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Stock Selling Schemes

And still they come. The stock selling promoters. Armed with glittering and glowing prospects, flashing patterns and promises, they try to convince us that our dollars will grow if we exchange them for beautifully engrossed stock certificates.

The companies they represent usually have no earnings. They are simon pure prospects. Their assets too often consist only of promises of great dividends to come, of patterns of new inventions, of prospects of golden rewards.

A meritorious project usually does not go begging for backers. Capital is only too eager to snap up an opportunity to make money. It is

unnecessary to give stock salesmen from 20 to 50 per cent of the subscriptions to sell the stock. Salesmen of these companies use every bit of persuasion at their command to sell stock because their commission is from one-fourth to one-half of what you pay them for the stock.

If you have money to invest, don't exchange it for a stock certificate of a company that has no backing and is rich in promises. Don't let the salesman cloud your judgment by pointing to the big returns made by other companies that are in the same business. The success of the established companies did not come over night. It is the result of years of hard labor, of careful management, of the solution of infinite details.

The money you pay for stocks in new companies is invested in highly speculative venture. Nine times out of ten you are gambling. You have more chance for getting your money back if you toss a coin to see who is to take the money on the table.

The best way to assure yourself of the soundness of a venture is to accompany the salesman to a reputable banker. He will tell you if the company has a chance of returning dividends, or if it is a stock promotion venture in which you will lose your money.

Middleboro, Ind.

MIDDLEBORO, Ind.—There will be a prayer meeting at the M. E. church Sunday evening at 7:30....Mr. Isaac Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brooks and family, of Jacksonburg, visited with friends here Sunday....Mr. and Mrs. Blue Williams, of Richmond, and Miss Nettie Bennett called on Mrs. Cora Danner, Sunday afternoon....Mr. William Cook, Mr. and Mrs. William Puthoff and daughters, of Richmond, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Mary Ann Pemerton....Mrs. Jennie Townsend and daughter Ethel visited with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Townsend and daughter Sunday....Mr. and Mrs. Charles Albright and family were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Rogers and family, of Greenville, O....Miss Monroe and Miss Bernice Beeson spent the weekend with Miss Florence Gunn....Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Norris called on Mr. Norris' mother Sunday afternoon....Mrs. Floyd Bogan and Mrs. Lucy Jones called on Mrs. Cora Danner, Friday afternoon....Mr. Oscar Hawkins, of Richmond, called on friends here Sunday....Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cook called on Charles Williams Sunday evening....Mr. and Mrs. Russell White and daughter Ardith called on Mr. and Mrs. Charles Townsend and daughter Inez, Sunday evening....Mrs. Cora Danner called on relatives in Richmond, Thursday....Mr. and Mrs. Clester Rockhill, of Richmond, are spending a few days with Mr. Charles Borton and family....Mr. and Mrs. William Jefferis called on Mr. and Mrs. William Brown, Sunday afternoon....Mrs. Charles Gunn and children are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mark Duke and daughter Esther....Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jefferis and son Lowell called on Mr. and Mrs. John Gunn Sunday evening....Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Hardwick visited with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Mills, of Richmond, Sunday....Several from this place attended the M. E. Conference at the Grace M. E. Church Sunday....Mr. and Mrs. Harry Patti and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Thomas and family and Mr. and Mrs. Pleasant Seaney were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Clark and daughter Anna Marie....Mr. Robert E. Boyd has a new machine....Mr. and Mrs. Pleasant Seaney called on Mr. and Mrs. Ross Markey, Sunday evening....Mr. and Mrs. Orville Boyd and daughter Ruth, of Richmond, called on Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Reid, Sunday afternoon....Mr. and Mrs. Ross Huddleston and son, of Weston, called on Mr. Floyd Bogan and wife, Tuesday evening....Mrs. Lucy Jones, Miss Jessie Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bogan spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe McKeon and son, Byron, of Chester....Mr. and Mrs. Fred Oldfield, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Golden, of Richmond, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kirtzman and daughter....The Ladies' Aid will hold an all-day meeting with Mrs. Harry Patti, Thursday....Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bogan spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. C. F. McMillan, of Richmond....Mr. Everett Dougherty and family called on Uncle Ebanks and family Sunday evening....Mr. and Mrs. John Coblenz spent Sunday with C. R. Coblenz of New Paris....Mr. Jonas Ebanks spent Sunday with Uncle Ebanks....Mr. and Mrs. Hughes called on Mr. and Mrs. John Coblenz, Saturday evening....Mr. Henry Puthoff is slowly improving....Mr. and Mrs. Ed Norris called on Mr. Ellis Norris and family Sunday afternoon....Mr. and Mrs. John Puthoff spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Puthoff....Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hartman and daughter spent Sunday with Mr. William Hart.

