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## BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Many shall be purified, and made white, and tried; but the wicked shall do wickedly: and none of the wicked shall understand; but the wise shall understand.—Daniel 12:10.

## A Mother's Will

An unusual will was recently filed for probate in New York City in which a clergyman's widow, Mrs. Lydia Harding Hammond bequeaths not riches but a legacy of love to her children, who are urged to bury her cheaply, to wear no mourning and to think of her as living happily in heaven with their father.

The will and letter accompanying is a sermon in itself. It reads in part:

Don't keep anything just because it was mine; they are just things and worn and shabby at that; love doesn't need such things for remembrance. \* \* \* I won't be separated from any of you, dear children. I'll just be closer to God and will understand better the ways in which prayer and faith can open ways through which God can help you and I'll be able at least to love you with all my heart and without anything in that love that will make you feel as if I wanted to control you or bother you. \* \* \* Bury my body as cheaply as you can and forget it. Don't wear mourning. And think of me as alive, alive beyond your farthest thought, and near, and loving you, and well at last, far as the winds of heaven and learning more and more the things I want to know and growing more toward what God wants me to become. \* \* \* Love one another. Hold fast to that which you understand one another or not, and remember nothing really matters except being kind to one another and to all the world as far as you can reach.

Who would not be richer with inheritance like this than much fine gold? And yet what mother does not leave her children just such a legacy? It is part of mother love, the priceless heritage of us all. There is,

In all this cold and hollow world, no fount  
Of deep, strong, deathless love, save that within  
A mother's heart.

## Awakening

The Iowa anti-saloon league declare that either the state and federal liquor laws must be enforced "with utmost rigidity" or the people of Iowa "must face possible modification" to permit the making and sale of light wines and beer. Sentiment for modification is declared to have reached "huge proportions," and threatens to "destroy the good work that already has been done."

Prohibition is a farce that sooner or later the people will tire of. It will either be modified or become a dead letter like the 15th Amendment. There is no dearth of booze anywhere in this broad land, and even in dry Kansas, William Allen White declares that almost everyone is either "taking a drink, just had a drink or on his way to get a drink." It has bred hypocrisy, corruption, and demoralization.

Prohibition is an instance of a law attempting to make public opinion instead of public opinion making the law. The only hope of its enforcement lies in rallying public opinion to its support, and it refuses to rally, despite the strenuous campaign in its behalf. And when public opinion does not support a law it might as well never have been made. It was passed on the theory that passage of a law changes human nature.

Over a century ago, Thomas Jefferson rejoicing in the reduction of the tariff on wine, as a temperance measure, wrote:

No nation is drunken where wine is cheap; and none sober, where the dearth of wine substitutes ardent spirits as the common beverage. It is, in truth, the only antidote to the banes of whiskey. Its extended use will carry health and comfort to a much enlarged circle.

Prohibition has made the ardent spirits of moonshine the national beverage.

## Prohibition by Poster Will Be a Great Show

(Neal O'Hara, in the New Orleans States)  
Congress has appropriated \$250,000 for an advertising drive to popularize prohibition. Officials can think of only one better way of blowing perfectly good money. That is to advertise Miami as a winter resort in all the Los Angeles papers. The campaign opens next July. The first wad of taxpayers' mamas will be spent on posters with appropriate slogans. These slogans will be placed in public buildings, encouraging citizens to be good and fostering sentiment in favor of prohibition. It is expected the posters will have the same strong appeal as No-spitting-on-the-sidewalk and Keep-off-the-grass commands. The Prohibition Commissioner at Washington is now considering

what slogans are the best. Among the campaign posters liable to be selected are the following gems:  
Coming! Coming!  
PROHIBITION!  
The Mighty, Marvellous, Mastodonic Miracle of the Twentieth Century.  
Free street parade of wild animals and reptiles seen under the influence of bootleg hooch. Coming to this city soon.  
PROHIBITION!  
"It Satisfies."  
Drink Near-Beer. The drink that made Milwaukee famous. It is 99.44-100% per cent. non-alcoholic. A cherry float in it.  
PROHIBITION!  
Has made the poor man thirsty. Has made the rich man wealthy. Has made the undertaker wealthy. Has decreased crime 99.99 per cent.

## WOODBURN NEWS

Woodburn, May 9—Mrs. L. S. Mitchell attended the meeting of the Willamette Presbytery at Grace church, Albany, Monday evening giving an address and Mother's day will be observed at both the Presbyterian and the M. E. churches on Sunday, May 10. Special vocal and instrumental selections as well as readings appropriate to the day are to be a part of the programs. Flower committees are at work and it is hoped to make the observance of the day effective.  
E. J. Forsythe will leave next Wednesday for Columbus, Ohio, to represent Willamette Presbytery at the general assembly of the Presbyterian church. Before returning home he will visit his daughter, Miss Irene Forsythe, a student at the Meady Bible institute.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Austin and daughter Julia Hill visited at St. Helena over the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Atkin.  
Dr. and Mrs. H. L. Deyer of St. Helena were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Austin the first part of the week.  
The domestic art classes of the high school here announced a style show in the school auditor-

ium Wednesday May 13 at 2 p. m. Raleigh Van Cleave has returned to his home for the summer. He has been a student at the Moody Bible institute for the past year.  
**NEW INCORPORATIONS**  
Imperial Chocolate Shop, Portland; incorporators, Sam J. Callis, Steve Vovras, H. A. Carapilla; capital, \$5000.  
Smith's Wall Paper House, Portland; incorporators, Floyd R. Smith, Gertrude L. Smith, Lewis Favor; capital, \$25,000.  
Sellwood General Hospital, Portland; incorporators, Linford S. Beeson, C. F. Richardson, Frank J. Streibig Jr.; capital \$50,000.  
Voorhees company, Portland; incorporators, Chris A. Bell, William L. Brewster, Dorothy Kidd; capital, \$5000; brokers.  
Notice of an increase in capital from \$25,000 to \$100,000 was filed by Bell & company of Portland.  
Notice of an increase from \$200,000 to \$375,000 was filed by the Home Independent Telephone company of La Grande.

