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You can't uplift people by sitting down on them.

do make the mistake of doing it.

Money isn't everything. The man with the most costly fishing tackle catches the least fish.

If a woman has intuition, why does she need three friends to help her decide on a hat?

The daily dozen is almost essential to the sedentary man who hasn't a playful straw hat.

ed "No account" it is talking about the man who wrote it. The fellow who has been hating

to carry out the ashes has started hating to cut the weeds. It is now possible to send light

around a corner, but just as hard to get it through a square head.

The length of life has been in creased, but otherwise the old world is about as pleasant as ever.

As a matter of simple truth, the average outsider's objection to religion is that it cramps his style.

The normal child mind is logical and can understand the need of almost everything except arithmetic.

Another fine thing about travelling city. is the discovery that nobody is important outside his own bailiwick.

How fine to be young again when more drastic than wash your ears.

about everything he knows nothing Never. about except raising the neighbors'

children.

The queer part is that a genuine jay-walker and a genuine fool driver usually manage to avoid one anoth-

Let me live in a house by the side of "a purty good road" and furnish a good strong team for the use of autoists.

Correct this sentence: "So far," said he, "I have caught sixteen chickens in my garden and haven't yet used a naughty word."

Any good reporter can remain in the office and write up an auto accident, except that he can't give the exact number of quarts.

Another funny sight is a father striving to store up wealth in order to deprive his children of the chance for the character-building struggle which he himself enjoyed.

An author says that every man should "Once a day say to a woman, 'How beautiful you are!' " And frevven's sake, try to keep a straight | Ontario system, as the Trent source face while you're saying it.

BIBLE THOUGHT their trust under the shadow of thy wings. They shall be abundantly satisfied with the fatness of thy house; and thou shall make them drink of the river of thy pleasures. not yield its present position until it perpetual imprisonment has not the Forbear to distribute among all -Psalm 36:7, 8,

BY THE GOLDEN RULE.

called to our attention the fact that supply. we are never puzzled "to account for virtuous actions" and that the "love of virtue and hatred of vice are as That ancient proverb, "Virtue is its own reward," he gives to us 'n this new dress: "To take a pleasure in

has been brought to our attention struction as the "death ray." we come to the realization that the acts we seek to account for are the acts of cruelty, dishonesty and imness seem natural to us. We can not explain iniquity, and every wicked act appears unnatural, if not ac-

In connection with virtue Rousseau has suggested that "every one contributes to the public good for his own interest, but that the virtuous man does not contribute to the pub-

do to us?

THE PRICE YOU PAY. No matter what we get in life, we pay for it. Nature never gives something for nothing. Whenever valent something.

Most people who have nothing to rich. Their wealth has brought Humanity can prevent war just as it But they have lost things that can-Home is just a place where you not be measured in dollars-includ- and war have ever been rival suitors know whose hands have been in the ing association with intimate friends for the hand of science. Let the of the old days, and the joys of people bind peace and science simple pleasures.

> were back in the days when a dollar looked as big as a waggon wheel. If so, they are being rewarded for enduring past misery.

and effect-always balances scales in the long run. The weights discussing the dirt of life. that balance the scales are not al-When a cheque comes back markan uneasy conscience.

But no one knows what thoughts and college. and feelings are at the instant of death. Nor the price that is collected beyond the grave from people who dodge payment in this life.

Most of the discomforts and reputed loneliness of bachelor life vanish when we marry. But we soon find that we have acquired new burdens and worries. Observe the mother, slave to her baby. She is paying for the maternal joy that has come into her life.

Ponder the man who flees from the congestion, stenches and irritation of the city. In the wilderness or on a farm he has freedom, elbowroom, fresh air, peace. And he pays the price by not having the conveniences and excitement of the big illusioned attitude that is a wretched

Even knowledge has its price-intense study and surrender of time that might be spent in leisure.