Today's Talk

By George Matthew Adams

TURNO YOUR DISAPPOINTMENTS INTO OPPORTUNITIES

There is a good deal said about "the breath of luck." I do not believe that there is much to luck at all.

No road is smooth all the way. And there is no such thing as perfect happiness or perfect success. I believe more in co-operation than in competition, though I am firm in the belief that opposition is necessary to anything worth while.

Opposition sometimes brings disappointment—but disappointment brings opportunity.

But unless you are able to muster your forces of belief quickly at such times, your opportunity is apt to turn to a grand ghost and leave you high and lonely—from a good port—and no one or thing in sight.

So do this: Turn your disappointments immediately into opportunities!

Opportunities loom just the minute that you begin to look for them. Intangible in themselves, they become very tangible when will and initiative begin to talk things over. The whole world begins to expand for such a one.

You are never alone in disappointment. You are at once the kin of all.

Keep looking ahead. Try to locate the furthest stars. Bear up—buck up. For everybody's sake, don't whine. Break into a dead run.

Why, ho! Look who's here—a whole battalion of opportunities!

Dinner Stories

The children were telling a visitor what they studied at school.

"I," said the eldest, "get reading, spelling and definitions."

"And what do you get, my little man?" said the visitor, addressing the littlest one, who had listened in a bored way while the others recited their lists.

"Oh, I gets readin' spellin' and spankin'."

"I have more respect for a bull than I used to have."

"How so?"

"Look how he takes after a red bag."

"There's an atmosphere of wealth about this home."

"Do you judge from the size of the house, the ample garage in the rear, the maid sweeping down the front steps and a gardener busy on the lawn?"

"No; I judge by the size of the dog on the veranda. Anybody who can afford to feed a Great Dane these days must have plenty of money."

Good Evening

By Roy K. Moulton

It is told of a certain Long Island suburbanite that he arrived home on the 6:11 the other evening with a package under his arm, the outlines of which created great interest among his fellow passengers. To be brief, the package looked as though it contained two quarts lashed together tightly and inclosed in paper. After dinner that evening a delegation called on this gentleman to spend the evening. It was a sort of surprise party. The party had no sooner arrived than the host invited them down cellar, saying that he had something to show them. "I brought them out on the train tonight," he added.

And he took them down cellar and showed them the cutest pair of Indian clubs. "I have got to exercise every day with them," he said.

"Oh!" exclaimed several of the guests, and that is the way the party ended.

About one thousand persons met Carpenter at the dock to welcome him who went to meet Maeterlinck, which means something or other in the advance of civilization, but we can't think just what it is.

PERHAPS SOME OF THEM ARE PLANNING TO

"All women who are planning to wear clothes this spring will be interested in the announcement from Paris that Paris fashions show 'severe lines'—"New York Evening Mail.

A very unusual taxicab accident occurred in Brooklyn the other night. For the first time in the history of such accidents, the papers did not inform us that "An unknown woman made her escape from the wreck before the police could question her."

"COLIN, YOU BEGIN TO TELL ME," I could not tell you all the benefits I had from the use of Foley's Honey and Tar," writes Miss Rose Florko, 209 Hawkins Ave., N. Braddock, Pa. "I had a cold in my chest and fearing it would cause pneumonia tried Foley's Honey and Tar and it was not long till I felt relieved. I hope others suffering from severe colds will try it. I am sending you a copy of my letter about this time-tried, reliable family medicine for coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough. For sale by A. G. Lukens & Co., 630 Main St.—Advertisement."

Answers to Questions

Subscribers—How long after applying for a divorce before it is granted? It can not be heard until 60 days after it has been filed with the county clerk. Then it is entitled to be heard.

T. P.—Did President Wilson receive any academic degrees when he was abroad?—On Dec. 21, 1918, the University of Paris conferred on him the degree of doctor.

Farmer—What is the legal rate of interest in Arkansas?—From 6 to 10 per cent.

B. H.—What is the motto of Indiana?—The state has no motto.

J. F.—Where was the center of population of the United States according to the 1910 census?—In the city of Bloomington, Ind.

P. R.—Where does the line, "In her ear he whispers gaily, 'occur?—In Tennyson's "The Lord of Burleigh."

Speculator—What was the purpose of the pyramids?—They were used as tombs for the rulers of Egypt. Some authorities say they were also used for astronomical observations and for religious purposes. Cheops is said to have erected the first one. It was intended by him, and was used as his tomb. Herodotus says 100,000 men were employed for 20 years in building this pyramid.

