Local News.

ITEMS: On Sunday week last and on Wednesday of last week, two of the children, inmates of the "Children's Home," died very suddenly. Two others also were attacked on Wednesday week, with symptoms similar to those manifested by the two who died, but remedies were promptly administered, and they recovered. An inquest was held in the case of the one who died on Wednesday, and the jury returned—cause of death—apoplexy.

During last week in the Court of Common Pleas, the case of the Columbia Manufacturing Company against the Reading and Columbia Railroad was terminated by the jury rendering a verdict of $1,786.10 damages for the plaintiffs, as value for lands of plaintiffs, which the defendants had taken for railroad purposes.

S. S. Rathvon and Alex. Harris, have been chosen by the Agricultural and Horticultural Society of this city and county, as the future editors and publishers of the Lancaster *Farmer*.

A pike twenty-six inches in length and weighing four pounds, was caught in the city dam, Conestoga creek, on Monday of last week.

The friends of the Children's Home, responded liberally on last Friday week, to the call of its officers for donations.

On Monday night (the 6th inst), a black horse was stolen from Mr. Wechter, near Reamstown, this county. On Tuesday morning the animal was found tied to the railing of the Lancaster bridge near Reading, and Mr. Wechter, having been informed of the fact, immediately proceeded to Reading, proved the horse as his property, paid a reward of $25 and took the animal home.

A disease fatal to the "denizens of the coop"—commonly known as chickens—has made its appearance in some sections of our county. Some of our farmers who are extensively engaged in the raising of poultry have suffered very heavily within the past few weeks by the loss of quite a number of their chickens.

The Normal School at Millersville has nearly five hundred students in attendance.

A lad named Abraham Hogentogler, about 14 years of age, residing in Hempfield township, while playing, fell and dislocated both bones of the forearm.

The Cross Keys Hotel, Strasburg, owned by Wm. Echternach, was recently sold at private sale for $4.800.

On Saturday, December 4th, a son of David Gruver, residing west of Springville, had his left arm crushed while engaged in assisting his father in feeding a corn sheller. Amputation above the elbow was necessary.

The citizens of Mount Joy are talking of building new school houses.

A meeting of the citizens of our city favorable to the organization of a Young Men's Christian Association, was held in Temperance Hall, on Thursday evening of last week. John H. Pearsol was called to the chair, and W. L. Bear chosen Secretary. Remarks were also made by several gentlemen present. The necessary committees to further the matter were appointed, after which the meeting adjourned until Thursday evening, December 16th, at which time the reports of the committees will be heard.

John Shreiner of Rapho township, died suddenly on Tuesday morning of last week, aged about 52 years.

St. Paul's M. E. Church, of this city, has for some few weeks past been undergoing some alterations and repairs. Last week the improvements were completed, and on Sunday last the church was re-dedicated with the usual services.

A child of Andrew B. Shultz, of Manor township, died very suddenly on Tuesday night of last week, of diptheria.

A house belonging to Moses Geisenberger, of this city, situated in Providence township, near the "Spread Eagle" tavern, was accidentally burned to the ground on Wednesday, December 1st. The building was insured.

Mr. Chas. T. Gould, of this city, died suddenly of Asthma, on Monday morning last, aged about 53 years. He was universally respected.

Chas. Dennes and S. A. Wiley have been re-appointed Notaries Public, for this city, for the term of three years from Jan. 1, 1870.

Mrs. Mary A. Sheaffer, of Elizabethtown, has received letters patent for makiug her celebrated cheese—the patent bearing date December 7th, 1869.

A wild goose was shot on Saturday last at Washington borough.

Dr. Benj. Mishler, of this city, proposes to distribute among the poor of this city, as a Christmas gift, 500 loaves of bread and 500 pounds of beef.

On Monday afternoon, a horse which Gotleib Wenninger was driving took fright at a train of cars, and dashing forward struck the middle partition of the bridge at Duke street, injuring himself so severely that he died.

Heaton Ressler of Strasburg-twp., while working a threshing machine, on Friday last, had one of his feet badly crushed.

George Rutter of East Earl township, was found dead in his bed, on Wednesday morning of last week.

A man named Good, died suddenly of heart disease, on Wednesday morning of last week, at his residence in Leacock township.

