Assignment 5: Regular Expressions

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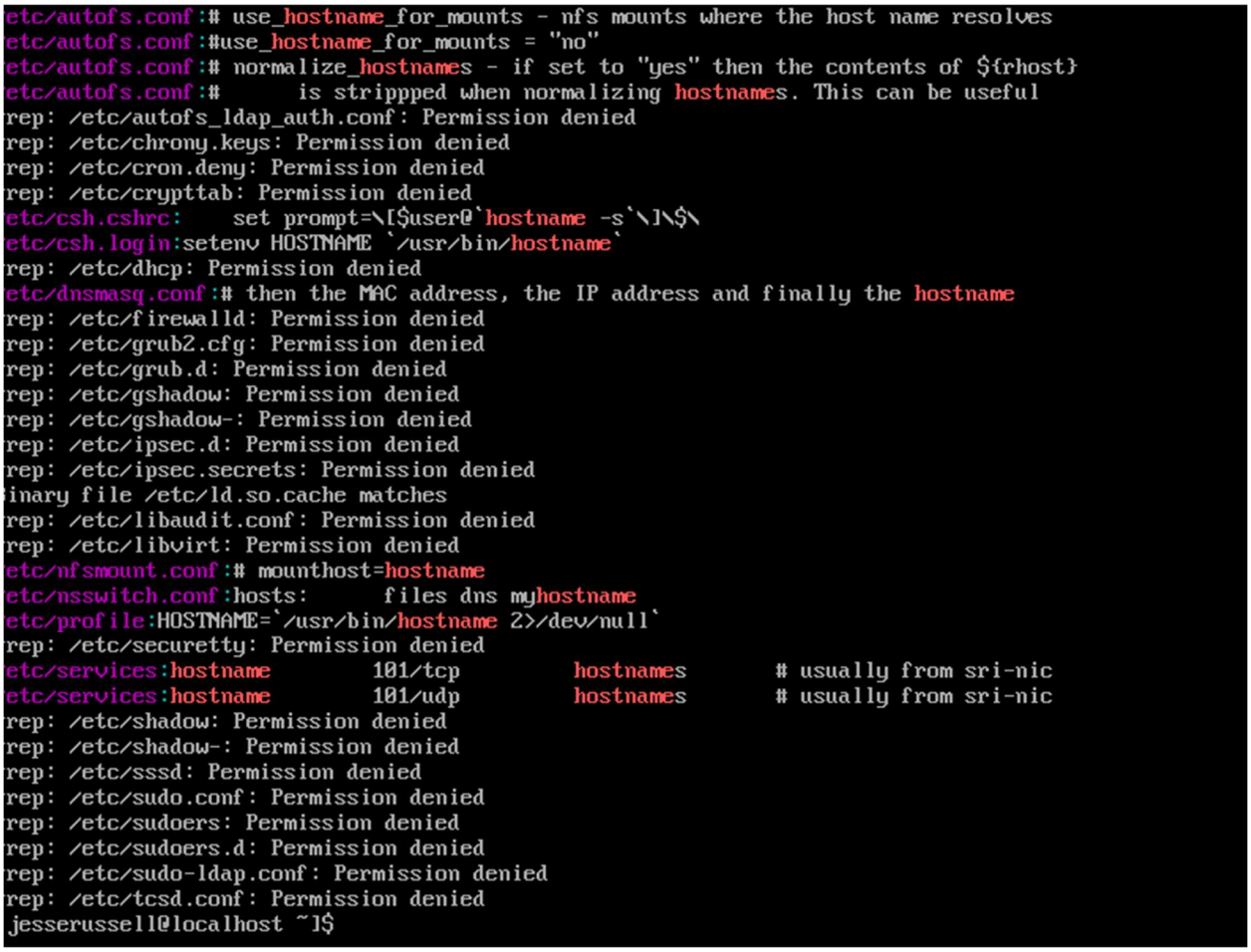
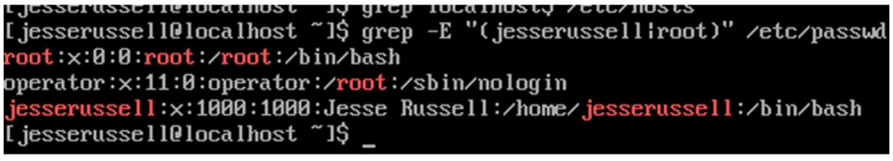
Exercise 1A: Step 6



This is the result of the grep -d skip hostname /etc/* command. This searched for filenames that conatin hostname in the /etc directory.

