Styling the first line in paragraph

don't use character style in InDesign because this is not dynamic enough

Use CSS p:first-line

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OFTEN A BOOK DESIGNER WILL STYLE THE FIRST line in a chapter to be in a different style. Small caps seems to be a tradition in some earlier texts. InDesign, does **not** have a simple way to style the first line. You could use nested styles, but this offers no option to dynamically style the first line (in flowable books, this line length will change with different font size choices). CSS does include the potential to target the first line like this:

Some
Further Notes