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KITIMAT PREDICTIONS MODERATED

Population of Fifty Thousand Discounted

Will Be Many Years Anyway, Aluminum Head Says—Initial Payroll 1200 to 1300

VICTORIA (CP)—Many years may elapse before the site of the new aluminum production plant of the Aluminum Co. of Canada at Kitimat reaches proportions widely predicted in the past—a city with a population of 50,000.

W. W. Davis, president of Aluminum Co. of Canada, parent company, said Wednesday that it may be some generation before Kitimat reaches its maximum growth. He said it will not mushroom into a city of 50,000.

Close Skeena River Fishing

Fisheries department announced that all salmon net fishing in the Skeena River area will be closed from 6 p.m., August 10 to 6 p.m., August 19, for conservation of sockeye.

Naas River area closes to sockeye nets for the same period.

Sockeye fishermen are getting the breaks lately as the highest averages of the season are being reported. Monday's take by 18 seiners in Whale Channel averaged 3,000 fish for the day while Tuesday's reports showed catches of 2,500 as an average.

Seventy-five per cent of the catches are pink salmon, the rest chums and coho.

In the Naas River area, an average of 1,200 was reported on Monday with 70 vessels fishing. Pinks were predominant with 85 per cent.

Ogden Channel reports 2,000 pinks each for seven vessels fishing Monday.

Edinburgh Duke Warns World Against Science

EDINBURGH (CP)—The Duke of Edinburgh warned scientists Wednesday that their knowledge could reach a danger point where they could either liberate the world or set it free from drudgery and fear.

"It is clearly our duty as citizens to see that science is used for the benefit of mankind," he told the 133rd annual meeting of the British Association for the Advancement of Science.

"Of what use is science if man does not survive?" the Duke asked.

The Duke spoke as president of the association.

Fire is Still Uncontrolled

GRAND FORKS (CP)—Bordering forest fires, shooting over flaming embers as far as a quarter of a mile, still hold the area hand today as 1300 firefighters have called for reinforcements.

The blaze has crossed into the United States sixty miles north of Colville, Washington and has spread about a mile inside United States territory. Forestry officials of the two countries are negotiating in fighting the fire.

Two fires, which have raged for 4000 acres, are still spreading today along Santa Rosa and near Christina Lake. The fire east of Grand Forks. At reports a gap of two or three miles separated the fires. Flames, threatening the little town of community of Fire, 20 miles east of here, are being held back three miles from the town.

East Sees This as Banner District—Everyone Talking Of Rupert, Terrace, Kitimat

They may not have heard much about Skeena but the people down East are certainly beginning to know a lot about Prince Rupert, Terrace, Kitimat and the Nechako, reports E. T. Applewhaite, MP for Skeena, who has returned to the city after attending the session of Parliament in Ottawa.

In six months, Mr. Applewhaite noted a great measure of further appreciation of this part of the country due to the publicity the district has been receiving about the aluminum and cellulose projects.

"Eastern Canada is beginning to realize this is the banner district of the country."

Mr. Applewhaite, after a busy tour by air throughout the northern part of his riding, is now digging up with his accumulated mail and also getting some much-needed sleep.

Asked about a few local matters, he reported:

