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and so for an advanced artificial machine-intelligence with hands and feet, vision, speech, etc., wandering around for a month; and then designing a proprietary personal identity from its agglomerated individual memories, as isomorphic as possible to what it can learn of contemporary human personal identity from studying ancient Vedas and the internet. Might a silicon simulacrum like that, or a silicon homunculus, experience something isomorphic to a human self? We might assume it would inferentially demaculate but if the