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WHAT IS SAUCE FOR THE GOOSE?

According to the Rev. W. M. Ryan, late of Trinity Church, any Government, or any individual who participates in the drink traffic "in any shape or form" for public or private profit, "sinks to the level of Judas—yea even lower than that."

PREMATURE.

THERE is a general tendency to anticipate the worst and to exaggerate symptoms which may or may not be suspicious.

will happen. The child who chases his ball across the street without noticing a coming car is pretty sure to get run over, and the most careful driver in the world cannot prevent it.

EDITORIAL NOTES

"What are you reading?" "Words," quoth he.

October still has a little rain and a little wind in reserve, as was amply demonstrated yesterday.

He who blows his own horn knows assuredly that it has been blown, but nobody else knows what he is blowing about.

The evenings are steadily lengthening, giving time for reading, study and also for time-wasting. How shall we spend them?

Welcome October, the month of gorgeous coloring, when "tired Nature puts on her beautiful garments" and prepares for rest.

Thanksgiving Day is the next public holiday. The nearest Monday to the never-to-be-forgotten "Eleventh Day of the Eleventh Month" is to be probably for all time to come the day of public thanksgiving in Canada.

The wonderfully fine weather during the last week in September was a great boon to the farmers, enabling them to gather in the straggling ends of their harvest. It has also added proof, if any were needed, that seed time and harvest in Prince Edward Island may always be relied upon.

The country boys are making money these days picking potatoes and there is a great demand for their services. Some of the world's most successful men laid the foundation of their success by earning pennies when they were boys. They earned pennies, the boys of today earn dollars.

Verbosity is a literary disease, a most common one and unfortunately not fatal to those afflicted with it. The thought, if there happens to be a thought, when buried in a mass of words, is lost as a grain of wheat is lost in a pile of chaff.

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Notes by the Way

THE Old Age Pension Act is now in force in British Columbia, the first Canadian Province to give it effect. The agreement between the Federal and Provincial Governments provides that on and after September 1st British Columbia will pay a maximum pension to those of its residents who have reached the age of 70 years and are pensionable under the Federal Old Age Pensions Act.

It would appear by the above extract from a Canadian Press despatch that the Province must first pay its pensioners the full amount to which they are entitled and at a later date—how much later we do not know—the Dominion Government will pay one-half of it back to the Provincial Government.

It is not yet known how many provinces will place themselves under the Act, but a beginning has been made on the Pacific Coast and it seems to be expected that the Prairie Provinces will follow that example.

The Canadian manufacturers of motor cars are hard hit by changes in the Australian tariff. They had sold cars in the Australian market to the value of \$7,500,000 a year during the past two years.

More important from the announced intention of the Ontario Government to remove the snow all winter from the principal highways of that province, so that motor cars may be operated throughout the year. There was much discussion and many valuable suggestions offered in regard to the safety of the highways at the Canadian Good Roads Convention at Niagara, but that body has no administrative or legislative authority.

Among the new regulations to secure greater safety on the streets is one already put in force in Toronto requiring all horse-drawn vehicles to carry sidelights at night. This, with strict rules against blinding headlights on cars, or driving with but one headlight, or without lights, at night are among the precautions demanded by the public to be vigorously enforced under increasingly heavy penalties.

Quite beyond all that was expected or believed to be possible, the Saunders-Alliance combination have demonstrated the ardent hypocrisy of their election campaign. They stand unmasked, as shameless deceivers, to the amazement of many honest and trusting temperance folk.



By James W. Barber, M.D.

That Body of Yours

LIVING FOREVER

I have spoken before about Carrel's experiment whereby he has kept cells alive for over ten years, by the simple process of giving them nourishment, and then washing out any accumulated poisons.

When the palmist wrote that the years of a man's life were three score years and ten, it would appear that the palmist, in looking about him, observed that seventy years seemed a good average length of life. When it was prolonged beyond this there was little or no enjoyment of life.

