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\everycr [\langle token \ list \rangle \ parameter]
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TEX expands  $\langle token \ list \rangle$  whenever it executes a \cr—at the end of every preamble, at the end of every row of a horizontal alignment, and at the end of every column of a vertical alignment. The \everycr commands are expanded just after the \cr. Thus you can cause TEX to execute certain commands at the end of a preamble, row, or column by assigning a list of those commands to \everycr.

The \everycr tokens shouldn't include any commands other than \noalign. That's because the \everycr tokens will reappear after the last \cr of the alignment. A command other than \noalign will then make TEX think that it's starting a new row or column. TEX will complain about a missing \cr, insert a \cr, insert the \everycr tokens again, and repeat these actions indefinitely.

## Example:

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\everycr={\noalign{\smallskip\hrule\smallskip}}
\halign{#\tabskip = 11pt&\hfil#\hfil#\hfil#\hfil
    \tabskip = 0pt\cr
$1$&one&first\cr
$2$&two&second\cr
$3$&three&third\cr}
```

## produces:

1	one	first
2	two	second
3	three	third