

For The Quiet Hour

THE CALL TO SERVICE

"Listen!" The Master beseecheth,
 Calling each one by His name;
 His voice to each loving heart reacheth,
 Its cheerfulness service to claim.
 "Go where the vineyard demandeth
 Vine-dressers nurture and care;
 Or go where the white harvest standeth
 The joy of the reapers to share.

"Work for the good that is highest;
 Dream not of glories afar;
 That glory is ever the highest
 Which shines upon men as they are.
 Work, tho' the world would defeat you;
 Heed not its slanders and scorn;
 Nor weary till angels shall greet you
 With smiles through the gates of the morn."
 —Evangelical Teacher.

BISHOP R. E. JONES IS REPORTED AS TELLING HIS Negro preachers that he is keeping a card index covering the activities of each minister. He says that he wants photographs in the Negro churches, one taken in front and one in the rear. He is going to appoint a general cleaning day, when every broken window pane is to be replaced, every smoking wick removed, and every carpet beaten well.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL TIMES SPEAKS PLAINLY OF conditions in the United States. It says: "America is sick with immorality and crime, but there is a remedy. The New York Herald-Tribune and The Philadelphia Record were recently commenting upon the startling statement of Judge Alfred J. Talley in welcoming a new member to the Bench of the General Sessions Court in New York: 'You have come on the Bench of the greatest criminal court in the world at a time when this country is suffering under an indictment which proclaims it to be the most lawless on earth. You will find that the United States must plead guilty to that indictment.' About this time a session of Superior Court was being held at Statesville, N. C., at which a brother aged 65 and a sister aged 70 were litigating over five acres of land not worth much more than \$100. Judge Stack called the aged litigants before him, urged compromise between 'kinspeople so near the grave,' and added, 'What you need is a genuine, old-time revival of religion in your neighborhood. Go and get somebody to hold a revival in your community.' The North Carolina Judge's remedy is just as good a remedy for the New York Judge's diagnosis of national illness as for the land lawsuit for which he proposed it. Are you praying with the Great Commission Prayer League for this sort of revival all over our land?"

THE CHARACTER OF MANY OF THE MOVING PICTURES displayed in India is, in the opinion of *The Indian Witness*, a serious obstacle to the spread of the Gospel. It says: "The missionary community should give this matter serious attention. It is well known that the pictures are nearly all produced in the very lands from which most of the missionaries in India have come. How seriously this fact interferes with the objects of missionary work has perhaps been realized by few. The progress of the Christian faith in India is not bound up with the prestige of the so-called Christian lands, but there can be no doubt that the opinion of the Christian religion held by many is determined largely by the judgments of the effects of Christianity in those lands where it has held sway longest. When the Indian in Calcutta, Bombay, Delhi or any other city sees vile or suggestive pictures and knows that they have been produced in America or in Great Britain, is it natural for him to suppose that he is beholding that which is typical of the social life of those lands."

THE MAGICIAN AT AN ENTERTAINMENT AFTER AN exhibition that kept his audience well mystified, announced that he would conclude his performance with the magic box. He showed the audience a box which appeared to be empty. Then he put the cover on it, made a few passes and took off the cover. Next he began taking out of the box all sorts of things such as cans of tomatoes, ribbons, flowers, and so on. After the show, two boys were talking it over.

"Great stuff, wasn't it?" said one. "It's quite a magician who can pull all that stuff from an empty box." The other sniffed.

"Huh! Empty box nothing. That box wasn't empty. He made you think it was, that's all. No magician can produce anything out of an empty box."

The boy recognized readily enough that not even a magician can do the impossible; no man can produce anything from an empty box.

Nothing can be produced from an empty life, either. "Some fellows have all the luck," grumbled a chap the other day who had lost out in favor of a rival. Yet a little investigation would have shown him that what he called luck was merely the logical result of working toward that end. The successful boy had been working secretly toward that goal for months.

Only God can produce things out of emptiness; but He has left no life entirely empty. He has put into each life the materials with which to make something if we are willing to do the making.—*Young People*.

A GOOD STORY IS TOLD CONCERNING GENERAL PETAINE, whose slow advancement in the great war was attributed by some to anti-clerical prejudice in the French war office. When colonel, he was asked to send in a return of the names of his officers who attended mass regularly. Suspecting that this meant possible discrimination against them, he answered:

"The Colonel of this regiment sits in front of his officers at mass, and therefore, does not know the names of those who attend. PETAINE."

