KALAMA BANK HEAD UNDER $5000 BOND

Cowlitz Institution President Accused of Complicity in Reported $40,000 Shortage.

PROSECUTOR FILES ACTION

J. P. Atkin, Confined to Home and Under Care of Physician, Is Charged With Fraud in Issuing of Overdrafts.

KALAMA, Wash., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—Accused of complicity on the alleged juggling of the accounts of the Cowlitz County Bank that was closed here this week by state investigators, J. P. Atkin, founder, president and cashier as well as a heavy stockholder in the institution, has been arrested on the specific charge of fraud in connection with overdrafts issued in November, 1913, and involving a reported shortage of $40,000. The information was filed by Prosecuting Attorney Kirby. Mr. Atkin later was released under $5000 bail.

Mr. Atkin is confined to his home under the care of a physician. He is advanced in years and always had been held in the highest esteem.

Many of the depositors for a time were not in favor of the immediate appointment of a receiver, but later developments have changed the situation materially. It had been hoped to effect a settlement with the bank officials and resume business after a short delay.

It is declared that the bank has had mortgages against several properties which they kept free from judgments, etc., and which have necessitated the payment of large sums of money. One on the J. B. Hill Lumber Company's mill here is in the sum of $40,000.

Several assessments on stock in an irrigation ditch in Eastern Oregon and several mortgages and personal notes in sums ranging around $10,000 are declared to be involved in expected high finance developments.

Affairs are not shaping as well as was at first expected, and there are rumors that "high finance" developments will be unearthed ere long which, if not made good, will put Mr. Atkin in a most embarrassing position.

MURDERS ABSENT IN YEAR

Grays Harbor County Records Show 54 Violent Deaths.

HOQUIAM, Wash., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—Not one murder occurred in Grays Harbor County during the past year. This is shown by the records of R. F. Hunter, County Coroner.

There were 54 violent or sudden deaths during 1915 in the county, or an average of more than one a week, according to the Coroner's records, but this is the first year in the five years that Dr. Hunter has been Coroner that the county passed 12 months without a single murder.

There were ten suicides, six of these by drowning. In all there were 17 cases of drowning, the largest single cause of death. Fifteen men were killed in accidents in the woods. No accident or tragedy occurred during the year in which many lives were involved.

CITIES TO PAY ROAD TAX

Lane Devised Plan to Divide Cost of Highway Construction.

EUGENE, Or., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—The Commissioners of Lane County have signed the 1916 tax budget providing for a levy of 15 mills, including within the general levy an amount for road purposes which could not be levied directly as a road tax.

In this manner, incorporated cities will be compelled to pay a tax for road purposes, the same as outlying districts, notwithstanding an act by the Legislature which provides that on road levies 70 per cent should be refunded to cities.

The Commissioners did not act until they had obtained an opinion from Attorney-General Brown, who advised them to go ahead and sign the levy as proposed.

MEDFORD SAVES $9000 PAY

Result of Economy and Salary Decreases Are Reported.

MEDFORD, Or., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—By consolidating certain departments and reducing the salaries of city officials, the city administration, according to the annual report of Mayor Emmerick, saved the taxpayers nearly $9000. General municipal expenses in 1914 totaled $48,000 and in 1915 $39,000. City salaries were reduced by $32,000, supplies were restricted to absolute necessities and the water and street departments were consolidated.

Hunting and trapping in Jackson County has developed into a profitable industry. All records for bounties paid by the county were broken in December, when the County Clerk paid out $421.

TRAIN CREW DISCIPLINED

Engineer Discharged, Others Suspended Following Wreck.

ROSEBURG, Or., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—The total value of the freight destroyed in the wreck at Winchester Saturday night was $4900, according to the report of the Southern Pacific officials received here today. The discipline administered by the Southern Pacific officials follows:

H. D. Ryan, engineer, discharged; H. A. Bailey, fireman, and C. H. Gaffney, head brakeman, 30 days' suspension; H. A. Wejchlein, suspension of 30 days for violating rule 801. These disciplined by the company were members of the crew of train No. 232, which is said to have violated its orders at Winchester to meet train No. 123.

Roseburg Arson Suspect Held.

