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IMPORTANT SALE

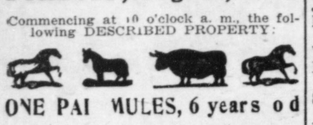
OF VALUABLE

Personal Property

The undersigned, who will discontinue farming in Maryland, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the farm he now occupies, situated about two miles from Chestertown bridge, on the stone road leading to Church Hill, on

FRIDAY, Aug. 16, 1918

Commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., the following DESCRIBED PROPERTY:



ONE PAIR MULES, 6 years old

1 PAIR MULES, 8 and 9 yrs. old

Both pairs as good as the best.

1 Pair Heavy Grade Percheron Geldings

3 years old and broken to work.

CATTLE

1 Pure Bred Ayrshire Bull Calf

Several Duroc Jersey Boars

ALL PURE BRED.

FARM IMPLEMENTS

1 Knickerbocker Forma Tractor and Rock Island Tractor Plow (new this year and not hurt); 2 Sulky and 1 Two-Bottom Horse Gang Plow, 3 No. 98 Oliver Plows, 1 No. A Oliver Plow, 1 New Ground Plow, 1 Three-Section Roller, 1 Double Disc Harrow, 1 Spring-Tooth Harrow, 1 Acme Harrow, 1 Steel Drag Harrow, 1 Weeder, 1 International Low-Spread Manure Spreader, 1 Potato Planter, 1 Potato Sprayer, 1 Potato Digger, 1 Lime Spreader, 1 Dirt Scoop, 3 Walking Cultivators, 4 Oliver Riding Cultivators, 1 Sattley New Way Corn Planter, 1 Deering Mower, 1 Hay Rake, 1 Hay Tedder, 1 Deering Binder, (in good shape;) 1 Schauber Corn Cutter, 1 Ontario 11-Disc Grain Drill, 1 Lauson Engine, 4½ horse-power, cost $200 new and is not hurt; 1 New Holland Feed Mill, 1 Saw andframe, 1 Engine-Belt, 2 Pump Jack, 1 4-Horse Tree, 3 3-Horse Trees, 3 2-Horse Trees, Plow Gears, etc., 2 Farm Wagons, 1 Tomato Wagon, 1 Tomato Rigging, 2 Sets Wagon Harness, with breechings, complete; 1 Set without breechings, Collars, 2 Saddles, Halters, Bridles, etc., Cream Separator, 2 Incubators, Complete Assortment of Stable, Barn and Garden Tools and Implements, Barrels, Feed Cooker, Slop Cart, Hog Oilers, Fairbanks Scales, Wall Drill, Forge, Fence Stretchers, Block and Fall Chains, Chicken Coops, 3 Individual Hog Houses and other articles too numerous to mention.

FORD AUTOMOBILE

In connection with the tractor, I shall offer my Ford Automobile, if it is so desired. It is in fine shape, having just been overhauled.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of $10 and under, cash; on all sums over that amount a credit of 12 months will be given on notes, interest added and payable in bank, with security to be approved by the undersigned. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

FOSTER H. PARKER.

J. Frank Harper, Attorney.
J. T. Jester, Auctioneer. jy27-ts.

There will be offered at this sale on the same terms additional stock and implements from nearby farms.

August Sale

Clean-up of Summer Goods and Furnishings.

Shirts, 85c

All sizes, 14 to 17, Summer Percales with soft cuffs. New stock ordered weeks ago at $1.

White Madras, $1

Worth $1.50, but only in large sizes, 15 to 17 inch.

Wash Ties, 35c

3 for $1. Were 50c each. New styles.

Boys' Waists, 85c

Boys' Underwear, 25c

All sizes and away under the price.

Panama Hats, $3.50

Were $5 and $6, including all of our Bankoks, Leghorns and Milons.

Bargains in Clothing

Bargains in Shoes

and everything in Regular Stock for Summer Wear.

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IT'S SAVING FUND FEATURE is an unusual one in insurance companies.

