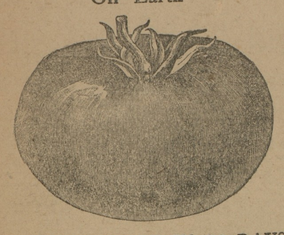
"John Baer" Tomato
The Earliest and Best Tomato On Earth



SHIPPING FRUIT IN 30 DAYS

"John Baer" Tomato produces perfect, solid, High Crown, Beautiful, Brilliant, deep red Shipping Tomatoes in 30 days, from large, strong, well-matured plants, in veneer bands with roots undisturbed.

EARLINESS

Ten days earlier than Earliana in Canada.
Earlier and better than Earliana in New Jersey.
Ten days earlier than Globe in Florida.
Planted six weeks later, but come first in Texas.
Three weeks ahead of any in Virginia.
Three weeks ahead of any in New York.
Three weeks ahead any in Washington.
Two weeks ahead of any in Maryland.
Set out May 30th, picked ripe fruit June 17th in New York.

QUALITY

Earliest and best in 28 varieties.
Brilliant, deep red color, smoothest, no core.
Almost free from seed; deliciously flavored.
Far more meaty and solid than any other.
No culls; ripens even up to the stem.
Perfect beauties, uniform in size and ripening.
Picks two to one to any other variety.
From 105 to 122 perfect fruit to the vine.
A perfect shipper; Blight proof.

"JOHN BAER" FIRST TOMATO PICKED THIS YEAR.

Mr. J. T. Wilson, Calvert Co., Md., August 19, 1914, writes: "'John Baer' Tomatoes are the earliest I have ever raised. They would have been very much earlier but for the long, dry season which nearly killed them; even then I was the first in my neighborhood to pick tomatoes. It is a fine tomato for table use or for canning. It has not as many seeds as other tomatoes. You can recommend 'John Baer' tomato highly for early use."

CAME FOR TEN MILES AROUND TO SEE "JOHN BAER" TOMATOES.

Mr. Thos. Howe, Washington Co., Md., writes July 30, 1914: "'John Baer' tomatoes done so fine for me I cannot say enough about them. I grew 1500 plants from the $1.00 package of seed. I picked fine ripe tomatoes from the last part of June to the last of July---300 baskets in all, selling them at $1.25 per basket and now the vines are still loaded with tomatoes. There were absolutely no cripples among them. Some of the vines had 105 tomatoes. People came for 10 miles around to see them. If I had bought one-quarter pound of the seed I should have made several hundred dollars more off the crop. Solid first, second, and third pickings. Picked every other day since starting to pick."

"JOHN BAER"---3 WEEKS AHEAD OF ANY OTHER TOMATO

Mr. R. T. Scott Notloway Co., Va., August 24, 1914, writes: "'John Baer' Tomatoes were ready for market three weeks before any other tomato in our locality. I have been picking fine, large tomatoes off of them for over two months. I had a very successful crop."

CROWNED WITH SUCCESS

In every tomato-growing State in the Union and Canada. Write for our booklet, "What Tomato Growers Are Saying About 'John Baer' Tomato," alphabetically arranged as to States and Canada. It's free.

SEED THIS YEAR IS IN GREAT DEMAND AND SUPPLY LIMITED

We therefore advise you to secure your requirements of this Wonderful Tomato at once.

If your local merchant cannot supply you—drop us a postal and we will tell you from whom you can secure your supply.

Pkt., 50c.; ¼ oz., 75c.; ½ oz., $1.00; oz., $2.00; ¼ lb., $7.50; pound, $25.00, postpaid.

LARGE 1915 CATALOGUE FREE

Our beautifully illustrated 1915 Catalogue showing the "John Baer" Tomato in exact size and color sent free to your address if you send us a postal. We also issue a 24-page fully illustrated Poultry Catalogue full of valuable information for the Poultrymen and Farmers, free for the asking

J. Bolgiano & Son,
Founded 1818.
Almost 100 years selling "Big Crop" Seeds.
Baltimore, • Md.

Advertise in The NEWS.

LOCAL NOTES

AT the executor's sale of the property of Garrett Foxwell, in Smyrna on Saturday, W. L David, the tenant of of said property, bid it in for $3,750.

