A Large Majority of the Council Favor the Step and Applications for a Successor Are in Order.

The usual weekly meeting of the city council was held last evening in the council chambers. There were present: His Worship the Mayor (in the chair), Ald. Langley. Hayward, Stewart, Brydon, Beckwith, Humphrey, Phillips, Williams and Kinsman.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted. Communications. From Trades and Labor Council, asking that the council favor the resolution

passed by them that all city printing be done by offices entitled to use the label f the union.
As the majority of the aldermen were not well versed in the matter it was de-

not well versed in the matter it was decided to lay the matter over for a week in order to obtain 'nformation.

The following letter from Mr. T. C. Sorby was read:

His Worship the Mayor-in-Council, Vicsir: The consideration of the best method of dealing with this question now being before your honorable body, I would beg to recall your attention to the fact that in 1894 the council advertised for and obtained 21 designs for this purpose; and after careful study of all these designs, the special expert committee reported that they were "clearly of opinion that the design of 'Arch Bridges' alone fuifilled the general requirements for a permanent way on this site;" and that the "design" to which I beg to direct your attention was selected as "first in merit."

The position at the head of the bay is the most beautiful in Victoria, fianked as it is by the imposing public buildings of the Dominion and province. This is the feature that attracts every stranger enterthe Dominion and province. This is the feature that attracts every stranger entering the city, and to mar this beautiful prospect by erecting a dead wall or running a railway embankment across the head of the bay would be a blot on the fair face of the city that could never be

head of the bay would be a blot on the fair face of the city that could never be removed.

In submitting my design in 1894, I gave my reasons for the suggestions made, and those suggestions were fully accepted and endorsed at the time, and are again cmbodied in the reports of your engineer dated 16th November and 6th December. 1898. A well-designed, bridge, stone or steel, would be a beautiful feature in this position, as through the arches glimpses would be obtained of the head water and of the ornamental grounds gently rising to the surrounding streets in the rear. The adjacent building lots would be more valuable, and would readly pay for any additional cost that might be incurred.

My preference is for a masonry bridge; it is to my mind more beautiful, more reposeful, more massive, and more permanent. Examples of masonry structures erected from one to two thousand years ago are common in Europe. Resides, the stone structure would be built entirely of local materials, got out by the local quarrymen, wrought by local masons, and the whole of the cost, in fact, would be circulated directly among the whole body of the rate-payers; and when built it would be for all time. I do not being equally suitable for this particular purpose; but I do wish to record the fact as a rate-payer that about two-thirds of the cost of a steel bridge would be sent away from the town, and that, when completed, it would entail an outlay for painting every three years, involving the city in an average charge of about \$1,000 per annum for maintenance.

My harbor plans are before you and show Government street continued across the bay on a solid lank, with the western slope extending some 250 feet into the bay on the west side and laid out as ornamental grounds, permitting, at the same time, the extension of the harbor railway along the southern shore to the outer wharf. More mature consideration, however, satisfied me of the importance of retaining all the water possible in the harbor, and that this portion of the rail-

outer wharf. More mature consideration, however, satisfied me of the importance of retaining all the water possible in the harbor, and that this portion of the railway extension is not a vital necessity, and that every effort should be made to secure the most beautiful effect possible at the head of the bay—not only because it is the most attractive spot in the city, but it is also the centre of all acquatic sports and displays. I would therefore propose to take water under the bridge, as shown on my original plan, and lay out an acre or so in ornamental grounds, as originally approved by your special committee.

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In dealing with this matter practically. I would suggest, under the powers of the Harbor Act, purchasing or leasing the vacant portion of the corner lot on Humboldt street (east of Bay View Saloon), and constructing a temporary pile bridge across the mud flats, and deviating the traffic to this small extent during the execution of the permanent roadway. This would dispose at once of sill traffic difficulties, and leave the new work free from all hindrances until completion.

I should be happy to confer with your honorable body at any time, with a view to secure unanimity of action in any works pertaining to the proposed harbor improvements, so that the best results may be secured in the public interests, with a probable saving to the ratepavers.

