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THE HIGHER LIFE.

THEN WE SHALL SEE.

Some time when all life's work is over,
Some time when all the weary days have passed,
And sin and sorrow have ceased to hover
Over us, and we look back across the past,
The things which our weak judgment then
Will flash before us, out of life's dark night,
As stars shine out in deepest tones of blue;
And we shall see how all God's plans are right,
And how what seemed repaid was love most true.

—May Riley Smith.

The Matchless Life

If Jesus had left nothing but the parables, his name would have been imperishable in literature; if he had bequeathed to posterity nothing but the simplicity of his speech and the irresistible logic of his argument, he would have a permanent place among the orators of the world; if he had given to the world nothing but the commandment, "Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself," enforced as it was by his own example, this one gift would have been sufficient to outweigh all the wealth of the world; if he had left no record but the Sermon on the mount, it alone would have made his natal day worthy of perpetual celebration.

But all these, added to the matchless majesty of a perfect life and the inspiring influence of an all-prevailing love, are turning the eyes of an ever increasing number to the path that he trod from Bethlehem to Golgotha—from the manger to the cross.—Our Young Folks.

One Kind Action a Day

When you rise in the morning form a resolution to make the day a happy one to a fellow creature, says Sidney Smith. It is easily done—a left off garment to a man who needs it, a kind word to the sorrowful, an encouraging expression to the striving. Trifles in themselves as light as air will do it, at least for the twenty-four hours, and if you are young, depend upon it, it will tell when you are old, and if you are old it will send you gently and happily down the stream of time to eternity. By the most simple arithmetical sum look at it—you send one person, only one, happily through the day, that is 365 during the course of the year. And suppose you live only forty years after you commence that kind of medicine: you have made 14,600 beings happy, at all events for a time. Now, is not this simple? It is too short for a sermon, too homely for ethics, too easily accomplished for you to say, "I would if I could."

A Child's Assurance.

Three little children were spending the evening together when a violent thunderstorm came on, which obliged them to stay where they were all night. Just before prayer time the gentleman of the house told them they might each choose the Bible verse they liked best and tell why they loved it.

"I know what my verse will be for this night," spoke up Margery. "I don't know where to find it, but it says, 'The God of glory thundereth.'"

"Why did you choose that verse, Margery?" inquired her friend.

"Because I think it's so nice, when you hear that awful noise, to know it is God. It makes me think of one day long ago. Aunt Annie was out, and I heard a great noise up in the loft when I was all alone in the house, and I was so frightened I screamed, and fathers voice called out, 'Don't be afraid, little Margie, it's only father.' And now, when it thunders very loud, it always seems as if I heard God say, 'Don't be afraid, little Margie, it's only Father,' and I dont feel a bit frightened."

His Guide-Posts to Success.

Rufus J. Lackland of St. Louis, president of Boatmen's Bank, is 86 years old and still attends daily to business. In a Post-Dispatch article he gives the following as the guide-posts that led to his success in life:

When I was a clerk in a grocery store I went on the principle of seeing how much I could do, instead of how little I could do.

I was always more interested in the affairs of my employers than in my own.

Young men of to-day are too much given to the pursuit of pleasure.

They do not find pleasure in work and in attending to the duties of life.

They are not satisfied with their plane of life.

They want to live like rich men, and speculate to try to get the means to do so.

In my steamboat experience I saw so much of the evil effects of gambling and dissipation that I decided success was to be attained by avoiding those things.

I did so, and when my opportunity came I was ready to embrace it.

Why a Woman Ages.

She has in the first place lost the secret of simplicity. Life exacts a great deal of her and she allows too much to fall on her shoulders. She tries to do too much in too short a time and soon the nervous strain begins to show by the lines of anxiety drawn about her mouth, the wrinkled brow; she talk in a sharper tone, she worries, she is easily annoyed, she drags herself down and breaks after a while.

A woman who does her own work should save herself all steps possible. If you are being a drudge, change your ways. If you want to grow old gracefully let the heart keep young and the face remain one of cheer and pleasantness.

Take things easier as you go; don't let the little foolish things ruffle you; don't worry; love your neighbors; don't allow your temper to conquer you; live for others, and be appreciative. Live a beautiful life and your preparation for old age will bring you peace and happiness.