During the past 8 years it has returned to its policy holders where polices have been cancelled $32,864

In the same period it has inrceased reserve over $10,000.00

And its total assets.....$50,000.00

APPLICATIONS FOR INSURANCE CAN BE MADE TO

Charles H. Jefferson....Chestertown
E. S. Valliant.....Church Hill
Ellsworth Bowers.....Lynch
Geo. W. Owens.....Betterton
Joseph Downey.....Rock Hall
F. H. Ruth.....Galena
F. E. Thomas.....Kent Island
A. M. Kendall.....Fairlee
R. Wesley Moffett.....Millington

THOMAS W. ELIASON, Prest.
EBEN F. PERKINS, Sec.

STILL POND

Mrs. Ralph Robinson and son, Ralph Jr., are visiting her brother, J. Robinson, at Havre de Grace.

Miss Florence Kinsey is visiting her friend, Miss Edith Weyl, in Wilmington, Del.

Mrs. S. B. Parrott, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Moore and son, Robert, spent the week at Atlantic City, N. J.

Walter Wilmore, Wm. Wilmore and family and Mrs. Smith, of Baltimore, spent several days with Mrs. Susie Toulson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Skirven, of Baltimore, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bonwill, Sr.

Miss Marie Porter, of Camden, N. J., is visiting her mother, Mrs Edw. Dittman.

Lawrence Krusen, who works in Wilmington, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Krusen.

The Epworth League will be led Sunday evening by F. H. Cornelius.

Misses Kathryn and Sarah Hurlock, of Bridgeville, Del., have been visiting their grandmother, Mrs. M. J. Howard.

Mrs. Wm. Meeks is visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Davis, in Philadelphia.

Miss Hilda Stevens, of Townsend, Del., is visiting her Aunt, Mrs. Sallie Rasin.

PUBLIC SALE

OF VALUABLE

PERSONAL PROPERTY

The undersigned, having rented our farm, will sell without reserve, on the farm in sight of Lynch, Md., where I have resided all my life, the following valuable personalty, on

MONDAY, Aug. 26, 1918

Sale beginning at 10.30 a. m.

7 HEAD OF HORSES

3 Percheron Horses, 4 years old.
1 Percheron Horse, 3 years old.
These four colts are well broken and will weigh from 1200 to 1400 pounds.
1 Cleveland Bay, 11 years old.
1 Cleveland Bay, 13 years old.
1 Cleveland Bay, 17 years old.
All of these horses are sound and fine as you ever saw on a farm.

Six Good Milch Cows

Will be in profit between now and Dec. 1st. These cows are all milking now.
1 Holstein Bull, 2½ years old, perfectly quiet.
1 Holstein Heifer, nice size.

16 Shropshire Down Ewes

Home grown and fine size.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS

One 20th Century Manure Spreader, in perfect order; 2 Farm Wagons, in perfect order; 1 Dearborn, carries 32 baskets; 1 Low-down Tomato Wagon, 44 baskets; 2 Sets Wagon Harness, 1 Set Dearborn Harness, 6 Sets Plow Harness, Lot of Bridles and Collars, 1 Ontario 11-Hoe Drill, nearly new; 1 Seven-Foot Deering Binder, has cut 100 acres; 1 Deering Mower, 1 Rake, 1 Acme Harrow, 2 Twin Harrows, 1 AA Harrow, 1 Roller, 1 Spring Tooth Harrow, 2 No. 40 Oliver Plows, 2 Oliver Riding Plows, new last fall; 1 2-Horse Oliver and 1 1-Horse Oliver Plow, 4 Hand Cultivators, 1 Sulky Cultivator, 1 Basket Sleigh and Bells, 1 Smoother or Drag, 4 Spuds for Setting Tomatoes, Lot of Corn Knives, Spades, Forks, Shovels and Hoes, 1 Grindstone, 2 Bramble Scythes, and various other things, 2, 3 and 4 Horse Trees, etc.

12 to 15 TONS ALFALFA HAY IN BARN; 6 to 8 TONS FINE MIXED CLOVER AND TIMOTHY HAY in rick.

TERMS—Sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 12 months will be allowed on bankable note with approved security. No property to be removed until terms are complied with.

CHARLES P. NORRIS.