I should consider it a graceful act on the part of the council if they were to remember that the advertised promise to pay for the design selected as the best for the permanent roadway across James bay has never been redeemed. My professional opinion and suggestions on the matter have been treated as public property, and it is only fair and reasonable that they should be paid for. The whole burden and expense of the proposed harbor improvements, so far, rest on my shoulders; and at the present moment I should feel the consideration of the council, in this small matter. In paying for plans and opinions of which they have had the use, would be a well-timed and acceptable act.

I have the honor to be, sir,

Your obedient servant,

THOS. C. SORBY.

Jan. 21, 1899.

Ald. Humphrey moved that the letter be tabled for future consideration.

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Ald. Humphrey said the matter had been thrashed out in the previous coun-

and they did not recognize the debt. From H. L. Salmon, complaining of the inconvenience caused by the back drivers congregating in front of his show

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window at the corner of Yates and Gov-

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ernment streets. He asked that the nuisance be removel or abated.

Ald. Humphrey said in all probability the block in question would soon be payed and so the nuisance would be re-

After some discussion the letter was From J. E. Flliott, on behalf of the fire underwriters, enclosing an agreement signed by all the insurance societies. signed by all the insurance societies, calling attention to the necessity of a paid fire department, the laying of larger mains on certain streets, and stating that if the improvements suggested were not carried out all fire rates would be raised at least 20 per cent.

His worship said he thought this was most remarkable letter. He was under the impression that the mayor and coun cil were supposed to run the fire department, but it looked as if the under-

writers proposed to do so. On the motion of Ald. Phillips the matter was referred to the fire wardens to report, Ald. Humphrey adding that the companies should be notified that "they hadn't scared worth a cent."

From several ratepayers on Johnson street, asking that the road between George and Fernwood road be repaired.

Ald. Kinsman moved that the letter e received and filed. Carried. From city solicitor, re Deluge hall, in onnection with a claim for remuneration for long service by a former trustee of the old department, and strong that the institution should be liable for the claim. On the motion of Ald. Humphrey the letter was received and filed and the trustee will be notified accordingly.

From the water commissioner, recommending that tenders be called for supplying \$1,500 of necessary fittings, etc., to be used during the year. Ald. Humphrey moved that the comsuggestions contained therein carried Carried.

From city engineer reporting re ac-ident caused to Mrs. Marchant, stating that it was due to pedestrians making use of an old trail when they should not

The report was received and filed. From city engineer, showing work ordered by last year's council, amounting to about \$1,900, but not executed, and suggesting that the works be proceeded with if the council approve of them as soon as weather permitted. On the motion of Ald. Hayward the report was received and tabled.

From the city engineer, applying for n increase in his salary. The applycation read as follows: Gentlemen: As there is every prospect Gentlemen: As there is every prospect of an increased and permanent improvement in business generally, as evidenced by the promptness with which the taxes were paid in at the end of last year, also taking into consideration the extensive engineering works arranged for and in contemplation in the near future, I beg to make application to your honorable body to have my salary restored to the original rate at which I engaged with the city as city engineer, viz., \$225 per month.

As some members of your honorable body

the city as city engineer, viz., \$225 per month.

As some members of your honorable body may not be familiar with the nature of the works carried out by the city since my appointment of office. I submit herewith a synopsis of some of the principal engineering works with which I have been connected while in the employ of the city. In October, 1890, I was engaged as resident engineer under Mr. Mohun, chief engineer, for the survey and construction of a system of sewerage for the city of Victoria, for which work the sum of \$306,000 had been provided by the corporation. My duties included all the outside engineering or field work on surveys and construction, in which were included the setting out and costructing a tunnel under Moss street, over 2,000 feet in length and at a depth ranging from 25 to 40 feet. For the purpose of carrying out this work shafts, 3 feet in diameter and 800 feet apart, were sunk from the surface to grade of tunnel, and from each of those shafts headings were run in opposite directions. To successfully carry out this work required a considerable amount of care and skill, there being two curves in the length of the tunnelling. In connection with this work, Mr. Mohun states in his

the matter fully before moving it. Although a new man in the council his and skill, there being two curves in the length of the tunnelling. In connection with this work, Mr. Mohun states in his efficial report, contained in the affinial report of the city for the year 1892, page 56: "The tunnel under Moss street was 2,038 feet in length, of which 921 ran

the motion out would be a supreme act of folly. They had heard nothing there

count of improper engineering. I have the honor to be, gentlemen, Your obedient servant. E. A. WILMO'T, City Eng. Mem. Can. Soc. C. I

Victoria, Jan. 20, 1899. On the motion of Ald. Stewart the Tenders for printing were held over

Reports and Motions. The finance committee reported for payment sundry accounts amounting to

Ald. Humphrey moved the report be filed and accounts paid. Carried.

