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Now is the time for all good men to come to.

What this world needs is a self-washing dish.

You must sing a song of expense to get a bottle full of rye.

A woman who has never taken up law can lay down the law.

Naturally a sock will stay put if you roll it down to the shoe top.

The masses will be elevated soon. They are making airplanes fliers.

The reason you can find so much fault is because nobody wants it.

A woman is a person who can get a trunkful of stuff into a suit case.

There are few tolerant men and most of them are merely indifferent.

Killing the leaders may save Herin, but it never worked well in Russia.

Times are so tough, you seldom find more than a nickle on the pavement.

It is better to have worked and lost than never to have worked at all.

A woman loves most when in trouble; a man only when well pleased with himself.

A general practitioner is one who knows enough to send you to the right specialist.

The grand manner is charming in a book, but it's a little annoying behind a counter.

If there isn't much to the town except Main Street it isn't so hard to reach Easy Street.

The 1925 autos will do everything except jump out of the way when they see a pedestrian.

At any rate all men are born equal so far as the per capita indebtedness is concerned.

The easiest way to make your vocabulary impressive is to refrain from working it too hard.

Troubles are a blessing to some people. They keep them too busy to worry about their sins.

Hint to reactionaries: A volcano wouldn't shake things up if it could get to the top without it.

Our argument for slow eating is that what's worth chewing at all is certainly worth chewing well.

Those who tell us how to run our business may not be efficiency experts. They may be neighbors.

Knowledge is power. The more you know about a car the less you'll pay to have a spark plug cleaned.

Correct this sentence: "I'll clean house this spring," said she, "but I won't rearrange the furniture."

Why not place the license number on the front bumper so it will be stamped on the pedestrian as evidence?

BIBLE THOUGHT

HE THAT KEEPETH HIS MOUTH KEPPETH HIS LIFE, BUT HE THAT OPENETH HIS MOUTH SHALL HAVE DESTRUCTION.—Prov. 13:3.

OF ONE BLOOD.

What is the real basis of the race hatreds that so distress a world enormously shrunken by fast and certain means of travel? Most people would say that the dislike is instinctive and based upon root-differences in the physical and mental make-up of the different races and colors.

But certain unemotional investigators called anthropologists leave this argument not a rag to cover itself with. Racially the "Nordic," fair Englishman is much nearer to the Brahmin of Benares than to the Scot of Edinburgh or the Welshman from Cardiff.

If color antipathies are instinctive how is it that the American of the south feels the color taint much more keenly than the more northerly American; the Britisher, as a rule, still less, and the French not at all? And even the haughtiest American fondly remembers his coal black mammy together with all the other family servants.

We are all of one blood, and of the earth earthy. Race antagonism is not rooted in primitive instinct. The natural child does not feel it until the germ has been planted there by education and association.

REASON VS. FORCE.

President Nicholas Murray Butler, of Columbia University, has been telling a group of big business men that the time has come when force should be dethroned and reason put in its place.

"May we not hope and believe that our revolutions, our discords, our armed revolutions are behind us and that we have now come to the point where great questions of policy, important problems of procedure, can be settled in the form of argument and debate and submitted to the judgment of an intelligent and patriotic electorate for decision?"

Such arguments are so unanswerable, that one wonders what can stand in the way of a universal yielding to the arbitrament of reason. The answer is found in a single word—distrust.

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OCEAN FREIGHT RATES.

There is nothing new in the agitation which is now under way to try and to something to lower ocean freight rates. From time to time during the past forty years similar movements have taken place.

It would only be by the concerted action of all the nations concerned that regulation of rates could be brought about; and that is precisely the thing that has thus far failed of accomplishment.

It may be that conditions in that regard are more favorable to-day than they have been. The disposition on the part of nations to get together for the protection of common interests is probably more genuine and available than ever before.

There was at one time the same difficulty with regard to the application of civil and criminal law on the high seas. It was overcome. Humanity, as well as property right, brought about the necessary co-operation of statutory enactments in that instance.