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THE PIRATE SURRENDERS

Sails Into a Roumanian Port, Accompanied By a Rebel Torpedoboat, and Gives Up.

Crew Landed, and Is Dispatched In Small Parties to Different Places On Frontier.

OFFERED TO PRESENT THE SHIP TO ROUMANIAN GOVERNMENT

Surrendered as Deserters, and Therefore Escape the Punishment Russia Meles Out to Mutineers—Admiral Kruger Proceeds to Kustenji, and Takes Possession of the Vessel.

Kustenji, Roumania, July 9.—The mutinous crews of the Kniaz Potemkin and her consort, the rebel torpedo-boat, have surrendered to the Roumania authorities, have been landed and are now being dispatched in small parties to different places on the Roumanian frontier.

Surrender or Leave.

The formal surrender of the mutinous crews actually occurred at 1 p. m., after a series of discussions and negotiations between the Roumanian authorities and the leaders of the mutineers.

The Roumanian officers who boarded the battleship on her arrival here challenged the crew to surrender, in which case they would be treated as foreign deserters, or else leave the port forthwith. It specially became apparent that the Russian vessels returned to this port with the intention of paying themselves up to a foreign government, and the crews soon announced their acceptance of the Roumanian terms.

Wanted to Take the Treasure.

The mutineers wanted to take off the treasure which was on board the Kniaz Potemkin, but the authorities declined to acquiesce.

The Russians will gradually be conveyed to any frontier they may select, and will then be liberated, the local officials having given an understanding to this effect.

The Roumanian flag has been hoisted over the Roumanian war vessels as well as the Russian so as to prevent any attack on them in Roumanian waters by the Russian squadron which are reported to be in pursuit of the mutineers.

Caused Great Excitement.

The mutineers offered to surrender as deserters, and the Roumanian authorities demanded the breechlocks of the battleship's guns as a pledge of good faith.

The mutineers first offered to present the battleship to the Roumanian government, as they declare they are anxious that she should not be handed over to Russia.

The appearance of the Kniaz Potemkin and the rumors concerning the intentions of her crew caused the greatest excitement in Kustenji, and attracted large crowds to the sea front. The excitement was increased later in the day, when it became known that the mutineers had offered to surrender to the Roumanian authorities as deserters and that the Roumanian officials had demanded the breechlocks of the guns of the battleship as a pledge of the mutineers' good faith.

The mutineers asked the Roumanian authorities to guarantee that they would furnishe the sailors who surrendered with Roumanian passports, and also to guarantee that they shall not be extradited to Russia.

Sent to the Bottom.

[A late dispatch from Kustenji says: The mutineers, before leaving the vessel, opened the sea cocks and flooded her hold. The big battleship now lies at the bottom, but it is expected she will be floated soon, and the authorities believe she will be able to sail by July 12.

During the last two days that the vessel was in the hands of the mutineers it was navigated by two engineers and an officer, who were forced to do so, for revolvers were at their heads. All the crew, it is said, with the exception of Matuschenko, the leader of the mutiny, desired to surrender. Seven officers were found imprisoned on board the Potemkin, and were in a pitiable condition. Matuschenko, himself, they declare, killed ten officers. All books and papers were destroyed. A Russian priest, after the Russian authorities had taken possession of the vessel, sprinkled the vessel and flag with holy water.

A number of the mutinous crew have applied to be returned to Russia, saying they were compelled, through force, to join the mutineers.

The torpedo boat that accompanied the Potemkin did not surrender, but left the port. The crew declare that they never mutinied, but were forced to accompany the Potemkin.

A Gift From Carnegie.

New York, July 8.—Gen. O. O. Howard, who for the last 13 years has been engaged in promoting the finances of Lincoln Memorial university at Cumberland Gap, Tenn., has received information that Andrew Carnegie has given $20,000 to build a library for the institution.

Peace Conference at Portsmouth.

Washington, July 11.—It is officially announced that Portsmouth, N. H., will be the scene of the peace negotiations between Russia and Japan after their removal from Washington.

Some Illinois capitalists have organized a company to begin preliminary work, having in view the construction of a tunnel under the Mississippi river at St. Louis, for street railway, railroad and wagon traffic.

It is announced that the suicide season at Niagara has opened, and the cases are almost always strangers.