Exercise 1A: Step 11



This is the result of the grep -E “(jesserussell|root)” /etc/passwd command. This searched for either jesserussell or root.

Exercise 1A: Step 12

The three numbers I received from wc /etc/hosts command were 2, 10, and 158.

Exercise 1A: Step 13

There are 47 lines in the /etc/passwd file.

Exercise 1A: Step 16

There are 523 lines returned by the find command.

Exercise 1A: Step 17

```
[jesserussell@localhost ~]$ find /usr/share/doc/ -name COPYING | wc
   523     523   21111
[jesserussell@localhost ~]$ locate COPYING | wc
   985     985   43509
[jesserussell@localhost ~]$ _
```

There are 985 lines returned by the locate command

Exercise 1A: Step 21

```
[jesserussell@localhost ~]$ cat /etc/PASSWORD || echo "2nd Hello"
cat: /etc/PASSWORD: No such file or directory
2nd Hello
[jesserussell@localhost ~]$
```

The first command did not work but the second was still run because || is a logical “or”.

Exercise 1B: Step 12

```
[jesserussell@localhost ~]$ cat new_file
I am redirected
I appended this
[jesserussell@localhost ~]$
```

This is showing that “I appended this” was added to the end of the existing file.

Exercise 1B: Step 15

```
[jesserussell@localhost ~]$ cat new_file
I am redirected
I appended this
cat: /etc/PASSWORD: No such file or directory
```

I directed the error message to new_file and appended it to what was there before.

Exercise 1B: Step 24

```
[jesserussell@localhost ~]$ cat fileE.dat
fileD.dat
fileC.dat
fileB.dat
fileA.dat
[jesserussell@localhost ~]$ _
```

I took the output of the sort command and put it in fileE.dat using tee.

Exercise 1B: Step 26

```
[jesserussell@localhost ~]$ ls file?.dat | xargs /bin/rm
[jesserussell@localhost ~]$ ls file?.dat
ls: cannot access file?.dat: No such file or directory
[jesserussell@localhost ~]$ _
```

I deleted all of the files I created using the xargs command.

Exercise 1C: Step 11

```
[jesserussell@localhost ~]$ bzip2 file*.log
[jesserussell@localhost ~]$ ls file*.bz2
file_a.log.bz2  file_b.log.bz2  file_c.log.bz2  file_d.log.bz2
[jesserussell@localhost ~]$ _
```

This is the list of compressed files using bzip2.

Exercise 1C: Step 20

```
[jesserussell@localhost unpack_tar]$ tar zxvf file.tar.gz
file_a.log
file_b.log
file_c.log
file_d.log
[jesserussell@localhost unpack_tar]$
```

The tarball was unpacked in the unpack_tar/ directory.

Exercise 2A: Step 16

```
[jesserussell@localhost ~]$ cat MyFile.txt
This is my first line
This is my second line
[jesserussell@localhost ~]$ _
```

This is the contents of the MyFile.txt file

Exercise 2B: Step 8

```
[jesserussell@localhost ~]$ cat MyFile.txt
This is my first line.
This is my second line.
[jesserussell@localhost ~]$
```

I edited MyFile.txt with nano and saved my work with CTRL+O.

Exercise 2C: Step 12

```
[jesserussell@localhost ~]$ cat questions.txt
4. True or False: Unicode is useful for encoding most european languages but not asian languages.
False
5. True or False: GUI text editors for ASCII are superior to text-mode ASCII text editors because th
e GUI editors support underlining, italics, and multiple fonts.
False
6. True or False: Many (but not all) configuration files use a hash mark (#) to identify comment lin
es.
True
7. ASCII supports _____ unique characters.
128
8. Three keystrokes that can initiate a search-and-replace operation in nano are F14, ____, and ____
.
Ctrl+\ and Esc-R
9. While in VI's commandmode, you can type ____ to undo a change.
u
[jesserussell@localhost ~]$
```

I wrote the questions to chapter 11 in nano editor and here are the contents.