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BOTH MUST ADVERTISE

The old notion that any business can be thoroughly successful with out advertising, has been pretty well exploded.

If a business needs advertising to be successful how much more necessary it must be for any town or city to adopt the same process.

Some merchants flatter themselves that every one knows what kind of goods they handle and keep in stock.

There are some towns with superior local advantages, such as being natural points, geographically, for communication with the outside world.

Some merchants flatter themselves that every one knows what kind of goods they handle and keep in stock, therefore there is no need of spending money for advertising.

Self-declined and self-deceived merchant and community, for the world of progress and education is not of your mind!

Continue to sit down surrounded by your goods and by your natural advantages, and Micawber like wait for the buyer and the investor to come, and he will never come!

This is an age which demands publicity, and the merchant or town which sits down and does not advertise or make known its wares and attractions.

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MATERIAL PROSPERITY AND EDUCATIONAL PROGRESS

The fact that the Legislature of North Carolina votes one hundred thousand dollars for educational purposes, indicates not merely that the people of the State are awakened to the necessity of education for its children.

It is people of North Carolina are believers in education, for it should not be forgotten that many sums of money have been given to State schools and institutions of learning by North Carolinians.

And while these blessed in worldly goods have thus contributed, the masses of idle people have felt the desire to give, but laboring under financial distress they have had to remain silent.

This financial distress is a measure lifted and the people have voted a sum

Of money, which though it is small in comparison to what could be expended for educational purposes.

That material prosperity and educational progress should be closely allied may appear strange, yet a careful study will reveal the efficacy, and show how necessary the one is to the other.

And as material prosperity contributes to education, so does it increase itself and become more generous and liberal in advancing educational interests.

Before another Legislature meets in 1901, the people of North Carolina, with the present contribution of \$100,000 for educational purposes, will probably be able to vote next time five or ten times the present sum.

MOSELEY'S LEMON EXLIXIR

A Pleasant Lemon Tonic.

For biliousness, constipation and appetite.

For indigestion, sick and nervous headache.

For sleeplessness, nervousness and heart failure.

For fever, chills, debility and kidney diseases, take Lemon Exllixir.

Ladies, for natural and thorough or- ganic regulation, take Lemon Exllixir.

Dr. Moseley's Lemon Exllixir is prepared from the fresh juices of lemons, combined with other vegetable liver tones, and will not fail you in any of the above named diseases.

Prepared only by Dr. H. Moseley, Atlanta, Ga.

At the Capital

I am in my seventy-third year, and for fifty years I have been a great sufferer from indigestion, constipation and biliousness.

Moseley's Lemon Exllixir

is the very best medicine I ever used for the diseases you recommend it for.

It has ever used many kinds for women's troubles.

Salon, N. C.

MOSELEY'S LEMON HOT DROPS

Cures all Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Sore Throat, Bronchitis, Hemorrhage, and all throat and lung diseases. Elegant reliable.

Prepared only by Dr. H. Moseley, Atlanta, Ga.

Smart Young Man

"The weather," said the oldest inhabitant, "is not what it used to be when I was a boy."

"For that matter," commented the smart young man, "the weather is not what it was seven months ago."

And the oldest inhabitant could not be persuaded to talk more than an hour.

How to Quiet a Child

A little girl frequently fancied she saw bears and tigers whenever she happened to awake in the night.

Premably she dreamed of some danger, may be on account of having eaten too much for supper or having eaten the wrong kind of food.

At any rate, she frequently awoke crying in the night, and in her fear interpreted the dim outlines of a dress or a curtain as a fearful beast that was about to attack her.

The best thing to do is to deal tenderly with such fancies and remove the child as far as possible from the object that has caused her excitement.

Then if you can do so without disturbing the other children, light the lamp and let the light fall full on the thing that has given rise to her fear.

Be slow, and express your opinion first as a kind of preliminary assumption that the bear may after all be mamma's skirt or the curtain moving in the draft, and when this comforting probability is understood follow up your advantage and declare it to be a good joke that a harmless piece of cloth should look like a fearful animal.

Make the child smile at the incongruity of her fancy, and her laugh will cure the horror of the dream and dispel the nightmare as sunshine dissolves the mist.

Luxury, Right or Wrong?

Discussing the right or wrong of luxury in The North American Review, Professor F. Spencer Baldwin, a Boston university authority on economics, comes to these conclusions:

"There are justifiable and there are unjustifiable luxuries.

"In general it may be laid down that a luxury which contributes to the efficiency of the individual in the widest sense and which does not impose on society for the satisfaction of its demands an unnecessary and degrading form of labor is perfectly justifiable.

"This notion of luxury is not to be stretched to cover unlimited self-indulgence. The past played by rational self-sacrifice in the development of character is not to be overlooked. Constant self-indulgence is demoralizing.