RICH MAN CUTS HIS THROAT

Was Formerly Bank Cashier at St. Joseph, Mo.

Institution Closed Five Years Ago, and He Grew Melancholy Because He Could Not Work.

Philadelphia, July 11.—While his wife, who had fought for years to prevent such an act, turned her head for a second, Silas McDonald, wealthy and for 25 years a banker in St. Joseph, Mo., fatally gashed his throat with a razor at his home, 3721 Baring street.

Mrs. McDonald glanced around just as the blade was used, and, with a cry of horror, threw herself on her husband and tried to wrest the weapon from him. He fought her back, her slight strength being of no avail against his maniac power, and the keen blade of the razor gashed deep into her hand. Once free from her grasp, the frenzied man slashed again at his throat, cutting deep into the flesh and severing the carotid arteries. His two daughters, like their mother, constant watchers of their father, rushed into the room as the last cut was made.

Melancholia caused his suicide.

McDonald, who was a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania, class of 1875, was for 15 years cashier of the State National bank at St. Joseph, Mo. Five years ago C. B. Pranger, the president of the institution, died. Soon afterward his broker in-law, Edward Lindsay, one of the heaviest stockholders in the bank, passed away, and after their deaths it was decided to close the institution. This threw McDonald out of his position, and he became melancholy, declaring that he wanted work, gradually growing worse, until he was brought each.

Both of his sons are away on business. The younger, Silas McDonald, is a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania medical department.

A Brother Committed Suicide.

St. Joseph, Mo., July 11.—Silas McDonald was for 25 years prominent in business circles of St. Joseph, both as a banker and merchant. He left here two years ago to engage in the banking business in Philadelphia. His brother, Daniel McDonald, a prominent business man, committed suicide by shooting here eight years ago. The body will be brought here for burial.

MOB SHOOTS SPAUGH BOYS.

They Shoot at Murderers of Former Sheriff Polk, Filling Their Legs With Lead.

Ironton, Mo., July 9.—A gang of masked men overpowered Sheriff Marshall at 1:30 a. m., forced their way into the corridor of the county jail, and fired several shots at William and Arthur Spaugh held for the murder of Sheriff Polk. Each of the boys received three bullets in his legs, but neither was fatally wounded.

Sheriff Marshall, who acts as jailor also, was awakened by violent knockings at the front door. He asked who was there.

"A government officer with a prisoner," was the answer.

Donning part of his clothes, the sheriff went to the door, throwing it wide open. Instantly he was seized and gagged before he could make an outcry. His arms and feet were bound.

Then, through the bars of the cell the men began shooting. Two dozen shots were fired in rapid succession. The Spaugh boys had been too frightened to cry out, and only the sounds of the shots had been heard when the masked men turned and left the corridor and the jail. The sheriff was left to free himself, which he did in a short time.

The Spaugh brothers were taken to the St. Louis jail, by orders of the governor, who has also instructed the attorney-general to investigate the affair.

Say Sheriff Opened the Door.

St. Louis, July 11.—The Spaugh brothers, William and Arthur, whose legs were filled with bullets in the jail at Ironton, Mo., and who are now in the St. Louis jail by order of Gov. Folk, declare that the sheriff opened the door of the jail for the mob. They are charged with killing Sheriff Polk of Iron county. A dispatch from Ironton says the sheriff emphatically denies the charge.

TWO BOYS SORELY MANGLED

Negro Boy and a White Boy, While in Search of Work, Run Down By a Train.

St. Louis, July 9.—Wm. Hatfield colored, aged 14, and an unidentified white boy, aged 13, were terribly mangled by a Wabash passenger train in the yards. The boys were in search of work. The colored boy's right arm was severed at the shoulder and his right leg was cut off. The white boy was disemboweled, left thigh broken and right leg cut off.

Father and Mother Die of Smallpox.

Big Sandy, Tex., July 11.—Dr. J. F. Mattox and wife, of this place, died of smallpox. Their three children are critically ill with the disease.

Preacher Gets Rockefeller Potatoes.

Cleveland, O., July 9.—A basket of potatoes, in each of which was imbedded a $5 gold piece, was presented here to Rev. Charles A. Eaton, of the Euclid Avenue Baptist church, of which John D. Rockefeller is a member. Mr Rockefeller attended the presentation and is said to have been the donor.