ROSEBURG, Or., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—Following a preliminary hearing in the Justice Court here today, W. P. Pisman, charged with arson, was held for the grand jury. Bail was fixed in the sum of $1000. He is charged with setting fire to his dwelling to collect $1000 insurance on his furniture.

Postoffice Inspector Resigns.

ROSEBURG, Or., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—W. D. Wood, postoffice inspector, who has been located here for the past 18 months, has resigned his position.

SON OF PRESIDENT OF HAWLEY PULP & PAPER COMANY WINS HEART OF OREGON CITY MISS, FOLLOWING AUTO ACCIDENT.

Miss Marjorie Fraker and Willard P. Hawley, Jr.

AUTO AIDS ROMANCE

W. P. Hawley, Jr., to Marry Former Oklahoma Girl.

LOVE LURKS ON HIGHWAY

Miss Marjorie T. Fraker Resigns Position With Telephone Company to Wed Son of President of Hawley Paper Company.

OREGON CITY, Or., Jan. 6.—The engagement of Willard P. Hawley, Jr., son of the president and general manager of the Hawley Pulp & Paper Company, and Miss Marjorie T. Fraker, an operator employed by the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Company, was announced today.

A definite date for the wedding, which will be in Portland some time in the Spring, has not been set. They will make their home in Portland, although Mr. Hawley is employed here as assistant to his father.

The announcement of the engagement comes three and a half months after a chance meeting on a road near Oregon City. The Hawley family was driving from Oregon City to Wilhoit when they saw a disabled automobile on the roadside. Mr. Hawley, Jr., ordered the driver to stop the car and climbed out on the road to offer his aid.

A wheel on the disabled machine had broken and the party was waiting for the arrival of a new one from Oregon City. Mr. Hawley offered his help, but nothing could be done until the new parts arrived.

Mr. Hawley turned to climb back into his machine, when he saw, for the first time, a girl standing by the disabled machine. It was a case of love at first sight, for now he confesses that he passed most of his time on the trip to Wilhoit and back thinking of her.

On his return to Oregon City he learned that the young woman was Miss Katherine Fraker, and a few days later the two were introduced.

Although Miss Fraker and Mr. Hawley met less than four months ago the engagement does not come as a surprise to friends of the two. Miss Fraker has presented her resignation to the telephone company.

Mr. Hawley was born in 1890 in Watertown, N. Y., and came to Oregon City with his parents when 2 years old. He lived here and attended school until his 16th year, when the Hawley family moved to Portland. They now live at 642 Holladay avenue, Portland.

He is a member of the Oregon City Commercial Club, the Portland Chamber of Commerce, the Portland Automobile Club, the Portland Heights Club, the Irvington Tennis Club and the Multnomah Athletic Club.

Miss Fraker is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Fraker. Her father is a traveling salesman. She was born at Humboldt, Neb., and came to Oregon City three years ago from Hobart, Okla. She has been employed here as telephone operator for the last eight months.

SERGEANT OF TROOP A PROMOTED TO LIEUTENANCY.

Joseph M. Wackrow.

Captain A. W. Orton, of Troop A, Oregon National Guard, has announced that he had appointed Sergeant Joseph M. Wackrow a Second Lieutenant of the troop, subject to examination.

Lieutenant Wackrow in private life is secretary of the North Pacific Auto & Wagon Works. He was born in Portland February 8, 1887, and was educated in the public schools of this city. He studied and traveled in Europe from 1901 until 1902. He has been a member of Troop A since its organization, two years ago.

Lieutenant Wackrow is unmarried and resides with his father at 1124 Franklin street, Willamette Heights. He is an excellent horseman and much interested in cavalry work.

PIONEER WOMAN IS DEAD

Mrs. Lucina Adams, of Molalla, Succumbs to Old Injury.

OREGON CITY, Or., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—Mrs. Lucina Adams, wife of W. D. Adams and a pioneer of 1852, died today at her home at Molalla. The cause of her death was a fall five years ago, when she broke her hip. On account of her age the bones would not knit together.