Readers may obtain answers to questions by writing the Palladium Question and Answer Department. Questions should be written plainly and briefly. Answers will be given briefly.

Memories of Old Days

In This Paper Ten Years Ago Today

RICHMOND and Cambridge City were greatly excited over the murder of Mrs. Frank Allison at Cambridge City by Charles Reaville. Following the murder, Reaville set the house on fire in an endeavor to hide his crime.

Final plans were laid to obtain the Atlas Underwear company to locate here. Tenth and North D streets was selected as a site.

Construction of the Natco plant was practically completed.

The Lahr-Cates wedding was celebrated in the First Presbyterian church.

SIGHT OF FOOD MADE IND. FARMER SICK AT STOMACH

Marion, Indiana, Farmer Declares He Had no Appetite; Suffered Daily From Constipation, Kidneys Were Weak and Back Ached.

WANTS HIS FRIENDS TO KNOW WHAT THE NEW MEDICINE, DRECO, DID FOR HIM.

"I just feel so much better that I want my friends and neighbors to know what it was that brought me out," are the words of Mr. Harrison Lloyd of Route 5, Marion, Ind., who is a well known farmer.

"He finally decided, after years of ceaseless study, that no one can be free from rheumatism until the accumulated impurities, commonly called uric acid deposits, were dissolved in the joints and muscles and expelled from the body."

With this idea in mind he consulted physicians, made experiments and finally compounded a prescription that quickly and completely banished every sign and symptom of rheumatism from his system.

He freely gave his discovery to others who took it, with what might be called marvelous success. After years of urging he decided to let others everywhere know about his discovery through the newspapers. Your druggist has been appointed agent for Allenhurst in this vicinity with the understanding that he will freely return the purchase money to all who state they received no benefit.—Advertisement.

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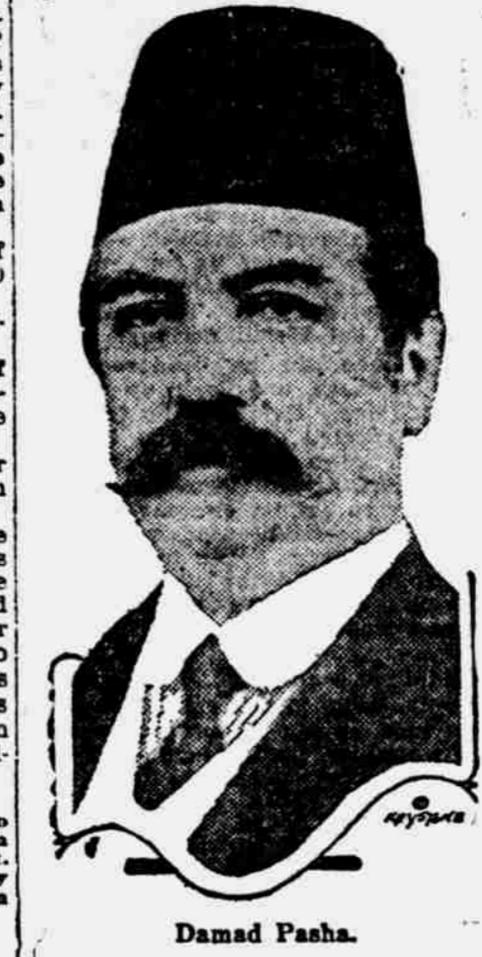
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It's a rather difficult matter, keeping up with the changes in the Turkish ministry these days, but at last reports Damad Pasha was the grand vizier and minister of foreign affairs in that august body.

Concrete Poles for Wires

Reinforced concrete poles are used for a 22,000 volt power line six miles long at Brentwood, California, supplying the load of about 2,800 horsepower.

The poles are tapered, reinforced magnetically on the sides and are 41 feet long, 17 inches square at the base, and eight inches square at the top. The spans vary from 250 to 350 feet.

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British Foster Parents Find Jobs for Soldiers

LONDON.—While the war was on the "godmother" may have had a just claim for popularity among the soldiers, but now that the men are civilians again, and what is more, searching the elusive job, a new sort of foster parent has been established in England. And that is the "godfather."

It is an official affair. The labor department has approved a scheme by which professional and business men in London will be enrolled as godfathers to ex-service men. The godfathers are to give their protégés expert advice for commercial and professional work and help them get work. Red tape is reduced to a minimum, the human side of the unemployment problem being emphasized.

The godfather takes a personal interest in the discharged veteran, "adopts" him.

So far, over 6,000 applicants have been assigned godfathers, and one in five has been actually placed at work as a direct result of the personal interest taken by the godfathers.

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