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Reflection is the job of mirrors and old age

To some women alimony means all the money a man's got

The crowd is always with the winner unless there is a game loser

A popular indoor pastime is to work at making the pay envelope stretch

When a man is wedded to his art he has to promise to love, honor and obey

The ingenuity of many persons is chiefly exercised in getting them out of trouble

Trouble with a lot of chaps in this country is that they are born free and equal to anything

Employers who pay as little as they can should not expect workers to do more than is required

It is presumed that every married man and woman agreed at some time to tell each other's faults

There is plenty of make-believe, so the person who seems to be having a good time may not be happy

The injunction, "Dress as the day of small things," probably does not include persons small in character

If ever Germany gets into shape to pay, the hateful thing doubtless will place all the property in the wife's name

Plasterers' wages in Chicago are \$104 a week. By the way, how long does it take to learn to be a plasterer?

Some men spend a lot of time in discussing their religion, but they do not seem to be willing to live much of it

Regardless of how many times her judgment goes wrong, a woman will refuse to admit she can not pick a husband

Another good way to destroy insect pests, is to provide a nice, comfortable jail cell for the man who likes to kill birds

The great task of the parties at present is to make hooch an issue without compromising themselves by confessing that it is

European diplomats must be filled with disgust when they see the United States expending fortunes to finance mere prize fights

Many a man seems to be satisfied if he has enough money left at the end of the week to buy a Sunday dinner and gas for the car

After a girl has gone through the bobbing process she can devote the time she formerly spent in doing her hair to doing her face

Senator-elect Johnson of Minnesota is said to have a powerful voice, but the United States senate, like our parliament, seems to have enough of noise

BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TO-DAY: THE GOODNESS OF GOD:—These openest mine hand, and satisfieth the desire of every living thing.—Psalm 145: 8.

FIRE PROTECTION.

Fire fatalities in hotels and public buildings always bring home to people the danger incurred through lack of fire-escapes. Recommendations follow inquests and usually that is the end of it until another horror occurs and people again realize the dangers when fire spreads through a building where many are asleep.

WAGE WORKER PROSPERS.

According to the report on wage conditions issued by the National Industrial Conference Board, the American worker is at present more prosperous than he has been for years. His earnings have risen so much more rapidly than his living expenses in 1923 that his real gains are higher than at any time in recent years.

Canadian Questions and Answers

Q.—To what extent is Canada represented in the United States through government agencies? A.—Canada, through the Department of Immigration and Colonization, has permanent government agents stationed in eighteen United States cities: Boston, Chicago, Columbus, Des Moines, Detroit, Fargo, Great Falls, Harrisburg, Indianapolis, Kansas City, Manchester, Milwaukee, Omaha, San Francisco, Spokane, St. Paul, Syracuse and Watertown, N.Y.

prive him of recreation or of cultural pursuits, if he is so minded; and he has a strong union at his back to see that in all respects the conditions under which he labors are satisfactory.

Should wages in the various handicrafts continue at their present high levels, the wonder will be if young men do not in great numbers abandon the white collar jobs and don overalls, and if parents will not increasingly send their sons to trades instead of clerkships and professions.

PRESS COMMENT

Test of a Nation. The quiet feeling has been that Presidents may come and go, but that the foundations of the country will stand fast so long as the forces of democracy continue to produce men adequate for great public emergencies and to beget in its multitudinous citizens the conviction of strength in a Government continually renewed in the hands of children of humble homes and founded upon the consent of the governed.

The Dignity of Teaching.

While professors are human and are as liable to all the imperfections of humanity as any other group of individuals, still the elevated nature of their calling tends to hedge them around with a certain aura of respect, and, therefore, to give them as a class, a high standing in public esteem.

Work for the Idle.

