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I proceed. "...Stigand, the patriotic archbishop of Canterbury, found it advisable—"
 'Found WHAT?' said the Duck.
'Found IT,' the Mouse replied rather crossly: 'of course you know what "it" means.'
 'I know what "it" means well enough, when I find a thing,' said the Duck:
 'it's generally a frog or a worm. The question is, what did the archbishop find?'

—Lewis Carroll, *Alice's adventures in Wonderland*



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