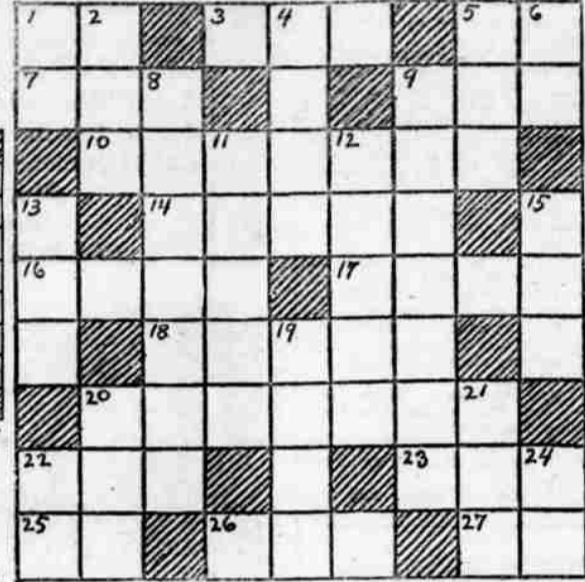
## TODAY'S CROSS WORD PUZZLE

### HORIZONTAL

1. Millimeter (ab.)
3. To leave
7. Period of time
9. Conveyance
10. Instrument used for scraping
14. Atlantic seaport at Panama
16. Favorite New England desert
17. To pack away
18. One who dives
21. Wholesaler
22. Undeveloped stem or shoot
23. Muscular organ
25. Within
26. Possessive of it
27. Type measurement

### HOW TO SOLVE THE CROSS WORD PUZZLE

The way to solve the Cross Word Puzzle is to fill in the white squares of the diagram with the words which agree with the accompanying definitions. The definitions are numbered to correspond with the numbers on the diagram. Any word defined in the text under "HORIZONTAL" will begin at its number, shown on the diagram, and will extend all the way across to the first black space to the right of that number. That is, the word must begin in the square that contains its identifying number, and extend as far as the white squares continue uninterruptedly. Any word defined under "VERTICAL" will also begin in the white space that contains its number, but will extend downward as far as the white squares remain uninterruptedly.



### SOLUTION OF YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

RECEIPT  
R NAP MAD  
IRANIC BE  
GOB C V S  
GELD VENT  
I E M NOR  
NY TOLEDO  
GAS RYE Y  
MANNERS

### VERTICAL

1. Objective of it
2. Mistress (ab.)
3. Genuine
5. A fish
6. Ether
8. Agreed to
9. Chief
11. Substance exuded from plants
12. One who poses
13. One who watches other secretly
15. Possess
19. To give expression to
20. Weapon
21. Recline
22. British India (ab.)
23. Past Master (ab.)

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## BRINGING UP FATHER



## BARNEY GOOGLE AND SPARK PLUG

This "Soots" Barney Perfectly

By Billy de Beck



## KRAZY KAT

The Sleeping Beauty

By Herriman



## MUTT AND JEFF

Menageries Don't Want Dead Beasts, So Jeff Proceeds to Take Them Alive

By Bud Fisher



## My MATRIMONIAL VACATION

by Violet Dare

### THE GAME BEGINS

Having decided to turn Frank Harrison over to Virginia, I began at once to make plans. For instance, that evening I manoeuvred things around so that she went with us to the opera. Then I carefully said things that I knew would rub him the wrong way. Things about age, for instance, as I knew that was a tender subject with him. "But the tenor is so old!" I exclaimed, during the first intermission. "Wh, he must be forty!" I knew that Frank Harrison would never see forty-five again. Virginia laughed, and tried desperately to cover what she thought was a slip on my part. "He's old for forty," she said. "A man of forty is very young nowadays. You'll still feel young when you're forty, won't you, Frank?"

Virginia came into my room the next morning while I was having breakfast. Her face was so white and drawn that it frightened me. "Nancy, you've got to help me!" she said. "I'm in great trouble."

"Of course I'll help you," I answered. "But don't let it scare you. The worst part of trouble is taking it seriously." "Not when it's money trouble," she answered. "And that's what is worrying me. I thought I saw a chance to make a lot of money, and bought some stock on a margin. Now it's gone down, and I haven't money enough to margin. I lose all the money I've put into it and be frightfully in debt." "Too complicated for me," I told her. "But I can understand that we ought to have money and we haven't. What do we do?" "I wish you wouldn't be so flippant!" she exclaimed, disgustedly. "What we must do is get ten thousand dollars at once today. We haven't any security or I'd borrow it at the bank. I don't know what to do!" "I'd never seen Virginia so upset before. Usually nothing ruffled her composure. "Suppose you leave it to me," I suggested, after thinking things over for a moment. "I think I can see a way out." "I hoped you would," she said quickly. "Of course, sometimes the only way seems a hat I can take, but then, if one has plenty of money, things aren't very difficult. And you've seen how much love counts for—just nothing at all." "I couldn't imagine what she meant at first. Then suddenly I realized that as I thought things over I'd been fingering a rose that had been on my breakfast tray, one of a huge bunch that Frank Harrison had sent me that morning. And Virginia had thought that I was going to borrow the ten thousand "on account"—promising to marry him later on in payment. I suppose. At first I was furious. Then, when I remembered my plan for switching his attentions to her, I was just amused. Monday—This Little World!

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