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THE NEXT MEETING

WHEN. Thursday, April 6, 1967
WHERE Iowa-Illinois Gas & Electric Co. 2nd Floor Auditorium
2811 - 5th Avenue in Rock Island
TIME. Anytime after 7:00 P. M. until 10:00
SPECIAL FEATURES. ANNUAL SWAP NIGHT - Regular auction - Door Prize,
Jack Pot Drawing, Convention Announcements and a well stocked Bourse.

SPECIAL NOTICE

Your SPECIAL ATTENTION is called to the date of the next meeting - April 6th, instead of the regular 2nd Thursday of the Month. This change in dates is for this month only and is caused by required occupancy of the auditorium by the owners for a special Company meeting.

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----- DO NOT DELAY IN RESERVING YOUR BANQUET TICKETS!-----

In past years, the ANNUAL SWAP NIGHT has proved to be quite a popular meeting night. This is the time to bring your duplicate singles, blocks, covers, mixtures, first day covers, old catalogs, and have a good old fashioned evening trading and swapping with your fellow members. You will never know just how bad someone wants some of that stuff you have had tucked away for years in the old shoe boxes on the closet shelves until you drag some of it out and bring it to a Swap Night Meeting.

A successful Swap Night session depends on the exchange of philatelic material - not money. In other words, swap some of your excess items for somebody's material that will fill in one or more holes in your collection.

The regular meeting features will continue. The new Door Prize, attendance drawing, and another very fine raffle will be added to a choice selection of very fine First Day Covers, mint sheets, and desirable material. DUE TO THE INCLUSION OF THE CONVENTION AUCTION CATALOG IN THIS ISSUE, THE AUCTION FOR THE REGULAR MEETING WILL BE OMITTED, BUT THERE WILL BE COPIES FOR EVERYONE AT THE MEETING.

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SPECIAL NOTICE TO ALL ATTENDING
QUAD-CITY CLUB MEETINGS: PLEASE
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P L O W C I T Y S T A M P S

FLASH!

New material has been added to our stock for the Convention!
Look it over at the meeting before it is picked over!!

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"We are in the Yellow Pages"

THE LAST MEETING. We had been under the impression for some time that we were more or less familiar with just about every type of stamp collecting, but it took Bill Giraldi to shatter this idea. His excellent presentation of the tie-in between stamps and historical documents was most informative and interesting and started several members thinking about new ways to form collections.

Mrs. Art Hundhausen of Wausau, Wisconsin was not present when her membership number was drawn for the Jack Pot and under the new rules, as she lives beyond the 50 mile radius from the Quad Cities, Roy Piper's number was then drawn. As he was not present, the \$5.00 Gift Certificate was put away until the next meeting, to be joined with another item for drawing on April 6th. Bob Cone won a superb, mint sheet of the 3-cent Telegraph issue.

Major Bob Ekelin was appointed as Show Security Chairman to take over for Alphonse Dhaennens, who will not be able to take care of this work due to the serious illness of his parents.

R U S H Y O U R E X H I B I T I O N E N T R Y T O D A Y !

The Beautification of America Commemorative will be sent back to the printers for an additional run of 10 million copies. New York City has ordered an additional 2 million, and it would seem that the increased printing is in order, as the news of the added printing reached us just before Linn's announced that this stamp was a strong winner as the 1966 stamp having the BEST DESIGN.

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N E W M E M B E R S

We are pleased to welcome the following as new members of the Quad City Stamp Club:

- #810 John W. Jenson, 403 E. Chestnut, Geneseo, Ill.
collects U.S.A., U.N., Ghana, Scandinavia, Vatican.
- 811 Morris E. Lindsay - Neodeska, Kansas, Collects Precancels
- 812 George M. Langley - Springfield, Mo. U.S., U.N. Precancels
- 813 Rolf E. Schneider - Plandome, N.Y. Collects Latin America,
France, Switzerland, Souvenir Sheets and Precancels.
- 814 Mrs. A. A. Blauvelt - Monroe, Wash. Collects Worldwide,
W. W. Aerograms and Precancels
- 815J Kathleen Buchanan, 969 - 41st Street, Moline, Illinois
Collects Worldwide.