EGGS took a tumble on Wednesday near town. Mrs. James E. Walbert, after collecting an apron full, tripped over a piece of wire. fell and broke every egg!

ONE of the large oak trees in St. Paul's cemetery has been cut down because of its decayed condition. A fund is being raised to have the biggest trees treated and if possible saved.

ANOTHER new house is to be erected on Church Alley by Contractor Wm. S. Carroll for Mr. Thomas G. Wroth. It will occupy the lot next to the Ming and Boyer properties.

THE Tolchester Co. will begin their spring schedule March 12, giving daily boat between Tolchester and Baltimore, and extra boat on Saturday. See change of schedule in this issue.

THE J. O. U. A. M. will hold their 18th anniversary at the Fraternal Hall, Thursday, March 18th at 8 p. m. prominent, members of the order from out-of-town will be present.

THE Young Men's Club of the M. P. Church are going to present a play and minstrel feature at the Lyceum on Tuesday, March 16. They say don't bring false teeth or store hair with you, and be prepared to laugh.

A NEW Overland roadster was delivered this week to Dr. Frank B. Hines, of Chestertown, by Mr. John H. Clendaniel, local agent for this section for the Overland and proprietor of the Kennedyville Garage.

THE Ben Ashley store in Rock Hall has been purchased by Mr. Russell Downey who will continue the business on the same scale of prompt services as Mr. Ashley adopted. Mr. Ashley will rent a home in the town and remain there for the present at least.

THE White House Shoe Store situated in the quarters formerly occupied by the Chestertown postoffice, opened its doors to the public Saturday and gave souvenirs to all who came in. They will handle the following well-known brands: "Buster Brown" for boys and girls, "White House Shoes" for men and women and "Mound City" work and hunting shoes for wear and comfort. They guarantee all shoes and give your money back on demand. Mr. Emerson Hackett is associated with the firm. Mr. I. I. Robinson is the proprietor. The building was renovated by Mr. Walter Pippin and force of workmen and the place is painted white and is very neat and attractive. Mr. William Prince did the painting.

Moose Celebrate.—The first Anniversary of the Loyal Order of Moose was held at the Moose Home on Cross street last Friday evening. About 40 members were present. During the year the Order gained 30 members, the Charter number being 50. After speech making by a few of the members, refreshments which were enjoyed by all were served. Mr. John G. Usilton was the organizer of this live order.

DON'T forget the Bake in Mrs. J. C. Loud's Ice-Cream Parlor to-day. Cake, pies, biscuit for sale.

THE luncheon served in the basement of the Voshell House Wednesday evening was a splendid affair. The classes taught by Mrs. Harry Cannan, Misses Fannie Baker and Mary Knight had transferred the place into a pretty lunch room and the affair was well patronized.

DAVIS & SATTERFIELD are installing a 32 horse power oil engine at Brooks' mill, Chestertown. Mr. Brooks believes in having the best of everything and is turning out a fine flour.

A SPECIAL meeting of the Woman's Federated Club will be held in the Principal's room in the High School Building next Wednesday, March 10th at 3:30 P. M. A movement will be started to provide a rest room for country people, hence a special public meeting urging all, men and women, who are interested in this movement to be present. Next Wednesday at 3:30 P. M. is the date.

THE Washington College quintet defeated St. John's in a fast game at the local gymnasium Saturday evening before the largest crowd of the season, the score being 25 to 11. Shortly before the close of the first half, Carey Jarman, the St. John's star forward, and a son of Dr. and Mrs. Alan Jarman, of Chestertown, had both bones of his left arm broken slightly above the wrist, The accident was an unfortunate affair, Carey falling during a general mix-up near his own basket. Dr. Hines set his arm. An X-Ray photograph will be taken this week to make sure that the bones are straight. With the injury to Jarman, the hopes of St. John's took flight for during the second half the visitors scored only two points, while W. C. made twelve more. The feature of the game was the all around playing of Brown, W. C. right forward, who scored four goals, while the shot of Pearson in the first half was the best play of the game. Duyer and Biddle also played a fine game. Washington will play Susquehanna Univ. tonight here.