However we have records of much longer lives than seventy years in biblical times, and in our own times, with vigorous mental and physical health up to ninety and one hundred years.

It has been proven that the average length of life in man to-day is greater than at any time since the history of the human race.

There is now more knowledge of how to live, great plagues are now (except for influenza), a thing of the past. However heart, blood vessel and kidney ailments, and cancer, are now increasing, and whilst those who escape them help to keep up the average of life, as has been stated before it is the saving of the lives of small children, that has really increased the average duration of life during the past fifty years.

There is only one lesson. In babyhood and childhood you are carefully watched by parents and physician. Your natural activity of body takes care of the food you eat in your manhood or womanhood. However as you reach middle age, you indulge in more food and less exercise.

Daily Selections FOR Guardian Readers

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MY SOUL AND GOD.—Bless the Lord, O my soul. O Lord my God, thou art very great; thou art clothed with honour and majesty. Psalm 104:1.

PRAYER.—"Bless, O My Soul the living God."

THE CYNIC

In all this world of loveliness there lies Some blemish to attract the cynic's eyes; The rose of June is born of ache and hurt; The cynic says: "Its roots are in the dirt."

A little child comes racing down the street; The cynic says: "Twill grow to be a cheat." Ground for a hospital a rich man buys; The cynic jeers: "It pays to advertise."

Honor is doubted, mercy a mistake, The marriage vow is only made to break; The cheerful neighbor is a grinning fool, And only idiots live by law and rule.

Yet youth goes blithely singing on its way, And men and women brave the heat of day, Finding life's beauty worth its cost in tears; And joy exists, despite the cynic's sneers.

The Land We Love

By Frank Yelsh

Governor Simcoe's Grave

Q. Where was Governor Simcoe buried? A. The grave of Lieutenant Governor John Graves Simcoe, of Upper Canada, is in Wolford Chapel in East Devon, England, although there is a monument to his memory in Exeter Cathedral. He was the first Lieutenant Governor of Upper Canada, now Ontario, and also the founder of Toronto, where a monument stands in Queen's Park. The chapel has been bought and will be saved from threatened decay.

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Dominion Labor Voice Trades and Labor Congress "Meet" at Edmonton, Alta.

Spoke With no Uncertain Sound. (Historicus.)

One of the oldest Labor Associations in Canada held its annual "Meet" at Edmonton recently, and adopted resolutions in favor of uniformity in Workmen's Compensation Laws. This organization is a strong the organ in Halifax—the Citizens—says:

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"This matter will no doubt be brought to the attention of the Nova Scotia Government by the Provincial Executive of the Congress, supported by the various Labor Councils and other bodies throughout the province.

"The following are some of the recommendations made by the Trades Congress Committee: "In complying with the recommendation of the Executive Committee, as set forth in their report, the Trades Congress has carefully considered the question of uniformity of Workmen's Compensation legislation in the respective provinces of the Dominion. With a view to assisting in the attainment of desired uniformity of legislation, your committee has carefully reviewed a number of fundamental principles involved in the workmen's compensation legislation and submits the following for your endorsement as being possible of realization in all the provinces of the Dominion."

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Gruesome Triangle of Chicago Underworld

It is rather a gruesome melodrama of the Chicago underworld which was brought to the last act, if not the last scene, when Howard West was arrested by a New York detective and sent back to Chicago to stand his trial for murder.

His victim was his wife, Boo. He killed her because he thought she had betrayed him to the police, and it was her tremendous loyalty to Martin Durkin, her convention from every province in Canada. Its organ in Halifax—the Citizens—says:

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German Bomb Injures Three GREAT YARMOUTH, Eng. Oct. 3.—For 10 years a fishing boat which harbors here has been using as part of its ballast a rusty steel cylinder. When fisherman lighted a fire on the quayside to heat a bolt the cylinder lay near it. Suddenly it exploded. After it had badly burned and cut the man who was heating the bolt, in the face, blown his son into the river and injured another man, it was discovered that it had been a German incendiary bomb which had fallen during an air raid.

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