She was born in Illinois November 24, 1846, and crossed the plains with her parents in 1852 and settled at Molalla. She died on the place homesteaded by the family in pioneer days. She is survived by her husband, who is 89 years old, six children, 25 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren. Included in the list of her grandchildren is H. N. Everhart, Recorder of Molalla.

JURY'S VERDICT IS $700

Couple at Oregon City Sue for $2445 in Realty Deal.

OREGON CITY, Or., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—A jury in Judge Campbell's court today awarded a verdict of $700 in favor of David M. and Thebe Dridenstine in their suit for $2445 against E. E. Gerlinger, of the Gerlinger Motor Company, E. P. Coulter and C. T. Hargroves.

The plaintiff recently traded 100 acres of land at Logan to the defendants for two houses and lots in Portland, and a mortgage for $2500 on Seattle property.

After investigating the property in Portland and Seattle, the Dridenstines charged that it had been misrepresented.

GRANTS PASS MAYOR IS IN

City Officials Named and Promise Made of Law Enforcement.

GRANTS PASS, Or., Jan. 6.—Dr. J. D. Truax, on assuming the office of Mayor tonight, declared himself for law enforcement.

The following appointments were made: H. H. Basler, Auditor and Police Judge, reappointed; H. D. Norton, City Attorney, reappointed; R. A. Dean, City Engineer, reappointed; C. E. McLane, Chief of Police, and C. A. Wible, night policeman.

PRESIDENT MAY MAKE TRIP

Address at Celebration of Lincoln's Birthday Is Probable.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—President Wilson probably will go to Springfield, Ill., February 12 to attend a celebration of Lincoln's birthday.

The invitation was extended several weeks ago by Governor Dunne, of Illinois. If he goes, the President will deliver an address.

MEDFORD ELECTION JAN. 11

Councilmen Will Be Chosen and Measures Decided Upon.

MEDFORD, Or., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—Three Councilmen will be selected at the annual election Tuesday, January 11, and a new registration plan and a bond issue of $8500 for an addition to the city hall will be decided. Interest centers about the contest in the first ward where Councilman Medynski, author of the Medynski rebonding plan, will be opposed by Dr. J. J. Emmons.

The new registration measure requires only one registration as long as a voter doesn't change place of residence, and as it means a saving of about $400 a year to the city will undoubtedly pass. The prevailing sentiment is that the city hall bonds will be defeated.

HARD COLDS

Cause Weak Lungs, Portland Druggists Suggest a Reliable Remedy.

We have a constitutional remedy for hard colds and weak lungs which we guarantee. Such letters as this prove its efficiency:—

Wickatunk, N. J. "I suffered from weak lungs, pains in my chest and very short of breath. I am an agent for the C. R. R. of New Jersey. I had a very bad cough and lost fifteen pounds in weight and my trouble interfered with my occupation so that I had to stop work last July. I had doctored for some time without benefit, but when I learned of Vinol through a friend I decided to try it and soon commenced to improve. My cough has gone, the soreness from my chest disappeared. I am working again, and have regained the fifteen pounds in flesh which I lost." Victor Walden, Wickatunk, N. J.

The reason Vinol is superior to any other remedy is because it contains in deliciously palatable form the healing, body-building and strengthening elements of fresh cod livers, tonic iron and beef peptone—the oldest and most famous tonics known to medicine. Try it on our guarantee.

The Owl Drug Co., Portland, Oregon.

P. S.—In your own town, wherever you live, there is a Vinol drug store. Look for the sign.

SCALES LAW EFFECTIVE

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES SPECIFICATIONS ANNOUNCED.

Act Is Retroactive and Apparatus Not Conforming May Be Prohibited in Interest of Public.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—In accordance with the new laws enacted by the 1915 Legislature, Fred G. Buchtel, Deputy State Sealer, has promulgated specifications for the state which puts Oregon on an equality with the most progressive states in the Union. They became operative at once.

To prevent Oregon from becoming the dumping ground for inferior weighing apparatus, protect the public against inaccurate measure and enable the merchants to procure properly constructed equipment are, in brief, the purposes of these specifications.

This result is to be accomplished without unwarranted expense to the business public by making only those specifications retroactive which apply to equipment in use, or held for sale where the public's interest absolutely demands it.

