

EDWARD M. COFFMAN COLLECTION

ACCESSION NUMBER 155, 155A

The Edward M. Coffman Collection, Additions - #155, 155A

Container List

Overview

PART 1: Boxes 1-70; oversized folder 71

PART 2: 108 folders in 3 filing cabinet drawers

PART 3: 155A boxes 1 and 2

GEORGE C. MARSHALL RESEARCH FOUNDATION

COLLECTION SUMMARY SHEET

COLLECTION: Edward M. Coffman Collection

ACCESSION NUMBER: 155, 155A

INCLUSIVE DATES: 1784-2004

DONOR: Edward M. Coffman

RESTRICTIONS: None

DATE OF GIFT: 1983-2004

LOCATIONS:

SIZE: 73 containers; 3 filing cabinet drawers

COLLECTION REGISTER

AVAILABLE: Yes

BIOGRAPHICAL/HISTORICAL FEATURES: Edward M. "Mac" Coffman, Professor Emeritus of History at the University of Wisconsin, Madison, has lectured and written extensively on military history. Among his publications are *The Hilt of the Sword: The Career of Peyton C. March*; *The War to End All Wars: The American Military Experience in World War I*; *The Old Army: A Portrait of the American Army in Peacetime, 1784-1898*; and *The Regulars: The American Army, 1898-1941*.

FORMS OF MATERIAL/ARRANGEMENT: The Coffman Collection has three parts, each of which has been processed and described separately. Part 1, donated in 1984, concerns Coffman's research, publications, teaching, and other professional activities. Included are four oral history tapes. Part 2 consists of oral history interviews conducted by Coffman, particularly concerning the U.S. Army from 1898 to 1941. Part 3, donated in 2004, also contains oral history interviews, some of which are duplicated in Part 2.

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Part 1

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### Biographical Information

Edward M. "Mac" Coffman is an acknowledged leader in the field of American military history. A native of rural Kentucky, he received his degree in journalism in 1951 from the University of Kentucky. Influenced by both his father and youthful associations with Civil War veterans and a black enlisted man from the Indian Wars, Coffman pursued his interest in the military by entering the United States Army. As an infantry officer, he served in Korea, Japan, and the United States.

Following his military service, Coffman returned to the University of Kentucky to complete his education. He received his master's degree in history in 1955 and a Ph.D. four years later. In 1957, he became an instructor at Memphis State University, and four years later joined the history department at the University of Wisconsin-Madison, where he served for thirty-one years.

Coffman's first novel, *The Hilt of the Sword: The Career of Peyton C. March*, was based on his doctoral dissertation and was published in 1966. His second book, *The War to End All Wars: The American Military Experience in World War I*, was published in 1968. His third book, *The Old Army: A Portrait of the American Army in Peacetime, 1784-1898*, was published in 1986. His most recent book, *The Regulars: The American Army, 1898-1941*, was published in 2004.

Coffman has written numerous shorter publications, served as a research associate for the George C. Marshall Foundation, and as a visiting professor at Kansas State University, the United States Military Academy, the United States Air Force Academy, the United States Army Military History Institute, and the United States Army Command and General Staff College. He has also been a long-standing member of the American Military Institute (now the Society for Military History), and served as its president from 1983-1985. In 1990, he was awarded the Samuel Eliot Morison Prize, the organization's highest award, for outstanding contributions in the field of military history.

Coffman is married to the former Anne Rouse and has three children and three grandchildren. He is now retired.

## EDWARD M. COFFMAN COLLECTION

### PART 1

#### Scope and Content Notes

The Edward M. Coffman Collection is divided into seven series:

- I. *The Hilt of the Sword: The Career of Peyton C. March*
- II. *The War to End All Wars: The American Military Experience in World War I*
- III. *The Old Army: A Portrait of the American Army in Peacetime, 1784-1898*
- IV. Short Publications
- V. Course Material
- VI. Business and Personal Records
- VII. Miscellaneous

Series I, II, and III contain material used by Coffman for the research and publication of his three books, *The Hilt of the Sword*, *The War to End All Wars*, and *The Old Army*. The series are arranged in the order in which the books were written. Business materials (book reviews, correspondence, etc.), manuscripts, drafts, source material, and research notes are consistently included as subgroups within these series. Files within each box are arranged alphabetically and then chronologically.