Ald. Hayward moved that all the fire pparatus in the central station should be housed in the city market, and recommending that a by-law be framed so as to enable this to be carried out. This was carried unanimously.

Ald. Stewart moved that the building inspector call for competitive plans for the new fire station on the corner of Comoson and Yates streets; \$75 to be aid as first prize and \$25 for second.

Ald. Hayward moved that the comnittee of fifty be asked to continue their services. Carried unanimously.

Ald. Brydon moved and Ald. Phillips seconded that the city engineer's services be dispensed with after the end of February.

His worship said he thought this was very remarkable resolution. It was not customary to thus cut a man's offi-cial head off without formulating some charges against him or giving some rea-son for the dismissal. It was a most summary way to deal with anyone, and not one of the aldermen would act like this in his private business matters. He thought it was only fair for those vho moved the resolution to frame their charges against the engineer. would not do so he thought it showed a want of manly spirit, and the public would think, and justly, too, that they had no reason for dismissing him.

Ald. Phillips—Question! question!
His Worship—I have a perfect right o express my views, Ald. Phillips, and will do so. His worship then proceeded to ask for

a vote on the subject, but Ald, Hayward objected until the aldermen interested had expressed their views. Ald. Phillips—Question! question!
Ald. Langley said he was willing to give Mr. Wilmott an impartial hearing, but he had been advised that the greatest kindness that they could do that gen-

tleman would be not to discuss him. As one of the movers he would, however, be willing to hold the matter over for a week to enable Mr. Wilmott to refute the charges which would be brought His worship contended that there were

o charges framed against him. Ald. Stewart said that complaints had been made to the council for years past about the official in question, and al-though a personal friend of his he was sorry to say he would have to support ne motion. Ald. Humphrey referred to an article

which appeared in the Colonist on Sun-day, which was not correct, neither did e think the editor had written it. It vas not true that all mayors for the past four years had been satisfied with the engineer. Mr. Wilmott had been asked to resign twice, but he had refused to do so. He thought, however, that this was a very inopportune time to dismiss the engineer. Mr. Wilmott was not the man to hold such a position, as he was too easily led.
Ald. Brydon said he had considered

work had constantly brought him in contact with the engineer. He had nothing against him as a gentleman, but as an official he was not satisfied with him. The man had no stiffening in him. The greatest fault the councillors could find with him was that he had not sufficient will power, and the city was losing con-2,038 feet in length, of which 921 ran through earth, 319 through hard-pan and 798 through rock. There were two curves in this tunnel and so accurately was the work set out by Mr. Wilmot that the whole error, when the tunnel was opened throughout, was less than one-half an inch either in grade or direction."

Siderable in consequence. As a public duty they must lay aside all personal feelings and act for the interests of the ratepayers. Those were his reasons for making his motion.

Ald. Hayward said he thought to carry the motion out would be a supreme act of folly.

cither in grade or direction."

In April, 1892, about the time of completion of these works, I was offered and accepted the position of city engineer at a salary of \$225 per month.