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Due to the size of this issue which includes the Convention Auction Catalog, we are limited as to space and regret that we cannot report the activities of our reporting Iowa Clubs. As the Convention is only a few very short weeks away, we are sure every one will be able to catch up on the news during the scattered minutes between scheduled events during the busy weekend.

We somehow seem to get a message from our crystal ball that following the Convention, the Federation of Iowa Stamp Clubs will start issuing a quarterly publication of news and new ideas of the member clubs. At least, the Quad City Stamp Club, with strong support from many Clubs will push for such action, and a slate of officers that will get the Federation back on the track again and give the member clubs something for their dues dollars besides a lot of lip service, once a year, to a few representatives that attend the annual convention. Are we alone in this view?

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QUESTIONS ANSWERED

- Q. I noticed an item in a recent issue of my stamp paper where a bidder paid \$102.50 for a lower-right plate block of the current 2½¢ Bunker Hill stamp of the U. S. definitive series. Is that a printer's error on the price? Wouldn't a person be foolish to pay that amount of money for four 2½¢ stamps of such a recent issue?
- A. The price is not fantasy and possibilities of the price going higher are excellent—for this reason. The news article you referred to listed the stamp plate no. as #27091. Only 2,251 impressions were made from this plate, therefore, plate-block enthusiasts are having a hard time finding that no. to complete their sets. This is a good example of how the price of stamps is affected by supply and demand. (Des Moines Philatelic Society Bulletin)

NEW STAMP ISSUES FOR APRIL

UNITED STATES

- April 17 - 5 Cent National Grange at Washington, D. C.
- 26 - 20 cent Air Mail (Based on Audubon's "Columbian Jays" commemorative of 1963, at New York City)
- 29 - 13 cent Regular Postage "Prominent American Series" portraying President Kennedy at Boston
- 29 - 13 cent Aerogram (new value on same design as the current 11 cent Kennedy Aerogram at Chicago)

UNITED NATIONS

- April 28 - EXPO '67 Canadian values 4¢. 5¢. 8¢, and 15¢ at Exposition, U.N. Building, Montreal

CANADA

- April 28 5 cent EXPO '67 Commemorative

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STAMP CLUBS - PLEASE NOTE: When the Quad City Stamp Club was able to obtain suitable accommodations for the Federations show on the 29th and 30th, and we took on the task of bridging the gap on the exchange of news of the member clubs, we stated we would carry on til convention time. That time has arrived, and we are most grateful for the very fine receipt of the many club bulletins we have received - this is good for all clubs in our Midwest area, as ideas can be exchanged and new ideas for programs can be used. Following this issue, the Phila-Quad will again resume its prime purpose - a publication of this Club, for this Club and for its members. We will be most pleased to exchange publications from any or all of the clubs now sending them to us. A short note to the Editor is all that is required. A new mailing list will be made up next month, and we will be forced to drop those clubs that do not care to receive further issues. If you attend the Show-and by all means, you should - contact the Editor and inform him of your wishes in this matter.

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The ILLINOIS FEDERATION OF STAMP CLUBS "NEWS", So ably edited by Les Winnick will be issued prior to the Spring Convention at Rock Island, but due to circumstances beyond the control of the Editor, it will not reach the Illinois members until about the middle of the month. Altho it will be a couple of weeks later than might be desired, it will be well worth waiting for, and it it will contain a run-down of the Editor's thoughts on the coming Convention and Meeting.

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Some months ago, we ran an article on "That Elusive 1½ cent United Nations Precancel." We stated that it was quite hard to find, and it still remains a choice item. We have finally noted an ad offering a very limited number with a price tag of \$6.50 per copy -condition is not mentioned.

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It would appear the design of the Convention Cachet is being well received. (pictured in previous issue) Orders are arriving in increasing numbers, and the national publicity has not yet been released to date. Orders should be sent to Chas. Pippert, 217 Hilltop Court, Milan, Illinois 61264. All will receive the Special Convention cancel.

