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PLOT TO MURDER THE POPE?

ARMED SUSPECT ARRESTED

A MEXICAN

PARIS, Tuesday

The possibility that an attempt—happily unsuccessful—has been made to assassinate Pope Pius XI is revealed by a report from the Rome correspondent of *Le Journal*, published here yesterday.

The correspondent states that a Mexican recently called at the Vatican palace and requested an audience with the Holy Father. The Vatican authorities made some inquiries before granting the request.

The result of the investigations is stated to have been «unsatisfactory». So unsatisfactory, that when the Mexican called again at the Vatican for the answer to his application he was promptly arrested by the Papal gendarmes, and searched.

The suspect was found to have a very sharp dagger concealed on his person. It is believed in Vatican circles, according to the correspondent, that the mysterious affair is connected in some way with the conflict between the Catholic Church and the State in Mexico.

Church In Mexico

The struggle is the result of the attempt of the Mexican Government to enforce anti-religious laws only less severe than those existing in Russia. Besides prohibiting all religious services, processions or demonstrations out of doors, the Government has restricted the number of priests allowed to serve each district, and forbidden public servants to belong to religious associations.

The result has been the arrest of

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FUGITIVE DEPUTY FLIGHT TO SOUTH OF FRANCE

PARIS, Tuesday

Police all over France are still looking for the vanishing Deputy, M. Besson, who disappeared after a brief visit to the Chamber, where his parliamentary privileges were taken away from him following his indictment and sentence to six months in prison for misuse of documents and defrauding.

M. Besson has been slipping in and out of the clutches of the police for the past month with the greatest success. He has never been in their clutches very long.

Besson spent the greater part of Sunday night hiding in a cemetery on the outskirts of Paris. Then, it was disclosed by friends last night, he was spirited away to his home in the south of France, where he is now calmly visiting his mother and friends and relatives, while the police are continuing their hunt for him in all his known haunts in Paris.

Meanwhile the «Association of Friends of Philibert Besson» has been formed. The members consist of voters in his former constituency and Paris supporters, who are announcing a forthcoming surprise visit of their hero to Paris.

Tracking down of the ubiquitous M. Philibert is rendered still more difficult for the police by the alleged existence of his double, who is said to be astonishingly like him and who is often pressed into service by the resourceful politician at stormy election meetings when things seem to be going against him.

Interviewed in his Paris apartment at which M. Besson frequently stayed, his closest friend stated that he knew of the whereabouts of the hunted man but would not divulge the information.

He intimated, however, that great plans were afoot for a reform political programme having to do

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GREEK REBELS ROUTED

GEN. KAMELOS' FLIGHT

HELLE RETAKEN

ATHENS, Tuesday

The Greek Government confidently expects that the whole of the provinces of Thrace and Macedonia will be cleared of rebels under arms by this evening.

General Kamenos, commander-in-chief of the rebels in Macedonia, and his entire staff, consisting of two colonels, four lieutenant-colonels, six captains and six lieutenants, crossed the Bulgarian frontier near Mastanly yesterday afternoon and surrendered to the Bulgarian frontier guards. The governor of the Greek province of Thrace was also with the party.

The advance of the Government troops under the personal command of General Kondylis, Minister of War, continued irresistibly yesterday, the insurgents retreating all along the line. The loyal forces succeeded in recapturing the towns of Drama and Ceres, as well as the important seaport of Kavalla.

Flight To Frontier

At Kavalla 3,000 rebels, including many officers, surrendered unconditionally. The retreat is rapidly degenerating into a disorderly flight, according to the reports received at the War Office, many of the rebel officers deserting their troops in a desperate attempt to cross either the Bulgarian or the Turkish border.

General Kondylis, who arrived at Kavalla yesterday evening, is to return to Athens by air this morning, as the operations in Macedonia are considered to be finished, apart from some local actions. He reports in a telegram to Premier Tsaldaris that the rebel officers cleared out the National Bank in Kavalla, seizing more than 20,000,000 drachmae in cash.

