

DO IT NOW

If you have hard work to do, do it now. To-day the skies are clear and blue. To-morrow clouds may come in view. Yesterday is not for you. Do it now.



THE OLD MAN OF THE BIG CLOCK

THE SECRET OF THE MACHINES

"Oh, one must not count, unless one little bit won't hurt," said Dolly. "My dear," began Uncle Ned. Dolly lifted her lovely face and smiled. "Oh, everybody does a little wrong once in a while, my dear. They wouldn't be human if they didn't slip, now and then, would they?"

MEMORIES OF THE OLD HOME

Home, the sacred place we never can forget. That spot on earth so dear to all. Where loving hands the cradle rocked. And where the first of our tears were shed.

THE INDOORS BEASON

The time of the year is at hand when the temperature and the state of the atmosphere expose us more particularly to the diseases of the breathing organs: Bronchitis, broncho-pneumonia, colds, pneumonia, pleurisy, and all others of the respiratory tract.

VANISHED VILLAGE INDUSTRY

Mary and I were sitting quietly together on Christmas evening, after the children and grandchildren had left for home after spending a happy day in the old home, and doing everything to make us old folks happy.

MURIC-GIVING CANES

In the south of France there are a number of cane beds which have been set out for the purpose of producing a cane which will be used for making cane beds for the manufacture of people all over the world.

POWER OF INFLUENCE

It is clear that drunkenness declines as facilities are lessened," says an eminent physician. "Drunkenness increases as facilities for obtaining alcoholic beverages are increased. Hence, restrictions and drunkenness increase."

THE BEXTON'S "CHRONOMETER"

One day, says a contributor to the Cornwall Magazine, I overtook a "moon-poot" who was striding along the Yorkshires moorland road and asked after the health of his wife and daughter.

HER HIGH COMPLIMENT

Mrs. Tomlin had told the Sunday School superintendent that she meant to give to her class of boys a copy of the book, "The Life of George Washington."

NO PLACE FOR HER

She was a Sunday School teacher, and, of course, she was everything good, and it was her heart's desire to see a lot of boys taking of their shoes and other articles of attire on the bus.

HARMLESS

An Englishman was paying his first visit to Scotland. He arrived at a small town and began to question a porter. "I suppose you have a good view here?"

THE LAST STRAW

Mr. Bushman was exasperated with the telephone. Ten times that day he had tried to get a number and each time something or other had prevented him from speaking. At last he got through.

A GOOD DAY'S WORK

You, said the old timer, that's a bee tree all right. You see him 'round the hole in that limb? Well, come back tomorrow and get some honey."

ALUMINUM

Fifty years ago the shining metal which we call aluminum was so rare that it cost nearly £30 a pound, and was used almost solely in the making of jewelry.

SELECT YOUR COLOR

A little girl timidly asked the drug clerk for a package of pink dye. The clerk, who was a very young man, responded the clerk. "Wouldn't you cotton pink?"

THE FAMILIAR OFFER

Many of our readers who have known this little fellow for many years, will be glad to hear of the success of the Family Herald.

THE FUR TRADE IN CANADA

Furs, dressed and undressed, to the value of \$14,426,350, were exported from Canada in 1923, according to the statistics published by the Canadian fur and seal commission.

MEY RESPONSIBILITY HALF-WAY

Enterprising develops qualities in people that their best friends never knew were there. Indeed it is hardly a matter of debate that most of us are woefully ignorant as to our own capabilities.

MEY RESPONSIBILITY HALF-WAY

What we have done does not decide what we can do. Our achievement is far behind our potentialities. Many young people should act on the principle that they can do very much more than they have done and instead of dodging responsibilities, meet them halfway.

BAD ENOUGH AS IT IS

Rhatus Jackson, a thoroughly married dandy, was one day approached by a life insurance agent who wanted to sell him a policy.

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CANADA IS THE LAND OF WINTER SPORTS



Canada is the winter playground of North America. Blessed with an equable climate and all the natural facilities for the enjoyment of winter sports, Canada is able to offer to her citizens and visitors a variety of winter sports and to be found nowhere else in the world.

Diogenes passed wearily on. Like all the other men he looked on the quiet, content face of the man before him. "So you're the honest man. Well, I'll thank you to get on your feet and well to do."

BEST PAYING METHODS

Did you ever pause in a post office, long enough to take a squint at the floor shortly after a number of people have received their mail? If you have you were probably struck by the number of circular and form letters and hand bills that littered the floor.

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