QUAD CITY STAMP CLUB AUCTION

April 29, 1967

Sheraton Motor Inn, Rock Island, Ill.

Standard auction terms prevail. All lots will be started at a slight advance over the second highest bidder. Scott's catalogue numbers and prices used on all lots except where noted.

Abbreviations used: U Used VG Very Good
M Mint F Fine
FDC First Day Cover VF Very Fine

Bid with confidence as particular care has been taken to assure that lots have been conservatively and accurately graded.

Mail bids should be sent to Al Cabooter
2704 - 32nd St.
Moline, Ill. 61265

Mail bids should be mailed to the above address to arrive by April 27.

UNITED STATES

Lot				Cat. Val.
1	#7	1¢ blue Franklin	U F	\$ 18.50
2	63	1¢ blue Franklin (2 perfs missing)	M F	16.00
3	87	2¢ Blackjack 11x13 grill	U F	8.00
4	93	2¢ Blackjack 9x13 grill	U VF	5.75
5	97	12¢ black Washington 9x13 grill	U Good	11.00
6	112	1 ¢ Franklin 1869	U Good	15.00
7	148,189	- 6¢ Lincoln, 15¢ Webster, Banknotes	U F, VF	5.50
8	149	7¢ Stanton Banknote Thin	U F	10.00
9	217	30¢ Hamilton Orange-brown, fresh, off center	M VG-F	30.00
10	218	90¢ Perry Purple	U F	28.50
11	235	6¢ Columbian 1893	M VG	9.00
12	241	\$1 Columbian 1893 no gum	M VF	125.00
13	260	50¢ Jefferson 1894 no watermark	M Good	23.50
14	276	\$1 Perry 1895 Type I watermarked	M VF	65.00
15	285	1¢ Trans-Mississippi 1898	M VF	4.00
16	285	1¢ Trans-Mississippi 1898	M VF	4.00
17	287	4¢ Trans-Mississippi 1898	M VF	15.00
18	287	4¢ Trans-Mississippi 1898	M F	15.00
19	288	5¢ Trans-Mississippi 1898	M VF	14.00
20	290	10¢ Trans-Mississippi 1898	U VG	4.75
21	291	50¢ Trans-Mississippi centered-repaired	U	22.50
22	294-99	complete Pan-American 1901	M F, VF	67.10
23	294-99	complete Pan-American 1901	U F, VF	27.15
24	312	\$2 Madison 1902 issue	U VG	38.50
25	314, 320	1906 imperfs (1902 designs)	M VF	8.25
26		no lot		

UNITED STATES (cont'd)

