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IMPOSING ON NEWSPAPERS.

Imposition is practiced upon no American institution so much as upon the newspaper. Requests, which often assume the imperiousness of demands, are made of it that would be coldly received and sharply rebuked by any other business concern.

Many, many people, perhaps the majority of the people—believe the newspaper should throw its columns wide open for exploitation of ventures and undertakings that have private profit for their purpose. They would advertise their business, their ambitions, solicit endorsement of the public for themselves or their schemes, promote whatever is in their mind through the agency of the newspaper and would utilize the professional skill and training of the newspaper's employees and the service of its equipment.

Not one of these, it is fair to assume, would be so lacking in intelligence or so disregard commercial principles as to solicit the dry goods dealer for a bolt of cloth, the grocer for a month's food supply, the landlord for a residence, or attempt to deprive any other of his stock in trade without expectation of paying for it.

Professional men whose prospects were exceedingly unattractive have been put upon the road to prosperity; business men have had obstacles swept away from their avenues of trade advancement, and countless others have succeeded solely because of the reporter's kindly and timely publicity—but, to the shame of the great majority of those who have profited, the author of their fortune has been ignored and, possibly, never even mentally entertained as a benefactor by the recipient of his beneficence.

The newspaper gives away, perhaps, more than any other individual or institution or confederation of individuals or institutions in its community. It promotes with ardor its community's interests; it fights with desperation that which threatens; it assists church and state and all public undertakings, and little thanks does it receive for its pains and labors.—Employers' Magazine.

GIRL COULD NOT WORK

How She Was Relieved from Pain by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Taunton, Mass.—"I had pains in both sides and when my periods came I had to stay at home from work and suffer a long time. One day a woman came to our house and asked my mother why I was suffering. Mother told her that I suffered every month and she said, 'Why don't you buy a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound?' My mother bought it and the next month I was so well that I worked all the month without staying at home a day. I am in good health now and have told lots of girls about it."—Miss CLARICE MORSE, 22 Russell Street, Taunton, Mass.

Thousands of girls suffer in silence every month rather than consult a physician. If girls who are troubled with painful or irregular periods, headache, dizziness, dragging-down sensations, fainting spells or indigestion would take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a safe and pure remedy made from roots and herbs, much suffering might be avoided.

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PRAYER OF A HORSE.

"Feed me, water me and care for me, and when the day's work is done provide me with shelter, a clean, dry bed and a stall wide enough for me to lie down in comfort. Talk to me: Your voice often means as much to me as the reins. Pat me sometimes, that I may serve you the more gladly and learn to love you.

"Do not jerk the reins and do not whip me when going up hill. Never strike, beat or kick me when I do not understand you. Watch me and if I fall to do your bidding see if something is not wrong with my harness or feet.

"Examine my teeth when I do not eat. I may have an ulcerated tooth and that, you know, is very painful. Do not tie my head in an unnatural position or take away my best defense against flies and mosquitoes by cutting my tail.

"And, finally, oh, my master, when my useful strength is gone do not turn me out to starve or freeze, or sell me to some cruel owner to be slowly tortured and starved to death, but do thou, my master, take my life in the kindest way and your God will surely reward you here and hereafter. You may not consider me irreverent if I ask this in the name of Him who was born in a stable. Amen."

OLD FAKE BOBS UP.

The notion that there is a wonderful wheat which will make the fortune of any one who plants it seems to be almost as old as agriculture itself. In this country, at least, such an assertion was made for the so-called Jerusalem wheat as early as 1880, and under the name of Alaska wheat, this identical variety is still being pushed upon the unwary at exorbitant prices for seed. Almost equally exaggerated claims are made for the Stoner variety, but this particular wheat has not such a long history.

Because of the many attempts that have been made by promoters to foist these wheats, under one name or another, upon the farmers of the country, the U. S. Department of Agriculture has made careful tests of their value. In Bulletin 357 of the department the results of these tests are said to show conclusively that neither of the wheats possesses any peculiar quality which justifies high prices for the seed. Many varieties grown commercially throughout the country have, in fact, proved to be somewhat superior to either the Alaska or the Stoner.—Shawnee News-Herald.

EXPRESS PACKETTES.