Massey School Notes.—The declamation contest was held in the school building on Friday afternoon, February 26th, Mrs. E. T. Roe, Miss Hannah Ware and Miss Edna Ranson acted as judges and made the following decisions: High school class, minor, Mabel E. Clough; honorable mention, Eloise Wilkins, Katie Donohoe; Intermediate Class—Miner, Helen Lucas; honorable mention, Margaret Massey, Evelyn Peacock, Mildred Newnam, Galen Pierce, Loller Clough, Earle Haley; Primary Class—Minor, Louise Maslin; honorable mention, Margaret Mullen.

THE CONNING TOWER.

BALLAD OF THE DOMESTICOMANIAC.

Through gloomy halls I walked to-day,
Through the halls of a great asylum,
A place where nuts and dotties stay,
With keepers to beguile 'em.

Oh, many a sad, sad sight I saw!
And the mem'ry of one still lingers:
A fine, large man with a firm-set jaw,
Sat a-counting on his fingers.

He'd count them, tapping on his nails,
Then scribble on some paper;
Then make as though he weighed with care,
Then laugh like a tickled japer.

"Pray, tell me, sir," said I to him?
"How came you to lose your reason?
Was it love that made your mind grow dim?
Or booze drunk out of season?

"Did some invention land you here?
Were you crazed by high finances?
Did a sunstroke strike you and make you queer?
Or was it the Ki-Ki dances?"

'Nor this nor that, kind sir,', he said,
It was not booze nor money;
The Ki-Ki dance never rattled my head;
No sunstroke made me funny.

"It wasn't for love that went I mad
I thought of no patent appliance;
It was that I married a wife who'd had
A course in Domestic Science."

THERSITES.

THAT COLD YOU HAVE

may bring sickness, doctors bills and loss of work; you know that serious sickness usually starts with a cold, and a cold only exists where weakness exists. *Remember that.*

Overcome the weakness and nature cures the cold—that is the law of reason. Carefully avoid drugged pills, syrups or stimulants; they are only props and braces and whips.

It is the pure medicinal nourishment in Scott's Emulsion that quickly enriches the blood, strengthens the lungs and helps heal the air passages.

And mark this well—Scott's Emulsion generates body-heat as protection against winter sickness. Get Scott's at your drug store *to-day*. It always strengthens and builds up.

14-51 Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.

Personal ❋ ❋ ❋ ❋ and Social

Mr. Charles F. Wheatley and wife, of Baltimore, are visiting home folks.

Mr. Holt Eliason, of Philadelphia, is a guest of his sister, Mrs. H. W, Vickers Jr.

Mr. James Bolton, Miss Carrie Bolton and aunt, Mrs. J. L. Smyth, attended the funeral of Mr. Bolton's sister in Wilmington Tuesday.

Miss Flora Wheatley is spending the week with her brother at Rock Hall.

State Senator Wm. W. Beck will leave today for Baltimore, in which city he will join the Maryland party which is to dedicate the Maryland Building at the Panama-Pacific Exposition on March 20. Senator Beck is a member of the Maryland Commission and expects to be gone about 30 days.

Miss Mary Smith is visiting friends in New York.

Mr. Wm. Knight, who has been the faithful and courteous clerk in Mr. A. L Carmine's store for several years, will remove to the country. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bacon will occupy the Knight house.

Mrs. A. L. Sparks has been confined to her home by sickness for ten days.

Miss Bessie Brice, of Lankford, is spending the winter in North Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen B. Crow expect to remove to Kent next month. They will receive a w rm welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lee have removed to the Skirven farm, near town.

Mr. George Erskine has returned from a ten months' visit to Anne Arundel county.

Mr. Benj. Hance is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Edw. Beck.

Miss Florence Beck, of Baltimore, spent several days here the past week.

Miss Angie Grey is the guest of friends in town.

Mrs. C. L. Jarrell has been quite a sufferer for a week past from blood poison and her little son has had the pneumonia. We are glad to report mother and baby improving.

Sheriff Brown attended the funeral of a relative in Bridgeville, Del., Wednesday.

Miss Daisy Barnes is visiting relatives in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Drayton and son, of Washington, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Eliason, on Spring avenue.

Miss Stacey Medders returned from Easton hospital Sunday, and is rapidly convalescing at her home on Maple avenue. A most commendable act on the part of her associates in the telephone exchange was in their dividing up Miss Medders' work so that her pay went on as usual. This is practical christianity.

