

Happy New Year!

HAPPY New Year! This age-old greeting with which friend again hails friend, brings to us the realization that we have reached another cross road of time, another milestone on the long trail of human progress.

We are again reminded that time never waits for anyone, hence, the important business in our allotted span of life is to keep pace with Father Time.

Looking back on the trail over which you have been plodding along this past year, you may have reasons to feel satisfied, but if you look carefully you may find that there are any number of acts undone that you at the outset promised yourself to do during the year. Many things you started well, with good intentions, you left undone. These, too, are marring the record you made during the year.

If you set yourself the single purpose and calculated on measuring your time in dollars and cents, you made a mess of it, and your trail is staked with signs reading: A failure has passed this way."

If in-your money-making madness you sought but one thing besides in life: **pleasure**, the chances are that you have violated all the rules of the road of life, a high pressure proposition, who had no regard for your fellow travelers, some of whom had heavy burdens to carry.

While you can not go back over the road you came and right all wrongs, you may have enough of a surplus in your treasury of human endowment to get a new start and make another record in which the outstanding feature shall be that you were considerate of fellow travelers and found happiness in helping those carry their burdens who were "heavy laden."

And the trail you shall travel this coming year shall be staked with signs reading: "A success has passed this way!"

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