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inews - submit news articles

SYNOPSIS

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inews [ -u [ filename ] ] -t title [ -n [ newsgroups ] ] [ -e [ expiration date ] ] [ -q ] [ -f sender ]
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inews -p [ filename ]
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DESCRIPTION

Inews facilitates the submittal of news articles to the USENET news network. The first form is for submitting user articles. If the **-u** flag is given along with a filename, the body will be read from the specified file; otherwise, the body will be read from the standard input. A title must be specified as there is no default. Each article belongs to a list of newsgroups. If the **-n** flag is omitted, the list will default to something like "general". If you wish to submit an article in multiple newsgroups, the newsgroups must be separated by commas and/or spaces. If not specified, the expiration date will be set to the local default. The **-q** flag suppresses the question asked when the user creates a new newsgroup. The **-f** flag specifies the article's sender. Without this flag, the sender defaults to the user's name.

The second form is of interest only to netnews installers. It is used internally by netnews when receiving news from another machine on USENET. If filename is given, the article will be read from the specified file; otherwise the article will be read from the standard input. The article may be in either 'A'-prototype format or mail-like format. An expiration date need not be present and a receival date, if present, will be ignored.

After local installation, inews will transmit the article to all systems interested in the article. This is determined by checking the subscription lists of the machines (in /usr/lib/news/sys) against the newsgroups of the article submitted.

FILES

/usr/spool/news/.sys.nnn	temporary articles
/usr/spool/news/newsgroups/article_nq.	Articles
/usr/lib/news/ngfile	List of legal newsgroups
/usr/lib/news/seq	Sequence number of last article
/usr/lib/news/history	List of all articles ever seen
/usr/lib/news/sys	System subscription list

SEE ALSO

mail(1), readnews(1), uuvc(1), getdate(3), msgs(1), recnews(1), sendnews(1), uuvec(1)

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 2. 1968 Chevrolet (License Plate: 789012)
 3. 1968 Oldsmobile (License Plate: 345678)
 4. 1968 Buick Wildcat (License Plate: 901234)
 5. 1968 Pontiac (License Plate: 567890)

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