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A rounded convex molding, often a quarter section of a circle or ellipse.

[Obsolete Italian, diminutive of *uovo*, *ovo*, egg, from Latin *ōvum*; see **awi-** [in the Appendix of Indo-European roots](#).]



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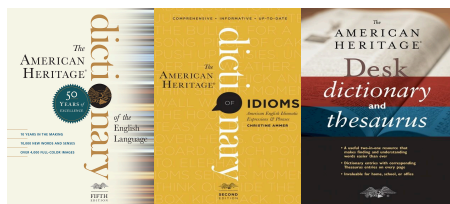
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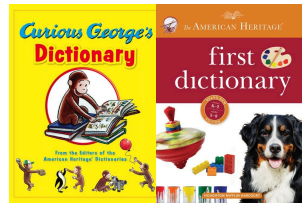
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