L. W. Wickes, Attorney.
J. T. Jester, Auctioneer. a10-ts.

The Ladies Unit of Lynch Red Cross will serve Lunch and Ice Cream at the above sale.

Public Sale

AT STILL POND

At Mrs. Anna M. Bowers Farm, on

Saturday, Aug. 17, 1918

Commencing at 10.30 a. m., the following Personal Property:

3 Horses, 1 Colt

2 Cows, 1 Calf

25 Hens, 7 Ducks

Three Stoves, 1 Kitchen Table, 2 Lard Pots, 1 Ham Boiler, 1 Farm Wagon, 2 Dearborns, 3 Carriages, 1 Reaper, 1 Drill, 1 Clod Crusher, 1 Disc Harrow, 1 Acme Harrow, 5 Plows, 5 Cultivators, 4 Chests of Good Tools, 3 Vices, 1 Heavy Set of Blocks and Tackle and extra rope and chains, 2 Tongues and Yokes, 1 Grind Stone, 7 Forks, 4 Axes, 2 Spades, 4 Shovels, 5 Grubbing Hoes, 3 Sets of Wagon Harness, 11 Augers, 5 Sets Plow Gears, 5 Bridles, 5 Collars, 1 Set Carriage Harness, 1 Set Dearborn Harness, 1 Sleigh, 2 Scythes, 1 Set Beams, 45 Cotton Bags, 1 Corn Sheller, 4 Wedges, 8 One-Horse Trees, 4 Two-Horse Trees, 3 Three-Horse Trees, 1 Four-Horse Tree, 4 Crowbars and other articles.

TERMS—All sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 12 months will be given on note with approved security.

ANNA M. BOWERS.

J. T. Jester, Auctioneer. a10-ts.

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Your business solicited, with the assurance that it will be transacted with scrupulous integrity and solely with a view to your interests. apr27-6m

Local Notes

Good old summer time is here. The mercury reached 100 Tuesday and Wednesday it went "over the top" to 102. A shower Wednesday night brought relief.

**The Wm. H. Bowers farm located near Still Pond has been sold at private sale to Samuel Roseberry for $10,000.

**The W. C. T. U. booth at the Fair was in charge of Mrs. Tilghman Shafer assisted by Misses Ida Crew, Alday Clements and Mrs. Leonard Needles.

**The Clark farm situate in Quaker Neck and containing 32 acres, was sold on Saturday at public sale by W. W. Beck, Esq., trustee. Bedford H. Titter who tenants the farm, was the purchaser, and the price paid was $2,175.

**John D. Urie, Esq., trustee, sold at public sale Tuesday, the Wright farm of 172 acres situated near Millington. Thomas E. White was the purchaser at $3,375.

**Grover C. Hadaway has sold his garage business on Cross street, known as the Central Garage, to Webster Hadaway.

**The Marvil Package Company is now paying its basket-makers $2.00 per hundred for making baskets.

**Sheriff Carter and deputies "pulled" a number of crapshooters last Sunday morning. The men were all employees of the carnival company delayed in transportation. Heavy fines were imposed.

**Sheep raising is hard to excel as a money-making proposition. A lady had 10 ewes for which she paid $90. She sold these ewes and their lambs for $190.

**Several sheep were killed by dogs on the Baldwin farm tenanted by Mr. Geiser. The dogs belonged to nearby residents and were killed as they were devouring a sheep.

**W. E. Keyser was in the News office this week after being confined to his home for a week by sickness. Our 6-year-old boy hearing Mr. Keyser's name mentioned asked why we did not kill him. Said he, "then the war would be over." We explained that there was a vast difference beween Mr. Keyser and the German Kaiser.

**The first theft of an automobile in Kent is here noted. Someone stole Charles D. Wood's car from his yard on Friday night, on the Lusby-Tolchester farm. He heard it being cranked and went to investigate but was too late to intercept the thief altho he shot after the car. A horse and buggy belonging to Geo. Hatcherson was stolen the same night. A reward of $50 is offered for recovery of car or conviction of thief.

Later—Mr. Wood located his automobile at the Western Police Station, Baltimore.