The cruiser *Helle* arrived at Salonika late yesterday afternoon, having surrendered to the Government. The *Helle*, with the cruiser *Giorgios Averoff* and three destroyers, formed the flotilla of five vessels which sailed from Salamis when the rebellion began to raise the standard of revolt in Crete, and later captured the islands of Samos, Chios and Lesbos.

The loyal seamen on board the cruiser rose against the rebel officers at Kavalla on Sunday night and threw them overboard. A loyal officer thereupon took charge of the vessel, and informed the Government that he placed her and her crew at the Government's disposal.

At the same time he requested the naval authorities for instructions, as he thought it inadvisable for the *Helle* to remain any longer at Kavalla. The cruiser was

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MURDER TRIAL

COMMUNIST AT HAMBURG

HAMBURG, Tuesday

Three death sentences and a total of 260 years penal servitude are the penalties demanded by the public prosecutor in the trial of the Communist leader Fritz Schulze, which began before the Summary Court here yesterday.

Schulze was one of the leaders of the Communist risings in Hamburg in 1922 and 1923. He is charged with committing three murders, being implicated in fifteen others, and planning five more.

The public prosecutor is demanding the death sentence for each of the three murders which the defendant is alleged to have committed himself. Fifteen years penal servitude are asked for each of the crimes to which he is accused of being an accessory, besides a total of thirty-five years on other charges.

It is officially stated that sentence will probably be pronounced at the end of this week. The term «sentence» is used, and not «judgment», since there is no doubt of what the verdict will be.

The statement that the prisoner is a Communist in any indictment before German court since the advent of the Brown Shirts to power is sufficient to ensure his conviction, whether any proof of his connection with that party is brought forward or not. Clear proof of his having committed the crimes of which he is accused is not required either in such political trials, since the law plainly instructs the courts to base their decisions, not on the actual offences charged, but on whether the defendant is an enemy of the National-Socialist state.

A partial exception to the rule was the notorious Reichstag arson trial, in which the judges showed a tendency, in spite of the hysterical objurgations of Herr Goering,

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KOVNO TRIAL FOR TREASON

MEMELLANDERS DEFENCE

YOUNG ACCUSED

KOVNO, Tuesday

The senior defending lawyer yesterday opened the speech in the defence in the Memel trial here.

The senior counsel represented the defendants Sass Ropy, twenty-two other members, Christian Socialist union known as the C. S. A. He affirmed that the C. S. A. was not a political organisation, as the prosecution contended.

Its objects, he said, were purely commercial and cultural. It had never had any political connections with Germany.

The sole object of the flight to Berlin made by the defendant Sass, declared his attorney, was that the German press had constantly attacked him, and he wanted to put an end to this. Military weapons, not even pistols, had been found in the homes of some of his clients, and therefore could be no question of the arming an armed rising against the Lithuanian Government.

Acquittal Sought

The lawyer therefore demanded the acquittal of all his clients, pointing out that the majority were under twenty years old, and most of them had already been punished for alleged offences against the Lithuanian military authorities of the Memel territory.

The 126 defendants in the trial are all Memellanders of Lithuanian origin. They are charged with various activities of a treasonable nature, including plotting an armed insurrection.

The public prosecutor demanded

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POLITICAL BEATING OF WIFE

Moscow, Tuesday

Shirnova is the wife of Shirnov. Both of them are peasants and both are farmers. They have been married for quite some time now, and they get along fairly well together in their stolid Russian fashion.

There is one thing that Shirnov is not so stolid about. He takes his politics seriously.

Of course, in these times if one does not agree with the government, there is nothing much to be done about it except to curb one's tongue carefully and go about one's business as before.

It does not pay to take risks with the OGPU ever on the alert, and Heaven alone knows what friend, what tavern intimate, may be in the pay of the dread secret police.

So Shirnov minded his business and curbed his tongue—but he

doesn't like the Soviet government. When Shirnova came home one day recently, according to an official report from Moscow, bursting with the good news that she had been elected a delegate of the collective farm in the Novoburask district, Shirnov had enough.

