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The World's Richest Men.

No two compilers have made similar lists of the millionaires of the world. China, England, France, Russia and the United States, each claims to be the home of the richest men. The list compiled by James Burnley, the English author, is as follows: Alfred Beit, diamonds, London, \$500,000,000; J. B. Robinson, gold and diamonds, London, \$400,000,000; J. D. Rockefeller, oil, New York, \$250,000,000; W. W. Astor, land, London, \$200,000,000; Prince Demidoff, land, St. Petersburg, \$200,000,000; Andrew Carnegie, steel, New York, \$125,000,000; W. K. Vanderbilt, railroads, New York, \$100,000,000; William Rockefeller, oil, New York, \$100,000,000; J. J. Astor, land, New York, \$75,000,000; Lord Rothschild, money lending, London, \$75,000,000; Duke of Westminster, land, London, \$75,000,000; J. Pierpont Morgan, banking, New York, \$75,000,000; Lord Iveagh, beer, Dublin, \$70,000,000; S. mora Isidora, Cousino, mines and railroads, Chile, \$70,000,000; M. Heine, silk, Paris, \$70,000,000; Baron Alphonse Rothschild, money lending, Paris, \$70,000,000; Baron Nathaniel Rothschild, money lending, Vienna, \$70,000,000; Archduke Frederick of Austria, land, Vienna, \$70,000,000; George J. Gould, railroads, New York, \$70,000,000; Mrs. Henry Green, banking, New York, \$55,000,000; James H. Smith, banking, New York, \$50,000,000; Duke of Devonshire, land, London, \$50,000,000; Duke of Bedford, land, London, \$50,000,000; Henry O. Havemeyer, sugar, New York, \$50,000,000; John Smith, mines, Mexico, \$45,000,000; Claus Spreckles, sugar, San Francisco, \$40,000,000; Archbishop Conn, land, Vienna, \$40,000,000; Russel Sage, money lending, New York, \$25,000,000; Sir Thomas Lipton, groceries, London, \$25,000,000.—(Kansas City Journal.)

"I Have Taken Several Bottles Of His Emulsion."

Prof. Bowne of Boston University told the following anecdote to his class in philosophy several years ago.

A friend of mine was traveling in the maritime provinces some few years ago collecting odd bits of furniture, odd books and also studying the general sociology of the country. While at Yarmouth, N. S., he was called upon by a local clergyman to attend an annual meeting of his parish.

During the intermission between reports, while all were enjoying home-made lunches, an elderly lady addressed the visitor, and conversation ran somewhat as follows:

Prof. Lewis, are you very fond of English literature?

Indeed, I am; but more especially the literature of the past century, such as the masterpieces of Dickens, Thackeray and—yes, I am very fond of Scott. Are these your favorites, too?

Yes, I love Dickens and Thackeray; but, really, I must confess I haven't read any of Scott's works, altho I have taken several bottles of his emulsion.

Reign of Pale Buff.

Pale buff is promised lots of vogue.

Such a pretty white kid purse has purple orchids sprinkled over it.

Little bent hats of pale colored chips are to be worn.

Pongee ties with gay flowers embroidered on the ends are new.

The modish waistcoat offers an excellent opportunity to use up pretty buttons.

The real old-fashioned little sailor hat comes in white with a bunch of flowers at the left front, says the Philadelphia Bulletin.

A buff silk petticoat with lots of little black lace ruffles put on with wide black velvet bands is quaint.

A wire frame covered with tightly-drawn lace, and just a ribbon ruche around the crown, represents one hat smartness.

Some of the embroidered evening wraps rival Joseph's coat for diversity of coloring.

A soft felt hat with a bunch of peacock feathers stuck jauntily through the band is smart for morning.

A new dotted net, the dots so heavy as to give the impression of little balls, comes in white, black and evening shades.

Truly astonishing is the diversity in sleeves. Your choice depends only on your fancy.

Hats are a decided change from last season, higher and more irregular effects being sought. For early spring they will be massed with flowers.

The Value of Serenity.

(From the Chicago News.)

One of the most difficult things to do in the world sometimes is to keep one's temper. A calm serenity of temper and a self-control which keeps a person unruffled amid the petty annoyances and lies of everyday life

ONE-THIRD THE DEATHS DUE TO PNEUMONIA.

La Grippe and Kindred Diseases of the Respiratory Organs--Alarming Report of the New York Board of Health--Dreadful Results of Neglected Colds.

The report of the New York Board of Health for the first six months of 1904 places the number of deaths from pneumonia and other respiratory diseases, such as la grippe and severe chest colds, at 14,091, or one-third the total number of deaths during that time.

Scientists and physicians are appalled at the enormous increase in deaths from this source, and the people are becoming aroused to the danger of allowing the system to become run down and neglecting to cure colds.

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indicate the possession of perfect mental health. Nowadays people are fond of saying so-and-so was "just mad," meaning very angry; but it would be well if temper were often seriously regarded as madness. It may be preventable madness, but madness it is while it lasts, and there is seldom any one who is made more unhappy by it than the person who gives way to it. In our treatment of the ill tempered the cultivation of the art of not hearing will be very helpful. It is a useful art all through life.