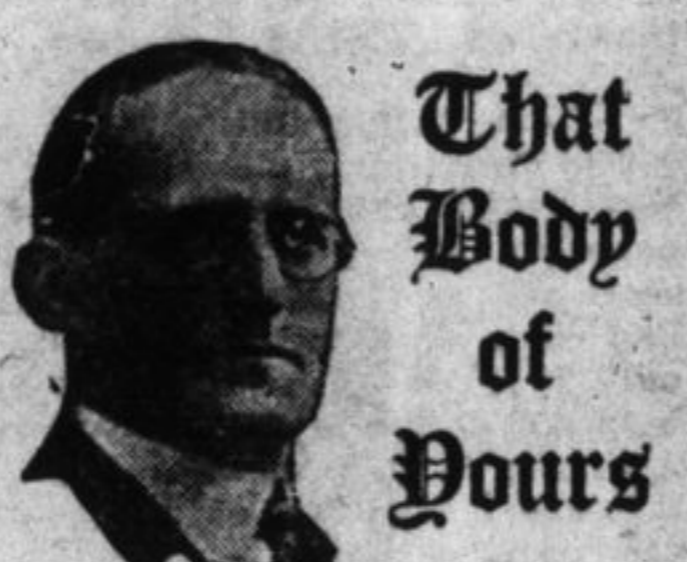
Until the balance between the number of the population and the capacity for employment in industry be redressed, surely it is possible, as it is suggested by a group of members of Parliament, to arrange schemes of work beneficial to the community, by means of a combination of private enterprises and State guarantee?

Canadian Questions and Answers

Q.—What is Canada's trade and production record in 1922? A.—Canada's trade and production record in 1922 was a notable one, viz: total trade, \$1,650,022,223, exports, \$854,318,008; imports, \$795,704,215; grain crop, 837,383,100 bushels, of which 220,786,400 were wheat; grain crop value \$962,618,200.

the word "obey" did not appear in our services before the Reformation. The words used then were that the woman vowed to be dutiful. (Laughter). He did not know what was the meaning of that old English word at the time it was used; but the word was dropped when the Reformation came.

Lord Parmor, the Chairman of the House of Lords also supported the proposed change. The resolution, however, was lost by thirty votes.



By James W. Barton, M.D.

How Are You This Morning? This solution is addressed to you so often that perhaps it means nothing to you now.

And yet did you ever think that your actual feelings, your temper, your disposition may vary with the day? It was Lord Chesterfield who said: "A light supper, a good night's sleep, and a fine morning often make a hero of the same man who by indigestion, a restless night, and a rainy morning, would have proved a coward."

Don't misunderstand me. Many a man is a hero irrespective of food, sleep, or weather. Our boys proved that in France. But the point I wish to make is that you must expect to be grouchy, not your real self, with lowered capacity for work, and your courage at low ebb if you neglect the ordinary common sense rules of health.

And in these days of close competition of speed, and nerve tension, you've got to be at your best. As the head of a university once said "The constipated man is not responsible for his actions mentally, morally or physically."

Strong language, isn't it? And so with hard work mental or physical on the morrow try to remember Lord Chesterfield's saying. We all need every ounce of courage and stamina these days. Let us then not do the foolish physical things that keep us from being our best.

Seven Sentence Sermons

All the doors that lead inward to the secret place of the Most High are doors outward—out of self, out of smallness, out of wrong.—George MacDonald.

After more than sixty years of public life, I hold more strongly than ever to the conviction, deepened and strengthened by experience, of the reality, the nearness, the personality of God.—William E. Gladstone.

Thou must be true thyself if thou the truth wouldn't teach; Thy soul must overflow; if thou Another's soul wouldn't reach. It needs the overflow of heart To give the lips full speech.—Horatius Bonar.

There is only one work on the evidence of Christianity that wholly satisfies any one—a work which defines the most ingenious criticism, and the most skillful logic; it is from five to six feet of humanity living a Christlike life.—Marx Guy Pearce.

If we confess our sins, he is faithful and righteous to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.—I. John 1:9.

All that Fame chaneth and saith is vaunting and vanishing breath; Love, and duty, and death, These are the things that remain.—Alfred Austin.

The measure of a man's power to help his brother is the measure of the love in the heart of him, and of the faith he has that at last the good will win.—Ralph Connor.

FARMERS' BOYS.

Forbes Magazine. "There is often a question in the minds of the public," says James A. Campbell, who was raised on an Ohio farm and is president of the Youngtown Sheet and Tube Co. (in Forbes Magazine), "as to why so many boys from the farm make good in business."

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benevolent physician, "dissolve" as much boracic acid as you can put on a dime in half a glass of water. "Thank you, doctor," murmured the patient, turning away. A moment later, however, the office door was opened and the patient stilled in. "Say, doc," said he, with an ingratiating smile, "where do I get the dime."