Miss Pearle and Lillian Taylor, of Galena, were the guests over Sunday of Miss Ethel Macool at Elkton, Cecil Co.

Mr. J. Merrick Horn was the guest of Miss Lillian Taylor last Sunday.

Mr. Joseph P. Westcott, son of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Westcott, is now located at City Point, Va., where he has charge of the telephones of a large powder plant that the E. I. Dupont Co. is erecting there. The company owns about five thousand acres there.

Mrs. S. A. Ivens is confined to her home with the grip.

Mrs. Anna Mae Ayres and Miss Hersch, of Rock Hall, spent Sunday with Miss Olivia Clayton.

Master Earle Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith, of Queen Anne, while on his way to Chestertown, Saturday, was thrown from his horse but escaped with only a few bruises.

Miss Estelle Anthony spent the last of the week with friends in Baltimore.

Prof. Frazier Russell, of Baltimore, spent the week-end a guest of his parents Mr. and Mrs. William F. Russell.

Miss Marguerite Howard has accepted a lucrative position in Oakland, Southern Maryland.

Mrs. W. H. Krusen, and Mrs. Atwood Richards of Still Pond, and Mrs. George W. Bolton of Middletown spent the week end the guests of Mrs. E. E. Hudson.

Messrs. Harry and Robert McWhorter and Joseph Lambert attended the horse show at Madison Square Garden, N. Y., this week.

Mr. Herman Blackway is spending a few days this week in Baltimore.

Mrs. Stevens and little daughter, of Sudlersville, have been visiting Mrs. Washington Woodall, and Mrs. D. B. Kendall during the week.

The Misses Jackson, of Wilmington, Del., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Benge Simmons the past week.

Mr. Harry R. Graham attended the alumni banquet of the Maryland Agricultural College at the New Ebbitt Hotel in Washington.

Messrs. T. W. Toulson and John Moffett are in a party that attend the horse show in New York.

Miss Eva Copper, who is attending the State Normal School in Baltimore, was a guest with her parents last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Joseph Parsons, of Middletown, has been visiting Capt. W. C. A. Thompson in town.

Mr. Vernon Barnett, the Chestertown Brick Manufacturer, made a business trip to New York this week. He also heard Billy Sunday in Philadelphia.

Miss Helen Hynson, daughter of Mrs. Richard Dunn Hynson, of Chestertown, returned home Tuesday after a two months illness in Baltimore. She is convalescing rapidly.

A Little Reminder

That our representative from

Strouse & Brothers

High Art Tailors

will be at our store

Friday and Saturday, March 5 and 6

displaying their up-to-date woolens and fashions for Spring and Summer 1915.

"HIGH ART CLOTHES" have long been the criteron of fashion. Their master designers have created for this season an extensive variety of styles that are exclusive and the last word in proper garments.

We extend you a cordial invitation to call and inspect them and have your measure taken for your new suit which we assure you will be given our personal attention.

BORDLEY & SONS
ADLER ROCHESTER CLOTHES — CHESTERTOWN, MD. — THE MEN'S STORE

WHAT DO YOU THINK ABOUT THIS?

For the next 30 DAYS or until our present stock of articles listed below is exhausted we will sell them at the following prices:

Stock Food Reduced

$3.50 Bucket of International Stock Food at $1.75
$3.50 Bucket of Wilbur's Stock Food at $1.75
$1.00 Packages of International or Wilbur's Stock or Poultry Food at ... 50c
50c Packages of International or Wilbur's Stock or Poultry Food at 25c
25c Packages of International or Wilbur's Stock or Poultry Food at 12½c

In Our 10c Department You Will Find

25c 6 and 8-qt Grey Agate Pudding and Milk Pans at 10c
25c 6-qt Grey Agate Sauce Pan ... 10c
25c 3-qt Blue and White Agate Sauce Pan 10c
25c Blue and White Agate Basins at 10c
25c Grey Agate Dish Pan 10c
25c Steel Skillets 10c
10c 2-qt. Grey Agate Seamless Cups at 5c
25c 2 qt. Aluminum Sauce Pan at 10c
25c 10 qt. 4-Piece Tin Bread Pan at 10c
25c Painted Foot Tub 10c
Glass Tumblers that sell elsewhere at 50c, we are offering at ... 25c doz

These are some of our bargains. Come and see them and make your own selections.