Series IV, contained in one box, includes articles, papers, book reviews, and a Foreword by Coffman arranged alphabetically, first by author of publication (necessary for Foreword), and then by title of article, paper, etc. Associated correspondence is occasionally enclosed with the text of the work.

Series V contains several theses and/or dissertations of Coffman's former students. These alphabetically arranged works make up the final subgroup of this series and fill boxes 46-55. Other subgroups in series V fill no more than two boxes each. These subgroups are: academic program information, biographical information, books, Coffman's lecture materials, government documents, interview notes, journals/newsletters/pamphlets, lecture transcripts from various talks, non-student paper/articles, and student papers.

Series VI is valuable to the researcher who is interested in Coffman's personal life. The Business and Personal Records series contains Coffman's correspondence with various individuals, meeting minutes and notes from his professional societies and organizations, programs for special events he attended, and personal data such as his curriculum vitae.

The final series, VII, is for miscellaneous materials. Currently, the only items in this group are two oversized photographs given to Coffman by Charles H. Massa, ten reels of microfilm used for Coffman's research, and four audiotapes of oral history interviews conducted by Coffman.

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Container List

<u>Box/Folder</u>	<u>Description</u>
	<u>The Hilt of the Sword</u>
1	Business
2	Original Uncut Manuscript and Page Proof
3	Drafts
4	Source Material
5	Notes--various (A-G)
6	Notes--various (H-O)
7	Notes--various (P)
8	Notes--various (R-Z)
	<u>The War to End All Wars</u>
9	Business and Author's Proof
10	Original Annotated Manuscript
11	Draft
12	Source Material
13	Chapter Notes 1-11
14	Notes--various (A-L)
15	Notes--various (M-Z)
	<u>The Old Army</u>
16	Business
17	Master Proof and Illustration Sections
18	Source Material
19	Early Draft--handwritten (ch. 1-7)

- 20            Typed Draft (p. 1-867)
- 21            Typed Draft (ch. 1-7)
- 22            Diaries--notes
- 23            Memoirs--notes
- 24            War Department Annual Reports--notes (1838-1886)
- 25            War Department Annual Reports--notes (1887-1894)
- 26            Notes--various (A)
- 27            Notes--various (B-I)
- 28            Notes--various (J)
- 29            Notes--various (K-P)
- 30            Notes--various (R-Z)

Short Publications

- 31            Coffman's Shorter Published Writings--texts and  
              correspondence

Course Material

- 32            Academic Program Information
- 33            Biographical Information
- 34            Books
- 35            Coffman's Lectures--class notes, syllabi, relevant  
              articles, etc. (A-American Military)
- 36            Coffman's Lectures--class notes, syllabi, relevant  
              articles, etc. (American Way-D)
- 37            Coffman's Lectures--class notes, syllabi, relevant  
              articles, etc. (E-Z)
- 38            Government Documents
- 39            Interview Notes/Transcripts
- 40            Journals/Newsletters/Pamphlets (A-O)



- 41 Journals/Newsletters/Pamphlets (P-Z)
- 42 Lectures--not by Coffman
- 43 Miscellaneous
- 44 Non-student Papers/Articles--published and unpublished
- 45 Student Papers--unpublished
- 46 Theses/Dissertations (Bolles)
- 47 Theses/Dissertations (Bowie/Browning)
- 48 Theses/Dissertations (Cooper)
- 49 Theses/Dissertations (Cosmas, Fletcher)
- 50 Theses/Dissertations (Glatthaar, Grandstaff)
- 51 Theses/Dissertations (Jacobsmeier, Kohn, Mattern)
- 52 Theses/Dissertations (Meigs, Nenninger, Nettersheim)
- 53 Theses/Dissertations (Pehrson, Raines--vol. 1)
- 54 Theses/Dissertations (Raines--vol. 2, Remsburg--vol. 1)
- 55 Theses/Dissertations (Remsburg--vol.2, Roberts)