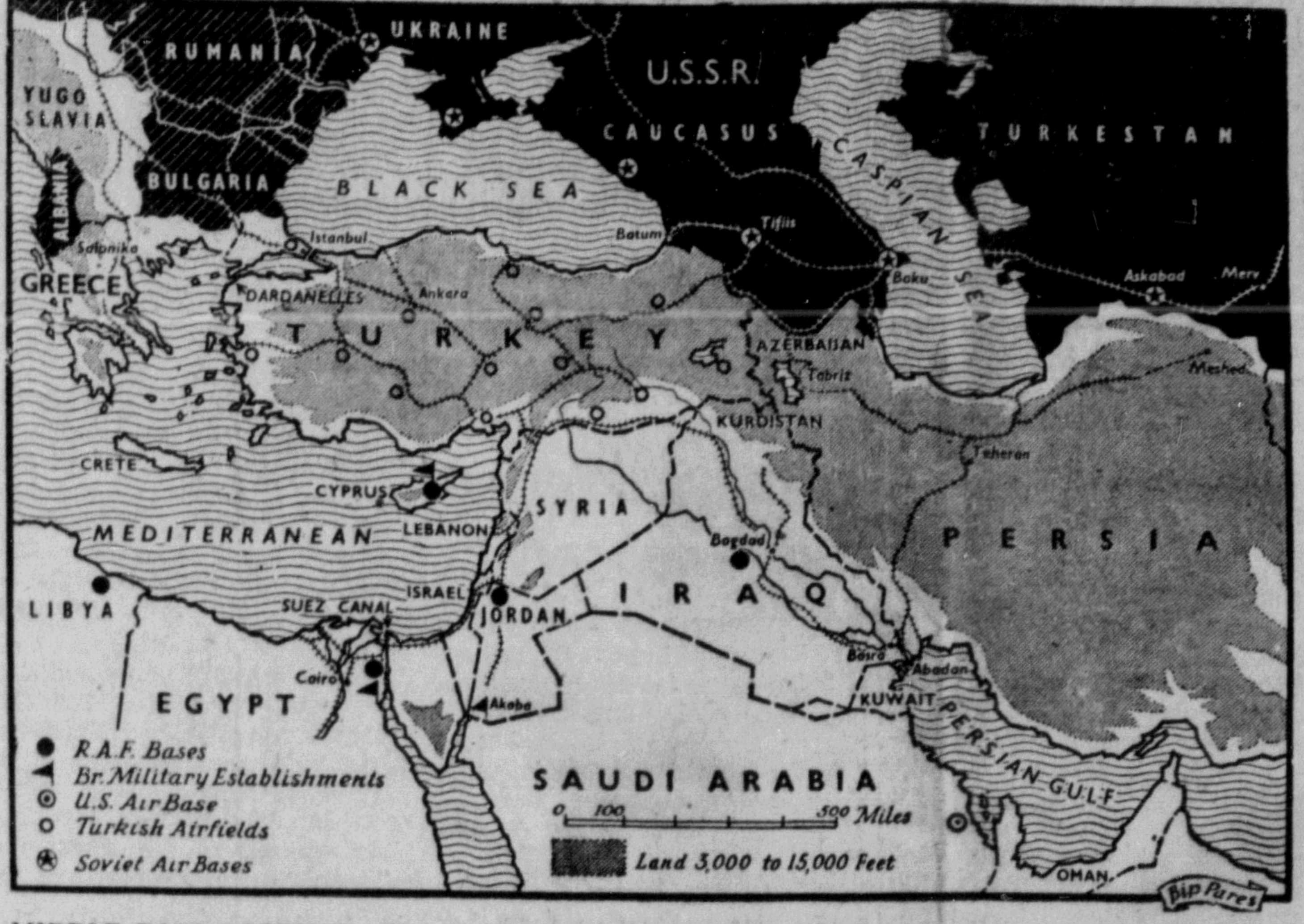
Air field—It is receiving consideration but nothing further has been heard since the Minister of Transport promised in Parliament to reopen the subject within the department.

Elevator—It would appear to be a dead horse until other commodities besides grain become available for shipment from the port, timber products being particularly mentioned.

Dry dock—Advocacy of the use of the local plant in new shipbuilding is constantly met with the question: where are the new employees going to be housed?

Housing—A problem which the federal member is going to check up on immediately from this end.

Loadline—The Department of External Affairs is actively working on load line question and, while it is an international affair, Mr. Applewhaite is confident of something being accomplished to remove discrimination.



MIDDLE EAST DEFENCE

The Middle East for today apart from South-East Asia, the most dangerous gap in the defences of the non-Communist world. The proposed accession of Turkey and Greece to the North Atlantic Treaty, to which Britain agreed last week, marks the beginning of a bold attempt to put the defence of the area on a new and realistic basis. It invests Turkey with a key role in Middle Eastern defence and will necessitate a large-scale reorientation of British and Commonwealth Middle Eastern policies.

WEATHER

Synopsis
A weak disturbance across the northern coast is moving slowly southward and is expected to cross Vancouver Island tonight and tomorrow morning. Although some showers associated with the disturbance were occurring this morning on the Queen Charlotte Islands very little rain is expected in the southern coastal regions from this disturbance.

Variable cloudiness persists in the interior sections of the province and there will be a few showers in these regions during the afternoon and early evening both today and Friday.

Forecast
North coast region—Cloudy and cool with a few showers today and Friday. Winds—northwesterly (20 mph). Lows tonight and highs Friday—at Port Hardy, Sandspit and Prince Rupert, 54 and 65.