GRAHAM & THOMAS
CHESTERTOWN, - - MARYLAND

WM. MEDDERS & CO.

SPECIAL ATTENTION TO TELEPHONE ORDERS

New Things

in all our many lines are now arriving for early Spring wants.

Bright New Spring Merchandise is always attractive.

New Percales and New Ginghams for Early Spring.

New things in Ginghams and Percales are here for your selection, 10c, 12½c and 15c

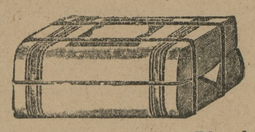
8c Unblea. Muslin, 5c

Fine Unbleached Muslin, worth 8c yard and the best and cleanest cotton we have ever offered—to go in this sale at only 5c yard.

Best Miller Muslin, 7¾c

Yard wide, soft finish and extra quality cotton. Sale 7¾c.

BLEACHED SHEETING } 22½C



The Best 30c 9-4 Bleached Sheeting on sale at 22½c per yd.

Extra Value 9-4 Sheeting in bleached and unbleached, fine muslin, to go in this sale at 22½c per yard.

85c Table Napkins, 59c

The best bargain we ever had in Table Napkins—all hemmed and ready for use—many patterns in the lot and all go in this sale at only 59c dozen.

15c Ex. Large Towels, 9c

These Towels are in the Bargain Room and only 9c each.

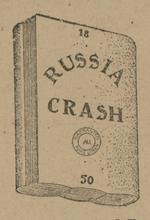
Cheap Cotton Toweling, 3c

For Roller towels, only 3c.

8c Roller Crash, 5c

Heavy Twill Toweling, 5c.

12c All Linen Crash, 8c



The All-Linen Bleached Russia Crash, like you pay 12½c for every where, now on sale at 8c yard.

Ladies Handkerchiefs 3c

Ladies' Fine Cambric Handkerchiefs, all hemstitched and looks like the 10c quality, on sale 3c each.

A Bargain in Towels, 5c

Extra good size and 32 inches long, with border, to go in this sale at 5c ea.

$1.50 White Bed Spreads only 98c.

Extra large and extra good quality (never had the like before), in this sale at only 98c.

Men's $1 Dress Shirts, only 69c

Fine Percale and Madras, all new, all sizes, extra quality, best we ever offered, some were $1.25, take your choice, 69c.

Men's 25c Brighton Garters, 15c

All new stock, heavy cable web and all colors, take your choice, 15c.

Men's 50c Silk Hose, 25c

Best quality 50c Heavy Silk Hose for men, all solid black, take your choice, only 25c.

Men's 50c Suspenders, only 25c

Made of fine web and double-stitched kid ends, take your choice, 25c.

Men's 50c Work Shirts, only 29c

All colors and all kinds, some heavy and some light, all size, choice of lot, only 29c.

Ladies' Long Cloth, 10c

Extra quality 15c Ladies' Long Cloth, soft finish, sale price 10c per yard.

Book-fold Long Cloth 10c

Just 12 yards in a piece, 15c quality, on sale at only 10c yard.

Next Wednesday

SALE ON

Large Grey Agate
SAFETY SAUCEPANS

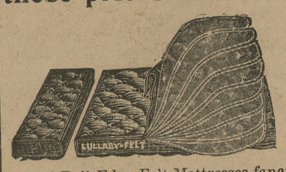
For 9 Cents

On next Wednesday we will have on sale a new thing in the way of a Safety Saucepan, made of heavy grey agateware, 6 quart size, full seamless and with an agate safety cover and roll handle. This is a new and good thing in the cooking ware and you take your choice for only 9 cents.

Only one to go to a customer and no duplicates, same as heretofore and price will be 9c.

These Saucepans go to complete the Enamel Kitchen Set we are offering in these sales. Don't overlook them.