Here was his own wife gone against him, herded like a sheep into the folds of the Communist party. Shirnov may be a stolid peasant, but when he acts he acts. Instead of extending congratulations to his wife, he forthwith gave her a good beating.

Having expressed his political views to his own satisfaction, Shirnov faced the police. They weren't interested, but the local party committee were. Shirnov has been brought before them on a charge of «holding Kulak ideas.» He has not yet been tried

ARGUMENT WITH AVALANCHE

INNSBRUCK, Tuesday

It might have been a tragedy, but instead it turned out to be something of a comedy when an express train travelling in the mountainous region west of Innsbruck decided yesterday to brook no interference from an avalanche.

A locomotive is a powerful entity, but this particular engine is convinced today that it is not quite powerful enough to argue with the forces of nature.

The train was going at full speed when the passengers, calmly reading their *zeitungen* and talking to one another, were rudely and roughly shaken as the train came to a sudden halt.

The engine had dashed straight into a falling avalanche, which was hidden from the driver's view

by a curve. The force of the act carried the first two cars right into a twelve-foot-high wall of snow. But the train was on rails and was not damaged to any extent.

Nobody was seriously injured, the driver, the fireman, and the passengers as well as three car attendants were the only ones who were bruised at all.

The train was carefully stopped, and then proceeded on after the snow had been cleared from the tracks.

To officials later blamed the accident on the driver and the locomotive. The driver didn't bother to blame the accident on the driver. But the public will contest the right of an avalanche again.

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GRECIAN BROILS

The civil war in Greece between
the Venizelist rebels and the sup-
porters of the Tsaldaris Govern-
ment is still going on.

What exactly is happening is by
no means clear, in view of the hal-
fhearted optimistic reports sent out by
both sides. It is clear, however, that
the fighting, which has been going
on for over a week, is not over.

Whether the Government may or may not
win a decisive victory in Ma-
cedonia. It certainly seems to be
in undisputed control of Central
Greece and the Peloponnese, but
the Venizelists seem to be equally
the challenged masters of the is-
lands, particularly of Crete, where
Venizelos has proclaimed an
independent Cretan republic.

It is usually difficult, at this distance,
to discover exactly what the
issue is all about. Accusations of
tyranny and anarchy hurled at the Govern-
ment by the rebels, and the Govern-
ment's retort accusing M. Venizelos
of being moved purely by the offer
of power do not lighten the
gravity, but they evidently re-
veal a deep-seated and widespread
resentment among the population
of large sections of the country.

Whether Tweedledum or Tweedle-
dee prevails is a matter that con-
cerns the Greek nation. What con-
cerns the people, and particularly sta-
tioned outside Greece is the dan-
ger of the internecine strife caus-
ing international complications.

The states bordering on Mace-
donia have naturally taken milita-
ry precautions to prevent the tide
from overflowing their frontiers.

No one can blame them for
this, and the fact that Bul-
garia has withdrawn her accusa-
tions against Turkey on that head
can be taken as a hopeful sign
of peaceheadedness.

There is no need either to read
the intentions into the despatch
of Italian warships to the Aegean.

The Greek-speaking islanders of
the Italian-owned Dodecanese
islands have been restive lately, and Rome
would be foolish not to see the
possibility of further trouble in
the present disturbed atmosphere.

The longer the war goes on, the
greater the danger. A rapid deci-
sion one way or the other is the
only thing that can be hoped for

in the interests of Balkan peace, as
well as for the unfortunate con-
sumers wading in the Macedonian
sea and for the ordinary citizen
of the island.

ON THE ISLAND

By The Wayfarer

Mrs. Cecil Aldin has returned to
London and with her departure
the Aldin villa on the Andraitx shor-
eline is deserted. The presence of
the famous artist and his charming
wife on the Island, even with
their rare visits to Palma, always
lent a kind of flavour to Mallorca
and to the small group of resident
notables. «Oh, certainly, Cecil Al-
din lives here. He has the most
unusual home, you know. . . » gave
a real pleasure to the speaker and
made Mallorca seem a bit more de-
sirable. Since Mr. Aldin's death,
his wife has spent more and more
time in London and now it appears
that she will remain in England
for an indefinite time. She sailed
from Palma last week on the Pegu.