Rev. Edwin Shippen Watson, Rector of St. James the less, near Philadelphia, has accepted the call of the St. James' Church of this city, and will enter upon the charge next month.

A youth named Wesley Maloney, aged 17 or 18 years, residing in Marietta, was struck in the face fracturing the bone below the eye, while playing shinny, some eight or ten days ago. The wound subsequently produced lock jaw which caused his death on Friday night.

A. J. Hambright has been appointed ticket agent of the Penna. Railroad, in place of C. F. Youngman, deceased. The office will hereafter be kept open day and night, for the sale of tickets.

Henry Martin, was committed on Monday morning last, in default of bail, to answer the charge of stealing a watch from the house of G. W. Snyder, in East King street.

The Fair of St. Paul's Reformed Church, held last week, closed on Saturday evening. The amount realized is about $850.

On Sunday last, George F. Breneman, esq., of this city, while descending the stairway at his office, fell on the steps, and fractured his left leg just above the knee.

James Baker, son of John Baker, Recorder, accidentally shot himself in the foot, on Wednesdy of last week, rendering necessary the amputation of one of his toes.

A boy named Wesley Harris, an inmate of the Children's Home, was on Thursday of last week taken to the House of Refuge, on account of his misconduct.

On Monday morning last, a man named Baker, was committed to prison for further hearing, charged with horse stealing.

The Baptist Church of this city, at present worshiping in Temperance Hall, celebrated the ordinance of the Lord's Supper, for the first time on Sunday evening last. The members of the church have been the recipients of a very handsome Communion set, presented to them by a Christian brother of Philadelphia, and this service was used on the occasion. Rev. J. H. Peters, of Philadelphia, officiated.

A preliminary survey has been made of a new railroad, projected as part of a through line from Lancaster to New York. The new road shortens the distance by the present route some 14 miles.

The daily papers of last week gave an account of the death of Mrs. Jemima Bainard, who had been for several years a resident of Pine Grove Forge, Little Britain township, and who recently was married to a Mr. Tyler of California. Her death occurred a few weeks ago in California, under very suspicious circumstances; but as the affair will probably be determined by the Courts, we forbear any further mention at present.

Dr. John Levergood, of this city, has been appointed District Deputy Grand Master of I. O. of O. F., for Lancaster county, in place of J. M. Westhaeffer, resigned.

Henry E. Eberly was arrested on Wednesday morning of last week, and was fined $10 for selling diseased meat.

Several attempts have recently been made to enter the residence of Miss Anna Frecht, of this city. Look well to your locks and bolts.

The snow, which we noticed last week as having fallen giving indications that winter was at hand, has entirely disappeared, and at present writing a moderate South-east wind is blowing accompanied with rain.

THE REAL ESTATE MARKET: John S. Miller has purchased from J. R. Bitner & Bro., one of their three-story brick dwelling houses, erected on the west side of N. Duke street, between Lemon and James, for $4,100.

The property of Catharine Fordney, dec'd., in Lime street, between Chestnut and Orange streets, was sold, Saturday, December 4th, to Wm. L. Peiper, for $1,625.

On Wednesday of last week, George Bogle, Esq., for the heirs of John Hogendobler, dec'd., sold at public sale, fifty acres of land, situated beyond the Columbia borough line, to S. S. Detwiler, Esq., for $213 per acre.

Jacob Gundaker, Auctioneer, sold the two-story brick dwelling house of Mrs. Barbara Hinkle to Frederick Geiselman, for $2.750.

On last Saturday evening, a two-story frame house, on Middle street, belonging to the estate of Elizabeth Tambo, was sold to R. McNaughton, for $760.

Zuriel Swope, Esq., has sold his new brick house, corner of West King and Mary streets, to Mrs. Barbara Hinkle for $3,800.

The farm of Mrs. Sophia Meylen, deceased, in West Lampeter-twp., ninety-four acres, was sold on Tuesday, for $106.50 per acre. Hirsh & Brother, purchasers.

The property in North Queen-st., near the railroad depot, known as the Eagle Saloon, and belonging to J. J. Sprenger, was on Tuesday purchased by Flinn & Breneman, at private sale, for $11,250. It is the intention of the firm to erect a large store front in spring in which to conduct their extensive business.