Did Not Go to Roost.

A matter-of fact mind, like Mrs. Salter's, is a comfort to the person who has it, and a never-ending delight to the person's friends.

"I suppose you went to bed with the chickens while you were away," said one of the neighbors, after Mrs. Salter had returned from her vacation visit to a farm.

"No, indeed!" said Mrs. Salter, indignantly. "They were very neat, quiet people, though they've never had city advantages. We had rooms in the front of the house, on the second story, and the chickens slept somewhere at the back of the house. We never saw them after sunset, and we were there nearly three weeks. I am sure farming people are often more particular than we have been led to suppose."

It Paid to Advertise.

The most refractory among dumb beasts may sometimes be won by persistent kindness. It is also evident that the obstinate of the human species may be influenced by an assault of humor.

Phil May, the English artist "of most dear memory," had promised to do a colored design for the Christmas number of an illustrated weekly publication. The date fixed on for its delivery passed by, and no design had been forthcoming.

Letters and telegrams were unanswered, and when a messenger was sent to May's house, it appeared that he had gone to Paris without leaving any address. This according to M. A. P., is what happened next.

The publishers were at their wits' end, but one of them, paying a day's visit to Margate, was overjoyed to see May basking in the sunshine by the water. The publisher did not make himself known, but cannily ascertained where May was staying. Then he hired six sandwich-men to parade up and down before the artist's window, with boards bearing different legends. This was their tenor:

"What about our Christmas cover?"

"We are waiting for that cover."

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Apple Pie.

(Harper's Weekly.)

When our cook she makes a pie,
You oughter see her fingers fly!
She sits an' holds a yeller bowl.
An' stirs so fast she keeps a hole
Down through the middle of the stuff,
There's milk, an' egg, an' flour enough—
And maybe other things, but I
Forget just all that makes a pie!

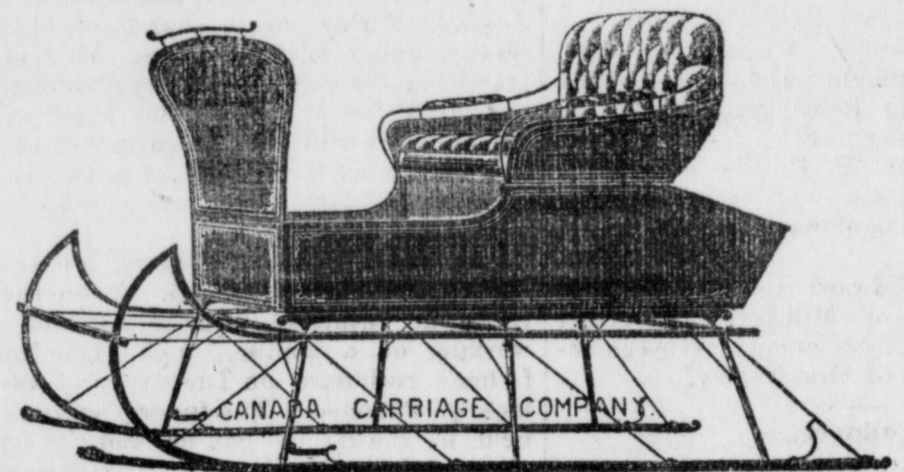
When our cook she makes a pie,
She rolls the dough that, by an' by,
Is two round blankets; then you'll see
Her slice some apples evenly,
Plump into bed she makes 'em hop,
An' cuts some peep-holes through the top,
So they won't smother when they lie
All warm an' sugared in the pie.

When our cook she makes a pie,
She balances the plate up high,
And with a pleasant snippy sound
She trims it nicely all around,
And when she's thumbbed the edges tight
The apples can't get up at night,
But when she's baked it, then, oh, my!
You never et such apple pie!

There are a great many idle men constantly busy about something which they know is not the thing that ought to occupy them.

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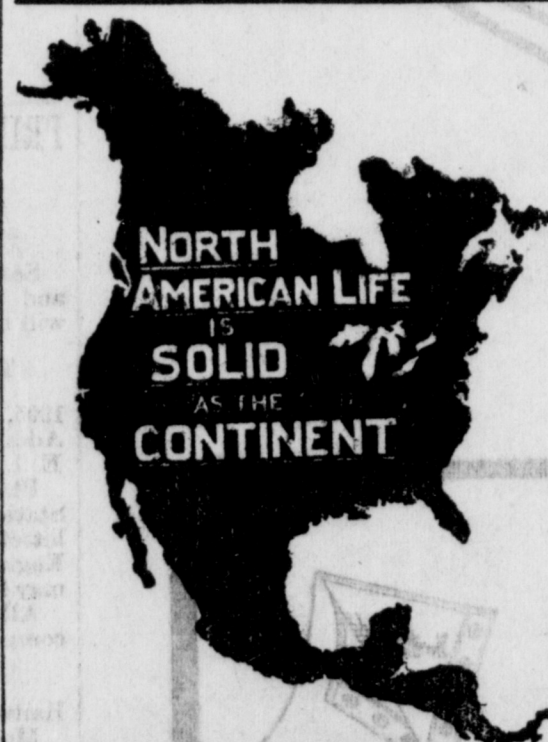


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