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BOOKING AGENTS' MISTAKE THAT CAUSED TROUBLE.

Combination of Clerical Error and Hard-Hearted Female Inspector Involved Buffalo Man in No End of Tribulation.

Because a careless booking agent substituted Eleanor for the name Edward, a man from Buffalo, who with his family was a passenger on one of the biggest and fleetest liners afloat, had no end of trouble the other day with the immigration inspectors when he started to land at the pier in the North river.

The big ship arrived off the quarantine station about 7 o'clock in the morning, and after the health authorities had finished with her the immigration and customs inspectors started about their business. One of the immigration inspectors was a female. She made a thorough canvass of the cabin in search of women who had no right to land. Every woman had proved her right to land, with the single exception of Miss Eleanor Jones—call it—who could not be found.

The inspector searched high and low for the missing Eleanor, but there was "nothing doing." Finally she appealed to a woman passenger to help her out.

"Can you tell me where I can find Miss Eleanor Jones?" asked the inspector.

"Of course I can," answered a demure looking maiden; "she isn't on board, for a Mr. Edward Jones happens to be the Eleanor in this case."

"Oh, do find him; I would so like to see a man named Eleanor," said the eager inspector.

"There he is; but don't tell him I told you about the mistake on the passenger list for he has been very touchy on that subject during the trip."

Walking up to where the man was standing, the inspector demanded to know if he was "Miss Eleanor Jones."

"You bet your life my name is not Eleanor," was the emphatic reply from the man from Buffalo; "my name is Edward, plain Ed, and if I ever get my hands on that fool booking agent you can stake your bottom dollar he won't make any more mistakes like this."

"I am very sorry, Miss Jones."

"Don't you call me Miss Jones, for I am not a miss, but plain Mr. Jones, the father of a family of six, and as good an American citizen as any man on the ship."

"I can't help that, and as long as you are not on the passenger list as the manifest enters us Edward Jones, and since you say you are not Eleanor Jones, I will be compelled to tell the inspector in charge about your case and call your attention as a shipwreck to rebuke the mistaking of this name."

Mr. Jones pleaded for mercy, but the feminine inspector, who had by this time been reinforced by the arrival of an inspector of the masculine kind, was inclinate and said that she could not change the law and that Mr. Jones would have to take his medicine. Jones was then told that he could not leave the boat with the other passengers, and the inspectors went to the steerage to take a look at the people in that department.

The liner was almost docked by this time and Jones in desperation appealed to the purser for assistance. The purser, appreciating his predicament, at once ordered a steward to look up the cabin manager as soon as the gang-plank was in place and request his immediate presence in his office. This the steward did, and the manager, on boarding the liner, was told the circumstances. The immigration inspector was then sent for by the manager, and on his appearance the two went into executive session. The manager told the immigration man that the line would pay the stowaway fine, and after a lengthy contest succeeded in convincing the man from Ellis Island that the mistake was an innocent one, and that the detained passenger was in reality an American citizen.

Security was then given for the release of Jones and a steward was sent to his room to inform him that all was right and that he might rejoin his family on the deck.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Idea of a Genius.

Economy of production was one of the subjects touched on by Prof. H. W. Wiley in an after dinner speech last week before the New York Society of Medical Jurisprudence. Referring to new methods that are being brought into operation and their practicability he said:

"I simply wish to mention, without exactly recommending it, this suggestion from an agricultural source. It comes from a man who proposes to plant onions with his potatoes, with the idea that the tear-making qualities of his onions may get on the eyes of the potatoes and make the latter crop self-irrigating.—New York Times.

A Story of Apple Tart.

A well-known novelist tells an amusing story of his father, an English rector, and Sir Henry Thompson, the surgeon and authority on food. Sir Henry was called in and prescribed a certain diet, particularly warning the patient against apple tart, for which the reverend gentleman had a great partiality. "Oh, but Sir Henry—pleaded the patient—may I have a little—just on Sunday?" "We always have it for dinner then." "Sir," replied Sir Henry in severe tones, "do you imagine that your stomach is any different on Sunday from what it is on other days?" Good morning.—London Lookout.

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