We pay in full. When we get a love didn't make you do anything thing we lose its equivalent. At the end of the road, old and successful. we look back and would trade it all The normal man can keep still for youth. Something for nothing?

LOOK BEFORE LEAPING.

for Eastern Ontario from the St. ed-blood red. Lawrence, it is safe to say that there will be no big power development on the St. Lawrence for at least ten years. Therefore, in the meantime Eastern Ontario must be supplied from the falls on the Ottawa river where an abundant power can he produced. It is idle to place hopes on early development at Morrisburg. There can be no power development on the mighty river which divides New York state from Canada until both the governments of Washington and Ottawa take action. Eastern

With regard to Kingston giving up its agreement with the Hydrofirst be satisfied that the change will est plane.-London Daily Mail. be to its benefit. Certainly it would not be beneficial to Kingston to become a Hydro partner of the Central is already overburdened. If Kingston is to pass up its present excel- horrible crimes, and it forever puts blood making mechinery to be looklent agreement for supply it must be out of the way an enemy of society. ing for an increased call upon its as a partner in the Ottawa river sup- It is little to the purpose to say that efforts every day. HOW EXCELLENT is thy ply. Kingston has "too good a imprisonment for life without the You can't wonder then if I suglovingkindness. O God! thing" just now to let it go. This benefit of remission of sentence for gest from time to time that you try therefore the children of men put does not mean that some day it will good conduct will achieve the de- to get at least five minutes exercise not be better for Kingston to become a direct partner in the great Hydro development enterprise, but it should

increased manufacturing needs, and hanging; and men of the most dan-Rousseau in his philosophy has become tied to the limited Trent

A NEW PEACE PLAN.

Fritz Kreisler, world-famous violinist, has appealed to the world from mid-ocean to buy and destrey the formula for the "death ray," for which its inventor claims terrifying virtue is the reward of having been powers of death and destruction. The Austrian violinist implores the in-It is impossible to conceive of a ventor and the public to make imhuman being so degraded as to take possible the employment in war of no pleasure in doing good. Since it any such fiendish instrument of de-

Kreisler because of his Austrian nativity. Germany and her Austrian morality. Virtues and acts of good- ally have been blamed for the world war. The conversion of Austria to peace would be a notable advance toward perpetual world peace and Kreisler has often spoken for and from his people.

Much mystery still surrounds the formula for the "death ray," and as yet the world has been offered no proof of the powers claimed for it. lic good to his own prejudice." He On the other hand, in fact, recent demight have added that it is not ne- spatches claim that its powers are moniac ray will strike death to all Could not all laws be stricken who come within its light is not as One year, to United States\$2.00 from the statute books, all armies vitally important to humanity as its and navies disbanded, all police application. The discovery and the Calder, 22 St. John St., Montreal courts abolished and all the world discoverer will be acclaimed as boons live in peace and prosperity if all to civilization if the ray is employed Letters to the Editor are published observed the Golden Rule to doing in easing the burden of mankind, but to others as we would wish them to civilization should never forgive the inventor of the "death ray" if it is found that he sold his formula to

> A ray with the supernatural powers claimed for the "death ray" would be of inestimable value in we acquire anything, we lose an equi- agriculture for the extermination of insects and for other air fumigation Take the family that was poor un- purpers. Scientific research should til the war came and made them not tetarded by the threat of war. wonderful things into their lives. can prevent the production of a "death ray," if it so saw fit. Peace eternal wedlock, for war once di-Maybe they are happier than they vorced from science will not endure.

those bent on human destruction.

RICH MEN'S SONS.

The two boys, Leopald and Loeb, rich men's sons held in Chicago on a The law of compensation-cause charge of atrocious murder, spent the their adolescent days reading and

They read and discussed the same ways visible to outsiders. But it things-things bearing on degenertakes a lot of ill-gotten gains to ate sex impulses and the like-that compensate for remorse, shame, or your boy or your girl, perhaps, are discussing now; certainly the same Possibly shame, even conscience, things that your neighbor's boy and is lacking in some hearts during life. girl are discussing now, in school

And you can't touch dirt without getting soiled.

