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MESSAGE TO YOUNG MEN.

"After a long life I shall remind you that already many problems rise before you; problems of race division, problems of creed differences, problems of economic conflict, problems of national duty and national aspiration. Let me tell you that for the solution of these problems you have a safe guide, an unfailing light, if you remember that faith is better than doubt, and love is better than hate.

"Banish doubt and hate from your life. Let your souls be ever open to the strong promptings of faith and the gentle influence of brotherly love. Be adamant against the haughty; be gentle and kind to the weak. Let your aim and your purpose, in good report or in ill, in victory or in defeat, be so to live, so to strive, so to serve as to your part to raise the standard of life to higher and better spheres."—Sir Wilfrid Laurier at London, Ont.

THE PAY OF JURYMEN.

The Provincial Government, at the approaching session of the Legislature, should enact the long-promised legislation to increase the fees of petit jurors. Under the present law, jurors receive a miserable pittance of one dollar per day, with an additional allowance of ten cents per mile for travelling expenses. For this princely remuneration busy men are required to leave their farms, drive from ten to twenty miles to the city during the coldest winter months, and serve their country in the capacity of jurors. As the sum allowed is not sufficient nowadays to pay for board and lodging at the cheapest hotel, the jurymen, to avoid coming out in debt at the end of the court term, must travel to his home each night and back to the city the following morning. Such a condition of affairs in this enlightened age is a positive disgrace to the government, as well as to the province, and it is most astonishing that the people do not rebel against it. The cost of living has increased enormously in recent years; hotels and boarding houses have boosted their prices; yet the jurymen are still expected to serve the state for the sum of one dollar per day and "find himself." Such a law is nothing more than an absurdity.

The government has promised over and over again to amend the law, but so far it has done nothing. It has plenty of money to squander and waste on schemes designed to further its own political ends, but continues to regard the poor jurymen as a laborer unworthy of his hire. If Attorney General Baxter has any desire to serve the public interests he should cease spending his time on freak legislation and see to it that jurors are given decent remuneration for their services. In these days of high food prices and scarcity of farm labor it is little short of a crime to compel a man to leave his farm and attend court for a wage of one dollar per day. The government and Legislature should either provide the money necessary to decently indemnify those who are compelled to serve the state in the capacity of jurors or do the next best thing, abolish trial by jury.

A LAME EXCUSE.

Some of the graft newspapers are trying hard to defend the action of the Hon. P. E. Blondin, of "shoot holes in the flag" fame, in rescinding an order of his predecessor, Hon. T. C. Casgrain, with respect to mail matter intended for the town of Kitchener, Ont. They are contending that the Casgrain order caused a great deal of inconvenience to business men and others, and it was with the object of doing away with this that the change was made. Just what is thought of Hon. Mr. Blondin's action by the people of Kitchener is told in the following despatch to a Toronto paper:

Kitchener, Ont., Jan. 14.—The order of the new Postmaster General, Hon. P. E. Blondin, restoring the name of "Berlin" on the post office map of Canada, came as a thunderbolt from the blue in this city yesterday. It was generally agreed that the name controversy was at an end after the pronouncement of Mayor Gross and the City Council at the inaugural meeting, and that the name of the British war hero, Kitchener, would now be generally used. So far as can be ascertained, there has been no serious inconvenience in business, commercial or legal circles by the order of the late Postmaster General, Hon. T. C. Casgrain, and the local post office authorities declare that with few exceptions letters, parcels, etc., are arriving addressed to Kitchener. The new name was adopted on September 1st of last year for this city, and that thus ample time was given for the commercial world to

become acquainted with the change is the opinion of business men and manufacturers here. As a result of Postmaster General Blondin's action there is danger of the entire name-changing controversy being reopened, which it is considered would be disastrous.

It looks as if Hon. Mr. Blondin had made the order without even going to the trouble of consulting the people of Kitchener.

An Italian scientist, Prof. Colajanni, publishes official statistics proving that in the year 1879 only 900,000 males were born in Germany, and since it is well known that 21 per cent. die before the age of 20, it follows that the number of men now available for military service cannot exceed 700,000, of whom in all probability less than 500,000 are fit for military service. The statement that Germany will have 2,100,000 new soldiers ready to take the field next year is therefore unfounded, even admitting the possibility that 500,000 men now employed in mines, munition factories, etc., can be sent to the front.

