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Salaries in Foreign Service

The Indianapolis Star says editorially:
Great Britain's foreign representatives as well as our own have had their troubles, it seems, over the matter of remuneration, though the difficulties are not quite of the same character. Heretofore, for example, it has been the custom to pay the ambassador to this country a salary of \$10,000, this amount to cover expenses of entertainment, which usually mean a good deal in diplomatic life. This was a liberal enough sum in the days of a lower cost of living and when income taxes were not heavy. British income taxes are now high and the complaint is that they eat up a salary. Also the cost of living affects official salaries like any others.

A solution for the tax difficulty has been

found in the case of Sir Auckland Geddes, lately appointed to the Washington post, by reducing the salary to \$2,500 and giving him an allowance of \$17,500 for other expenses, only the salary being subject to tax. A total of \$20,000—\$100,000—should serve the purpose, especially as the British embassy at Washington has its own residence and official quarters. Our own diplomats are not so fortunately situated. In the past, \$17,500 has been the limit of their salaries and out of that sum they were obliged to pay house rent and expenses of entertaining. In the best of times this was not enough, with the result that only men of wealth, not by any means always the ablest or most desirable men for the places, could afford to accept the appointments.

Our representatives must now also pay income tax, which will still further limit them. Almost of necessity congress will have to increase that income, even if economy of expenditures is to be the watchword. At this time of all others we need able, sagacious, tactful men in our foreign service and it should be made possible that the best men could be chosen without regard to their private incomes. Whether the provision made for them be a moderate salary and a large allowance, or a larger salary, the total should be enough to enable the representative to be free from financial anxiety and to live in a manner that will not discredit his country.

Answers to Questions

R. D.—Where was Vice President Marshall born?—He was born in North Manchester, Webster county, Indiana, March 14, 1854. He began the practice of law in Columbia City.
Reader.—How long has Joseph Cannon served in Congress?—For 22 terms, but not continuous. He was not elected to serve in the 52d and 53d congresses. His present term began March 4, 1915.
F. L.—What is the population of Indianapolis?—According to the 1910 census it is 233,650. It is estimated that the 1920 census will show a population of 300,000. The official census report has not been received.
Pupil.—When was China declared to be a republic?—On February 12, 1912.
C. L.—Where is St. Helena?—It is 1,200 miles from the west coast of Africa. Its area is 47 square miles. The population is 3,520. The port of the island is called Jamestown.
Farmer.—Is there a difference between the American bushel and the British imperial bushel?—The British imperial bushel is about 3 per cent larger than the United States standard bushel. The British bushel contains 2,219.36 cubic inches, and the American 2,150.42 cubic inches.
R. S.—When did Robert G. Ingersoll die?—In 1899.
C. G.—Who was the first president of the Third Republic of France?—Louis Adolphe Thiers.

Readers may obtain answers to questions by writing the Palladium Question and Answer Department. Questions should be written plainly and briefly. Answers will be given briefly.

Dinner Stories

There is a certain physician in Los Angeles who admits the joke's on him. Incidentally, he will shortly lose his daughter. He tells it this way:
"I was in my study when the door was flung open and in came Jack. I knew him well, and just a glance told me he was not his usual self. Without waiting for him to speak I commenced an examination. His heart was fluttering, his brow was at fever heat, his pulse was racing.
"I sprang toward the phone, crying over my shoulder, 'You are a case for the hospital, young man.'
"Sure," he admitted, 'but you might have let me ask you first!'
"Ask me what? I demanded in astonishment.
"I want to marry your daughter," he said, and then I realized that I had made the wrong diagnosis and

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Today's Talk

By George Matthew Adams

TODAY—AND AFTER YOUR ARE FORTY.

A man's greatest creative work should be done after he is forty. Before that time he is but laying the foundation for the structure which shall be indicative of all that he is able to do.

It is significant that the majority who have not built a strong foundation by the time they are forty are the ones to whom failure and disappointment come.

Some of the most successful men—indeed probably a majority—do not attain great renown until after that age. But they are at school and at work before that.

There is a feeling among a large majority that if they are earning well and having a good time in their thirties, they have little to worry about. But statistics show that these same men ten years later are the ones who are regretting and complaining of their lot and ten years later still become largely dependent upon others. The time to build and to save is before you are forty!

Then with your ripened knowledge and experience you may expand, grow and enjoy as well. The time for rest is when your work is finished—speaking in the larger sense. Though to the real producer, his work is never finished. But ease and pleasure come as a man builds well.

Save as you go, both in money and strength. You will need them both after you have passed your forty mark.

Have an account at some bank to which you keep adding something regularly. Take systematic exercise every day. Get your full eight hours of sleep—and go to it unworried. Carry an insurance policy as big as you are able, in favor of the ones nearest and dearest to you. And keep educating your heart all the time.

Then from forty on, you will be worth while in the world and to yourself.

Good Evening

By Roy K. Moulton

THE VERY IDEA!