It is an old truism that is forgotten by a lot of people, nowadays. Soft mothers and fool fathers let their sons and daughters read Freudliterature, trash about ughler phases of sex, and say: "Our children are so much more

advanced than we were." It is a cold fact that truck of that sort is under constant discussion between young men and young women in their later 'teens and earliest twenties, in nearly every "intellectual" circle in the land.

One of the first signs of it is a sort of weariness of outlook; a disthing among the young.

They are children, after all. They are in search of the thrills of life, as the young of every species are. But when the thriMs that come

with the discovery of new and horrible facts have vanished, there still remains the desire for new thrills. Leopold and Loeb found the new

thrill. They found it, they say, in murder. Just boys. Boys from good homes. They had touched dirt, While Sir Adam Beck may have as thousands of others of our young high hopes of securing power supply are touching it, and they were stain-

PRESS COMMENT

Man's Debt to Posterity. idealism in politics is in the principle that the statesman is to seek. not "the greatest happiness of the greatest number." but "the highest happiness of the greatest number nized, the sacrifices of the dead for come sluggish in its actions. their country are not meaningless Electric Commission for power sup- ber" were sought), but are seen to the blood making department and it ply and becoming a partner like be acts of a great love which trans- gets busy manufacturing blood cells other municipalities, this city must cends life and raises it to the high- for you in increased amounts.

Capital Punishment. There is nothing vindictive and For instance a man like Dempsey liament would not hesitate to remit | gish and inactive. sentences. Besides, even fear of is sure of a supply sufficient for its same deterrent effect as the fear of the guilt of few.

gerous character-as we know in Victoria-are sometimes able to break jail, and in the period of their liberty commit murder.-The Aus-

KINGSTON IN 1850

Viewed Through Our Files

Gift of the City Clock. Dec. 11 .- Resolved that the mayor's salary for the current year be £100, and that the treasurer Doubly significant is the appeal of authorized to pay it from the first funds in his hands.

The mayor (Counter) stated in returning thanks to the council for heir vote that he had for many years served the city at large pecuriary loss to himself. Gentlemen would recollect that when he was mayor of Kingston, at the time the seat of government came hither, there was no salary attached to the office, and he was subject to great expense in maintaining the dignity of first magistrate of the capital of Canada. The last time he was maynow, but what did he do with it;-£130 and £70 more added by the city member, purchased the timepiece which now ornaments the city

The total city revenue for this year was £6,720 (\$33,600).

Severe Punishment. Dec. 17 .- On this date a board met to consider the system then in vogue of sentencing soldiers of the garrison to the penitentiary for military offences that received punish-

ment, of ten days and upwards. The

board recommended its abolishment.

Reduction of Stage Fare. Dec. 19 .- Mr. Weller has, of his own accord, reduced the price of stage fare between Toronto Montreal, from \$20 to \$16, viz., \$9 from Toronto to Kingston and \$7 from Kingston to Montreal, latter reduction is probably to induce travellers to continue on the Canadian side of the river instead of crossing to Ogdensburg and taking the railroad.



Pours By James W. Barton, M.D.

An Interesting Experiment. An intensely interesting experiment was made recently. A chap

was given some prolonged exercise and it was found that the number of blood cells decreased in number, and in richness, but new cells manufactured in the bone marrow increased in number. Nature always has an extra supply of blood cells in the bone marrow, and throws them into the blood when there is an extra call for them, due to destruction of the regular cells by exercise.

Nature always just a little ahead of our needs as usual.

