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Subject: Some hopefully useful code snippets...

Two useful things I came up with over the last couple of weeks. Hope they help somebody.

/* HostPicker Method

Assumptions:

* you have an instance variable named hostField where you store the hostname.

*every hostname in every netinfo subdomain is accessible to your system.

*add libni_s.a to your libraries in ProjectBuilder.

*Connect a button to this and voila!

*/

- pickHostName:sender

{

```
id thePanel = [NIOpenPanel new];
[thePanel setListTitle: "Machine Names"];
[thePanel setPanelTitle: "Machine Name Picker" ];

if ([thePanel runModal] == NX_OKTAG)
{
    const char *fullDomain = [thePanel directory];
    if (fullDomain && *fullDomain){
        [hostField setStringValue: (char *)fullDomain];
        //[self changeHostName:self];
        //optional, add this method if you want to trigger the change.
    }
}
return self;
}
```