JUNCTION AND BREAKWATER RAIL ROAD: *From the Sussex Journal*, (Georgetown, Delaware,) of the 26th ult., we clip the following. It will be remembered that Messrs. Shaff & Barry, of our city, were the contractors for the building of the road referred to: "It will be gratifying to our readers and the public generally, to learn, that the last link of the Junction and Breakwater Rail Road, is now nearly completed and will be opened for freight and travel, about the beginning of next month. The first car-load of the best anthracite coal, direct from the mines of Thomas Baumgardner, Esq., in Pennsylvania, will be sent over the road, by the first train, as a complimentary present from that gentleman, to the Hon. John W. Houston, the efficient and public spirited President of the Rail Road, through whose exertions, aided by the energetic Directors of the present Board, this important public work has been brought to a successful termination.***"

IMPORTANT LAW SUIT BEFORE JUDGE HAYES: The case of Sam'l M. Pettit, formerly conductor of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad, against Charles E. Smith, formerly President of said road, is under trial before Judge Hayes. The suit was originally brought in Schuylkill county, and removed by an act of Assembly. Messrs. Hoffman of Berks, Kaercher of Schuylkill, and Ellmaker of Lancaster, represent the plaintiff, and Messrs. Gowen of Philadelphia, Kunkel of Harrisburg, and North of Lancaster, the defendants.

CORRECTION: In our local columns on the 3d inst., we stated that "the large Foundry of Ephrata, of Messrs. Royer & Kraatz, is about suspending operations for part of the winter season on account of dull times."

The gentlemen named have ceased manufacturing queroitron, for the present, but we are happy to state that they do not contemplate suspending foundry work as stated, and that the announcement was a mistake.

NERVOUS and General Debility, Heart Disease, and those chronic, lingering diseases which are peculiar to females, are cured by that wonderful and valuable remedy—Dr. Pierce's Alternative Extract, or Golden Medical Discovery. In Bronchial, Throat and Lung diseases it has no equal. Sold by druggists, or enclose three dollars and twenty-five cents to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., and get three bottles, free of express charges.

To stop an itching head use Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer, a sure cure.

PERIODICALS.

A New Year's Gift. Any gentleman that wants to give a lady friend a present ought to send her PETERSON'S LADIES' NATIONAL for 1870, as it promises to be better than ever, and Peterson always keeps his promise. It would be a very interesting and useful gift. The January number of this most excellent Magazine is on our table, with two of the most splendid steel engravings that we ever saw. The first one is called "Parted by Fate," and is accompanied with a very powerful story by Frank Lee Benedict. The second is called "A Bitter Morning," and represents two children skating on ice. This is one of the most cunning pictures we have seen for a long time. As for Peterson's fashion plates, they can't be beat. They are engraved on steel, and are really superb; every lady ought to see them. The price of this Magazine is only two dollars a year, while the inducements to clubs are very great. Specimens are sent gratis to those wishing to get up clubs. Address Charles J. Peterson, No. 306 Chestnut street, Philadelphia.

THE LADY'S FRIEND.—The number for January, 1870, is a truly splendid New Year's gift. A thrilling picture—"IN THE RAPIDS" of Niagara, is the first steel plate. The second is a beautiful title-page for the magazine, encircled with the flower-wreathed portraits of seven of its lady contributors. The Colored Fashion Plate, as usual, shows the latest styles; and there is besides a page of richly colored patterns for Berlin Work. The music is the "ROCKAWAY SCHOTTISCH." A great variety of articles for ladies' dress, and for the work-table, are illustrated by wood cuts. A beautiful story by Mrs. Moulton—"DID HE FORGET HER?" is begun in this number; and there is a poem by Florence Percy, and stories by E. B. Ripley, Miss Douglas, A. M. Dana, &c. The publishers offer great inducements to new subscribers, and we recommend our readers to inclose ten cents for a sample copy, to Deacon & Peterson, 319 Walnut Street, Philadelphia. Price $2.50 a year (which also includes a large steel engraving.) Four copies, $6. Five copies (and one gratis,) $8. "The Lady's Friend" and "The Saturday Evening Post" (and one engraving,) $4.00.

