A WISE SPIDER

A subscriber to this paper wrote to the editor stating that he had found a spider in his paper and wanted to know if it meant good or bad luck.

The Editor replied:

"Old subscriber: Finding a spider in your paper was neither good or bad luck for you. The spider was merely looking over our paper to see which merchant is not advertising, so that he can go to that store, spin his web across the door, and live a life of undisturbed peace afterwards."

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