Hon. E. N. Rhodes, M. P. for Cumberland, N. S., was yesterday unanimously elected Speaker of the House of Commons in succession to Hon. Albert Seguin, called to the Cabinet. The new Speaker is a native of Amherst, and son of the late Mr. N. A. Rhodes, of Rhodes, Curry & Co. Hon. Senator Curry is his uncle. He is a graduate of Acadia College and of Dalhousie Law School. He was first elected to the House of Commons in 1908.

The by-election in Northwest Toronto caused by Hon. W. D. McPherson accepting the office of Provincial Secretary in the Ontario government, will be held on Monday next. The Liberal candidate is Mr. James G. Cane. Mr. H. H. Dewar, K. C., M. P. P., who redeemed Southwest Toronto for the Liberals, is taking an active part in the campaign.

Through Our Sieve

All the world loves a bargain sale.

Life is just one cent after another.

The January thaw, like Harry, has had a frost.

Some fellows divide their friends into assets and liabilities.

The average girl would rather be in love than be happy.

If we didn't have to work there would be no fun in a holiday.

Happiness has a peculiar way of coming and going without any warning.

It's wonderful what good memories people develop after having done you a favor.

Now what would the moving pictures do if there were no such words as "that night" in the language?

One trouble with fate is that it hands us biscuits and cheese when we expect pie and ice cream.

Nowadays a truly chivalrous girl will "lie like a lady" in order to protect a trusting man's vanity.

Some men are born great, some men achieve greatness and some, like Sir Sam Hughes, have greatness thrust away from them.

War, it is said, necessitating the work of women in many new fields, is to be held responsible for overalls as a common dress for women in the future. Served with tatting and a few pieces of embroidery at the proper points, they wouldn't be so bad.

MANY SYRIANS DIE OF STARVATION

Rome, via Paris, Jan. 19.—Five hundred and ten thousand people have died of starvation in Syria, according to information received by the Corriere d'Italia. Lebanon is said to have suffered particularly, while at Beyrout inhabitants are said to have been picked up on the streets nearly dying of hunger. The number of suicides is increasing to appalling proportions.

Similar horrors are reported as occurring in Palestine and parts of the interior inhabited by Christians.

WOULD MOBILIZE THE SWISS ARMY

Paris, Jan. 19.—General Ulrich Wills commander of the Swiss Army, wishes to mobilize all Switzerland's military forces, according to a Berne despatch to the Petit Parisien. The Federal Council is said to regard such a measure as excessive and to have decided to mobilize only the second and fifth divisions, but it is considered not impossible that further units will be called to the colors.

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COMMERCE RAIDER MAY BE THE MOEWE

Rio Janeiro, Jan. 18.—It is considered almost certain here that the German sea raider which has been creating havoc among Entente shipping in the South Atlantic is the Moeve, the German arme raider which captured the Appam and sank numerous Entente ships in Atlantic waters a year ago.

The American consul at Pernambuco has cabled the embassy here confirming the landing of several Americans from vessels which fell victim to the raider. He added that no American ships had been sunk by the German craft, and that all the American sailors landed were among the crews of foreign vessels.

LATE OTTO GRAY.

The funeral of the late Otto Gray took place on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, from the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gray, 212 George street, and was largely attended. The service was conducted by the Rev. J. E. Wilson, assisted by Rev. J. B. Daggett. The mourners were Messrs. Arthur Gray, Lawrence White, Albert White, Ray Lowery and Orlo Brewer. The pallbearers were Messrs. Donald McQuarrie, Archie McQuarrie, Richard McDonald, Roy Clark, Miles Charters and Harry Meade. The floral tributes were very beautiful and included the following: Broken circle, family; basket of flowers, Sunday school class; flat bouquet, grandmother; broken circle, I. O. G. T. Lodge; broken circle, McLeod Bible Class; broken circle, the George St. Baptist Sunday school; flat bouquets, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lynch, Miss Lizzie McKenna, Mr. William T. Bailey and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lowery, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. McLean, Mr. and Mrs. A. McArthur and Mrs. H. Foster.

Sir Joseph Beechman Left Large Estate

London, Jan. 19.—The will of Sir Joseph Beechman, whose death occurred last October, was sworn for probate yesterday. The estate amounts to £1,000,000. The testator left his American property to his son Henry.

BY JOVE!

said a well educated man the other day when he was asked this question:—"Why, when you have a cold, a cough or bronchitis (troubles, you will note, of throat and chest) do you persist in pouring cough syrups, lung tonics and the like into your stomach, which is perfectly sound?"

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