

MICKIE, THE PRINTER'S DEVIL

By Charles Sughroe

He Saves His Job in This Space



"One and Sole Aim Is to Bring Joy or Solace to the Human Heart."

By JOHN PHILIP SOUSA, American Musician.



I am fortunate, my friends say, not only to have been elected by nature to be one of her mouthpieces, but especially in having found her in an amiable mood to create the responsive ears contemporaneously with me.

Of course, there is a great deal in the satisfaction of knowing that one's work is deserving of a generous reception and that it is likely to obtain this recognition in ages to come.

I would not exchange my love of music for anything else on earth. Come, just ponder this; the doctor does much good, but the end of his task "leads but to the grave;" the lawyer aids many, but only at the expense and to the damage of others; the judge seeks to administer justice, but in doing so at times is compelled to consign some unfortunate to perdition—to the electric chair.

Uncle Walt's Story

BALED MUSIC

"THERE'S going to be a great concert at the opera house tonight," said the retired merchant.



By the time the curtain goes up, you are wishing you had possessed sense enough to stay at home.

"The entertainment usually is opened by a talker. The man who makes a few remarks always looms up at such entertainments, and should be taken to jail for obtaining money under false pretenses.

"Then you will find that the woman with a shrill, carrying voice, who has heard better singers, sits right in front of you, and she keeps on talking in a maddening way.

"Then a man with a hoarse voice and a name that he imported without paying duty on it, stood up and whined like a doggone zebra, and we were expected to believe that he was singing a Neapolitan song.

"The hall was overhated, and I was jammed in the middle of a row of seats so I couldn't get out without climbing over a number of ladies and gentlemen.

"Next day I bought a phonograph and a lot of records of the kind I like, and now I enjoy my music.

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They Resist Decay. The Northwest Indians nearly always made their totem poles out of western red cedar, but this choice of wood is easy to work and extremely durable.

Danger in Incandescent Lamps. Evidence that the high-power incandescent lamps now so commonly used for street lighting may not be wholly innocent as a possible source of fire was observed in Southern California recently.

Goodness Always Influential. No man or woman of the humblest sort can really be strong, gentle, pure and good without the world being better for it, without somebody being helped and comforted by the very existence of that goodness.

Massage in Vogue in Japan. Massage is much in vogue in Japan and a notable feature of any Japanese town toward evening is the blind masseur as he walks along, announcing himself with his peculiar whistle.

Thirst Fatal in a Week. The average man will die for want of water in a week, for want of sleep in ten days.

An Historic Forest. The historical associations connected with the forest of Vallombrosa are very interesting. It was founded in the Twelfth century and given its name which, literally translated, means "Shadowed Valley."

This Rapid Age. Man's business requires haste. The average business and professional man eats in a hurry and gets dyspepsia. He walks in a hurry and gets apoplexy.

Highest New York Mountain. According to the United States geological survey the highest mountain in the state of New York is Mount Marcy, a peak in the Adirondacks, which rises 5,344 feet above sea level.

Effect of Wrong Books. Some wrong food at the right moment, as every mother knows, may send a child into convulsions.

Shock Frequently Does Good. Keep fear out of your system, but don't be troubled at a little fright. Anything in the nature of a shock or a jolt is helpful if it doesn't come late.

Seventeen-Pound Trout? Trout vary greatly within the species, according to the nature of the waters they inhabit, the variations being manifested in their color, size, form and fin development.

Ancient Signs Asked Votes. The use of chalked instead of printed notices for advertisement and political propaganda has ancient precedent, as the "graffiti" of Pompeii attest.

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