Lot					Cat.	Val.
27	325	3¢ Louisiana Purchase 1904	M	F		\$ 15.00
28	326	5¢ Louisiana Purchase 1904	M	F		16.50
29	329, 397	1¢ Pan-Pac., 2¢ Jamestown	M	VG, VF		5.90
30	367, 555	2¢ & 3¢ Lincoln 1909, 1922	M	F, VF		5.50
31	342	\$1 Washington 1909 Dbl. line watermark	U	VF		17.50
32	400A	10¢ Pan-Pacific Perf. 12	U	F		3.50
33	479	\$2 Madison Perf 10	U	VF		8.50
34	537, 614	1¢ Huguenot-Walloons, 3¢ Victory	M	VG VF		4.10
35	548-50	complete Pilgrim Tercentenary 1920	M	VG VF		15.35
36	555	3¢ Lincoln 1922 flat plate (block of 4)	M	VG		15.00
37	572	\$2 Capitol deep blue 1922	M	VF		15.00
38	573	\$5 Liberty carmine & blue 1922	M	F		25.00
39	614-16	complete Huguenot-Walloon 2¢ str. edge	U	VG VF		8.25
40	617-19	complete Lex.-Concord 5¢ str. edge	U	F VF		7.25
41	620-21	complete Norse American 2¢ thin	M	F VF		11.00
42	628	5¢ Ericsson 1926	M	F		3.00
43	692-701	11-50¢ 1931 regular issue 20¢ thin	M	F VF		17.65
44	750	3¢ Parks souvenir sheet ¼" tear, bottom	M	VF		10.00
45	982	3¢ Wash. & Lee Univ. FDC's (14 diff. cachets)		VF		5.80
45A	1047-8	20¢ & 25¢ plate blocks 1954 reg. issue	M	VF		5.00
45B	1049-50	30¢ & 40¢ plate blocks 1954 reg. issue	M	F VF		7.75
45C	1051	50¢ plate block LL 25898 " " "	M	VF		5.00
45D	1052	\$1 plate block LL 25542 " " "	M	F		10.00
46	1053	\$5 Hamilton (5 copies)	U	F VF		5.25
47	C25-31	6¢-50¢ Airmails 1941-44 issue	M	F VF		5.25
47A	C38	NYC Airmail plate block UL 23846	M	F		3.00
47B	C42-44	UPU airmails plate blocks	M	F VF		7.65
47C	C46	80¢ Hawaii Airmail FDC Fleetwood cachet		VF		3.50
48	E14-16	10¢, 15¢, 20¢ Spec. Delivery blocks of 4	M	VF		6.00
49	E17-18	13¢, 17¢ Spec. Delivery blocks of 4	M	VF		4.60
50	QE1-3	10¢, 15¢, 20¢ Spec. Handling blocks of 4	M	VF		5.80
51	R264-5 R267-75	1940 overprinted documentaries	U	F VF		9.49
52	R288-90, 292, 294-8	new 1940 overprtd. doc. rev.	U	F VF		11.46
53	R311-12, R314-21	1941 " " "	U	VG VF		7.54
54	R586-98	1¢-80¢ 1952 dated documentary rev.	M	VF		8.88
55	R683	\$500 1954 dated doc. rev. punch cancel	U	VF		35.00
56	R684	\$1000 1954 " " " " "	U	VF		22.50
57	RD140-49	1¢-80¢ 1943 dated Stock Transfer	M	F VF		7.40
58	RD210-18	1¢-80¢ 1946 " " "	M	VF		6.05
59	RD287-96	1¢-80¢ 1949 " " "	M	VF		7.02
60	RD313-22	1¢-80¢ 1950 " " "	M	VF		6.42
61	RD339-48	1¢-80¢ 1951 " " "	M	VF		6.42
62	RW2	1935 rose-lake Duck stamp straight edge	M	F		25.00
63	RW33	1966 multicolored duck stamp Plate # single	M	VF		6.00
64	UC7	8¢ olive airmail stamped envelope entire	M	VF		5.50
65	8	miscellaneous stampless covers 1814-1851				
		Mostly eastern states 1 St. Louis, Mo.		VG VF(Sampson)		10.00
66	15-19th Century U.S. covers, mostly eastern cancels					
	#26, 65, 179, 113(rd. corner) 156(2), 158(4), 206, 210(3), 213			G-VF		15.00
67	047, 049, 051	P.O. officials on legal-sized covers				
	small tears			VG F		47.00
67A	Bet. 35//U311 (12 used entires mostly eastern and					
	W120, U165, U166 Plimpton Entires (Specimen)			G VF approx.		10.75

