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Subject: progress to report fb bazaar  
Posted by [mtdew3q](#) on Sat, 07 Dec 2019 04:25:43 GMT  
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Hi all-

I think I found a concrete issue I can raise for linux firebird in bazaar.  
Using Novo's FirebirdTest code:

```
FBSession s;  
s.Connect(  
    "/var/lib/firebird/3.0/data/first_database.fdb",  
    NULL,  
    "sysdba",  
    "mypassword",  
    "/usr/lib/x86_64-linux-gnu/firebird/3.0/lib/libfbclient.so"  
);
```

I find that I get this error:

Cannot access lock files directory /tmp/firebird

[https:// www.mail-archive.com/firebird-support@yahoogroups.com/msg18219.html](https://www.mail-archive.com/firebird-support@yahoogroups.com/msg18219.html)

I usually can connect by using connect localhost:dbname user 'myname' password 'mypassword';

I think the connection string in the bazaar may or may not let me. I might not be doing it right.

Here is a printout to demonstrate:

```
connect "localhost:/var/lib/firebird/3.0/data/first_database.fdb" user 'sysdba' password  
"mypassword"
```

Any cool tips or help on this would be appreciated. I had problems with mingw, so I switched to linux. It seems to work better for me. I have firebird up and running and even started coding a small practice postgresql U++ project.

Thanks Novo and/or anyone that can comment.

thanks- roboloki

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Subject: Re: progress to report fb bazaar

Posted by [mtdew3q](#) on Sat, 07 Dec 2019 22:19:37 GMT

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Hi all-

Just wanted to give feedback that I got SOCI working with firebird 3.0. It is a cool project that I fool with sometimes. They just came out with soci version 4.0.0.

I can use that with U++ and Tcl/Tk and SWIG.

I'd still like to use postgres for the very cool U++ gui building.

I am just bouncing from project to project now.

Hope everyone is having a cool weekend.

Thnx,  
roboloki