PRINCE'S PIECE:—

The musical composition recent-
ly composed by H. R. H. the Prince
of Wales, and entitled «Mallorca»
will be played by Don J. Mas

Porcel at his next concert. The
Wayfarer is informed that this
concert will be held at the Junior
Club next week.

HERE AND THERE:—

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ray finish-
ed their six week stay on the Is-
land with a whirlwind three days
of tours and trips by motor cars.
They left last night for Barcelona
where they will remain for a short
visit and from where they will be-
gin their journey to England and
to their home, Broomfield Lodge,
Kidderminster.

Back again at the Alfonso Hotel
is Mrs. Maud who spent a week in
Pollensa.

Mr. Ashley T. Day is expected to
return to his home near Bonanova
today. He has been a guest at the
home and finca of Mrs. Joan Mal-
colm in Sóller.

Sunday was a busy day at the
fonda in Paguera. Headed by Mrs.

Gladys Kidd, a bus load of excursion-
ists spent the day at the best
beach on this side of the Island.

Mrs. E. O. Spiers, Mrs. H. G.
Spiers, and Mrs. F. D. Scott have
returned to England.

FAVORABLE:—

Not all of last week's traffic was
unfavourable. Favourable results
were noted with the arrival
of more than one vessel.
The American steamer, the Ex-
eter, coming from the Near East
and bound for Boston and New
York brought Mr. and Mrs. Simon
Ortweiler with several trunks and
hand pieces from Marseilles to Pal-
ma. They are here, it was said at
the quai, for an indefinitely long
holiday.

AMERICANS HOME:—

While on the subject of the Ex-
eter, the vessel left Palma with six
members of the American colony
whose absence will be difficult to
forget. Mr. Julius E. Schroeder and
Mr. Kenneth W. Hardon will leave
the vessel in Boston and will
proceed to rejoin their friends
and family in America, without
forgetting their many friends in
Mallorca.

NEW YORK:—

Dr. and Mrs. G. C. Nasmith sailed
on the Exeter for New York. They
spent a very enjoyable holiday on
the Island and left as secure friends
of the Balearics. Mrs. Mary
E. Neely and Miss Katherine Kin-
near also left Palma for New York,
although those of us who know
both cities could never understand
why anyone would make that
change.

ARRIVALS:—

Mrs. A. M. Woodbury Thomp-
son arrived in Palma a short time
ago from London. She has gone to
the Hotel Mediterraneo. Mrs. Shel-
lah Edith Lloyd, also from London,
is at the same hotel. She came here
last week. Mr. William Walter
Weldon was one of the passen-
gers on the French boat from Al-
giers, as was Mme. Louise Nott of
Paris.

Some newcomers from London
are Mr. and Mrs. Howard Forcey,
here for a short holiday, Mr. Oscar
Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. O. Dix, Mrs.
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Out Of My Head

by HARRY GALLAND

Senator Huey Long of Louisiana
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he says so. What further proof do
you wish, especially when he has
been saying it for a long time and
with great vehemence?

In the second place, he started
out as a poor boy, and now look
at him! He is rich enough to re-
ceive a formal visit of the cap-
tain of a visiting foreign war ves-
sel in silk pajamas. Not cotton,
mind you, but silk.

Then, if you need anything else
to convince you, there is the fact
that he is a smart politician. Even
his enemies—there seem to be one
or two—admit that he is mighty
smart.

And there is the latest evi-
dence of his acumen. It was some-
thing of a dirty trick, rather akin
to offering candy to the baby and
then snatching it away to replace
the proffered sweet with spinach,
but it worked.

The Senator from Louisiana was
scheduled to make a radio ad-
dress a few nights ago. Half of
America tuned in to listen to what
would surely prove to be a fiery
rejoinder to the attack on Senator
Long and Father Charles Cough-
lin made earlier in the week by
General Hugh S. Johnson, the
great phrase-maker.

