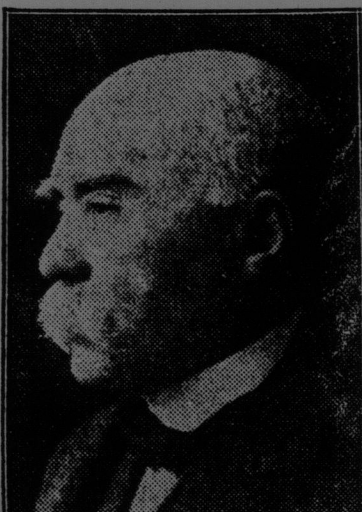


CLEMENCEAU IN LIMELIGHT.



Georges Clemenceau, former Premier of France, proposes to visit the United States in order to attempt "the revival of the entente between that country, France and Britain." This proposal on the part of the aged and aggressive "Tiger" has created a sensation in French political circles.

SCREEN AND BAR BEST PAID CALLINGS

(Toronto Mail and Empire.) According to calculations made in the United States, the surest and swiftest way to become wealthy is to invent something that the people want, and hang onto the patent rights. This has never been known to fail. But if one in pursuit of fortune is not of an inventive turn of mind he can become a movie star or a lawyer, for these are the most highly paid of professions. Perhaps half a dozen people in the United States receive incomes of a million dollars a year from their professions, and three of these are Mary Pickford, Douglas Fairbanks and Charlie Chaplin. Levy Mayer of Chicago, who died recently, was the chief legal representative of the packers, and it was said that he received about a million dollars a year. The greatest trial lawyer in the United States, admits that he receives more than \$1,000,000 a day for appearance in court, and since appearances in court is less than half his working day, it is supposed he earns in the neighborhood of a million a year. Another man in the same class is probably Samuel Untermyer of New York. It is worth noting that the three champion earning lawyers are Jews.

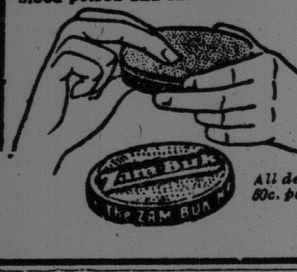
Dempsey Near the Top. These incomes are considerable when compared with those of John D. Rockefeller and Henry Ford, which are supposed to be between \$40,000,000 and \$60,000,000 a year, with the auto magnate in the lead, but, of course, these profits are the result of huge investments of capital, whereas the movie stars and the great lawyers need little capital. Perhaps the closest rival to the screen and the bar in the matter of huge earnings is the prize ring. It would not be difficult for Jack Dempsey to earn half a million dollars in a year. Recently it was reported that he had been offered a million for three fights. It is reported, however, that Dempsey's contract with Jack Kearns entitles the latter to half the champion's earnings, so perhaps Kearns, rather than Dempsey, should be classified as the great money-maker, for he will last longer than the fighter, and endure less punishment.

Money in Music. Leonard, the lightweight champion, is expected to earn about \$300,000 this year. It is supposed that Caruso earned this much or more, and that McCormack receives at least a quarter of a million dollars a year for lamenting about Ireland. These earnings, of course, include the sale of phonograph records. An opportunity to make \$250,000 in a concert tour enticed Geraldine Farrar from grand opera, and it is said that Mary Garden could make as much if she started a season on the concert stage. Another musical artist in a different sphere is Irving Berlin, who has received a quarter of a million dollars a year more than once. He is said to have sold two words to the United States for \$50,000 apiece, the words being "Hooryay, Hooryay" which supplied the well-known punch to his song, "My Wife's Gone to the Country." Bud Fusher, the cartoonist, is another quarter-of-a-million-dollar a year man, and since Bud has gone into the horse racing business, he probably finds it little enough.

