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Thought He Was Honest.

A young lawyer who had only hung out his shingle some months before came into the office of a friend, who had already made some money, and quite a reputation at the bar. As the older lawyer saw the visitor enter he said enquiringly:

"Well, how are you getting along? You look sort of seedy. You don't want to get that way. No matter how much you get behind in your accounts, always put up a good bluff and dress well. A lawyer who looks seedy shows by his looks that he can't be doing much business, and so a stranger don't have any confidence in him."

"Glad you give me some frank advice," said the young barrister. "That's the reason I came around to see you. And now that you have spoken about my looking seedy, I want to tell you an experience I had this morning. I was buying some bananas here in Park Row and standing alongside of the pushcart peddler, when a well dressed man came up to me, and holding out a dime said: "Here, give me a half-dozen bananas quick."

"Now, what do you think of that?"

"Why," said the prosperous member of the bar, "he thought you were earning an honest living. That's all."

Prof. Elliott, an Ohio scientist, was before the Ways and Means Committee some time ago, speaking upon the subject of the preservation of the fur seals of Alaska.

In the course of his statement Representative Tanney asked the witness what his business was.

"I am a pomologist, a horticulturist, viticulturist, an artist, and a naturalist," replied the professor.

The reply staggered the Minnesota representative for a moment, and then he said, "Oh, I understand, you come from Cleveland; that explains it."—Washington Times.

Couldn't swim a little;
Dabbled in the foam,
Just around the edges,
And safely went back home.

Was an expert swimmer,
Not a bit afraid;
Went beyond the breakers;
And there is where he staid.

"Yes," said the coal operator, "the strike is virtually over. We could go to mining again now if we saw fit."

"Why don't you do it then?" asked the other man.

The operator shrugged his shoulders, looked dreamily at the great piles of \$8 coal visible through the rear window of his office, and said nothing.—Chicago Tribune.

"Kape alive, Mike; we're rescuin' ye!"

Voice from the debris—"Is big Clancy up there wid ye?"

"Sure he is."

"Ast him wud he be so kind as t' step aff the roolins. I've enough on top av me widout him."—The Bits.

"What has he done, policeman?"

"He wouldn't move on when I told him, so I arrested him."

"But the poor fellow has lost his hearing."

"Well, mum, he'll get it before the Magistrate, so you don't need to worry."—The Moon.

Here are some tid-bits of unintentional humor from the advertising columns of the daily press:

Wanted—Experienced nurse for bottled baby.

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Lost—A valuable cane by a gentleman with a gold head, little used.

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"What in earth are you doing in here, Tommy?" asked his mother, peering into the darkness of the henhouse, whence had been coming for five minutes or more a series of dismal squawking, accompanied by a loud flapping of wings.

"I am trying," said Tommy, who seemed to be doing something with a knotted rope, "to fix this rooster so his alarm won't go off before 7 o'clock to-morrow morning."—Chicago Tribune.

Bashful lover—I leave here to-morrow. How long shall you remain Miss Ethel?

Up-to-date girl—Remain Miss Ethel? I leave that to you.—Down and Country.

"What," asked the visitor from the city, "are those strange yellow things that lie on the ground in yonder field?"

"Them?" asked Mr. Meudergass.

"Why, them's pumpkins."

"Pumpkins? How interesting! I never saw one before."

"Well, I do declare! Say, mister, what business are you in, anyhow, that you never got a chance to git out an' see things?"

"I run a pumpkin pie factory."—Baltimore American.

Lady (to cook, who is leaving to get married)—And what is your future husband's name, Maria?

Maria (stolidly)—Urn.

Lady—What an odd name! May I ask you how to spell it?

Maria—Haitch hee hay har hee hee.—London King.

A Giddy Thought.

If, as scientists aver, the people of Mars have lived a million years longer than we have, of course they are much further advanced. One is made quite giddy with the thought of how rough their society women probably spend in entertaining, or how much seats in their stock exchanges sell for.

The house where Longfellow was born, in Portland, Me., is now a tenement inhabited by Irish people. A teacher in Portland gave a talk about the poet and later questioned her class. "Where was Longfellow born?" she asked. A small boy waved his hand vigorously and answered, "In Patsy Magee's bedroom!"

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