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n. pl. **gul·dens** or **gulden**

A guilder.

[Middle English, from Dutch *gulden* (*florijn*), golden (florin), from Middle Dutch; see **ghel**-² [in the Appendix of Indo-European roots](#).]

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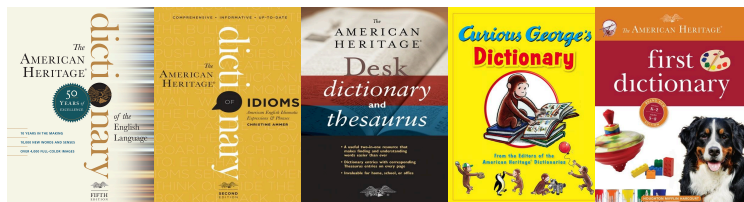
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