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They are written by the so-called country editors and notably by so-called country editors of Ohio and Kansas. We hardly think anyone with a real sense of humor who reads large numbers of newspapers and magazines and modern books will dispute this assertion.

Humor is merely the ability to see and react understandingly to the mirth-provoking side of human nature, which is not the least amiable of its sides. A humorous paragraph may be grossly exaggerated in its interpretation of human nature, but human nature must be somewhere down near the bottom of it or it is a failure.

This explains why humor is so much more amusing, so much more satisfying than wit. Wit needs no human nature as its foundation, it may be simply a lightning-like play on mere words, sufficient to cause a smile, a laugh perhaps, but none of the solid comfort derived by the discerning from true humor.—Ohio State Journal.

Compliment to the Mare.

Talk of automobile drivers being arrested for violating the speed limit when they fly up and down the highways at 40, 50, 60, etc., miles an hour, drew one day a bit of reminiscence from Captain Thomas E. Halls of the United States Secret Service.

"I remember one time back in a little Ohio town," said the captain, "when my father was stopped by an officer of the law because he was driving his mare more than 12 miles an hour."

"You was going more than twelve miles an hour," said the officer; "I'll arrest you for speeding."

"No, get up, get up," my father said. "That's a compliment to the mare. She can't go 12 miles an hour."—Detroit Free Press.

Cat's Meat.

The port of London authorities are spending more than \$5,000 a year for cat's meat, that the large army of cats required to deal with the rats and mice infesting the docks may be supported in the style to which they have been accustomed. So presumably the cats are purely "sportsmen," just kill the rats for the fun of the thing, but never eat their prey. And also, presumably, the cats don't make much headway with their jobs, since we are assured the staff has been continually increased—and likewise the appropriations for their support. It looks like a political alibi.—Los Angeles Times.

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NOTICE OF MEETING OF COUNTY BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.

Notice is hereby given that on Monday, September 12, 1921, the Board of Equalization of Multnomah County will attend at the office of the County Assessor, at the Court House in Portland, and publicly examine the assessment rolls for the year 1921, and correct all errors in valuation, description or qualities of lands, lots or other property assessed by the County Assessor. And it shall be the duty of persons interested to appear at the time and place appointed. If it shall appear to such Board of Equalization that there are any lands or lots or other property assessed twice, or incorrectly assessed as to description or quantity, and in the name of a person or persons not the owner thereof, or assessed under or beyond the actual cash value thereof, said Board may make proper correction of the same. If it shall appear to such Board that any land, lots or other property assessable by the assessor are not assessed, such Board shall assess the same at the full cash value thereof.

HIRSH U. WELCH, County Assessor.
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