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Act at Once.

Nearly all the best work in the world is done by men who are pressed for time. John Wesley used to say: "Leisure and I have parted company." He filled up every hour of every day with some task or other. Our well-meaning friends who are going to accomplish something worthy at some indefinite date in the future when they are freed from the little drudgeries of daily life may as well undeece themselves. The relief for which they are looking will never come. If they mean to act they must act about it at once, and not be appalled nor hindered by the thousand and one besetments that the world puts in their way.

Applied Christianity.

Why do we attend religious meetings—the league, the prayer-meeting, the class-meeting, the public worship of God? Is it not that we may obtain truth which may be carried out in every-day life? One of the serious charges against professing Christians, and one of the great stumbling blocks in the way of the progress of the Church, is that there is a discrepancy between profession and practice, between religious pretension and every-day living. Of course it takes pains to bring our life up to the measure of our knowledge, but it must be done, else we live below the line of our duty and privilege. The thousands of Epworth Leaguers throughout Canada have appended application to show the meaning of the science of applied Christianity, the application of the principles of the gospel to every-day life and conduct.

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Ten Beautiful Resolutions.

Matrimony has ten commandments. They were studied out by Theodore Parker, shortly before his wedding day. They took the form of ten beautiful resolutions, which he inscribed in his journal. They are as follows: 1. Never, except for the best reasons, to oppose my wife's will. 2. To discharge all duties for her sake freely. 3. Never to scold. 4. Never to look cross at her. 5. Never to worry her with commandments. 6. To promote her piety. 7. To bear her burdens. 8. To overlook her foibles. 9. To save, cherish and forever defend her. 10. To remember her always in my prayers. Thus, God willing, we shall be blessed.

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