A Purchase of 100 Felt Mattresses to secure these prices



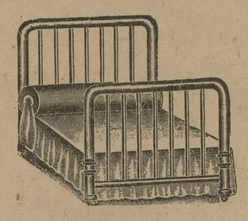
$7.50 Roll Edge Felt Mattresses, fancy ticking, made in two parts and all of genuine felt layer and the best bargain we ever offered in a Mattresss, only

$4.90

$9.50 Satin Tick Felt Mattresses, extra quality ticking and felt, made in two parts and all of the high-grade large felt to go in this sale at only

$6.90

$5 Enamel Beds, $3.50



Just reduced for this January Sales—large lot of White Enamel Beds, full size, heavy, all white, clean and sanitary and the best $5.00 Beds on the market. Your choice for only $3.50.

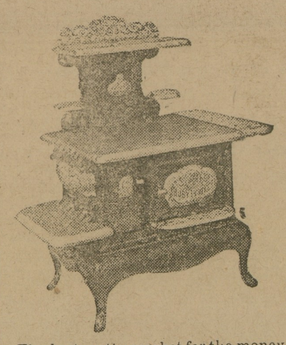
Cheaper Enamel Beds at $1.98, $2.98 and upwards.

Cheap Mattresses at $2.50

Good double tick, cotton top Mattresses, full size at $2 50.

Home Ideal Range

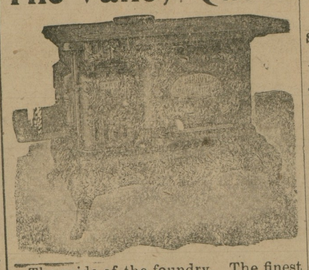
(SOLD ON CARLOAD BASIS)



The best on the market for the money. "The Home Ideal range" is exactly what the name implies, and our low prices tell the story of these very pretty and very popular Ranges.

Large Size 7 Home Ideal, $15.90
Large Size 8 Home Ideal, $17.90
Largest Size 8 Home Ideal, $19.90

The Valley Queen



The pride of the foundry. The finest casted stove we have ever sold. A perfect baker, with big oven. The largest and heaviest cook stove made. We sell

Largest Size Valley Queen, $22.50
Largest Size Valley Queen, $25.00

Cheap Cook Stoves

At $10.00, $12.50, $15.00

WM. MEDDERS & CO.

CLOVER SEED!

'MARKET LOWER.
CALL US UP FOR
FANCY RED CLOVER.
FANCY ALSYKE.
FANCY TIMOTHY.
FANCY RED TOP.

We have made a specialty of nothing but the best in these seed. The highest tested seed, both in purity and germanation are the first things to consider.

A sample will cost you nothing and our inside prices will save you much.

Phone us for quick service.

Spraying Season

NOW IS THE TIME

Spray Your Orchards—use "ORCHARD BRAND" Lime-Sulphur Solution, made by the Tomsen Chemical Company.

It will clean your trees of San Jose Scale and other insects. Make good fruit grow where you now raise poor fruit or none.

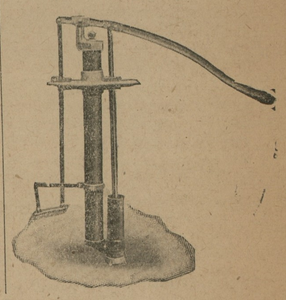
Cost is small and full information sent for the asking. It will pay you big profit to spray your trees with "ORCHARD BRAND" Sulphur Solution.

We are distributors for Kent county on "ORCHARD BRAND" and hope supply you.

Call us on phone so we can enter your order to arrive and avoid delays in shipping.

WE SELL THE

Eclipse Spray Pumps



These are the best and most economical Spray Pumps on the market and are in use by all our large fruit growers.

We keep the full outfits ready for quick service and also the Repairs and fittings.

Bamboo Spray Rods.
Eclipse Angle Nozzles.
Best Pressure Rubber Hose.
Fittings of all kinds and sorts

Horse-Food Molasses

Now is the time to feed the Horse Food Molasses for the best results.

It will work like magic on your stock if properly given. You will use no more stock food when you get acquainted with Horse-Food Molasses.

Price per gallon, 15c.

Can fill quick orders from stock.

Horse & Cattle Powders

15c Barker's Horse and Cattle Powders, package, 10c.

Horse Clippers, $6.75

Stewart's No. 1 Horse Clippers, complete machine and outfit, $6.75.

We sell the extra Knives and all parts to these Horse Clippers.

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