PROJECT 4: TWITTER CLONE

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2. How to run the code -

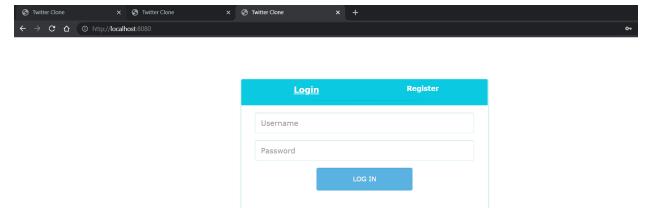
dotnet run project4.fs

This runs the server and reserves port 8080 on our machine. We can access the port 8080 via the web browser.

- 3. What is working -
 - The server connects to the User Interface.
 - Implemented the WebSocket interface.
 - Initialized the WebSocket interface.
 - Client runs on the browser at localhost:8080.



- Server instantiates the Login.html page once it is started.
- For multiple clients, multiple connections(new tabs) needed to be opened.



• The Client that can access the WebSocket.

```
//The feed actor that does the job requested------>
1et feedActor = spawn system (sprintf "FeedActor") FeedActor

//This actor loops through feed messages------->
1et FeedActor (mailbox:Actor<->) =

//initialize the following maps for each user----->
//followers of a user----->
1et mutable followers = Map.empty

let mutable activeUsers = Map.empty

let mutable feedtable = Map.empty

let rec loop () = actor {
```

 We designed a JSON based API that represents all messages and their replies (including errors).

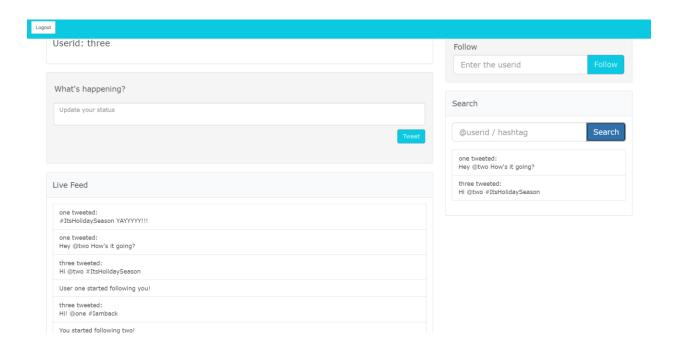
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//defining the response class type----->
type ResponseType = {
    userID: string
    message: string
    service: string
    code: string

//defining the request class type----->
type RequestType = {
    userID: string
    value: string
}
```

All the messages passed through the WebSocket are encoded.

```
let agent = MailboxProcessor<string*WebSocket>.Start(fun inbox ->
let rec messageLoop() = async {
    //loop through messages from the websocket----->
let! msg,webSkt = inbox.Receive()
let byteRes =
    msg
    //Encode the message----->
    | System.Text.Encoding.ASCII.GetBytes
    | ByteSegment
let! _ = webSkt.send Text byteRes true
    return! messageLoop()
}
messageLoop()
```

 Twitter engine successfully allows users to Tweet, Follow, Mention, Create Hashtag, Search Mention, Search Hashtag.



• Update the feeds of the Users affected by the event. This happens concurrently. This increases efficiency and reduces data inconsistency.