When ever this dope your tears fall hot—

Because it is such messy rot, The rhymester will be far away— And dance for what you say.

If you don't want your neighbors to talk about you, mow your parking.

Si Simp says he notices that it never gets excessively hot till we have high temperatures.

One way for a man to have a good time is to hike off and let his wife do the work at home.

And the last sign of summer will appear on the scene when sport-shirts show up on the streets.

When you have a few minutes to spare you can now employ them profitably by zwatting the fly.

Just as a matter of accommodation, you might make it easier for the burglars by leaving the door open.

Being a modest man, in the event he goes to the front in Mexico, Colonel Barefoot will be content to remain as near the rear as possible, he says.

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"A Little Out of the Way—But It Pays to Walk"

The traditional "do" being opposed to water, the slueths will have to charge the bathtub burglary up to another class of talent.

Harry Ludlow is going to sue the Oklahomans for libel because his name was left out of the list of local golf players published a few days ago.

Mr. Perkins tells us that the Progressives won't insist upon T. R. as the republican nominee. What's the matter with the Moose? Ain't they in a heroic mood?

"Keep sweet," was the motto of the graduating class of one of the rural schools in Grady county. On the whole, that is probably as good an idea as "hitch your wagon to a star."

A STOLEN SMILE 'ER TWO.

Prepared.

"I'm thinking of getting married, pa. What's it like?"

"You had a job as janitor, didn't you?"

"Yes."

"And you had a position as watchman once, didn't you?"

"Yes."

"And you worked a while as a caretaker, didn't you?"

"Yes."

"Well, it's a combination of all three jobs—and then some."—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

Not Reckless.

Jake Pentecoff came to seek aid from the city fathers.

"I gotta haff a sack of flour," said Jake. "I'm all out, and my family is starvin'."

"All right, Jake," said the official. "If you need flour and have no money, we'll get you a sack. But see here, Jake, there's a circus coming, and if we get you flour are you sure that you will not sell it and take your family to the circus?"

"Oh, no," said Jake; "I already got tat snafed up. Yas, I got money to go to te circus."—Youth's Companion.

UNIQUE DEMONSTRATION OF "SWEET CAPOHAL" TUBES.

"Best by Actual Test."

The Oklahoma representative of the American Tobacco company, Mr. Ray Stanley, with his assistants is in Oklahoma City for this week giving a demonstration of the Sweet Caporal cigarettes, showing by actual burning test, the quality of the paper with which they are wrapped.

Thomas A. Edison, the well known scientist, says that 99 per cent of the cigarette trouble is caused from the paper rather than the tobacco. The Sweet Caporal paper is made with a view to the highest possible combustion, being composed of pure rice paper which burns to a light gray ash and disappears completely, leaving no smut when rubbed.

While a great deal of the merit of the Sweet Caporal is in the paper, the tobacco, as the demonstration will show, is the very best. It is made from a blend of the brightest and mildest pure Turkish and bright Virginia tobaccos from which all stems and coarse particles have been carefully removed.

A picture of the Sweet Caporal cigarette factory in New York will be shown, where 64 machines make 200,000 cigarettes each per day. All the work on the Sweet Caporal cigarette is done by the machinery, from the separation of the tobacco to the gluing of the paper with a pure rice and water solution after the cigarette is rolled.

The demonstration is interesting and instructive and only goes to show that a cigarette can be made absolutely pure.

Tree Grows Like a Fish Net.

A singular tree in Cuba is called the yaguy tree. It begins to grow at the top of another tree. The seed is carried by a bird or wafted by the wind, and, falling into some moist, branching part, takes root and speedily begins to grow. It sends a kind of thin stringlike root down the body of the tree, which is soon followed by others. In course of time these rootings strike the ground, and growth immediately commences upward. New rootings continue to be formed, and get strength until the one tree grows as a net round the other. The outside one surrounds and presses the inner, strangling its life and augmenting its own power. At length the tree within is killed, and the parasite that has taken possession becomes itself the tree.

Sober and Industrious.

"Mandy, is your husband sober and industrious?" "Yes, ma'am, he shure is. When he's sober dere ain't a man in de world will work harder for de price of a drink dan he will."—Detroit Free Press.

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