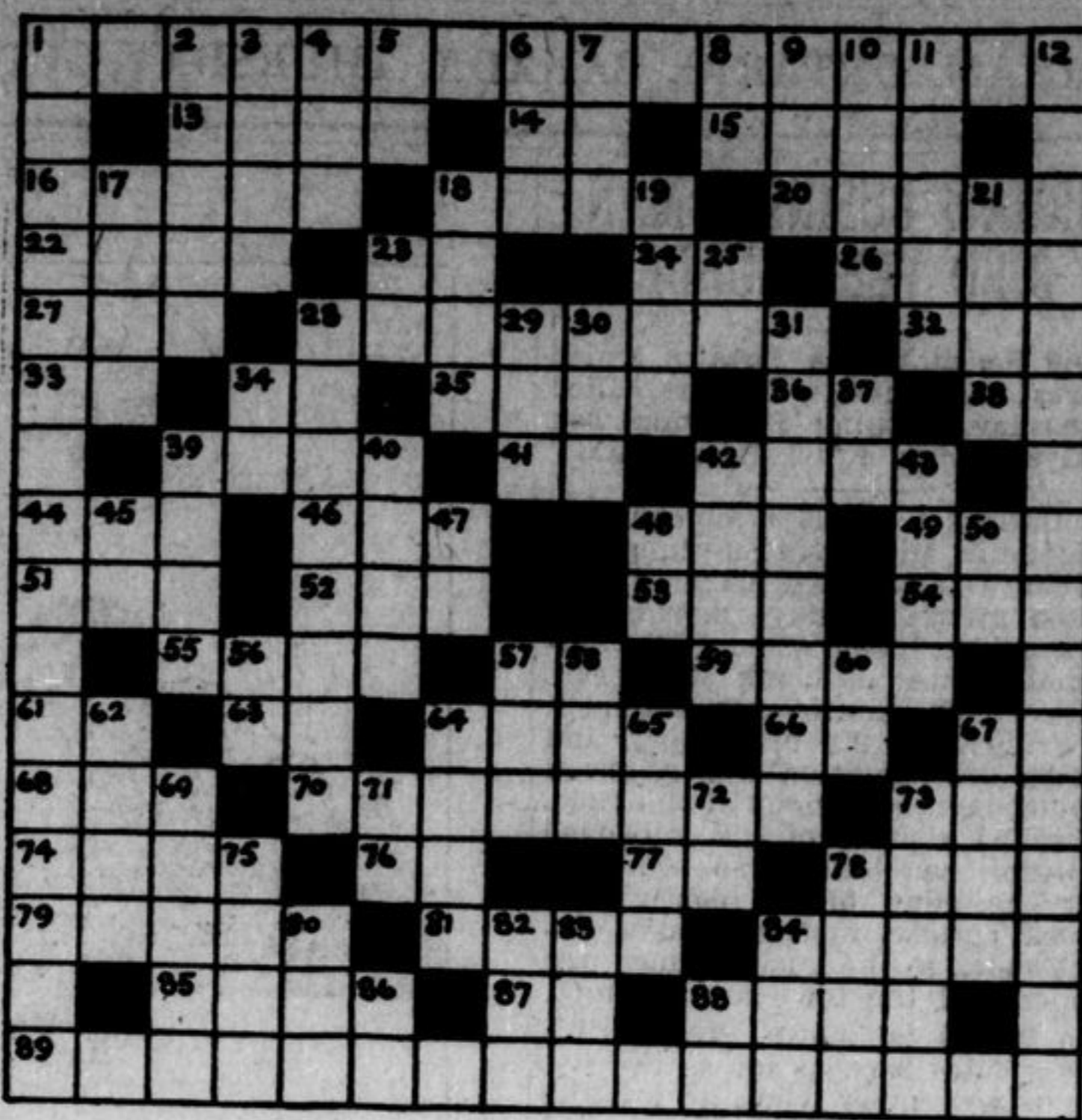
SOMEONE ASKS: "WHY DID JESUS SEEK THE OLIVE grove in private grounds to fight his last great fight for victory over self? Why did not Jesus stay in that supper room, redolent of the affection of the one who leaned on his breast and the tender concern of the others, and their loyal protestations?"

Hasn't Edgar Guest given us the clue in his poem, "Get Out of Doors?"