**Tomatoes have been bringing 65 cents. At Crumpton the cannery is buying fruit from New Jersey at 60 cents.

**The sale of the undertaking business of Thomas H. Casey & Company of Rock Hall, on Saturday evening brought one prospective purchaser, Thomas Casey, who will in future conduct the business alone.

**The purchaser of land on Chester river by W. J. Stewart is not the same company which bought the Walker land. Mr. Stewart is now representing another concern.

**Wesley Moffett has sold his 43 acre place near Millington for $4,000. Mr. Moffett got $1,700 off his tomatoes on this place last year.

**Harry Carter has bought a home at Rock Hall of Joseph Hogans and is making some improvements to same.

**Monday a shark was caught by Capt. Newton Downey, 10 feet long and weighed 500 pounds off Swan Point. It was put on exhibition for benefit of Red Cross. The sum of $13 was cleared. Masters Frank Blanchard, of Baltimore, and Bill Cahall, of New York, were chiefly responsible for this venture.

**The Russell Realty Company has sold the Ruth farm in Broad Neck, to Thomas H. Johnson, of Media, Pa.

"OVER THE TOP"

"Over the Top" is the one story of life in the trenches that has touched every responsive soul in America.

Since the book was published, 250 copies have been sold during every business hour, every day—or better than 4 copies every minute. In all, more than 3,000,000 people have read it. More than 25,000,000 people have read Empey's articles in the great newspapers of the country. Many thousands have been fortunate enough to crowd their way into the limited capacity of the great halls where Empey has lectured.

Now the whole loyal citizenship of the nation can see the "Fighting Sergeant" in action, can "go over the top" with him on the Hun Hunts. The marvel of motion picture photography brings to life before your very eyes the pulsing, breathing pages of "the most widely read book" of the twentieth century.

Go "Over the Top" With Empey!

See this great picture at the Lyceum Theatre next Friday and Saturday, Aug. 16, and 17.

The Kent County Pomona Grange will be entertained by Kennedyville Grange Saturday, August 17. Sandwiches will be served. The visiting Granges are requested not to bring cake. There will be no evening session.

WAR COSTING $50,000,000 A DAY

America's war bill has reached $13,335,877,000. With the expenditures during the first 27 days of July of $1,339,699,000 and estimated expenditures for the whole month of $1,488,500,000, this nation is now paying out approximately $50,000,000 a day, or over $2,000,000 an hour.

While the July bill will run about $24,000,000 under the June total, Treasury officials indicate that the developments have reached a stage where the cost to the United States will likely remain for some time around $1,500,000,000 a month. June thus far, has been the high-water month of the war, $1,512,000,000 having been expended during that month.

Some indication of the growth in expenditures may be seen in the fact that in April, 1917, when we entered the war, the month's expenditures amounted to only $289,000,000 so today's compilation shows a steady increase to a point where they are now over 500 per cent. of the first month.

ARMY SKIMS DISHWATER TO KEEP GUNS WORKING

So many are the army's uses for fats that almost up to the front line trenches the very grease is skimmed off the dishwater. Sammy has learned in the school of experience how the high explosive shells which splash up the scenery in front of him use up a whole lot of nitro-glycerine; and you can't have nitro-glycerine without fat. Moreover, in order to have these shells explode among the Huns instead of dropping harmlessly in No Man's Land the delicate machinery of the big guns has to be kept constantly greased. That's why the Sammies make no kick whenever the Quartermaster's Department thinks out some new way of conserving fats and greases. It's worth the while.

And here in Maryland it should thrill the patriot home to think that the tablespoonful of fat that is saved by a little extra care may be the means of blowing up a whole platoon of Huns.

If the baby-killers were hovering over Hagerstown, instead of London and Paris, everyone would be glad to contribute nitro-glycerine to clean the heavens of these agents of Kaiserism. If the German submarines were shelling the "fortifications" of Ocean City, as they have shelled equally fortified seaside resorts in England, there are mighty few Marylanders who wouldn't help shoo them off with a little High Explosive—if they had it.