TIDES

Friday, August 10, 1951
(Pacific Standard Time)

High	6:18	15.5 feet
	18:29	19.1 feet
Low	0:11	6.1 feet
	12:02	8.0 feet

Highway Paving to Start Next Week

Paving of the Port Edward highway is to begin next week—Tuesday—L. E. Smith, provincial public works engineer, hopes. At present, the provincial owned asphalt plant is being set up on a portion of the old highway halfway between Galloway Rapids bridge and Miller Bay Hospital road.

Fred Rose Liberated

OTTAWA (CP)—Fred Rose, leading figure of Canada's sensational postwar spy probe, was released from prison today, his term being shortened because of good behaviour in prison.

Rose, 43-year-old Polish-born former Member of Parliament for a Montreal seat, was convicted of conspiring to get wartime secrets to Russia. He has been in St. Vincent de Paul penitentiary near Montreal.

Rose had been sentenced to a term of five years for violation of the Official Secrets Act. His arrest took place during the sensational post-war spy probe in 1946. Rose was regarded as king pin of a network of Communist espionage couriers who relayed defence information to Russia.

Nine other persons were imprisoned on conviction of espionage charges with Rose. All but Rose and two others have completed serving their sentences.

Alaska Couple Flying North

Flying an Aeronca four-place sedan from Seattle to Fairbanks, Mr. and Mrs. G. King of Fairbanks were in the city overnight, resting their seaplane at the Seal Cove air base.

Mr. King is a pilot of the Northern Commercial Co. which, among almost every other article that the people of the northland buy, also sells aircraft.

The plane now being flown north is for delivery to a customer, being a new machine which Mr. King went south to pick up.

The couple arrived at 5:30 last evening. They are making the flight by easy stages, "seeing the country as we go along." First night out was at Alert Bay. Yesterday they paused at Bella Bella for refuelling. Leaving at noon today after the morning fog lifted, they were heading for the next stop at Ketchikan and planned calls also at Juneau and Whitehorse enroute to the central Alaska city.

Pacific Pact To be Signed

WASHINGTON, D.C. (CP)—The United States, Australia and New Zealand will formally sign a mutual security treaty in San Francisco September 1, three days before the start of the Japanese peace treaty conference.

The treaty pledges each country to consider armed attack against either of the others as "dangerous to its own peace and safety."

The 10-man American delegation will be headed by Secretary of State Dean Acheson.

HARDY NATIVES

Natives of the Caroline Islands in the Pacific are noted boatbuilders and navigators, as well as successful farmers.

Time Table of Royal Tour is Made Public

Better Part of Week Will Be Spent on West Coast by Royal Couple

OTTAWA (CP)—The government today issued bare outlines of the full coast-to-coast royal tour of Princess Elizabeth and the Duke of Edinburgh.

The tour will open at Quebec City October 2 and will end at St. John's, Newfoundland, November 5.

From Quebec City the royal couple will go to Ottawa and spend two days in the capital—October 3 and 4—and then visit a number of Ontario centres.

They plan to reach the west coast October 13, arriving at Vancouver, and are scheduled to spend three days—October 16, 17 and 18—on a holiday at an undisclosed locality.

While on the coast they will visit Victoria and Nanaimo.

The government said that formalities and ceremonies will form only a small part of the program.

Industrial and defence production plants and navy, army and air force centres will be visited.

The tour will involve rail, ship and plane transportation. A C-54 luxury plane will be supplied by the Royal Canadian Air Force. Ships will be supplied by the Royal Canadian Navy. For part of the tour the royal couple will use the railway cars normally used by the Governor General. In west coast waters they will travel aboard the destroyer Crusader.

The big fire started on the south side of the Stikine River but jumped the stream and approached Telegraph Creek from the northeast. It is still burning over an area 50 by 35 miles and, from the air, it looks like there might be forty or more separate fires.

Mr. Applewhaite believes there may have been heavy loss of wild life.

The ground is extremely dry as there has been no appreciable rain for a long time. Cracking deadfall has burned like tinder. Cottonwood foliage, usually a lush green, looks like it has been frostbitten.

Threatening Lover Sought

VANCOUVER (CP)—A jilted lover, who had sworn to slay his one-time fiancée and her widowed mother, was sought by police Wednesday.

Police say that threats were made against the life of Mrs. Joan Axdal and her 33-year-old daughter, Lenore, a nurse, now visiting with friends of the family in Winnipeg.