Mr. Buchtel said that probably the most important to the people generally are the specifications that govern the manufacture and use of computing scales. With the view of protecting the merchant against scales of inferior quality and construction, numerous specifications have been prescribed.

Under specifications for liquid measures, it is provided that the capacity shall be legibly and permanently indicated on the side of the measure. Milk and cream bottles brought into Oregon must also have their capacity clearly and permanently marked in or on the side.

The soft wood yard stick and the common cloth tape measure are prohibited from use in trade under the specifications.

$20,000 Oyster Land Decision Given

OLYMPIA, Wash., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—By a decree of the Supreme Court deciding the historic "pothole" case, the state has won title to 10 acres of oyster land on Oyster Bay, Puget Sound, valued at $20,000. The "pothole" was held by J. H. Scott and Bush Hoy. The suit was ordered brought by the Legislature 12 years ago.

Liquor Ads Are Deleted.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—To comply with the new dry law, magazine dealers here have trimmed all magazines of liquor advertisements. "Life," of the current issue, appears on the stands here with part and whole pages blank, these white spots being ones on which liquor advertisements were printed in editions reaching wet states.

Hart Schaffner & Marx Suits and Overcoats 25% Off!

Now's the time to buy your clothes, when you can take advantage of this money-saving opportunity. Hart Schaffner & Marx clothes are the best ready-to-wear clothes you can buy at regular prices. With this liberal discount of ours you can't help but make your clothes investment. They're all new this Fall. Come in today and make your selection at this, our

Great Removal Sale

THEY'RE PRICED AS FOLLOWS:

$20 H. S. & M. Suits and Overcoats....$15.00
$25 H. S. & M. Suits and Overcoats....$18.25
$30 H. S. & M. Suits and Overcoats....$22.50
$35 H. S. & M. Suits and Overcoats....$26.25

Blue and Black 15% Off

LAY IN YOUR SUPPLY OF FURNISHING GOODS AT THESE QUOTATIONS

MEN'S PANTS
Hart, Schaffner & Marx and Others, 15% Off.
$3.50, Removal Price....$3.00
$4.00, Removal Price....$3.40
$4.50, Removal Price....$3.85
$5.00, Removal Price....$4.25
$6.00, Removal Price....$5.15
$7.00, Removal Price....$5.95

UNION SUITS
Globe, White Cat and Cooper Makes.
$1.50, Removal Price....$1.15
$2.00, Removal Price....$1.50
$2.50, Removal Price....$2.00
$3.00, Removal Price....$2.25
$3.50, Removal Price....$2.25
$4.00, Removal Price....$3.00
$5.00, Removal Price....$3.75
$6.00, Removal Price....$4.50

ARROW SHIRTS
A Big Line to Select From. Beautiful Patterns.
$1.50, Removal Price....$1.15
$2.00, Removal Price....$1.35

Neckwear, Beautiful Patterns
50c, Removal Price....35¢
$1.00, Removal Price....65¢
$1.50, Removal Price....95¢
$2.00, Removal Price....$1.25

FLANNEL SHIRTS
All Sizes and Colors.
$1.50, Removal Price....$1.25
$2.00, Removal Price....$1.65
$2.50, Removal Price....$2.00
$3.00, Removal Price....$2.35

PAJAMAS AND NIGHT SHIRTS
Outing Flannel and Soisette
$1.00, Removal Price....75¢
$1.50, Removal Price....$1.15
$2.00, Removal Price....$1.50

CAPS AND CLOTH HATS
Reduced for Removal
$1.00, Removal Price....50¢
$1.50, Removal Price....75¢
$2.00 Cloth Hats at....$1.25

CONTRACT GOODS EXCEPTED

BIG MANHATTAN SHIRT SALE NOW ON
$1.50 at $1.15 $2.00 at $1.55 $2.50 at $1.95

Sam'l Rosenblatt & Co.

Our Temporary Location, 266 Morrison Street, Between Third and Fourth

Thirty Good Homes Are Interested in This Offer. If Thirty People Will Act Quickly, There Will Be That Many More Happy Homes in Portland and Vicinity.

In November we had accumulated a great number of good used pianos and some brand-new ones that had been returned from dealers because too expensive to sell.