Get out-of-doors! 'Tis there you'll find
 The better things of heart and mind.
 Get out beneath some stretch of sky,
 And watch the white clouds drifting by;
 And all the petty thoughts will fade
 Before the wonders God has made!

Get out-of-doors! The fields are clean,
 The woods will teach you nothing mean,
 And with the majesty of trees,
 And constant industry of bees,
 And all that shapes the Master's plan,
 They'll teach you how to be a man!

Cross Word Puzzle No. 30



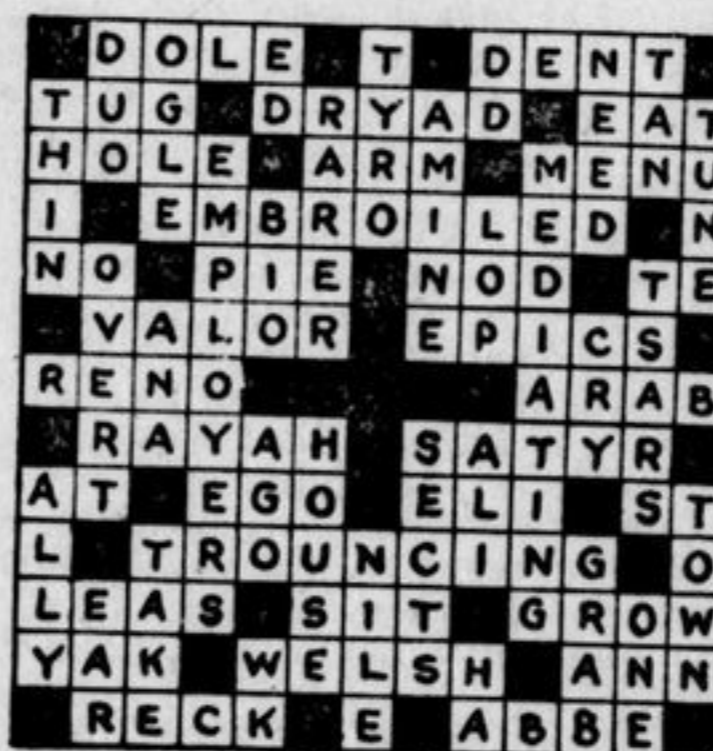
HORIZONTAL

- Sleight of hand
- Intoxicating liquors
- Company (Abbr.)
- A metal
- Corroded
- Owe money
- Misanthropic
- Employed
- Hobo
- Each (Abbr.)
- Burned
- Daughters of the American Revolution (Abbr.)
- Tooth doctors
- Things; circumstances (Latin)
- Suffix used to form plural
- Either
- About
- Steamship (Abbr.)
- Part of the face
- I am (contraction)
- Society
- Same as id (suffix)
- Burst open
- Incline head
- Outside
- Deity
- Cooking vessel
- Raw metal
- Mineral spring
- Ireland
- Sixth note of scale
- Gaelic
- Athletic Association (Abbr.)
- Half an em
- A dull person
- Combining form meaning early (Greek)
- Prefix meaning two
- People's Party Assembly (Abbr.)
- Glared
- Period of time
- Principal personage of a story
- Upon
- Exclamation of surprise
- Coat of seed of grain separated from flour
- Compound of oxygen with an element
- Wanes
- Prefix meaning part
- Kingdom in Asia
- Ag'd (Abbr.)
- River in Italy
- Photograph of the sun

VERTICAL

- Inscribed with a false name
- One who consumes
- Sledge
- A number
- Exists
- Frozen water
- Sailor
- Seventh note of scale
- Part of a circle
- Playthings
- Interior
- The doctrine that the will is not free
- Belonging to Asa
- Accomplished
- Examine
- Angers
- Exist
- Near or by
- Falling in drops
- Prefix meaning three
- Belief
- Mended
- Exclamation
- Fourth note of scale
- Surrender
- Midday
- Central part of an apple
- Facial feature
- Accomplish
- Point (Abbr.)
- Negative reply
- Above
- Concerning
- Not high
- Form of to be
- As
- Tip or point
- Part of a skeleton
- God of love
- A child
- To ascend
- Behold
- Interrogation
- Mistake
- Pertaining to od
- Resounding blow
- Consume
- Expression of disgust
- Insect which makes honey
- For; in favor of
- Messieur (Abbr.)
- A sloth

Answer to Last Week's Puzzle No. 29



Daniel Didn't Dare!
 Daniel summoned up courage enough to escort a pretty girl home from church. At the breakfast table the next morning, his father asked: "Well, Danny, did you take any of the girls home last night?" "Yes," stammered Daniel. "Who was she?" Daniel hesitated and then blurted out: "I thought it was Rosie Haven but when we got to the corner, she went into Mary Bate's house." "But couldn't you have found out by her voice?" "Neither of us said a word," Daniel stammered.