ARTHUR'S HOME MAGAZINE FOR 1870.—The publishers of this favorite lady's magazine have issued a prospectus for 1870 that is full of premised excellencies and attractions; and as they have always kept their word, their readers may count on a rich dispensation of good things during the coming year. Among the original papers to be given, we notice, "Marvels of the Insect World," accompanied by ten splendid full-page illustrations: "Gardening for the Ladies;" "A New American Society Novel;" "A Series of Powerfully Written Stories and Domestic Novelets;" "A Series of Temperance Tales for the Times;" "A Series of Strongly Written Articles on Woman's Work and Woman's Wages;" "A New Cookery Book," &c., &c In the department of fashion and illustration, the HOME MAGAZINE will continue to maintain its superior artistic excellence and beauty. Terms $2 a year, with a large deduction for clubs. Address T. S. Arthur & Son, Philadelphia, Pa.

THE CHILDRENS' HOUR.—"Take it all in all," says the *Sunday School Times*, "this is the best magazine for children in the world." For beauty of illustration and typography, it is certainly unsurpassed in this or any other country; and we learn by the prospectus for 1870, that its pictorial attractions are to exceed in beauty those of any previous year. Terms $1.25 a year. Five copies for $5. Address T. S. Arthur & Sons, Philadelphia, Pa.

ONCE A MONTH, another of Arthur's publications, for January, is also on our table, and contains its usual variety of choice reading matter. All should have it.

That "old household necessity"—The Franklin Almanac for 1870, published by A. Winch, 505 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, is on our table. Price 20 cents.

THE LUTHERAN OBSERVER: We are gratified in the highest measure, at the encouraging evidences of success, which attend our religious journals, evincing the power which they wield among our people. We note, in this connection, the fact that the LUTHERAN OBSERVER, of Philadelphia, now in its thirty-seventh year, conducted by Rev. F. W. Conrad, will be issued from January 1st, 1870, as a double sheet. Under the charge of Rev. Conrad, assisted by a corps of contributors, comprising the most talented and ablwriters of the church, it will be his aim, to make it, in all respects, a *first class* religious journal, to which end, neither time, labor nor expense will be spared. The terms of subscription, notwithstanding the contemplated enlargement, will remain the same as heretofore, namely, $2.50 per annum, payable in advance. If not paid until the subscription expires, $3. We trust that all the readers of the OBSERVER will put forth every effort to increase the number of its subscribers, and thus in some measure repay the additional expense incurred in the proposed change.

A Model Magazine.—For beauty of typography, artistic engravings, and high-toned literary articles, together with a large and beautiful display of the fashions, DEMOREST'S MONTHLY MAGAZINE is certainly unsurpassed. The January number, just received, in addition to unusual holiday attractions, has a fine steel portrait of both Mr. and Mme. Demorest. The rich display of novelties offered in DEMOREST'S MONTHLY would seem to be enough to secure a circulation sufficient to satisfy its publishers, but in addition we see they propose to give a very large and fine engraving to each subscriber, valued at $10. The engraving alone would make a very appropriate holiday or birthday gift; but when added to the costly picture the best parlor magazine is included, to be a monthly reminder of the friendly feeling of the giver, there is certainly no better way of investing $3. Address DEMOREST'S MONTHLY, 838 Broadway, N. Y.

TO THE WORKING CLASS.—We are now prepared to furnish all classes with constant employment at home, the whole of the time or for the spare moments. Business new, light and profitable. Persons of either sex easily earn from 50c. to $5 per evening, and a proportional sum by devoting their whole time to the business. Boys and girls earn nearly as much as men. That all who see this notice may send their address, and test the business, we make this unparalleled offer: To such as are not well satisfied, we will send $1 to pay for the trouble of writing. Full particulars, a valuable sample, which will do to commence work on, and a copy of *The Peoples' Literary Companion*—one of the largest and best family newspapers published—all sent free by mail. Reader, if you want permanent, profitable work, address E. C. ALLEN & CO. Augusta, Maine. [oct29-3m

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

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MARRIED.

MUSSER—SIETZ. November 30th, at Cooper's Hotel, by the Rev. W. T. Gerhard, Martin M. Musser to Annie M. Sietz, both of E. Hempfield.

