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Brylawski and Seymour independently proved that if N is a connected minor of a connected matroid M, and e is an element of M but not of N, then the deletion or contraction of e from M is connected and has N as a minor. This talk discusses an analogy of this theorem for connected 2-polymatroids. (Received February 14, 2018)