In April, 1893, the sum of \$125,000 was raised for surface drainage purposes. That innoney was expended chiefly in the construction of principal mains for the drainage of low-lying areas, or basins, in the city, in which stagnant water would collect. After a contour survey had been made, the sizes of these drains were fixed in proportion to the work they had to perform, which was calculated on the rainfall applied to the area drained, allowing a quarter of an inch per hour over that area reaching the drains. These drains vary in size from pipes 12 inches in diameter to egg shaped br'ck drains, 4 feet, and after having been in use for more than five years there has been no evidence to show that they have not been designed and constructed to meet the requirements in each case. The brick drains, which vary in size from 2t. x3ft. to 4tt. x6ft., are built according to plans generally adopted the continuous of the continuous properties of the continuous and are in the form of a box culvert of granite masonry in cement, with stopped floor resting on concrete foundation, the walls being two feet thick. On top of these walls are covers of granite slabs twelve inches th'ck. The object of these tumbling ways is to allow of the brick drains being laid at a sufficiently flat grade to prevent them being worn by scour. The inclination of the tumbling ways is at an angle of about 20 degrees horizontally. In May, 1894, the sum of \$100,000 was provided by the city for extending the sewerage system, which, with some additional amounts expended on sewers, and surface drains since that date, makes the total cost of the works above referred to amount to about \$550,000, and that they are now and have been since contended in hearter of prime importance to obtain the best material procurable for filtering sand, and for that purpose had a number of samples t that evening to prove that the engineer was incompetent. Ald, Brydon said he had no stiffening, but he thought that by refusing to resign Mr. Wilmott had shown considerable backbone. There was not a breath of suspicion against Mr. Wilmott (Aldermen-No! no!) and he thought it was most unfair to dismiss and disgrace him as they propose doing. It was also very foolish at the present

most inadvisable action to dismiss the the term; also to express their apprecia-

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to its manifold complications. The Blood is left impure and impoverished;

the nerves shattered. Pneumonia, heart troubles and nervous prostration are

until the charges were laid against the eng.neer.
Ald. Williams said that from remarks

nade anyone would think that Victoria had the most incompetent engineer that could be found. He had heard several complaints himself, but upon investigating them always found that the engineer was not the man to blame. He thought the council could go much further and fare worse before they secured

better man. After Ald. Phillips. Beckwith and After Aid, Philips, Beckwith and Kinsman had aired their views on the subject, his worship said that he had been asked at a North ward meeting at election time if he was in favor of dismissing the engineer, and he had said No!" and yet he had been elected by large majority. If the engineer was dismissed when they were involved in lawsuits the public would say they had played right into the hands of the con-

On the motion being put it was carried, Ald. Kinsman, Phillips, Humphrey, Brydon, Beckwith, Stewart and Langley voting for it, while Ald. Hayward, Williams and his worship were against

Ald. Brydon moved that the vacancy advertised in the local as well a eastern papers. The motion was carried and the coun-

l adjourned. ROYAL JUBILEE HOSPITAL. Seventh and Eighth Annual Reports of the Directors-Lists of Sub-

Scriptions, Grants, Etc. The seventh and eighth reports of the lirectors of the above institution are ust to hand. The most interesting mater embodied in them is as follows:

Directors' Report. "That a special committee be appointed by the directors of the year 1895 to re port on the advisability of increasing the nedical staff had recommended certain modifications of the then existing system by the appointment of certain spe cialists and a registrar. Their report had been adopted, but during the present term it was evident that the scheme dopted did not realize the anticipations f the board, and a further change was esirable. To this end a special comlesirable the medical practitioners in the city, and after such interviews had advised board to allow all the physicians on the staff to attend their own free patients at the hospital. After mature considera-tion it was decided to adopt their plan nd try it for six months. One of

esults of this change was the immedi ate increase of pay patients, and accom-modation had to be made for patients paying \$10 per week. Although under ese rules no incurable cases can be adnitted, yet no indigent person requiring ospital treatment used admission. treatment has ever been redmission. The increase of patients necessitated the employment of extra nurses, and consequently six other rooms had to be added. At the expiraion for six months, the board being conrinced that the new scheme worked beneficially to the hospital, decided to extend the period to the end of their year of management, so leaving their sucessors free to continue its operation or revert back to the original system as they may deem best. The board desires

to thank the surgical and medical staff for their untiring efforts in the welfare of the patients under their respective harges. The ladies' auxiliary committee has een unremitting in its endeavors to during the year have contributed the sum of \$475.07, obtained by various en-tertainments. The thanks of the di-rectors are extended to these ladies for their great interest in the welfare of the hospital. It was principally by their

efforts that the Pemberton operating room had been equipped.