Oh, Cuba's a wonderful island—its praises I hasten to blurt. And it has a glorious climate, But nobody goes there for THAT.

Dr. Charlotte Davenport of Louisville, Ky., on her recent and ninety-fifth birthday, gave this advice: Husband and wife are plagues, but every woman should get the plague; make fun of husband's stupidities—don't scold; learn to like hardships and you'll succeed in marriage.

The lady doctor was born in Petrograd, married for the first time in France, is the mother of eighteen children and was married for the second time at the age of 72 to a man aged 26.

That, by the way, is the sort of advice that warms the cockles of friend husband's battered old heart.

Only two kinds of animals sleep standing up—horses and telephone users.

The tenant has a tougher time raising the rent than the landlord does.

HAVE YOU SEEN THIS GOAT'S WHEREABOUTS?

Strayed—A billy goat, has big horns and is an Angora goat, will pay a liberal reward for the goat's whereabouts. Address Boyd Biles, Athens, Ala.

Some people are just naturally forgetful or absent-minded or something. The other day a bank messenger failed to return with \$79,280. The memory schools have come along just in time.

Sign on Broadway: "Ladies Ready-to-Wear Clothes."
Well, it's about time.

What King Solomon said of the

readers of this column: "Happy is the man that findeth wisdom and getteth understanding."

A course at Columbia is to be illustrated by Oriental dances. The professor may call for assistance from the chorus of "The Midnight Colic."

Nobody had to March forth this year—but—

Memories of Old Days

In This Paper Ten Years Ago Today

The upbuilding of Bealview as a residence as well as factory district, was proposed by the South Side Improvement association, and a company was to be organized, to build up the addition.

The women of the city were preparing to unite and protest to city officials because of the neglected condition of the alleys, which were covered with ashes and trash.

Senator Albert J. Beveridge was tendered an invitation to speak at the banquet of the Wayne County Fish and Game association, scheduled for March 31.

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Masonic Calendar

Tuesday, March 16—Richmond lodge No. 198, F. and A. M. Called meeting. Work in Master Mason degree, beginning at 7 o'clock. Light refreshments.

TO RELIEVE CATARRH, CATARRHAL DEAFNESS AND HEAD NOISES

Persons suffering from catarrhal deafness, or who are growing hard of hearing and have head noises, will be glad to know that this distressing affliction can usually be successfully treated at home by an internal medicine that in many instances has effected complete relief after other treatments have failed. Sufferers who could scarcely hear have had their hearing restored to such an extent that the tick of a watch was plainly audible seven or eight inches away from either ear. Therefore, if you know of someone who is troubled with head noises or catarrhal deafness, cut out this formula and hand it to them and you may have been the means of saving some poor sufferer perhaps from total deafness. The prescription can be prepared at home and is made as follows:

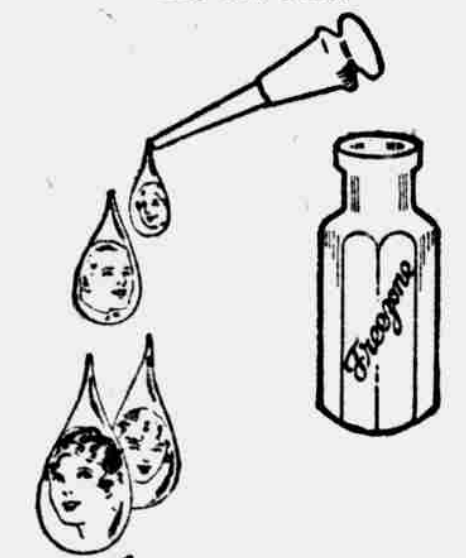
Secure from your druggist 1 ounce Parmit (Double Strength). Take this home and add to it ¼ pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar; stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful four times a day.

Parmit is used in this way not only to reduce by tonic action the inflammation and swelling in the Eustachian Tubes, and thus to equalize the air pressure on the drum, but to correct any excess of secretions in the middle ear, and the results it gives are nearly always quick and effective.

Every person who has catarrh in any form, or distressing rumbling, hissing sounds in their ears, should give this recipe a trial. —Advertisement.

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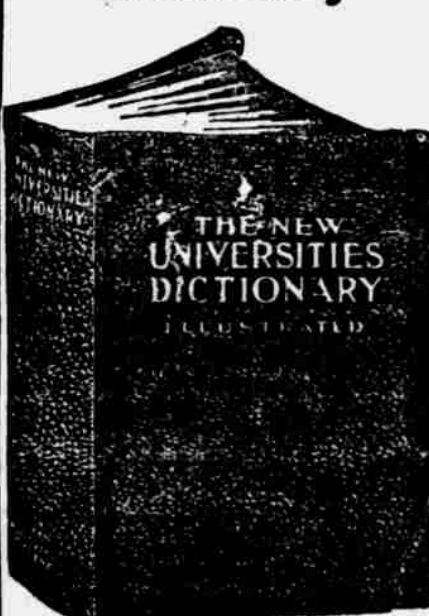
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