Now this was the interesting thing. Common Evidences of Air Pressure. him after exercise, the number of sea of air, subject to a pressure of cells from the bone marrow was not about 15 lbs. on every square inch of increased. Nature was content to our surface, we are generally unsit by, and let this fresh blood given aware of this considerable pressure to the chap take the place of the cells | because it is exerted in all directions. | dral of Montreal, probably the most she would have sent into the blood. The pressure of air above an object famous church on the continent, had he not received this outside sup- is balanced by the pressure of air was dedicated on this day in 1824,

whatever some fresh pure blood was

put into his veins. What happened?

extra blood had so enriched the boils, however, are affected by gen- and 134 feet wide, with twin towers blood stream that it didn't need Na- eral pressure changes. ture's help in the way of extra cells.

All who resolutely think matters is a sensible one, because these will sometimes raise the cover slight- and painted woods and pictures. out will agree that the key to true things take the place of the blood by allowing some of the cold dense lovingly collected by generation making machinery for the time be- air within to push out. The siphon, after generation, make Notre Dame

to remember.

This tonic business is all right for enduring through an indefinitely an emergency to tide you over. But Ontario must therefore, press to have prolonged future." For this new you can readily see that if you rely the Ottawa falls developed in order principle (which is in fact as old as on tonics and food alone, your blood to overcome the present power short- the Greeks) brings into life the eter- making machinery gets so used to age and provide for manufacturing nal and abiding. When it is recog- this outside supply that it might be-

But if you decide to take exercise (as they would be if only "the great- regularly, and go at it every day for est happiness of the greatest num- even five minutes, it serves notice on

That is why a boxer, wrestler, oarsman or footballer attains real condition in a few weeks.

nothing cruel in capital punishment. or Carpentier should get into excel-It has two useful purposes—it is a lient condition in from four to six deterrent from murder and equally weeks. They have educated the

sired end. Parliament in the future a day. That will prevent your blood may do as it likes; and a Labor Par- | making machinery from getting slug-

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WHY THE WEATHER?

DR. CHARLES F. BROOKS Secretary, American Meteorological Society, Tells How.

If fresh pure blood was put into Although we live at the bottom of a inside. Dr. S. S. Visher of Indiana stately Gothic architectre has no Before the chap took any exercise University has pointed out in dis- superior in America, and, old as it cussing common evidences of atmos- is, it was merely the successor of ences are due to local differences in land just to the front of the present Again Nature refused to manu- pressure. The rate of evaporation church, in the seventeenth century facture cells because it saw that the and the temperature at which water | The present church is 225 feet long

the player piano, are all devices de- Montreal each year.

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pendent upon atmospheric pressure. Even sound waves in the air are but small, rapid variations in pressure.

Canada's Story By B odwen Davies

June 9. below; similarly outside pressures though it was not opened for wor-A further interesting thing was are balanced by the pressure of air ship for five years afterwards. Its pheric pressure that most such evid- another church, which was built on reminiscent of Notre Dame of Paris.

Many evidences of local pressure It was by far the largest church of to do the amount of exercise pre- difference may be cited. All wind is its day in America, acccommodating scribed. In other words the only a motion of air due to differences in ten thousand people. A great bell way you can get Nature's blood mak- pressure. Pressure allows the fly to called the Gros Bourbon, hung in ing factory to work making cells for walk on the ceiling, holding on by one of the towers in 1847, weighs you, is by taking exercise. Think of the suction cups on its feet. Decrease 29,400 pounds, a resonant voice. in pressure inside a hot fruit jar as | calling the people of the city to de-Now if you are sick, are run down it cools causes the lid to be held votional exercises. There is also a and unable to take erercise, your down tightly by the air above. Con- fine set of chimes in the other doctor's idea of giving you iron, a versely, in a warm room the high tower. The vaulted roofs of the good tonic of some kind, rich food, pressure inside a jar of ice-water Cathedral, its treasures in carved the self-filling fountain pen, the soda a real treasure house. It is the But there's just one point for you fountain straw, the vacuum cleaner, mecca of thousands of visitors to

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