But it takes time to turn little odd bits of fat into loaded shells. Nor is there any place where a loyal housewife can turn in the ounce of fat she saves in her cooking or the tablespoonful of grease she saves from her dishwater. Her task is to meet her own needs with her own savings. Thus she does not have to go into the open market to buy fat products in competition with Uncle Sam, and drive further skyward the price for both. In a hundred ways the war is teaching small communities, and even individual homes, to be more self-sustaining. This saving of fats for home use—for cooking, for washing, etc.—is one of the ways.

Warfare has changed a lot in its methods. Oliver Cromwell once said to his troops, "Trust in God and keep your powder dry." General Pershing's advice might be put like this, "Trust in God and skim the grease off your dishwater." Home folks have no gunpowder, but they have lots of dishwater. Thus they are able to carry out at home a very important order which is issued to the Sammies at the front.

JUST A BALLAD FOR SUPPER.

A newspaper woman recently escaped from Hun bondage in Siberia tells how the food problem is faced—where there really is a food problem. Her story should silence any murmurs there may be in Maryland about the terrible hardship which makes our peaceful homes substitute for a few foodstuffs some other things which are just as good.

She says: "The Siberian women are teaching their little ones the national songs as usual, and when there is nothing but a ballad for supper it is sung louder than ever. I have often assisted, and can certify that the children go to bed cheerful."

Soy beans contain 32 per cent. body-building material, 18 per cent. fat, besides 28 per cent. starch. They are the best warriors in the whole bean family.

A high medical authority states that in the Highlands of Scotland, where oatmeal porridge is in general use, malnutrition is conspicuous by its absence.

No more ice, especially the artificial kind, should be used than is absolutely necessary. The army folk need ammonia.

BAKED FISH BALLS.
(Official Recipes).

Mix one cupful of cold cooked fish with one cupful of cooked rice, add one beaten egg, one tablespoonful grated cheese, one teaspoonful lemon juice, and seasonings of salt and pepper. Shape into balls, place in a well greased baking pan, and brown in a hot oven. Garnish with parsley or cucumber slices.

CANNING WITHOUT SUGAR.

If you haven't the usual amount of sugar for canning, can without it. Such is the advice handed out by the Maryland Food Administration.

The products will keep perfectly until a time when more sugar is available, or until a complete sugar substitute program has been worked out.

Fruits put up in this way are excellent for pie filling and salads, and may be used in desserts, puddings, ices and punches.

In canning fruit without sugar can the product the day it is picked. Cull, stem, seed and clean fruit by placing in strainer and pouring cold water over it. Pack the product carefully in hot glass jars or tin cans until full. Use a tablespoon, wooden ladle or table knife for packing purposes. Pour boiling hot water over the product in the hot jar. Place rubbers and caps in position, not tight. If using the cans, seal completely. Place in the sterilizer vat, or canner, and sterilize for the length of time given below, according to the particular type of outfit used:

	Minutes.
Hot water bath, home-made or commercial	30
Water seal, 214 degrees	20
Five pounds steam pressure	12
Ten pounds steam pressure	10

After sterilizing remove the filled containers. Seal jars, invert to cool and test the joints. Wrap in paper to prevent bleaching, and store in a dry, cool place. If tin cans are used it will be found advantageous to plunge them into cold water immediately after sterilization to cool them quickly.

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For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years
Always bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

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'Tis Our Mid-Summer Sale

People come from long distances to find a store filled to over-flowing with snappy good Merchandise at Bargain Prices.

"If You Visit Our Place You Know For Your Self, If You Do Not The Loss is Mutual."

10c Fly Swatter, . . 5c
Bound with felt, best 10c swatter, 5c.

Toilet Soaps, . . 5c
On sale at 5c.

Colgate's Talcum Powder, very best, on sale 15c.

Paper Table Napkins, 100 in package, for 19c.

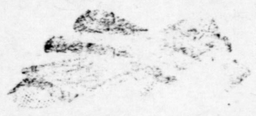
25c Box Paper, linen finish, sale 19c.

Toilet Paper, a large roll, sale 5c.

Ladies' Gauze Vests, 15c, 18c, 25c. All on special sale.

Ladies' Silk-Boot Hose, special at 50c.

25c Lawns, 19c



Pretty Lawns in all colors. Choice 19c yard.