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MR. FRANK JOHNSTON GETS HIS SHARE OF TROUBLE

Is Ordered to Pay Fine for Speeding in Toronto While Sick in Bed in Walkerton.

That troubles sometimes come in battalions instead of in single file is evidenced in the case of Mr. Frank Johnston, fireman on the C. P. R. passenger train here, who collapsed with heart trouble at Owen Sound and has been ordered to the house for a month to recuperate. His wife, who was attending him, has been taken down with pleurisy, and her condition is serious. As this was not enough, trouble has arisen in another direction.

A Chevrolet car that he traded in to a Toronto dealer on a large McLaughlin touring, got into the hands of a speeder last week, and as Mr. Johnston's number was on the bus, he was summoned to attend court in Toronto. Unable to appear, the matter was placed in the hands of a lawyer, and the necessary steps taken to defend the case. Although the circumstances were explained to the court, the Walkertonian was technically found guilty of the speeding charge, notwithstanding that he was lying bedridden at the time somebody was scorching with the bus he had sold. Mr. Johnston was mulcted \$18 for the offence. Presuming that the dealer in Toronto would promptly settle, the Walkertonian made no move towards coming across, with the result that he was brought up with a jerk by a message threatening his arrest unless the fine and costs reached the court at once. As a tonic for heart trouble, this sure was the limit.—*Bruce Herald and Times*.

STATES COMPLAIN CANADA IS GETTING EXTRA SHARE COAL

Buffalo and Other Nearby Cities Say They Can't Get Coal at Any Price.

Buffalo and one or two other cities in the northern section of New York State, which are reported as suffering because of the scarcity of hard coal, have complained to the federal authorities at Washington of the alleged large shipments of anthracite passing through to Canada. Other complaints are heard of large shipments to the Great Lakes region. Buffalo and other nearby cities state they cannot secure coal "at any cost." Just what action might be taken by the government on the complaint is unannounced.

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Do you know that in a recent canvass among women users of the Vegetable Compound over 220,000 replies were received. To the question, "Have you received benefit by taking this medicine?" 98 per cent. replied "Yes." This means that 98 out of every 100 women are in better health because they have given this medicine a fair trial.

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How much must lead us to believe that a recent article in one all unnecessary exercised to has observed early death, as the res

Perhaps both of these are extreme. It is generally held that a moderate amount of exercise is healthful. It improves circulation, and favors the of the tissues and the elimination of waste from the body. An of exercise that aims to build powerful muscular systems doubtful health value. Some believe that it may be harmful anyway, powerful muscles necessarily mean good health possession of any unusual resist disease. A big build no immunity against small-pox fever or pneumonia.

No Set Rules There are no hard and fast as to how much one should case in order to enjoy good health and live to a ripe age with practically no systematic case.

What kind and how much case one takes should be according to the age, occupation, the condition of such vital as the heart, arteries and And, of course, one's tastes important part in the matter. Many of the sports that

(Copyright, 1924, by T HEALTH QU Gray Hair Mrs. L. N. asks: "Can I be done to keep the hair from turning gray? I am only 28 years and already have quite a number of gray hairs. Is the tendency hereditary?" Reply There seems to be nothing will prevent the hair from turning gray. It is a natural process usually occurs with advanced age. Some people get their gray comparatively early. This is usually a hereditary tendency.

Has Tried Reducing Mrs. E. R. W. writes: "Heavy for my age and a few weeks ago, I started to lose weight. I stopped using sugar and everything sweet like candy, ice-cream and cut down the of bread, potatoes and other foods. I also did some exercise. I lost a little weight but not as I wanted to. But I don't good as I did when I had a fat and ate everything that I to. Do you think that I

PAVING AROUND ARTHUR HAS BEEN COM

Most of the Machinery Used in Construction Has Been Shipped and Roadway is Ready for The Godson Construction of Toronto has practically completed its paving contract in a couple of the company's three or four local helpers at work putting on some finishing touches. The last of the machinery was shipped Arthur Tuesday, and the is ready for traffic. Paving been laid from the new Stephenson's Corner on street and from there to street corner on Smith st

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