STRICKLER—LONGENECKER. December 9th, at Horting & Schlott's Hotel, by the Rev. W. T. Gerhard, Abraham S. Strickler of Rapho, to Emily B. Longenecker, of Penn.

NISSLY—BRUBAKER. November 30th, at Cooper's Hotel, by the Rev. W. T. Gerhard, Henry B. Nissly of West Hempfield, to Rebecca H. Brubaker, of Rapho.

MCCARDLE—MECK. December 7th, by Rev. A. H. Kremer, Elf McCardle of Martic twp., to Kate E. Meck, of Pequea, this county.

MEEKINS—GILLIGAN. December 8th, at Wilkesburre, by the Rev. Father O'Harren, Frank Meekins, formerly of this city to Ellen Gilligan, of Wilkesbarre.

KALEY—HAWK. December 12th, in New Holland, by the Rev. Darius W. Gerhard, Matthias Kaley of New Holland, to Sarah Hawk, of Upper Leacock.

RESSEL—BRADY. November 28th, by Benjamin Urban, esq., Jacob W. Ressel to Fannie Brady, both of Conestoga township, Lancaster county.

EICHLER—KEMBLE. December 9th, at the Second Moravian Church, of Philadelphia, by Rev. H. S. Hoffman, Henry Eichler of Lancaster city, to Sallie A. Kemble, of Philadelphia.

FOLKMAN—BITTS. December 9th, by the Rev. J. J. Strine, at his residence, Christian J. H. Folkman to Catharine Bitts, both of Martic-twp

WITMER—MILLER. December 5th, by the Rev. J. J. Strine, at his residence, Abraham F. Witmer, of Mohor, to Mattie M., only daughter of Abraham Miller, of Millersville.

MYLIN—HUBER. At the Fountain Inn Hotel, by the Rev. Dr. Greenwald, Franklin M. Mylin of Pequea, to Fanny Huber, of West Lampeter.

DIED.

GOULD. December 13th, in this city, Charles T. Gould, aged 53 years.

ADAMS. December 9th, in this city, John C. Adams, in the 38th year of his age.

RICHARDS. December 8th, in the borough of Columbia, Allen Richards, in the 58th year of his age.

LEFEVRE. At Pleasant Grove, Adams county, Lizzie H. Lefevre, daughter of Rev. William D. and Sallie P. Lefevre, aged 23 months.

MILLER. December 10th, in Harrisburg, Emma E. Miller, aged 23 years, 9 months and 22 days.

YEAGLEY. *December 10th, in this city*, Sophia Yengley, in the 30th year of her age.

MUSSELMAN. November 27th, in Earl-twp., Fanny Musselman, daughter of John and Elizabeth Musselman, aged 26 years, 4 months and 23 days.

HENDERSON. Dec. 5th, suddenly, at his residence in Sadsbury, of disease of the heart, A. Lightner Henderson, esq., in the 67th year of his age.

LAHLA. December 8th, at the Home for Friendless Children, Harris Lahla, aged 9 years.

BAKER. November 22d, in Mount Joy township, Anna Baker, wife of Samuel Baker, in her 70th year.

MILLER. Dec. 10th, at the residence of Gotlieb Young, in Harrisburg, Emma E. Miller, aged 23 years, 9 months and 6 days.

THE MARKETS.

Lancaster Household Markets.

LANCASTER, Dec. 15.

Butter, ₩ lb	48	@	50
Lard, ₩ lb	20	@	22
Eggs, ₩ doz	40	@	45
Live Chickens ₩ pair	55	@	90
Dressed Chickens each	35	@	55
Turkeys	1 25	@	2 50
Geese	1 00	@	1 25
Beef by the quarter—front	9	@	10
Beef by the quarter—hind	11	@	12
Small Pork by the quarter	15	@	17
Whole Hogs per lb., dressed	14½	@	15
Potatoes ₩ bus	50	@	60
Potatoes per ½ peck	7	@	9
Onions		@	20
Apples ₩ ½ peck	15	@	20
Turnips ₩ ½ peck		@	8
Walnut per ½ peck		@	12
Sweet Cider per gallon		@	25
Applebutter per pint	15	@	18
Corn in the ear, per bus	80	@	90
Oats ₩ bag of 3 bus	1 65	@	1 80

Philadelphia Produce Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 15.—The Flour market is exceedingly quiet, and prices, although nominally unchanged, are in favor of buyers. There is no shipping demaud, and home [illegible] operate sparingly. About 600 barrels [illegible] hands, including superfine at $4.75@[illegible], extras at $5.12½@5.25; Iowa, Wisconsin and Minnesota extra family at $5.75@6.25, [illegible] rate for choice; Pa. do. do. at $5.50@[illegible], Indiana and Ohio do. do. at $5.75@6.50, and fancy brands at $6.75@7.50, according to quality.