Next Wednesday Sale
ON
Agate Preserving Kettles
FOR 19 CENTS

On next Wednesday we will have on sale Grey Agate Preserving Kettles, 5-quart size, and you take your choice for 19c.

These are good, clean cooking utensils.

Hammocks

Good Hammocks on sale at $1.50 to $5.00.

CROQUET SETS
All Styles.

TOWELS

Good Towels on sale—
25c Large Huck Towels.....19c
35c Turkish Towels.....25c
50c Linen Towels, 3 for.....$1.00

CRIMSON CLOVER **SEED**

The kind that come up.
TESTED SEED. We have the stock and can fill your rush orders and at special low prices.

FANCY ALFALFA SEED

RED CLOVER & ALSYKE

NEW CROP TIMOTHY

Wagon Harness

We have good Wagon Harness on hand at old prices.

PLOW BRIDLES.
PLOW COLLARS.
PLOW TRACES.
PLOW HARNESS.

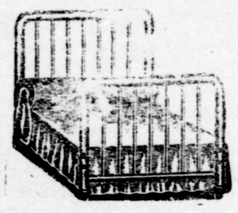
Come and take a look.

Twill Cotton Crash, 10c

COTTON TOWELING 10c

SUMMER FURNITURE FOR SUMMER NEEDS

White Enamel Beds



All White Heavy Enamel Beds (made in all widths). No wear-out to a good White Enamel.

Prices $5.90, $6.90, $7.90.

Better Beds at $10.00, $12.50, $17.50.

Buy Guaranteed Springs

A bed spring is not cheap at any price. We have the stock here.

Prices $5.90, $6.90, $7.90.

Good Mattresses

The Best Felt Mattress, made in two parts, and of select satine ticking.

Prices $10.00, $12.50 to $20.00.

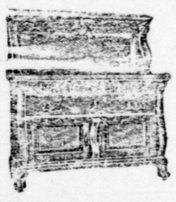
Cheaper Mattresses at $4.90 to $9.00.

China and Japan MATTING

BEST MATTINGS ON SALE.

Prices 25c, 39c and 50c yard.

New Low Buffets



Made in fine quality oak and built for beauty and service.

Prices $22.50, $25.00, $29.00, $39.00.

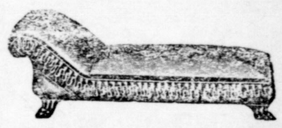
Cheaper Buffets at $12.50, $15.00 up.

Oak Dining Tables

Solid Oak Dining Tables, in round or square, $15.00, $17.50, $20.00.

Cheaper Tables, $7.50 to $20.00.

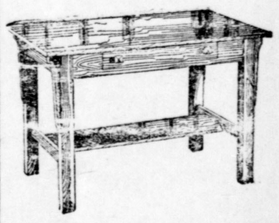
Good Couches



Couches made with Steel Spring Base, guaranteed not to sag.

Prices $10.00, $15.00, $17.50, $20.00.

Library Tables



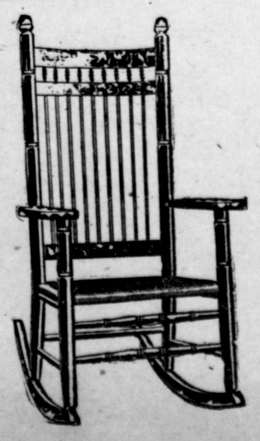
All sorts of Fancy Tables—the big and the little.

Prices $5.00, $10.00, $15.00.

Oak Box Seat Diners

Chairs made strong and durable.
Prices $3.00, $3.25, $3.50.
Cheaper Chairs, $1.50, $1.75 up.

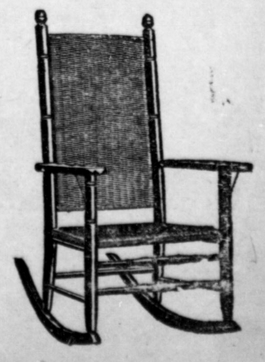
Porch Rockers Made Double Strong



If you want solid comfort this summer come and select one of these good rockers.

We have them in all styles.

Prices begin at $1.90, $2.90, $3.90.

All made with the double seat.

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