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Subject: Stale mtab entries following stop

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I have a couple of containers, which use the mount/unmount action scripts to mount physical partitions into the root file system, e.g.

```
mkdir -p /var/lib/vz/root/1005/srv/mail
mount -t xfs /dev/r5/mail /var/lib/vz/root/1005/srv/mail
umount /var/lib/vz/root/1005/srv/mail
```

However, following a vzctl stop the device is unmounted, but it is still listed in /etc/mtab. And each time I cycle the container, another instance pops up.

If I unmount the device manually with the VE stopped, umount moans that the device is not mounted, but all entries are removed at once.

Any idea, what might cause this?

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