, April 7.—The contest between the Young Men's and and Young Ladies classes of Knob Creek church came to a close on March 27. The boys won the contest. The young ladies entertained them by giving them a picnic Saturday afternoon in Mr. Frank Sain's pasture.

The younger set of this community surprised Miss Eliza Stamey with a party Saturday evening. Games, contests, progressive conversation were enjoyed throughout the evening.

The community welcomes Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Jeffries and children of Lincolnton to this section.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Buff and daughter Miss Nellie Sue of the Pleasant Hill community spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sain.

Mrs. Willis Hoyle of Vale spent several days the past week with her father Mr. George Peeler.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Plato Meade, a dainty daughter. Mrs. Meade before marriage was Miss Monta Lula Richard.

Miss Ethel Norman of Hendersonville, spent last week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Norman.

Miss Florence Dayberry and friend Miss Dellinger of Lincolnton spent Saturday afternoon with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Turner and son Duddy visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Warlick of Vale Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Davis announce the birth of twin daughters.

Miss Madeline Porter is spending several days with Mrs. Thad Ford of Shelby.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sain and children and Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Buff and Mr. Ralph Richard spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Richard of Plateau.

Mrs. Dargan Greene reports new cabbage from her garden.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Smith accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cline and children of Lawndale visited Mr. and Mrs. Hoyle Costner of Beams Mill Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Hugh Hoyle entertained several ladies last Wednesday with a quilting party. Three quilts were made. Those present were Mesdames S. A. Peeler, H. G. Stamey, R. C. Dixon, Frank Stamey, George Martin, Mrs. Judd Jones of Shelby and Mrs B. P. Peeler. Delicious refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Elkins were the dinner guests of Dr. and Mrs. A. A Lackey of Fallston Sunday.

Mrs. W. R. Porter and children visited Mrs. Thad Ford at the Charlotte hospital Tuesday.

Mrs. B. P. Peeler accompanied by Mrs. A. A. Lackey of Fallston attended the quilting at the home of Mrs. H. F. Royster near Flay on Tuesday.

Mrs. Seth Ivester and children of near Casar spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Willis.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Peeler and children and Mrs. H. G. Stamey were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hull of Flay Sunday.

Misses Dorothy Peeler and Amy Sue Tillman spent several days the past week with Miss Gertie Tillman of Cherryville.

Miss Lorene Spurling of near Lawndale, spent Thursday night Miss Rosemary Peeler.

Miss Ella Gantt of Rockdale spent Sunday with Miss Katherine Hubbard.

Mr. and Mrs. Decatur Elmore and Mrs. W. W. Richard visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Warlick of Vale on Sunday afternoon.

Misses Ruth, Velma and Vera Hartman spent several days last week with their sister Mrs. Grady Davis of Gastonia.

NOTICE

North Carolina, Cleveland County.
In the Superior Court, Before the Clerk.
A. B. Ware and wife, E. J. Ware, Allie B. Ware, widow, Claude Webb, single, J. E. Webb and wife, L. B. Webb, Howard Suttle and wife, Evelyn Suttle, Harry Suttle, single, Sudie Kendrick and husband, Will Kendrick, T. F. Roberts, single, Bessie Roberts, single, Z. V. Roberts, single, S. Lester Roberts and wife Ella Roberts, Ida Cornwell and husband, P. V. Cornwell, Jno. E. Roberts and wife, Annie Roberts, Chas. H. Wells and wife, Tonce Wells, Petitioners

vs.

Emma Ware Alspaugh and husband, A. E. Alspaugh, Laura Wilson and husband T. Max Wilson, Georgia Mauney and husband, R. T. Mauney, J. Marvin Wells and wife, Lucy Wells, May Connor, widow, Ruth Christopher and husband, Jno. D. Christopher, Eastman Ware, if living and wife —— Ware, if living, if dead the heirs of Eastman Ware, Mamie Ware Crews, widow and Frances Suttle, single, Defendants.

The defendants Emma Ware Alspaugh and husband A. E. Alspaugh, Ruth Christopher and husband, Jno. D. Christopher, Eastman Ware, if living, and wife —— Ware, if living, and if dead the heirs of Eastman Ware, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the superior court of Cleveland county, N. C. for the partition and sale of certain real estate lying and being in Cleveland county, N. C. and belonging to the estate of Laura A. Wells deceased in which each of the defendants have an interest; and the said defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear in the office of the clerk of Superior court, Cleveland county, N. C. on Monday, April 18th, 1932 and answer or demur to the complaint in said action or the petitioners will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This March 18, 1932.

A. M. HAMRICK, Clerk Superior Court.

Jno. P. Mull, Atty. for Petitioners. 4t Mar 18c

Answers To Star's Question Box On Page One

Below are the answers to the test questions printed on page 1.

1. Los Angeles.
2. Japan.
3. Washington.
4. France.
5. Yes, one-eighth.
6. David Crockett.
7. The gold lira, more commonly called the Turkish pound.
8. The mother's name.
9. Forest Park.
10. Mayor of Chicago.
11. In the Crimea, Russia.
12. "Calamity Jane."
13. Arizona.
14. Before Christ.
15. A movable feast
16. Twice.
17. Mutton.
18. Meteors.
19. A way around.
20. Mule.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE

By virtue of deed of trust executed 20th day of April, 1928 by Clarence Cabaniss and wife, Hattie Cabaniss to me as trustee, and recorded in book 3-H, page 92 of the register's office of Cleveland county, N. C., and after default and demand, I will sell to the highest bidder at the court house door in Shelby, N. C. on Saturday, May 7, 1932, at 12 o'clock M. or within legal hours the following described real estate:

Fully described in book 3-H, page 92 and fronting 66 feet on Hudson street, with a depth of 150 feet

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B. T. FALLS, Trustee.

4t April 8c

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Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Mrs. E. J. Houser, deceased, late of Cleveland county, N. C. this is to notify all persons having claim against the said estate to present them to me properly proven on or before the 21st day of March, 1933 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of any recovery thereof. All persons owing the said estate will please make immediate settlement to the undersigned. This March 23, 1932.

E. C. BORDERS, Admnistrator Mrs. E. J. Houser. 6t Mar 25

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