Authors' Earnings. A New York surgeon, who specializes in head operations, has, according to the New York Times, received more than

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\$300,000 in a year. Arthur Brisbane, chief editorial writer for the Hearst papers, has long been the most highly-paid working journalist in the world. Ten or fifteen years ago he was supposed to receive \$50,000 a year, and later on popular rumor raised him to \$100,000. Undoubtedly he makes as much more from papers which he is the owner, and from another chain of them which he manages on a profit-sharing basis. Billy Sunday is supposed to earn \$200,000 a year, but the evangelist says that he gives away most of what he receives. Harold Bell Wright makes more than \$100,000 a year, and up to date the fruits of his pen have amounted to nearly \$2,000,000. Robert Chambers, Gene Stratton Porter and Booth Tarkington are reputed to have annual incomes of \$100,000.

Chase and Bull Fighting.

Babe Ruth receives about \$80,000 a year, which is \$20,000 less than Childie Hassam made from the sales of his pictures the year before last—his best year. Will Rogers, Irvin Cobb and Ring Lardner are reported to earn \$75,000 a year, the same as Joseph P. Day, an auctioneer, and Ivy Lee, a publicity man. No actor or actress outside of the films can earn as much as \$100,000 a year, the nearest approach to it being Ethel Barrymore, who spent a season in vaudeville and received \$2,500 a week. The most highly paid poet in the world is not Rudyard Kipling, but Walt Mason, who is supposed to make about \$50,000. The best year Capablanca, the chess champion, ever had netted him about \$10,000, but Bernotte, the Spanish matador, is said to have cleared \$500,000 a year when at the zenith of his fame. He received \$28,000 for one day's bull fighting in Peru, and \$100,000 for ten successive Sunday exhibitions in Mexico City.

AT UNEMPLOYMENT PARLEY.

Hon. C. W. Robinson, a member of the New Brunswick government who has been prominent at the national conference on unemployment held at Ottawa under the auspices of the dominion government.

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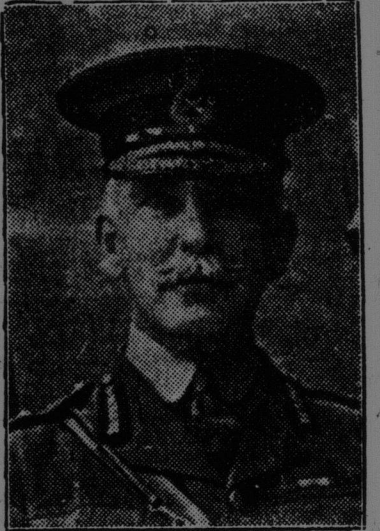
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injured audience might work. It is, of course, the duty of a man who suddenly develops a frog in his throat to go outside and kill the frog. If, however, he remains, then the audience, as with one accord, should turn and look at him reproachfully.

It doesn't work when only one—the man whose backbone you are industriously kicking—turns and tries to slay you with a look. But when a number of people turn their heads uneasily to view the offender he feels like the unoffending spectator in the proscenium box upon whom the spotlight is suddenly turned.

Perhaps a little facetiousness might work; a few mild jokes about the cough syrup that mother used to make being on tap. But one thing is sure: the cougher in the theatre is a common nuisance who merely needs to exercise a little self-control, and that plain cold fact should be made in some way to penetrate his hide.

MAJ. GEN. SIR A. M. MacDONNELL



Commandant of the Royal Military College, Kingston, who unveiled a monument in that city in memory of soldiers and sailors who fell in the great war. The monument was the gift of the Army and Navy Veterans of Kingston.

YOUR VALUABLES.

(London Advertiser.) Are you thinking of buying the Russian crown jewels, including the famous Orloff diamond? They are offered for sale by the Bolsheviks.

The price? A trifling \$500,000,000.

The whole caboodle of them, tried out of their golden crowns and sceptres.

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could be carried in your suitcase. As far as being useful, the Russian crown jewels are about as valuable as a pack of broken glass.

Their value is entirely imaginary—no more, no less than the imagination of man makes it.

Queer thing is value. Ford Motor Company's latest statement shows that its assets exceed \$400,000,000.