We advertised them in The Oregonian, and in a few days all were taken.

NOW, with the year's end, we have another such accumulation. Here is a chance for about thirty people to make thirty homes truly happy ones.

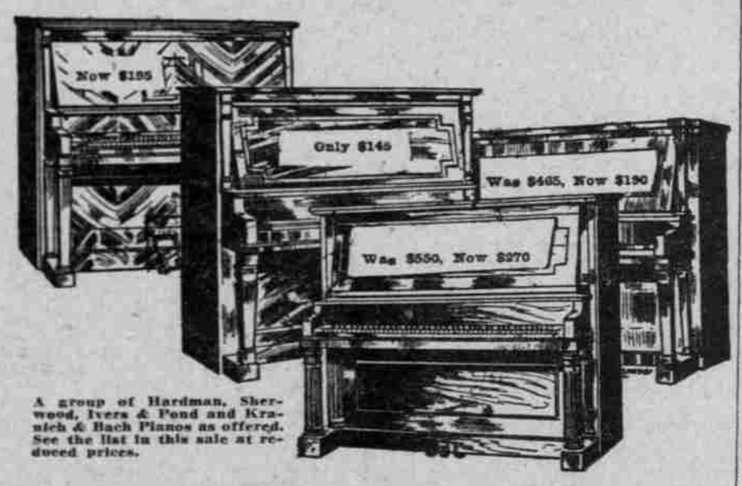
Will you act quickly and profit by the chance? If so, bring $10 or even only $5 as a deposit. Pay the balance as best suits your convenience.

Never again shall we be in position to give so much actual piano value as now.

This accumulation, coming with the consolidating of Portland's two largest music establishments into one, gives us the opportunity **you have been waiting for—getting a piano for almost nothing.**

A year's trial given on each piano, 20 months' time in which to pay up; surely that is long enough. Can anything be fairer? If not ready to buy at once, make a deposit and have the piano held until you want it delivered.

If ordering a piano by telephone, make arrangements for a deposit to be paid, for without a deposit it cannot be held over six hours.



A group of Hardman, Sherwood, Ivers & Pond and Kranich & Bach Pianos as offered. See the list in this sale at reduced prices.

Cut Out This List and Bring It With You

Excellent walnut $265 Sherwood, like new, now only $145; pay $4 a month.

Very pretty mahogany $325 Weiler, exactly like new, now only $167.

Magnificent and splendid-toned $475 Hardman, now only $195, pay $5 a month.

Another mottled walnut $325 Weiler, slightly marred, now only $120.

A beautiful mottled mahogany $325 Brewster, new only $170.

Excellent $275 Stoddard, mahogany case, now only $160.

Strictly modern $525 fancy mahogany Weiler Player Piano, now only $280; pay $7 a month.

Another, same model, almost brand new and larger size, retails $625, now only $345, pay only $8 a month.

An old-style Knabe, good tone and playable, surely worth $150; now only $55.

Another old style, but good Guild & Co., now only $40.

A somewhat more modern Harrington, fine tone, worth $250, now only $70.

Excellent mottled mahogany $325 Gerhard, like new, now only $150.

A famous never-wear-out $450 Smith & Barnes, latest model, mahogany, now only $295.

A very good oak case $275 Prescott, slightly used, now only $198.

One of the famous $900 fanciest mahogany Exposition design Lester player pianos, now less than half price, or only $415; pay us $10 month.

A sweet-toned $500 mahogany case Leland, like new, $176.

One of the always reliable largest size $700 Universal Player Pianos, like new, only half price, or $360; pay us $9 a month.

Splendid highest grade $550 mottled walnut Kranich & Bach, used but good—now only $270.

Very fine mottled mahogany $465 Ivers & Pond, like new, now only $190.

Excellent $375, like new, mahogany Emerson, now only $165.

Full size, modern design, $325 Vose, now only $150.

Two elegant mottled mahogany $350 Brewster cabinet grands, like new, take choice for only $150 each.

Another used but elegant mahogany $325 Weiler, a bit older than the above, but good, now only $125.

Nearly new silver-toned $385 Bradbury, used but very fine, now only $220.