The man is reported to have left Santa Monica, California, several days ago in a stolen truck, heading for Vancouver and the home of his former sweetheart. He did not know that she had fled to Winnipeg.

Light Plane Is Missing

WINNIPEG (CP)—A Royal Canadian Air Force Dakota left Winnipeg Wednesday night for The Pas, Manitoba, to search for an American light aircraft with two persons aboard.

The plane is reported six days overdue on a 296-mile flight from Las la Ronze to Stoney Rapids in northern Saskatchewan.

Aboard the plane were Dr. Tasche of Sheboygan, Wisconsin, pilot, and Miles Elkenburger of Plymouth, Wisconsin, passenger.

They left Sheboygan July 29 for a fishing trip in Saskatchewan.

India And Pakistan

CALCUTTA (CP)—War tensions between India and Pakistan increased yesterday with reports that cities in east Pakistan staged effective black-out practices and with claims by the local Indian press that Pakistan plans joint attack on Kashmir and India's East Bengal area.

Reports are that Pakistan air force planes, infantry and artillery carried out two-way manoeuvres along a 600-mile section of the frontier which borders on Assam.

Pakistan sources claim that Indian troops are massing along the border.

Reds Would Resume Talk

Make Guarantees in Asking for Re-opening of Cease Fire Parley

TOKYO (CP)—Communist leaders in Korea today asked the United Nations to resume cease-fire talks and said there would be no further violations of the cease-fire zone unless they were created by the Allies.

Open Communist violation of Kaesong's neutrality had led General Matthew Ridgway to break off negotiations at the end of the week until the Reds guaranteed that it would not happen again.

On Tuesday Ridgway demanded "complete compliance."

The Red leaders today said they had issued new orders to their soldiers to observe the neutrality agreement.

There is no immediate indication as to when General Ridgway would reply—nor of when armistice negotiations would be resumed.

NEW INCIDENT
Meantime United Nations Command headquarters said tonight that the Reds had formally charged that Allied planes had machine-gunned a Communist truck delegation truck Tuesday. The incident is said to have happened between Kaesong, site of the cease-fire talks, and Pyongyang, the Red Korean capital. Allied commanders rejected the complaint as unfounded.

San Salvador Has Big Fire

SAN SALVADOR, El Salvador (CP)—The Metropolitan Cathedral and National Theatre were destroyed by a fire that flashed out of the theatre's film storages and swept across the main square of this Central American capital. Eighty persons were injured and damage to the two buildings amounted to \$200,000.

The fire started in the late afternoon, presumably when a short-circuited wire threw sparks on movie films.

TODAY'S STOCKS

(Courtesy S. D. Johnston Co. Ltd.)

VANCOUVER		Beattie	
American Standard	10 1/2	Bevcourt	47
Bralorne	6.00	Buffalo Canadian	18
B R X	03 1/2	Consol. Smelters	156.00
Cariboo Quartz	1.05	Conwest	3.25
Congress	06	Donalda	48
Giant Mascot	99	Eidona	181 1/2
Indian Mines	24	East Sullivan	8.85
Pend Oreille	7.80	Giant Yellowknife	9.45
Pioneer	1.80	God's Lake	34
Premier Border	35	Hardrock	14
Privateer	11	Harricena	08 1/2
Rveves McDonald	4.60	Heva	12
Reno	04	Jackknife	10
Sheep Creek	1.62	Joliet Quebec	49 1/2
Silbak Premier	37	Little Long Lac	73
Taku River	05	Lynx	163 1/2
Vananda	11	Madsen Red Lake	2.17
Spud Valley	12	McKenzie Red Lake	45
Silver Standard	2.45	McLeod Cockshutt	2.70
Western Uranium	3.75	Moneta	32
Oils—		Negus	69
Anglo Canadian	6.10	Noranda	73.25
A P Con	47	Louvicourt	16
Atlantic	3.00	Pickle Crow	1.56
Calmont	1.35	San Antonio	2.55
Home Oil	16.25	Senator Rouyn	37 1/4
Mercury	12 1/2	Sherrit Gordon	3.30
Okalta	2.45	Steep Rock	7.70
Pacific Pete	8.50	Silver Miller	1.50
Princess	1.40	Upper Canada	1.65
Royal Canadian	12 1/2	Golden Manitou	7.20
TORONTO		Bobjo	153 1/2
Athona	06	Lapaska	03
Aumaque	19	Sturgeon River	15

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