In his address, you may remem-
ber, General Johnson accused his
gentle enemies of being «a couple
of Pied Pipers with penny whis-
tles» of «supporting the lunatic
fringe» and a few other mild
things, such as treasonable attacks
on the government.

Well, that was what the General
said about the Senator, and of
course it was confidently expected
that the Senator would give one
of his usual good shows in his re-
ply.

And what happened? The Sena-
tor's radio address, instead of
burning up the air and causing the
valves in countless sets to fuse and
run molten hot, was merely an elab-
oration of his «distribute-the-
wealth» programme by means of
which he hopes to be elected Pre-
sident of the United States in
1936.

That, it is submitted, was smart
politics as well as a dirty trick.
It was smart politics because
the Senator well knew that a huge
audience was waiting for a swell
show and a fiery answer. He also
knew that he would never get
such a huge number of listeners if
it were known that he was sim-
ply going to talk about himself and
his plans. So he took advantage
of the situation and the audience
and forgot all about General John-
son and his nasty show of bad tem-
per.

The Senator from Louisiana is
tolerated by the mass of the peo-
ple because he is a good clown.
When he deliberately steps out of
the ring and tries to be serious,
he is a flop. And in common with
all those millions of American citi-
zens, I feel gypped. Come on, Sen-
ator, behave, or I'll start calling
you names too!

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FIRST AUTOGIRO STATION

MADRID, Tuesday

Madrid will probably be the first city in the world to possess a landing station for autogiros within its limits, it is revealed here today.

The plan of the proposed building has been drawn by a well known Spanish architect in consultation with Señor de la Cierva, the inventor of the «windmill plane». The aerodrome is to consist essentially of a large flat roof, and the lower part of the building will probably be used as a terminal station for either a railway or motor buses.

The Madrid station is intended to act as a central «terminus», the existence of which will be the first step in the establishment of autogiro services connecting the capital with the rest of Spain and with foreign countries. It is expected that the *Madrileños* will soon be using the rotor flying machine not only as a convenient form of transport but also as a popular sport.

Señor de la Cierva's invention has solved the problem of air transport in cities, not only because the autogiro requires very little space in which to take off and land, but also because it is exempt from the danger of crashing through loss of speed. For that reason it is exempt from the regulations prohibiting low flying over towns, and has been used effectively in London for the study of traffic problems from the air.

GENERAL FRANCO

MADRID, Tuesday

General Don Francisco Franco Bahamonde, formerly Military Commander of the Balearics and now Commander-in-Chief of the army in Spanish Morocco, has arrived at Ceuta to take over his new command, according to a message from that city.

The General made the journey by air from Algeciras, after being delayed there for several days by a storm in the Strait of Gibraltar, which prevented the mail boat from crossing. Señor Rico Avello, Spanish High Commissioner in Morocco, has also left for Morocco in an aeroplane which is taking him to Tetuan.

WORLD EVENTS IN BRIEF

Moscow, Tuesday

A total of 234 fishermen and forty-one horses are adrift on ice floes in the Caspian Sea. Eight aeroplanes have been ordered to take off at once in an attempt to rescue the marooned fishermen.

BEIRUT, Tuesday

Nine persons were killed and two seriously wounded by a Senegalese soldier belong to the French Colonial troops stationed here who suddenly ran amok in the barracks yesterday, shooting five of his comrades and then dashing into the street flourishing a revolver, with which he killed four passers-by and wounded two others before he could be overpowered.

NEW YORK, Tuesday

Plans for establishing a regular air service between the Pacific coast and the Far East are progressing rapidly. Early in April the steamer Northhaven, chartered by Panamerican Airways for the purpose, will sail to establish five intermediate operating bases along the projected route. When the service is established it is anticipated that the present three week journey will be accomplished in three days. The bases will include Hawaii at the midway point, the Wake Islands, Guam and Manila.

LONDON, Tuesday

A scheme for an entertainment centre in Tottenham Court Road in association with the Paramount

Film Company includes a cinema to seat more than 3,000, a dance hall for 1,000, a telephone news theatre and 140 modern flats.