Massive big-toned, oak cased $425 Gerhard, now only $190.

Nearly new mottled walnut $275 Prescott, $187.

Almost new fanciest mahogany $350 sample model Willard, now only $190.

Old style, but very good rosewood $350 Hale upright, now only $160; pay us only $4 a month.

Another, same make, somewhat older, but good tone and action, now only $110.

Another of the popular old reliable, largest size mahogany $475 Smith & Barnes pianos, like new, now only $255; pay us $8 a month.

Splendid sweet-toned mahogany "Automatic" Player Piano, worth $550, now only $170, same terms.

Also one sample fancy mahogany Autoplayer Piano, worth $675, now only $329; pay only $10 a month.

And last, but not least, the finest $1000 mottled English burl walnut Kranich & Bach Baby Grand for almost less than half price, or for only $585; pay $25 every other month. (Slightly used, to be sure, but hardly to be told from new.)

Remember, only a few of the above pianos are used. Many are new and some slightly shopworn, having been returned from out-of-town dealers, being too high priced for them.

There are also quite a number of latest brand-new upright pianos, in various sizes and styles, in perfect condition, included in our regular consolidation sale sacrificed for actually less than half the regular price.

Every instrument is guaranteed. Satisfaction guaranteed to every buyer. Don't delay, but come down today.

Graves Music Co.

All of these instruments are on sale at 147-149-151 Fourth street.

Meanwhile, the consolidation sale is also in progress at Eilers Music House, Eilers building, Broadway at Alder, as well as at the first-mentioned address.

Nothing adds so much to the home as does a modern Player Piano.

PUT STOMACH IN FINE CONDITION

Says Indigestion Results From an Excess of Hydrochloric Acid.

Undigested food delayed in the stomach decays, or rather ferments, the same as food left in the open air, says a noted authority. He also tells us that Indigestion is caused by Hyper-acidity, meaning there is an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach which prevents complete digestion and starts food fermentation. Thus everything eaten sours in the stomach much like garbage sours in a can, forming acrid fluids and gases which inflate the stomach like a toy balloon. Then we feel a heavy, lumpy misery in the chest, we belch up gas, we eructate sour food or have heartburn, flatulence, water-brash or nausea.

He tells us to lay aside all digestive aids and instead, get from any pharmacy four ounces of Jad Salts and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast and drink while it is effervescing and furthermore, to continue this for a week. While relief follows the first dose, it is important to neutralize the acidity, remove the gas-making mass, start the liver, stimulate the kidneys and thus promote a free flow of pure digestive juices.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and sodium phosphate. This harmless salts is used by thousands of people for stomach trouble with excellent results.—Adv.

HEADACHES

Thousands of men and women suffer from headaches every day, other thousands have headaches every week or every month, and still others have headaches occasionally, but not at regular intervals. The best Doctor is often unable to find the cause of many of these headaches, and in most other cases, knowing the cause, he does not know what will remove it, so as to give a permanent cure. All he can do is to prescribe the usual pain relievers, which give temporary relief, but the headache returns as usual, and treatment is again necessary. If you suffer from headaches, no matter what their nature, take anti-kamnia tablets, and the results will be satisfactory in the highest degree. You can obtain them at all druggists in any quantity, 10c worth, 25c worth or more. Ask for A-K Tablets.

SICK-HEADACHES

Sick-headache, the most miserable of all sicknesses, loses its terrors when A-K Tablets are taken. When you feel an attack coming on take two tablets, and in many cases, the attack will be warded off. During an attack take one A-K Tablet every two hours. The rest and comfort which follow, can be obtained in no other way.

Genuine A-K Tablets bear the K monogram. At all druggists.

RHEUMATISM

6088 (Sixty-Eighty-Eight) is guaranteed. If it fails to relieve your Rheumatism or to prove beneficial in cases of chronic skin eruptions, biliousness or indigestion, your money will be returned to you by your own druggist. 6088 eliminates Rheumatism causes. Take 6088 according to directions; it is harmless. Contains no habit forming drugs. Valuable book Free. Write Matt. J. Johnson Co., Dept. K- St. Paul, Minn.

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See large ad. Saturday.

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