Business and Personal Records

- 56 Business Correspondence
- 57 Individual Correspondence
- 58 Department of the Army Historical Advisory Committee (DAHAC)--meeting materials
- 59 Guest Professorships--various information concerning Coffman's appointments
- 60 Guest Professorships--various information concerning Coffman's appointments
- 61 Miscellaneous--business
- 62 National Historical Publications Commission (NHPC) Collection Guides

- 63 NHPC and National Historical Publications and  
Records Commission (NHPRC)--general information
- 64 NHPC Minutes
- 65 NHPRC Minutes
- 66 Personal Records--curriculum vitae, recognition,  
etc.
- 67 Special Events--conferences, symposia, etc. (A-Fo)
- 68 Special Events--conferences, symposia, etc. (Fr-Z)

Miscellaneous

- 69 Microfilm
- 70 Oral History Tapes (see list)
- 71 Oversize--photographs

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 Part 2  
 ORAL HISTORY COLLECTION

<u>Folder #</u>	<u>Name &amp; Date</u>	<u>Tape</u>	<u>Transcript</u>	<u>Copy in 155A?</u>
1	Edward M. <u>Coffman</u> Contents of Collection			
2	<u>Agard</u> , Walter R. (10/19/65) Side 1: <u>Agard</u> Side 2: <u>Lovette</u> , Leland P. (11/15/64)	Reel	No	Yes
3	<u>Alston</u> , Lendell (11/9/80) Side 1: <u>Alston</u> Side 2: <u>Niemann</u> , Robert A.	Reel	No	No
4	<u>Anders</u> , Arthur (6/17/83) Side 1: <u>Anders</u> Side 2: <u>Sinclair</u> , Reginald (8/7/82)	Reel	No	No
5	<u>Aurand</u> , Henry S. (8/5/74)	Reel	43 pages	No
6	<u>Banks</u> , William L. (5/10/73)	Reel	No	No
7	<u>Bell</u> , Gilmer M. (2/12/64) Side 1: <u>Stites</u> , Joseph G. (12/1/64) Side 2: <u>Bell</u> , Gilmer M. and <u>Bell</u> , Gilmer M. (9/10/70) *Folder #19	Reel	No	Yes
8	<u>Boardman</u> , Eugene P. (2/2/80)	No Tape	No	No
9	<u>Bolte</u> , Charles L. (11/9/64) with John L. <u>Hines</u> , Jr.	Reel	No	Yes

<u>Folder #</u>	<u>Name &amp; Date</u>	<u>Tape</u>	<u>Transcript</u>	<u>Copy in 155A?</u>
10	<u>Bolte</u> , General & Mrs. (8/4/71)	Reel	No	No
11	<u>Bolte</u> , Charles L. (5/10/78)	No Tape	No	Yes
12	<u>Breitster</u> , Fritz (2/19/81)	No Tape	No	No
13	<u>Breitster</u> , Fritz (4/9/81)	Reel	No	No
14	<u>Byers</u> , Clovis E. (4/6/72) *On Side 2, Folder #22	No Tape	No	No
15	<u>Campbell</u> , Douglas (11/21/64)	No Tape	No	Yes
16	<u>Campbell</u> , Douglas (9/21/77) *Folder #34	No Tape	22 pages	Yes
17	<u>Chappel</u> , Mary (5/4/83)	No Tape	No	No
18	<u>Clark</u> , Mark W. (4/19/73)	2 Reels	No	No
19	<u>Clemens</u> , Josef (9/27/76) Side 1: <u>Clemens</u> Side 2: <u>Bell</u> , Gilmer M. *Folder #7	Reel	No	No
20	<u>Coffman</u> , Edward M. (2/19/70)	Reel	No	Yes
21	<u>Collins</u> , James L., Jr. (10/3/80) Side 1: <u>Collins</u> Side 2: <u>Porter</u> , Kenneth L. (5/23/83)	Reel	13 pages	No
22	<u>Collins</u> , J. Lawton (4/6/72) Side 1: <u>Collins</u> Side 2: <u>Byers</u> , Clovis E. (4/16/72) *Folder #14	Reel Reel	19 pages No	No No
23	<u>Craine</u> , Norbert L. (4/16/73)	Reel	No	No
24	<u>Davies</u> , C. C. (5/7/66)	Reel	No	Yes