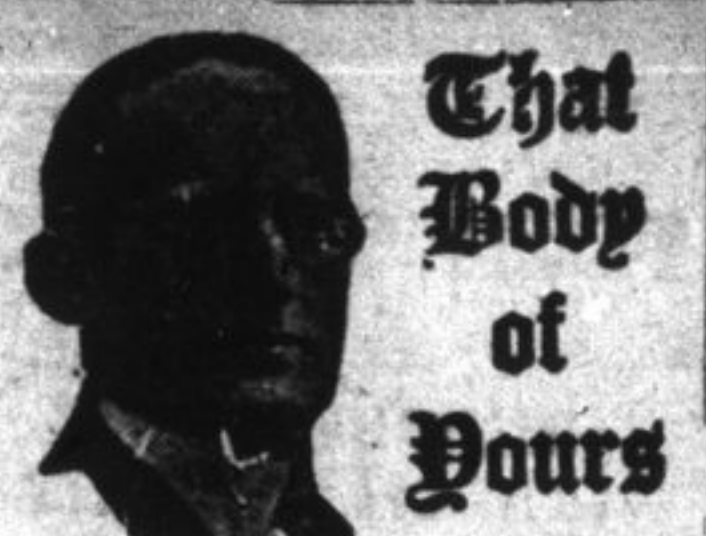
Everywhere but on the oceans the principle of regulation is operative. Discriminations on land have ceased to exist. The railways are to-day held under control with a rigidity which many suspect has gone to the extreme of restraining wholesome initiative.

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It is worth noting that the amount of life insurance held by Canadian companies stood at \$2,013,500,068 at the end of 1922, which must be compared with \$267,151,036 in 1900. Such a fact also has its meaning. It tells us quite plainly of the financial strength, and also of increasing self-containment. Canada is growing rapidly in these respects.



By James W. Barton, M.D.

That Body of Ours

BLEEDING THE SYSTEM. It must be interesting to some of the older members of the medical profession, to see how some of the things that were used in the treatment of the sick in their younger days, pass out of fashion, and then come back again to be used even more extensively than before.

Just a few years ago it began to be used in emergencies, but now it is a recognized treatment for heart conditions in a number of ailments. Some of our older folk with very high blood pressure, now have a number of ounces of blood removed from their veins. They secure a great deal of relief, and that relief lasts for weeks at a time.

Just that the heart is simply a muscular pump, and if it has to beat fast, and pump a huge quantity of blood, it may tire out and quit work. If, however, you take a number of ounces of blood out of the system, say a half a pint to a pint and a half, you can see that it has that much less work to do.

Can't da Story Da yby Day

February 17th. One of the most picturesque figures of modern Canadian history passed from the scene on this day in 1917, when Sir Wilfred Laurier, who had graced courts, coronations and imperial gatherings, died at Ottawa. In him were gathered the best traits of his race, and he was respected by all parties, and all creeds.

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They tell me you work for a dollar a day; How is it you clothe your six boys on such pay? I know you will think it conceited and queer. But I do it because I'm a good financier.

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When Pete's clothes are too small for him to get on My wife makes them over and gives 'em to John; When for John, who is ten, they have grown out of date, She just makes them over for Jim, who is eight.

There are too many in this old world who make favor hunting a specialty.

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AUTHOR AT EIGHT



Octavus Roy Cohen, Jr., eight, is an author, but he doesn't like the type of stories his father writes about and from Birmingham, Ala. The boy's first story, "The Midnight Road," just accepted by a southern magazine, is full of thrilling crashes, violence and miraculous escapes.

Protestant Bible in Latin.

A Bible valued at one hundred thousand dollars has recently become the property of the Public Library at Cambridge, Mass. This is the only known copy of the first Protestant Bible printed in Latin; its date is 1527. John Rudelius, a scholar from the University of Frankfurt, Germany, compiled it, and Peter Juenel, of Cologne, printed it. It is illustrated with many wood cuts. The type is black and clear, the binding is strong, and the whole book is in good condition in spite of its nearly four hundred years' existence.

Each man is a hero and an oracle to somebody, and to that person whatever he says has an enhanced value.—Ralph Waldo Emerson.

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