The thanks of the directors are hearty accorded also to the ladies of the genorian Society, who, by their assiducus efforts have realized a sum of \$750. and who have already devoted a portion of that sum for the purpose of a sterilizer, and who propose to aid the board still further by installation of the elec-

tric light into the hospital. The directors' thanks are also expressd to the Arion Club for their outdoor concerts; also to Messrs. Yates & Jay for their kindness in placing their office at the board's disposal; also to the press for the publication of the reports of the meetings, etc.

when they had lawsuits on, as he was their principal witness in the bridge case. He would like to ask the city solicitor if such a course would be case. Nurses' Training School, case. He would like to ask the city training school, under the management solicitor if such a course would be ad of Miss McMillan. The thanks of the visable or not.

The city solicitor said it would be a have given lectures in the school during host madvisable action to dishuss the term; also to express their appreciation of the resident medical doctor, Dr. Richardson, and of the matron, Miss Mchoped the motion would be postponed Millan. The nursing staff now consists

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f the matron, assistant head nurse, and even assistants. The thanks of the board are also due

to those gentlemen who interested them-selves on Labor Day and obtained for the hospital the handsome sum of \$333.45; also to Mr. Cook, of Burgoyne Bay, on behalf of the settlers; to Mrs. Musgrave, Cowichan; to Mr. Geo. Jay sr., for his liberal donation of fruits lowers and ornamental shrubs; and to s. P. T. Johnson for shade trees; also God's Tenth, Victoria West, and to the King's Daughters, for their many kind attentions and favors.

The resident medical officer reports: "That in 1897 the cost of maintenance was \$23,480.16, an increase of \$3,491.08 over last year's cost. This is accounted for by the increased number of patients. Although the expenditure has exceeded that of last year, the outstanding liabilities are considerably less than ever be-fore, and it may be expected that in another year the hospital will be free from debt. All members of the staff have worked harmoniously and well during the year. The ladies of the Flower Mission deserve the warmest gratitude for their kindness in supplying flowers for the wards for the wards.

Number of patients admitted during \$10 a week. Number of male patients, 279: female, Number of male patients, 243: Temale, 178. Patients discharged during the rear to May 31st, 406; died, 43; in hosfull dress uniform and took their place. pital, 36. In-door patients treated, 485; about a long table placed lengthwise

year, 36.47. Diseases most in evidence, appendicitis, 21; cancer, 19; alcoholism, 2; amputations, 11. Most frequent cause of members responding to their names.

death, tuberculosis, 14. Improvements Suggested.

Additional rooms for at least tweive for the District of Columbia, and to atients, a larger laundry, accommodatheir seats near the judge advocate atients, a larger laundry, accommodation for a larger nursing staff, a modern sterilizing plant, an X ray apparatus, and a cottage for certain cases which whether he objected to any members of

Recognition and Thanks. The directors desire to place on record their appreciation of the bequest of \$300 by the late L. E. Erb and \$100 from the have been published, were then read.

ite J. Andrews. Treasurer's Report. The hospital's credit balance of \$2,171 at the Bank of British Co.umbia on 31st May last has nearly all been voted by the directors for needed improvements to the hospital buildings, aew surgical to the hospital buildings, aew surgical to the hospital buildings, aew surgical to the hospital buildings are surgical to the hospital buildings are surgical ing their faith in the dead inventor an interplacement of the board of directors, reaffirm the hospital buildings are surgical ing their faith in the dead inventor an interplacement of the board of directors are surgical.

British Columbia. Number of free patients, 200; French Keely, and that the recently

Superintendent of Nurses' Report. The graduates for the year are as follows: Misses E. Stoddart, Victoria; Lilian Goward, Victoria; Beatrice Allison, Victoria; Christine Campbell, Victoria; Marian Hardie, Victoria; Wina Dockrill, Port Moody; Alice Parsons, Vancouver; Ella DesBrisay, Mission, B. C. During the year we received applications from 43 young women who wish to adopt the profession. Fifteen of these were taken on probation, and ten of the fifteen accepted for regular training. The graduates who received gold medals are as follows: Marie DeBou, Mabel Hardie, Rose Anderson, Isabel Atkinson, Nellie Woodrow, Jessie Grady, Ida J. Halliday. Those presented with

silver medals were Agnes Crickmay, Hulda Evans and Bertha Routledge. VENEZUELA ARBITRATION.