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25	<u>Davis</u> , Benjamin O., Jr. (7/11/72)	Reel	No	No
26	<u>Devers</u> , Jacob L. (8/3/71)	Reel	No	No
27	<u>Doane</u> , Gilbert H. (10/5/64 (*Folder #50)	No Tape	No	Yes
28	<u>Dunn</u> , William R. (5/2/81)	Reel	No	No
29	<u>Eaker</u> , Ira C. (8/6/71) *Folder #38	No Tape	No	No
30	<u>Febiger</u> , Paul & Mrs. Harriet Atkins (8/18/97)	Reel	No	No
31	<u>Fellers</u> , Bonner (7/9/72) *Folder #68	No Tape	No	No
32	<u>Galway</u> , Geoffrey (9/21/74)	Reel	31 pages	No
33	<u>Gavin</u> , James M. (6/15/78)	Reel	41 pages	No
34	<u>Gillard</u> , David St. P. (1/2/79) Side 1: <u>Gillard</u> Side 2: <u>Campbell</u> , Douglas (9/21/77)	Reel	19 pages	No
35	<u>Graves</u> , Sidney C. (6/11/66) Side 1: <u>Graves</u> Side 2: <u>Roberts</u> , Charles D.	Reel	No	Yes
36	<u>Graves</u> , Sidney C. (8/6/71) *Folder #43	No Tape	No	No
37	<u>Griffin</u> , Robert M. (11/6/64) Side 1: <u>Griffin</u> Side 2: <u>Hayes</u> , Ralph *Folder #40	Reel	No	Yes

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38	<u>Haislip</u> , Wade H. (8/8/71) Side 1: <u>Haislip</u> Side 2: <u>Eaker</u> , Ira C. (8/6/71) *Folder #29)	Reel	No	No
39	<u>Handy</u> , Thomas T. (8/18/71) Side 1: <u>Handy</u> Side 2: <u>Hinman</u> , George W., Jr. (7/12/72) *Folder #44	Reel	No	No
40	<u>Hayes</u> , Ralph (11/20/64) *Folder #37	No Tape	No	Yes
41	<u>Heffernan</u> , John B. (11/18/64)	Reel	No	Yes
42	<u>Herron</u> , Charles D. (11/7/64) and (11/14/64)	Reel	2	Yes
43	<u>Huebner</u> , Clarence R. (8/5/71) Side 1: <u>Huebner</u> Side 2: <u>Graves</u> , Sidney C. (8/6/71)	Reel	No	No
44	<u>Hinman</u> , George W. (7/12/72)	No Tape	No	No
45	<u>Hodgson</u> , Roy & Grace (5/23/70) Side 1: <u>Hodgson</u> Side 2: <u>Richardson</u> , Robert C. III (5/17/76)	Reel	No	No
46	<u>Ingraham</u> , Mark H. (9/29/64)	No Tape	No	Yes
47	<u>Ingraham</u> , Mark H. (9/30/64)	Reel	No	Yes
48	<u>Ingraham</u> , Mark H. (12/16/65) Side 1: <u>Ingraham</u> Side 2: <u>Foulois</u> , Benjamin D. (10/18/60)	Reel	No	Yes
49	<u>Johnson</u> , Robert P. (5/11/72)	Reel	No	No

