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I will never forget the time when a distinguished European physicist, en route to exploring academic positions in the United States, visited the Ewalds; after dinner he was taken aside by Paul, and admonished in all seriousness that the first thing he would have to learn as a professor in the United States is to help in washing the dishes. And so they both disappeared in the kitchen.

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