"But in general a man has a right to spend money for anything that ennobles and diversifies his life, and this aids in the developing and rounding out of his personality, provided the labor that is required for the production of the articles in question be agreeable and innocuous.

"On the other hand, a luxury that demoralizes the individual or calls for a needless form of labor is unjustifiable.

CASTORIA

It is not for men only.

MALARIAL FEVER

Another Great Sufferer in New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, La.—I was greatly troubled with malarial fever in the summer. I have been affected in this way for several years past. Last spring I took these bottles of Hood's Malaria Pills, and soon after, I was cured.

Hood's Pills

For malarial fever, biliousness, etc.

And Then Came the Feings

Mr. Anderson—There's one thing I want to say to you, John Anderson.

Mr. Anderson—Only one, I'm in luck tonight. Generally you have a dozen.

An Honest Medicine For La Grippe

George W. Wallis of South Gardner, Me., says: "I have had the worst cough, cold, chills and grip and have taken lots of trash of an account but profit to the vendor. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the only thing that has done any good whatever. I have used one 50-cent bottle and the chills, cold and grip have all left me. I congratulate the manufacturer of an honest medicine." For sale by F. S. Duffy.

Doubtful

"Is that a good dog?"

"I need to think so, but I've my scruples now."

"Why?"

"I've had him a month and nobody has tried to steal him."

Before the discovery of One Minute Cough Cure, ministers were greatly distressed by coughing congregations.

No excuse for it now. F. S. Duffy.

Mean Climate

Mrs. Jones—Mother writes from Florida that the climate there doesn't agree with her.

Jones—Poindish climate.

Rheumatism Cured in a Day

Mytic Cure for Rheumatism and Neuralgia radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. 75 cents.

Sold by Henry's Pharmacy.

A Sister

Young lady—"I can only be a sister to you—no more."

He—"Thanks. That is very good of you. Have you spoken to your mother of it yet?"

Young lady—"Of what?"

He—"My adoption!"

For La Grippe

Thomas Whitfield & Co., 240 Wabash av., corner Johnson-st., one of Chicago's oldest and most prominent druggists, recommends Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for a gripe, as it not only gives a prompt and complete relief, but also counteracts any tendency of a gripe to result in pneumonia. For sale by F. S. Duffy.

Hardened Hobbs

Hardened Hobbs—I'm just about discouraged, lady.

The lady—Oh, but you mustn't get discouraged.

Hardened Hobbs (sobbing loudly)—Oh, but I can't help it, lady; I've begged all day long and I only made four dollars.

No Light to U illness

The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly and all run down; she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or kidney trouble, her impure blood will cause pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. Electric Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate the stomach, liver and kidneys and to purify the blood. It gives strong nerves, bright eyes, smooth, velvety skin and a rich complexion. It will make a good looking, charming woman of a run down invalid. Only 50 cents at F. S. Duffy's drug store.

A Sad, Solemn Truth

The good papa was out walking with his little son. They met a man begging.

"Look my son," said the good papa, "and take this lesson to heart—that it is always those that have most need of money that haven't got it."

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in Chicago

Higgen Bros., the popular South Side druggists, corner 56th st. and Wentworth av., say: "We sell a great deal of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and find that it gives the most satisfactory results, especially among children for severe colds and croup." For sale by F. S. Duffy.

Force of Habit

"Have you no mercy?" she shrieked. "No," hissed the villainous drug clerk, "but," he murmured almost indolently, "we have something just as good."

For a quick remedy and one that is perfectly safe for children, let us recommend One Minute Cough Cure. It is excellent for croup, hoarseness, itching in the throat and coughs. F. S. Duffy.

Signs of Spring

Said the fish: "The winter's over.

And the weather now will be fair.

I've been informed to take effort.

By a man who has dropped an oil in."

INDIGESTION, resulting from

indigestion of the stomach, is relieved by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

AN ARAB SLAVE HUNT

DESCRIPTION OF A SAID ON AN AFRICAN VILLAGE.

The narrative, the PHOTOS of the Service and the capture of the woman and children—the ransom—how it was obtained and paid.

Previous the attempt of describing the raiding system as practiced by the Arabs in the forest region between the Amazon and the Congo would be in the form of a brief narrative of events based upon personal observation.

The narrative follows the capture of a woman and children, and the ransom—how it was obtained and paid.

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Perfect Infant Food Gail Borden Eagle Brand Condensed Milk

Great Sacrifice Winter Robes. I will sell all Fine Winter Robes for Actual Cost, until all are sold.

CITIZEN'S BANK OF NEW BERN, N. C. DO A GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS

F. & M. BANK, MAY 1st, 1899. Capital Stock, \$75,000.00

Old Dominion Steamship Co. FREIGHT & PASSENGER. For All Points North.

ICE FOR HOME USE. Clean, pure, wholesome, guaranteed to be chemically made from distilled water.