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50	<u>LaFollette</u> , Philip (10/5/64) Side 1: <u>LaFollette</u> Side 2: <u>Doane</u> , Gilbert H. (10/5/64) *Folder #27	Reel	No	Yes
51	<u>Lambert</u> , William C. (10/4/81) Side 1: <u>Lambert</u> Side 2: <u>Chappell</u> , Mary (5/4/83) *Folder #17	Reel	No	No
52	<u>Landon</u> , Alf M. (5/14/70) *Folder #84	No Tape	No	No
53	<u>Lanham</u> , Charles T. (7/7/72)	Reel	No	No
54	<u>Leonard</u> , John W. (8/21/71)	Reel	No	No
55	<u>Loftin</u> , Frank (11/15/64) Side 1: <u>Loftin</u> Side 2: <u>Lovette</u> , Leland P.	Reel	No	Yes
56	<u>Lovette</u> , Leland P. (11/15/64) *Folder #55	No Tape	No	Yes
57	<u>McAuliffe</u> , Anthony (7/8/71)	No Tape	12 pages	No
58	<u>Martin</u> , O. W. (12/7/79)	Reel	7 pages	No
59	<u>McCombs</u> Family (5/23/75)	Reel	44 pages	No
60	<u>McLendon</u> , James (3/21/72)	No Tape	No	No
61	<u>Miller</u> , John R. (7/7 & 9/75)	2 Reels	No	No
62	<u>Nafziger</u> , Ralph O. (7/29/66) (Plus copies of 2 maps)	Reel	36 pages	Yes

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63	<u>Niemann</u> , Robert A. (11/1/80)	Reel	No	No
64	<u>Niemann</u> , Robert A. (11/15/80)	No Tape	No	No
65	<u>Norwood</u> , John W. (7/7/72)	No Tape	No	No
66	<u>Norwood</u> , John W.	No Tape	No	No
67	<u>Nuttman</u> , Louis M. (3/4 & 4/20/76)	Reel	No	No
68	<u>Nuttman</u> , Louis M. (3/29/74) Side 1: <u>Nuttman</u> Side 2: <u>Nuttman</u> and <u>Fellers</u> , Bonner (7/9/72) *Folder #31)	2 Reels	No	Yes
69	<u>O'Conner</u> , William P. (10/21/65) *Folder 101	No Tape	No	Yes
70	<u>Olds</u> , Robin (6/4/83) *Folder #76	No Tape	No	No
71	<u>Pappas</u> , George S. (3/7/73) *Continued in Folder #79	Reel	55 pages	Yes
72	<u>Parrish</u> , Noel (10/11/74)	Reel	55 pages	No
73	<u>Penner</u> , Carl (4/26/66) Side 1: <u>Penner</u> Side 2: <u>Campbell</u> , Douglas (11/21/64) *Folders #15 & 16	Reel	No	Yes
74	<u>Porter</u> , Kenneth L. (5/23/83)	No Tape	No	No
75	<u>Quesada</u> , Elwood R. (4/6/83) Side 1: <u>Quesada</u> Side 2: <u>Boardman</u> , Eugene P. (2/22/82) *Folder #8	Reel	No	No
76	<u>Quesada</u> , Elwood R. (4/7/83) Side 1: <u>Quesada</u> Side 2: <u>Olds</u> , Robin (6/4/83) *Folder #70	Reel	No	No



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77	<u>Richardson</u> , Robert C. (5/17/76) *Folder #45	No Tape	No	No
78	<u>Ridgway</u> , Matthew B. (3/7/75)	Reel	No	No
79	<u>Robb</u> , George S. (5/14/70) Side 1: <u>Robb</u> Side 2: <u>Pappas</u> , George S. (*Continued from #71)	Reel	8 pages	No
80	<u>Roberts</u> , Charles D. (6/12/66) *Folder #35	No Tape	No	Yes
81	<u>Ragsdale</u> , Wilmont (5/2/79) Side 1: <u>Ragsdale</u> Side 2: <u>Norwood</u> , John W. (7/7/72) *Folders #65 & 66	Reel	No	No
82	Empty Folder - No Tape or Transcript			
83	<u>Rouse</u> , Walter J. (10/9/74)	No Tape	25 pages	No
84	<u>Schaefer</u> , J. Earl (5/23/70) Side 1: <u>Schaefer</u> Side 2: <u>Landon</u> , Alf (5/14/70) *Folder #52	Reel	No	No
85	<u>Shelton</u> , Ada Baker (9/19/82) *Folder #103	No Tape	No	No
86	<u>Simpson</u> , William H. (1/10/68)	Reel	No	Yes
87	<u>Simpson</u> , William H. (8/17/71)	Reel	No	No
88	<u>Simpson</u> , William H. (8/20/71)	Reel	No	No
89	<u>Sinclair</u> , Reginald (8/7/82) *Folder #3	No Tape	No	No

