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On Phileas J. Fogg, a cat long since departed from earth's shores:

He demonstrates a kind of self-possession difficult to ignore. Though he cannot say so in words, he signals an entitlement to be honored. It's as if he has established certain rights which cannot be violated with impunity. Sometimes he vindicates these rights by complaining to the management.