Lot		Condition	Cat. Val.
68	Approval sheet w/ 38 U. S. Stamps	U G VF	\$ 18.92
69	Approval sheet w/ 40 U. S. Stamps	U G VF	44.88
70	120 Postcards 1906-1914 All Illinois Postmarks	U G VF	? ?
<u>FOREIGN</u>			
70A	Ajman 19--26 complete Kennedy 1964	M VF	7.70
71	Argentina 086-92 Eva Peron	M VF	8.67
72	Argentina CB1-5 Philatelic Exposition	M VF	19.20
73	Belgium Q184-207 complete Trains	M VF	157.88
74	Brazil 380-83 complete 1933 commems.	M VF	6.35
75	Brazil 422-5 complete Music	M VF	6.55
76	Brazil 446-9 complete Rio De Janeiro	M VF	21.15
77	Brazil 455-6 complete Iguassu Falls	M VF	10.50
78	Brit. Col. 1937 Coronations (202) Mounted on Specialty pages	M F VF	est. retail 25.00
79	Brit. Col. 1966 WHO Building complete (42)	M VF	11.67
80	Canada \$2 Jubilee Heavy Cancel as usual	U VF	40.00
81	Canada 252c, 254aC9a Gift Booklet	M F	6.50
82	Canal Zone 4-5 Overprints on U.S. (#5 Perf. Missing)	M F	5.00
83	Congo 381-404 Kasvubu	M VF	13.84
84	Costa Rica 4, 9 1863, 1881 Regulars	M Good	9.50
85	Ecuador C156-60 complete Adult Education	M VF	5.45
86	Estonia 105-7 Surcharges	M F VF	19.00
87	Estonia B32-5 complete 1937 Charity	M VF	8.25
88	Fujeira 1-18 complete Birds & Animals	M VF	10.09
89	Germany 9NB4-5 complete Philharmonic	M VF	36.50
90	Ghana 97 An'elope 1L	M VF	5.60
91	Guatemala C29-31 complete C31 is used	M& U VF	7.00
92	Guatemala C166-70 complete pictorials	M VF	8.95
93	Haiti CB35-6 complete malaria, also B21	M VF	5.50
94	Haiti CB35-6 complete malaria surcharge	M VF	5.00
95	Honduras C155-62 complete 1946	M VF	5.03
96	Indonesia 40 Different Airmails	M VF	Sanabria- 28.00
97	Israel 15 Flag block of 4	M F	6.00
98	Ivory Coast C19-20 complete 1962 airmail	M VF	5.85
99	Jamaica 225-32 1964 pictorials 9p-1 pound	M VF	12.14
100	Jordan C26-28 complete birds	M VF	9.25
101	Liberia 332-7, C68-9 complete Ashmun Imperfs	M VF	7.38
102	Mali C25-28 complete birds	M VF	8.80
103	MiddleCongo C2-4 complete Flowers	M VF	6.60
104	Newfoundland C6-8 1931 Airmails	M VF	17.00
105	Norfolk Isl. 71-82 complete overprints	M VF	6.01
106	Panama 1965 souvenir sheets (2) Birds	M VF	est.ret. 7.25
107	Panama 1965 souvenir sheets (2) Space	M VF	est.ret. 16.50
108	Panama 1966 souvenir sheets (2) Flowers	M VF	est.ret. 7.50
109	Panama 1966 souvenir sheets (2) Pope Visit	M VF	est.ret. 16.50
110	Panama 1966 souvenir sheets (2) Space	M VF	est.ret. 30.00
111	Papua&N. Guinea 209-223 1966 complete	M VF	10.40
112	Paraguay C79-83 complete Zeppelin	M VF	16.25
113	Paraguay C88-92 complete Zeppelin overprints	M F VF	17.15
114	Paraguay O16-17 Officials no gum	M F	6.00

Lot			Condition	Cat. Val.
115	Persia	931-2 complete U.P.U.	M VF	\$ 16.50
116	Peru	C94-102 complete U.P.U.	M VF	9.33
117	Poland	3K17-20 compl. Monte Cassino Ovpt.	M VF	8.00
118	Portugese Col.	Medical Congress (8)	M VF	6.90
119	San Marino	C17-8 complete 1936 overprints	M VF	38.00
120	Spain	776-7 Stamp Cent. on FDC	U VF	5.00
121	Spain	C127-8 " " " "	U VF	7.00
122	Switzerland	B196-200 cpl. 1950 Pro Juventute	M VF	5.95
123	Togo	4 Souv. sheets of 401-6	M VF	est.ret. 4.50
124	Uganda	83-94 complete Independence	M VF	11.49
125	United Nations	85 Souvenir sheet 15th Anniv.	M VF	7.50
126	Vatican City	140 St. Peter 1950	M VF	45.00
127	Vatican City	144 St. Peter's Basilica 1951	M VF	35.00
128	Vatican City	185 St. Francis' Basilica 1954	M F	12.00
129	West New Guinea	20-39, J1-6 complete Liberation	M F VF	13.32
130	Zambia	4-17 complete definitives	M VF	11.62
131	Portugal	47 150r pale blue King Luis	U VF	13.00

C O N V E N T I O N N E W S

Friday evening, the 28th, will be a busy place at the Sheraton Motor Inn in Rock Island from 6:30 P. M. on--- The large show will be set up, the Bourse Tables arranged, and the many small, last minute details will be ironed out. Our out-of-town guests will be welcome to help with the mounting and set-up of the show and we feel they will have a good time and meet a lot of fine people. One innovation for this "set-up" will be that there will be no glass to wash, and no frames to scrub - that will be done in advance. All members will be welcome for this pleasant chore and the informal "coffee" following completion.