An Indiana Giant Dead.

Richmond, Ind., July 9.—Andrew J Hart, of this city, is dead in California. He was 6 feet 10½ inches tall, and traveled with a circus.

An alliance of women's clubs at Portsmouth, O., having nothing else to do, is making war on the onion and onion eater. It is said that the discussion grew so heated that many quarrels resulted and one marriage engagement was broken.

There are now 32,000 free rural delivery routes in operation and nearly 5,000 more are being considered.

ATTORNEY JEROME AND TOM LAWSON

They Come Together at the Banquet of the Knife and Fork Club.

JEROME TAKES A FLING AT AUTHOR OF FRENZIED FINANCE

The Boston Broker and "Truth Teller" Returns the Fire, and Expresses the Belief That Jerome, as District Attorney, Will Put Stripes On Several Equitable Directors.

Kansas City, Mo., July 9.—The Knife and Fork club held the greatest of all its monthly banquets at the Midland hotel. Four hundred guests were present to hear Thomas W. Lawson of Boston and District Attorney Jerome of New York. The speakers were: C. S. Nusbaum, secretary of the Ottawa (Kan.) Chautauqua assembly; E. J. Ridgeway, editor of Everybody's Magazine; S. S. McClure, editor of McClure's Magazine; W. T. Jerome, district attorney of New York, and Thomas W. Lawson.

Mr. Jerome said, in part:

"Every time I come to this great country of yours I go back home a little better and with a wider perspective. Much of dear old Puritan blood that once furnished the fiber of this great country has drifted away. In the olden days New England was the vital spot, and from it flowed out the streams of patriotism. And to-day you people must help find the men who will carry on this work of reform.

"I didn't come to the west to learn. I brought here no kernels of truth to be planted in your magic soil. I want to take them back with me; we need them in our business. I came to meet good fellows. I came predisposed to like these good fellows, and my every predisposition has been realized."

Mr. Jerome spoke jestingly of Mr. Lawson and his writings. At the outset of his speech Mr. Lawson addressed himself directly to Mr. Jerome in a most impassioned manner because of the latter's references to him. Mr. Lawson said, in part:

"My story is a simple one. I take the theme 'Truth, the Wrongs of the American People and Those Who Committed Them.' I came here to lay at your feet in my simple way the mazie kernel of truth. It was not given to me to do things, Mr. Jerome, as it has been given to you. It is my misfortune and your good fortune that you do things and I can only talk.

"I would rather be you and have your position than to be the president of the United States or John D Rockefeller with his $500,000,000.

"I can bring only my simple story of truth, and I am sorry that I can not do more. I have as much respect for your honesty, ability and honest intentions, Mr. Jerome, as any man has, but I am not going to apologize to you or to any one else for my efforts in trying to tell the American people about frenzied finance. The people of the west sent for me; I am here, and I am not going to apologize.

"Mr. Jerome, the people of New York are going to give you a second term, and it is your good fortune and my misfortune that you, and not I, can put several directors of the Equitable Assurance society in stripes—and you will do it.

"It is your opportunity to drag the Equitable directors into prison, and you are going to do it.

"I am sorry, Mr. Jerome, that you did not see fit to give me a 'send-off' here to-night, when I am in the most embarrassing position I ever experienced in my life. Your words struck me to the heart on the first occasion in my life when I ever addressed a large body of my American fellow-citizens."

FLOATS ON RUSSIAN SOIL

The Japanese Land on the Island of Sakhalin, and Their Flag Now Floats In Russia.

St. Petersburg, July 11.—The Japanese have landed on the Island of Sakhalin. The garrison of the island was too weak to offer effective resistance.

[Sakhalin (or Sakalien) lies between latitude 45 and 55 and about longitude 53. It is about 600 miles from Vladivostok, and is from 15 to 50 miles from the main land of Asia. It is the first instance of the flag of Japan flying over Russian soil.]

Looked On as Hopeless.

St. Petersburg, July 11.—Any further attempt to prosecute the war with Japan is looked on as hopeless by the government. A high court official made this statement discussing the conquest of Sakhalin island by the Japanese.

For Single Statehood.

Oklahoma City, Okla., July 8.—A call has been issued by the Indian leaders of Indian territory for a single-statehood convention.