Rye flour is lower. Sales at $5.25@5.37½.

Prices of Cornmeal are nominal.

There is no spirit in the Wheat market, and prices are weak. Sales of 1000 bus. Penn'a and Delaware red at $1.25@1.28.

Rye is steady at $1 for Western, and $1.10 for Penna.

Corn is quiet at the decline noted yesterday. Sales of 1,000 bus. old yellow at $1.[illegible], and 5,000 bus. new do. at 80@85c. for damp and prime dry.

Oats are not much sought after. 3000 bus. Pa. and Delaware at 57@60c., the latter rate for choice light.

Barley is in better demand; 1,000 bushels New York two-rowed sold at $1, and 1500 bus. Canada West at $1.35.

Whisky is less active; we quote wood and iron bound Western at $1.02@1.03.

The Cattle Market.

MONDAY, Dec. 13.—The market for Beef Cattle was firm to-day, and the advance recorded last week was well maintained. We quote choice at 9¾@10c.; prime at 9@9¼c.; fair to good at 7@8½c.; and common at 5@6¾c. ₩ lb., as in quality. Receipts, 2310 head. The following sales were reported:

76 head,	Owen Smith, Virginia	8	@	9½
90 "	A. Christy & Bro., Virginia	8	@	9½
42 "	Dengler & McCleese, Western	7	@	8½
90 "	P. McFillen, Western	7	@	10
50 "	P. Hathaway, Western	5½	@	9
26 "	Jas. S. Kirk, Chester co.	7	@	7½
25 "	B. McFillen, Western	8½	@	10
100 "	James McFillen, Western	8	@	10
65 "	E. S. McFillen, Ches. co.	8	@	9¾
127 "	Ullman & Bachman, Western	7	@	9½
160 "	Martin, Fuller & Co., West'n.	7½	@	9½
167 "	Mooney & Smith, Western	7	@	9½
50 "	Thos. Mooney & Bro, Virginia	6	@	8
40 "	H. Chain, Western Penn'a	7	@	7½
150 "	John Smith & Bro., Western	7	@	10
95 "	J. & L. Frank, Virginia	7	@	8½
100 "	G. Schamberg, & Co. Virginia	7	@	9½
100 "	Hope & Co., Western	7	@	9¾
48 "	M. Dryfoos & Co., Western	6	@	8¼
55 "	H. Frank, Western	6	@	8
49 "	B. Baldwin, Chester co.	6	@	8½
11 "	Jesse Miller, Chester co.	7	@	9
66 "	Elkon & Co., Virginia	6½	@	7½
125 "	G. Ellenger, Virginia	5½	@	8¼
19 "	Chandler & Alexander, Ches.	7	@	9
26 "	A. Kimble, Chester co.	5½	@	9
23 "	L. Horne, Delaware	5	@	6
74 "	Blum & Co., Virginia	6	@	7
25 "	Jos. Hull, Western	5½	@	8
40 "	J. J. Chain, Western Pa.	6	@	7
66 "	John McArdle, Western	7	@	9¾
53 "	S. Frank, Western	7	@	6½
10 "	S. M. Knox, Lancaster co.	10		
10 "	Hookes & Matlack, Chest. co.	8¾		
35 "	H. Keller, Western Pa.	5½	@	6½

Cows and calves sell freely at last week's quotations; 200 head sold at the Avenue Drove Yard at $50@100. Springers may be quoted at $45@75.

Sheep—the market is active and prices are a fraction higher; sales of 5000 head at 5@7c. for common and extra.

Hogs—the demand is somewhat limited, and prices are weak; sales of 3207 head at $14@15 ₩ 100 lbs. for corn fed. A very choice lot sold at $15.25.

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Miscellaneous.

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