EXHIBITS: Exhibits have been arriving in increasing numbers, and there seems to be a definite air of competition in that each State is making a serious attempt to enter more frames than the other. We still are operating on a first-come-first-served basis, and when the allotted space is full - well, there isn't room for more.

BOURSE: As previously announced, all tables have been sold out for over three months, and to date about 14 requests for tables have had to be turned down.

MEETINGS: A new Bulletin Board will be kept up to date to inform all guests as to the "Where and When" of all scheduled meetings. All guests are welcome to attend all meetings, and they will find there is a very busy weekend in store for them. The Program of Events was published in a previous issue.

HOTEL RESERVATIONS: We have been informed that the Sheraton management is agreeably surprised at the large number of reservations received to date. We would suggest that you do not delay in making your Motel reservation.

BANQUET: All guests that have attended the past Quad City Banquets are well aware these events are fast moving, and enjoyable to both collectors and non-collectors, and in no way can be called "serious" events. This year's offering is without doubt the finest we have ever offered. A reasonably priced dinner with excellent food will start the evening with the tables around the huge, patio, swimming pool. President Edward L. Willard of the A. P. S. will be present with "samples" of the work and tools of the Mexican counterfeiter, de Thuin, and will give a non-technical talk on the interesting highlights on all of the background behind this huge venture of the Society. This information has not appeared in print and will not be found prior to the release of the book on the counterfeits, now in the process of being written and printed

There is only one fly in the whole ointment - the
s only 125. This will be it - there will be no
ets available. Get your orders into the Banquet
- 17th Street, Moline, Ill. 61265. The price is a

hat the advance publicity of our Cachet has been
ublicity has not been released as this copy is
s have already been received. The "Great River
the Cachet is very appropriate for this Convention,
stamps, and cancelled with the special Convention
ne two days only, there will be a good demand for
nd single covers, stamped and cancelled will be avail-
Desk. Orders should be sent to Chas. Pippert, 217
linois 61264. Cachets will sell for 20 cents each or
three. Please send remittance with order.

CONVENTION POST OFFICE: A special Convention post office will be set up and stocked with all of the commemoratives available from the Philatelic Section of the Washington, D. C. Post Office. The special Convention Cancellation will be used on all mail posted at the Exhibition site, and on all Club Cachets.

AUCTION: An auction will be held following the Awards Banquet. The catalog is included with this issue and mail bids will be accepted. The starting bids on all lots will be at the next advance over the second highest bidder. Anyone may feel secure in sending in high bids on items that he wishes to obtain. Very selected material will make up the Auction as can be noted by a careful check of the Catalog.

LOCATION OF CONVENTION: The Sheraton Motor Motel is located in downtown Rock Island in the heart of the shopping center. It is adjacent to a huge city parking lot and the Sheraton has its own parking ramps for its registered guests. The main floor is filled with shops and those non-collectors making the trip "just for the ride" can have a field day making the rounds of the town.

BANQUET DOOR PRIZES: As has been our practice for many years, very valuable door prizes will be given away at the Banquet. It is too early to total the retail value of these gifts, but a very conservative estimate places the figure over the \$200 mark, which in anyone's language is a nice round figure. Obviously, you must be at the Banquet to obtain one of these prizes.

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This issue of the Phila-Quad is being mailed from CARBON CLIFF, ILLINOIS. Carbon Cliff is located in Rock Island County on the eastern edge of the Quad Cities commercial area. Its postoffice was established on 15 March, 1858 with George W. Henry as its first postmaster.

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