The Loebs to Take a Vacation.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., July 11.—Secretary and Mrs. Loeb expect to leave Oyster Bay in about ten days on an extended trip to the Yellowstone national park. During Mr. Loeb's absence the executive work will be directed by Assistant Secretary Bernes.

General Statehood Convention.

Oklahoma City, Okla., July 11.—A general statehood convention will be held at Oklahoma City Wednesday, which, it is expected, will be attended by 1,200 delegates from Indian territory and Oklahoma.

Chas. J. Devlin, the miner and banker, whose large borrowings caused the failure of the Topeka bank, has filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy, fixing his liabilities at $2,724,000. It is claimed by his friends that his mines and other property, if properly managed, will more than pay all liabilities. Mr. Devlin has been threatened with paralysis for some weeks and is unable to look after his business interests.

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The following statement of the operations of the national treasury for the fiscal year ending June 30 was made public June 29:

"The government fiscal year ends to-morrow. The treasury deficit for the year will be approximately $24,500,000. The amount is subject to a slight, but not material change. The last report of the secretary of the treasury estimates a deficit for this fiscal year of $18,000,000. The actual deficit exceeds this by $6,500,000. The receipts for the fiscal year have been about $543,000,000, $2,000,000 more than the receipts estimated by the secretary of the treasury in his last report. The expenditures have been $567,500,000, or about $8,500,000 more than was estimated. The month of June just closing shows a handsome surplus of nearly $13,000,000 and reduced the deficit from $37,000,000 to $24,500,000.

"A comparison of the receipts of this fiscal year with those of the preceding year shows remarkably small changes. A comparison of the expenditures of the two years shows wider variations. Civil and miscellaneous expenditures in 1904, excluding payment for the right of way for the Panama canal and the loan to the Louisiana Purchase Exposition company, were $132,400,000; this year they were $147,200,000, an increase of $15,000,000 of which more than half is an increase in the postal deficiency. The war department expenditures in 1904 were $115,300,000; this year $122,400,000, an increase of $7,000,000. Navy department expenditures in 1904 were $102,800,000; this year $117,300,000, an increase of $14,500,000. Indians in 1904, $10,400,000; in 1905, $14,600,000, an increase of $4,200,000. Pension payments in 1904, $142,600,000; in 1905, $141,700,000, a decrease of $1,000,000. Interest payments were the same for the two years, $24,500,000."

Public School Matters.

The following information is furnished by the State Department of Education.

Nearly all the county boards of education have selected books for the schools under their respective jurisdictions and have, in the main, done well. Perhaps not more than one-third of the books have been changed and they have been those that needed changing most.

As a result of changes in text books recently made by the county boards of education, it is expected that there will be great improvement in the teaching of grammar and history in the schools. The people will also welcome the natural slant in penmanship as a substitute for the vertical.

State Supt. Carrington is distributing to the counties copies of the school laws passed by the recent legislature. He is also sending out "Synopsis of the Compulsory Attendance Law" to be posted in each district ten days before school opens. District clerks may expect the county school commissioner to supply them with these required notices.

The State Library Board recently at a meeting in Kansas City revised the list of library books from which school districts must select their books. Every rural school district, under the requirements of the law, should spend each year from five to twenty dollars for library and supplementary books. The district can not make a better investment. The State Superintendent has supplied county superintendents and commissioners copies of the revised list.

Six years ago, the State Course of Study was first issued. It was arranged to suit the adopted books. A change in books made it necessary to revise it. This has been done by the State Superintendent assisted by many of the best teachers of the State. It is fuller and more complete in its suggestions. It is not based on any special text-books, but may be used successfully with any good texts. It is sent to every county commissioner in sufficient quantities to supply every teacher and every district clerk with a copy.

Attorney General Hadley has given two opinions on the text-book situation. In his opinion to Supt. Carrington he says that county boards of education have the right to select text-books for the schools under their respective jurisdictions. In an opinion to the Prosecuting Attorney of Wright county he says that county boards have no authority of law to enter into contracts, etc. These opinions are not inconsistent in the least. County boards of education should select books and arrange with publishers and dealers that they be on sale at lowest prices. For the sake of economy and uniformity, school boards and teachers should use in their schools the books selected and recommended by the county board.

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