Paris, Jan. 25.—The preliminary sit-ting of the Venezuelan court of arbitration this morning was purely formal The court met in the room which was used by the Spanish-American commissioners at the foreign office here. The arbitrators, the Russian ambassador. Prince Curoussoffy, the British ambas-sador, Sir Edmund J. Monson, the United States ambassador, General Hor-ace Porter, and the high foreign office officials lunched with the French minister of foreign affairs. The British am-bassador will give a diplomatic dinner to the party this evening, to which the

The Outcome of His Sensationa Denunciation of General Miles at the War Investigation.

Commissary General Appears to Answer the Charge of Conduct Unbecoming an Officer and a Gentleman.

Washington, D.C., Jan. 25 .- The board of army officials designated by the secre tary of war to sit as a court martial i the case of Brigadier-General Charles his testimony before the war investig Free patients, 175; French Society, 4; pay patients, at the Ebbitt House at 10 o'clock the

pital, 36. In-door patients treated, out-door, 244. Daily average for the the room. General Merritt, the predent of the court, occupied the seat the seat of the court, occupied the seat the seat the seat of the court, occupied the seat the seat the seat of the court, occupied the seat the seat the seat of the court, occupied the seat of the he concluded, General Egan appears with his counsel, Mr. A. S. Worthington formerly United States district attorney

cannot with safety be taken into the court as designated by order. Gen hospital proper.

Recognition and Thunks the usual oath, which was administered

KEELY'S DEFENDERS.

instruments and furnishings. The actual cash balance at the disposal of the new board will be less than \$300. The unexpected balance from the Ladies' the sphere and metallic tubes were six Auxiliary of \$154.09 was not included in the above, but is kept as a separate fund, bearing interest, in the Bank of Rritish Columbia. tish Columbia.

Medical Officer's Report, 1898.

these tubes, etc., was fully known the directors of the company and scientists are the company and Benevolent Society, 8; pay patients at \$7 per week, 18; do at \$10, 198; do at \$15, 171. Number of male patients, 411; female, 184. Patients admitted during the year, 631. Out-door patients treated, 595.

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The Earl of Meath's Patr Form a Second Volunteers.

London, Jan. 28.-The England during the past bright and frosty. has been devoid of socia ith the opening of par early drawing rooms of are promises of a revival The Queen does not

until March 9, but prep ready being made for h south of France. Large special furniture were Cimiez from Windsor thi The Duke and Duchess are spending the winter are now in Rome, wher audience with the Pope. is to give a dinner and co honor, and the United dor, General W. F. Dr give a fete, at which the can and English residen

A sister of Lord Curzor the Hon. Margaret Geo was married on Thursda gentleman named Wa esque Norman churc Among the wedding grand piano from La Senor Rafael Ingie Senor Rafael Inglesia Costa Rica, leaves Eng for Paris, where he wi weeks and then go to Washington. The presid Rica welcomed the Ame building the Nicaragua c that Costa Rica would necessary land.

Queen Victoria is taki

terest in the recent de ritualistic controversy. proaching a crisis. She and has expressed a st an understanding show between the governmen before the proposed places a check upon ritual is introduced. Her Majes ommunication with the taken an active personal ministration of crown ronage, and contribute her private purse to ne on behalf of the pop families. While it is that she has never attendance at Crat church, which she hel fence to High Chu which characterized spirit thus exemplif schism," and unconstitutily, however, the service have been held in the pri.
The visit of the Bishop the Right Rev. Randall 7

son, D.D., to Sir Wm. is considered significan to a desire of the Queen Arrange a Con acceptable to both sides, Winchester being a part of Her Majesty in churchief event of this wee dismissal of the two cura church, Liverpool, by the sequence of a complain advocacy of auricular c The remains of the la have been buried in the the parish church of His Great crowds were pr the expected presence 'organ grinder claimar were disappointed, as now styles himself Ea

result of an attack Great excitement pr Somerset village of Hir where the estate lie, on claimant will take force the net annual rent is land has been in pos-ily for hundreds of y is an ancient pile with acres with broad lay and majestic timber. to sell the whole I years ago, and nego ed with several Amer The price asked was collection of artistic extensive and includes e

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