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90	<u>Slack</u> , Clayton K. (10/12/64)	Reel	No	Yes
91	<u>Spatz</u> , Mr. & Mrs. Carl Side 1: <u>Spatz</u> Side 2: <u>Turtle</u> , Lewis (8/19/71)	Reel	No	No
92	<u>Spalding</u> , Mr. & Mrs. Isaac	Reel	No	No
93	<u>Stackhouse</u> , George (3/2/77) Side 1: <u>Stackhouse</u> Side 2: <u>McAuliffe</u> , Anthony M. (7/8/71) *Folder #57	Reel	28 pages	No
94	<u>Stevenson</u> , Jane B. (4/21/76) Side 1: <u>Stevenson</u> Side 2: <u>Rouse</u> , Walter J. (10/9/74) *Folder #83	Reel	7 pages	No
95	<u>Stites</u> , Joseph G. (12/1/64) *Folder #6	No Tape	No	Yes
96	<u>Taulbee</u> , Mrs. Joseph (8/21/71)	Reel	No	No
97	<u>Timberman</u> , Mrs. Thomas (7/2/72)	Reel	No	No
98	<u>Turtle</u> , Lewis (8/19/71) *Folder #91	No Tape	No	No
99	<u>Vaughn</u> , George A., Jr. (3/25/81)	Reel	No	No
100	<u>Wedemeyer</u> , Albert C. (8/9/71)	Reel	No	No
101	<u>Westcott</u> , Edmund L. (9/28/64) Side 1: <u>Westcott</u> Side 2: <u>O'Connor</u> , William P. (10/21/65) *Folder #69	Reel	No	Yes

<u>Folder #</u>	<u>Name &amp; Date</u>	<u>Tape</u>	<u>Transcript</u>	<u>Copy in 155A?</u>
102	<u>Willis</u> , Dorsie S. (Summer '74)	Reel	36 pages	No
103	<u>Wolf</u> , Fritz (6/18/82) Side 1: <u>Wolf</u> Side 2: <u>Shelton</u> , Ada Baker (9/19/82) *Folder #85	Reel	No	No
104	<u>Yassel</u> , Louis S. (12/1/72)	Reel	No	No
105	<u>Finley</u> , Thomas D. (11/27/82 and 1/15/83)	Reel	No	No
106	<u>Finley</u> , Thomas D. (1/24 and 2/5/83)	Reel	No	No
107	<u>Finley</u> , Thomas D. (2/12, 2/19 and 3/12/83)	Reel	No	No
108	<u>Finley</u> , Thomas D. (5/28/83) Side 1: <u>Finley</u> Side 2: <u>Bolte</u> , Charles L. (8/6/83)	Reel	No	No

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70	<p><u>Letter</u> - Edward M. Coffman to Larry I. Bland, June 5, 1996, with explanation of 4 oral history tapes.</p> <p><u>Tapes 1 and 2</u> - Howard B. <u>Coffman</u>, April 24, 1995 and April 25, 1995; interviews with Howard B. Coffman (Edward M. Coffman's brother) about their family and growing up in Hopkinsville, Kentucky; Howard B. Coffman's strike duty with the Kentucky National Guard in the Harlan coal field troubles of 1939, and his first year at West Point. Howard B. Coffman graduated in June 1943 and retired as a Colonel of Engineers in 1973.</p> <p><u>Tape 3</u> - Interview with George <u>Fugate</u>, October 12, 1995, who talked about his experiences in the Kentucky National Guard from 1911 to 1917, including service as a first sergeant on the Mexican Border. In World War I, he earned a commission and was en route to the front when the war ended. He also talks about his service in the First Division in the Army of Occupation.</p> <p><u>Tape 4</u> - Interview with Delos E. <u>Dudley</u>, April 9, 1996, who talked about growing up in Madison, Wisconsin, before World War I. He knew Charles A. Lindbergh. As engineering students in 1920-1921, he and Lindbergh became close friends.</p>

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Part 3

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