Subject: BSD make: strange issue
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I was trying to enhance src version to build with (PC-)BSD and encountered this strange issue:

make: don't know how to make ide/app.tpp/Aboutn-us.tppi. Stop
*** Error code 2

The offending line is obviously:

    ide/app.tpp/About$$en-us.tppi \

Now it looks like BSD make for whatever reason interprets "$$e" as empty string. That is weird, as '$$' should be escape sequence for '$', even according to BSD make manual page.

Does anybody know what is going on now here? Is there any other way how to escape '$'?

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