LONDON, Tuesday

The Premier is recovering from the cold which kept him in bed Sunday, but was unable to attend Monday's important debate on Imperial defence and a discussion on the White Paper explaining the reasons for an increase in estimates for all three defence services.

SIoux FALLS, Tuesday

Following the declaration of martial law the striking meat packers have dispersed quietly without engaging in any strife.

STRATOSPHERE PLANS

MADRID, Tuesday

Further revelations connected with the projected stratosphere ascent of Lieutenant Colonel Herrera of the Spanish army were made today by Don José María Torroja, of the Academy of Science.

The stratosstat will rise from either Getafe or Cuatro Vientos May, a calm day being chosen for the purpose.

The difficulty of finding the necessary cash for the construction, inflation and release of the balloon has been solved by the granting of 100,000 pesetas by the National Research Foundation and 50,000 more by the War Office. The Rockefeller Institute is lending several important scientific instruments.

The National Geographical Society of Spain, to which Colonel Herrera explained his project in a lecture, received it with enthusiasm. The only opposition raised by General Vives, who feared for the aeronaut's life. The society appointed a committee which is working out the last details of the flight with Colonel Herrera.

The colonel will make the ascent alone, in an open car. It is believed that more valuable and trustworthy data can be collected in this way than by using a closed gondola like that in which Professor Peckard made his stratosphere flight.

Colonel Herrera will be protected against the conditions of the upper atmosphere by an electrically heated suit designed by him. Oxygen flasks will be used to supply him with breathable air.

PLOT TO MURDER THE POPE?

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many priests and bishops on charges of defying the law, and attempts by Communists and other anti-religious extremists to sack and desecrate the remaining churches, keep people out of them by force, and make an end of Catholic Christianity in Mexico. Those attempts have led to armed conflicts between Communists, Government troops and Catholics in several Mexican states.

The persecution has had repercussions in the United States, where the Knights of Columbus are urging the Government to intervene on behalf of the Mexican Catholics. Washington, however, refuses to budge from the position that it has no right to interfere in the internal affairs of the neighbouring republic.

MURDER TRIAL

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the Prussian Premier, to consider the actual facts presented in evidence, except in the case of the principal accused, Vap der Lubbe. The line taken by the Leipzig Supreme Court on that occasion aroused deep displeasure in Government circles, and the result was the issuing of stricter instructions to the courts.

GREEK REBELS ROUTED

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ordered to leave Kavalla, head for the Gulf of Salonika, and await further instructions there.

The Venizelists remain in unchallenged possession for the moment of Crete and the other islands occupied by them. It is anticipated however that the Government will inaugurate a general attack by sea and air on these last strongholds of the insurrection as soon as the last phases of the operations in northern Greece are brought to a successful conclusion.

FUGITIVE DEPUTY

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with the making over of the capital system and the abolishing of «the antiquated railway system of transportation.»

KOVNO TRIAL FOR TREASON

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and death sentences for five of the accused, and sentences totaling 1,400 years penal servitude for the rest. His demand has caused a great outcry in the German press, which is demanding the intervention of the powers signatory to the Memel Convention.

The German papers, led by the official National Socialist organ, the *Voelkische Beobachter*, claim that no illegal actions have been proved against the defendants. The latter, they complain, are simply being persecuted for opposing the attempts of the Kovno Government to «Lithuanianise» the German people of Memel.

The «Lithuanianisation» campaign has included the dismissal of hundreds of German-speaking officials on the ground that they could not speak Lithuanian, the dissolution of local political associations and the suspension under various pretexts of the Diet. It is claimed that all those actions are violations of the Statute of Autonomy guaranteed by the Memel Convention, Great Britain, France and Italy being the guarantors.

THEATRE GUIDE

TEATRO PRINCIPAL

The Rosary

with

Andres Lugueta & Luisa Hormand
3:30 6:30 9:30

TEATRO LIRICO

Viva Villa

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Wallace Beery
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