Of this, \$81,026,683 is invested in real estate, the only imperishable form of material wealth.

Patents are listed at a value of only \$110,740.

The company's goodwill is entered as worth nearly \$21,000,000. No eye can see it. No scales can weigh it.

Equally intangible is the Ford Motor company's greatest asset—the brain of Henry Ford. Or, to be absolutely accurate, his intellect.

Accumulation of values seems to be a national mania. There are fixed values such as gold, whose price is set by law. There are sentimental values—hairpins, remembrances, etc.

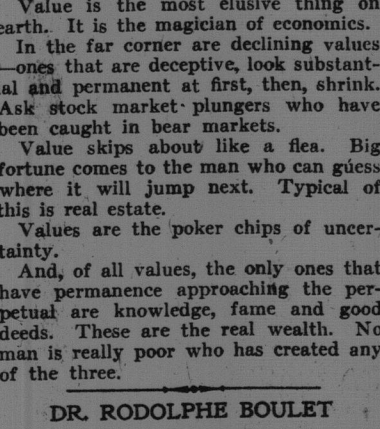
Value is the most elusive thing on earth. It is the magician of economics. In the far corner are declining values—ones that are deceptive, look substantial and permanent at first, then, shrink. Ask stock market-plungers who have been caught in bear markets.

Value skips about like a flea. Big fortune comes to the man who can guess where it will jump next. Typical of this is real estate.

Values are the poker chips of uncertainty.

And, of all values, the only ones that have permanence approaching the perpetual are knowledge, fame and good deeds. These are the real wealth. No man is really poor who has created any of the three.

DR. RODOLPHE BOULET



President of the College of Surgeons and Physicians of the Province of Quebec, one of a distinguished group of French and Canadian physicians who are giving public addresses under the auspices of the Canadian Social Hygiene Council.

The Business Situation as I See It



M. C. ROBINSON

During the past four years prices have been undergoing a downward revision which, while necessary, have shattered everybody's confidence in the stability of prices or values.

The bottom has now been reached. Conditions in the business world are as near normal as they will be for years. Business men who visualize the future can again see far ahead.

We are ready, all of us, to rebuild confidence in the stability of things. It is time for all of us to begin believing in each other again.

Already raw woollens have advanced from 20 to 25 per cent. over the prices at which I bought my fall and winter fabrics.

I am a believer in the men of Canada. Always have been, and am going to back my belief this season by doing something daring.

I have "dared" before—and have always gained my point.

I "dared" introduce snappy styles into this country. Before my time everything was "conservative" in men's clothes. I was alone in featuring style garments—but not for long—for others, seeing my success, followed my lead.

You men of Canada recognized the style value of clothes as I knew you would, and my business grew by leaps and bounds.

I "dared" start Up-Stairs Clothes Shops, thereby saving a great amount of rent expense, which I put back into my clothes, giving greater values than anyone else—and that value-giving built my business to still greater proportions.

I "dared" start my own factory, saving the middleman's profit, which also went into the product, making still greater value—and, again, I won.

I "dared" refuse to "charge it," and did not have credit losses to add to the selling price of goods, and that saving was added to the "value" of the garments. Again I won, of course.

I "dared" to refuse to deliver goods, and thereby cut out another appreciable expense, putting that saving back into the clothes—and I won again.

Perhaps that is why I have built up the largest clothing business in Canada. As a result I have built a business where customers buy clothes, rather than where salesmen sell clothes.

Now, without waiting for others to start something, I am going to "dare" to put my business back to the fundamental principle that was its very foundation, believing that, in so doing, I will help re-establish standards—the standards that built this business—the standards that established the confidence you men of Canada have in Robinson's Clothes and Robinson's way of doing business.

After four years of fluctuating market conditions, I have "dared" to put out a line of suits and overcoats good enough for any man in Canada—Whether he be judge, lawyer, doctor, dentist, banker, broker, merchant, or any man, regardless of his station in life, and charge him but

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