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FOUND HAPPINESS IN WORK

Great Writers and Inventors Afraid With Much Wisdom in Refusing to "Rust Out."

Examples of long life accompanied by happiness in productive labor are numerous, both in biography and in contemporary life, observes the Yorkshire Post. B. W. Leader died the other day in his ninety-third year, after joyously producing his type of beauty in landscape art almost to the last. Edison, our greatest contemporary inventor, passed recently his seventy-sixth birthday. He was too busy to pause for congratulations, entirely happy in his research and experiment, finding the days too short for his exacting mind. The old classical apothegm which tells us that they die young whom the gods love, must be taken with the proverbial grain of salt. Wordsworth in all his verses breathed the atmosphere of contentment and joy, and survived until he was a happy octogenarian, glad in himself and gladdened by his countless admirers. Tennyson reached eighty-three, borne along as on the crest of a flowing wave of joy, the beating of which can be felt in all his work, even to his rhythmic swan's song of "The Pilot." Carlyle died at eighty-six, and, although lone and sad in his closing years, he owed his longevity very largely to the joy he had cultivated in his work for fifty productive years. Sir James Barrie, in his inimitable recital address, recently spoke the truth when he said that Carlyle's misery was an illusion to Carlyle himself and a myth in biography. He was happy in his work with a glow of joy that counteracted the pains of his nervous dyspepsia, and nursed his inherited vitality into continuous strength.

MIXED IN HIS METAPHORS

Of Course Brown Fully Understood What He Meant to Say, but He Blundered.

Mr. Brown was calling on an old friend.
 "I declare," he remarked to his friend's wife, "it quite cures me of homesickness to drop in here and see a little of your home life—or—er—not that your home life is anything but—the what I mean to say is that it makes me all the fonder of my own home—or rather, that, on the homeopathic principle, a half of the dog that bit you—which isn't, of course, what I mean. But when a man is lonely he can enjoy the society of almost anybody."
 "Sir!" said the lady, lolly.
 "I mean," returned Mr. Brown, as he mopped the perspiration from his face, "that, he it ever so humble—no, no, yours is not that—but there's no place like one's own—but, I mean—well, I must be going! Good day!"
 London Tit-Bits.

Stockmen Fight Pests.

Stockmen in the Canadian river district in Texas have shown themselves increasingly in accord with the poisoning methods advocated by the biological survey of the United States Department of Agriculture for the extermination of predatory animals, particularly coyotes. In one district, poisoning operations have resulted in a kill estimated as between 75 and 90 per cent of the coyotes over an area of 2,202 square miles. A border strip five miles wide, and including approximately 1,200 square miles, was poisoned, with a resultant kill of 25 per cent of the coyotes. In coyote poisoning operations stockmen do not usually spend time hunting dead animals beyond the point where they are convinced of the effectiveness of the method. It is considered more profitable to devote as much time and energy as possible to covering a wider territory with poison baits.

Woman Pirate Achieves Fame.

There recently appeared on the river at Hong-Kong, much to the alarm of ship owners and their crews, a woman pirate, who has already taken a heavy toll of loot from vessels. Nothing is known of her, except the fact that she speaks English, wears a serge costume and Wellington boots, and carries a wicked-looking revolver, with which she compels her victims to surrender. Under her are a score or more Chinese brigands, who, although they are cut-throats and robbers, obey her implicitly.

To the tilting man in New England fell the task of keeping worshippers awake during church services. He had a long staff with a knob on one end to tap the sleeping men, while on the other end was a fox tail to dangle in the face of sleeping women.

One Allen Bridges is spoken of in one of the early journals. He was very proud of having been appointed to wake the sleepers, and was determined to show his authority. He fastened a thorn to one end of his waking weapon.

"On ye last Lord's Day he did spy Mr. Tomlins sleeping," the journal reads. "He gave him a grievous prick in the hand. Whereupon Mr. Tomlins did spring up much above ye floor and with terrific force strike hys hand against ye wall.
 "And to ye great wonder of all, prophane exclaim 'Curse ye wood-chuck,' he dreamt ye was a wood-chuck had seized and bit hys hand."

The Bride's Bacon.
 "Here's a good one," said the man, as he opened his desk. "Just heard a young bride telling a friend that her first breakfast in her new home was a failure, because she had put too much lard in the bacon." "That's not so bad," said the business woman. "Friend of mine once told me that the doctor's order that she eat more breakfast meant that she would either have to get up earlier in the morning or fry the bacon the night before, as she understood it took a long time to cook pork."—Detroit News.

Happy Condition.
 There are elderly people who feel that they have never quite grown up. They are afflicted (oh, pleasant affliction) with what may be termed the malady of youth. Even so eminent a person as James Russell Lowell apparently felt this way about himself, for one day while passing an institution bearing the sign, "For Incurable Children," he remarked to his companion, "There is where I belong."—Boston Transcript.

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Mission House Made Memorial.
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More Students Take to Classics.
 An increase in the study of the classics this year has been announced by New York university. There were 100 students of Latin a year ago, as compared with 128 this fall. The number of Greek students increased from 28 to 48. There has been an even more pronounced increase in the number of students of the romance languages, amounting to nearly 75 per cent in French, or from 434 in 1921 to 757 in 1922.

Necessary Garden Equipment.
 The wisdom of Socrates, the strength of Hercules, the endurance of Atlas, the conquering power of Napoleon, the versatility of Leonardo da Vinci, the patience of Job, the optimism of Pollyanna—and the courage in the autumn to say, "Well, never mind, next year it will be a garden."—From Life.

Read the Wand Ads.

SUMMONS FOR PUBLICATION IN FORECLOSURE OF TAX LIEN
 In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Umatilla Anna M. Harthrong, Plaintiff, vs. Wilson S. Parks, and any other person or persons claiming any right, title, lien or interest in or to the within described property. Defendant.

To Wilson S. Parks, the above named defendant:

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON.
 You are hereby notified that Anna M. Harthrong is the holder of Certificate of Delinquency numbered 1740 issued on the Third day of August, 1921, by the Tax Collector of the County of Umatilla, State of Oregon, for the amount of Twelve Dollars and Fifty-one Cents (\$12.51) the same being the amount then due and delinquent for taxes for the year 1916, together with penalty, interest and costs thereon upon the real property assessed to you, of which you are

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Beginning at a point 1670 feet West and 1826 feet North of the common corner of Sections 9 and 10, 15 and 16, Township 5 North Range 28 E. W. M., thence North 0 degrees 8 minutes East 814 feet to point; thence North 0 degrees 8 minutes East to a point on the meander line

of the Columbia river, thence Westward down said meander line to a point where the same intersects the North and South center line through Section 9, thence South 0 degrees 6 minutes West to a point thence South 0 degrees 6 minutes West 966 feet to a point, thence North 82 degrees 55 minutes East 979.8 feet to the place of beginning, and there terminating, containing 34 acres, more or less, all being situated in the West half of the East half of fractional Section 9, Township 5 North, Range 28 E. W. M. he sold to satisfy the said judgment and all costs.

Therefore, I will at the West door of the Court House on the 9th day of July, 1923, at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M., sell the above described real property and all the right, title and interest which the defendant Llewellyn Brownell had therein on the 2nd day of May, 1923, or since then has acquired or at the date of sale has, the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction of said judgment, attorney's fees and all costs.

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