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Below each picture in jumbled letters is the correct name of the man represented in the diagram above it. Unscramble the letters of his name so that you can correctly name him. The far column will be found a list of four of the world's standing great men. This list may prove of service to you. The best completed picture must be clipped from the paper and attached to a separate sheet containing the names of the great men represented by the diagrams, together with a complete name and address of contestant in the upper right-hand corner of paper. Complete list of grand prizes to be awarded is shown in the next column.

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Three independent judges, having no connection whatever with the prize, will award the prize, and the winners will be published in the paper. You will get 25 points for every picture completed correctly and 25 points for every name solved correctly. 15 points will be awarded for general neatness, style, spelling, punctuation, etc. 15 points for handwriting, and 15 points for fulfilling the conditions of the contest. Contestants must agree to abide by the decision of the judges.

The contest will close at 10 o'clock noon, August 30th, 1919. Immediately after which solutions will be judged and the prizes awarded. Address your answers to-day to: Famous Folks Competition, Confidential Publishing Company, Limited, 25 TORONTO, ONT.



THE HIGGINS CASE

To the Editor of The Times:

Sir—Since the Higgins inquest, a large number of letters have appeared in the newspapers in regard to the jury's findings. There has been some criticism, much seems to have been written without knowledge of the evidence that was actually adduced. As one of the jurors, I think that it is fair to us and to the citizens generally, to consider a few of these statements.

It seems to me that a mistaken sense of loyalty to the daughter of one of his clergy caused Bishop Richardson to rush too quickly into print. We heard all the evidence. His lordship did not. We were agreed that Miss Spencer's treatment of Harold Higgins warranted her dismissal. We did not inquire into the treatment which other children in the room received, because the coroner held such evidence not relevant. It was brought out, however, that from one to three children were slapped every day. All the children who appeared as witnesses had received corporal punishment. We all agree with his lordship in regard to the careful upbringing of the young. That is mere commonplace. Personally I recognize that occasions may arise when corporal punishment is necessary in the schools. This right should not be abused, however, and the punishment, as Dr. Bridges said, should be judiciously applied. There can be other punishment for trivial offences without the ruler. Since the investigation, Miss Spencer herself, has been able to conduct her room without corporal punishment.

Burton C. Foster, who is an official of the Teacher's Association, whose solicitors defended Miss Spencer, writes a letter based on facts, which if correct, at least were not produced at the inquiry. There was no evidence whatever, that Harold Higgins was well known to the police, as Mr. Foster asserts. There was no evidence that he had been particularly lax to the time of his mother's death in January, in his school attendance. There was evidence, however, that part of his absence, since, was due to influenza at his home, a fact unknown to the school authorities when they reported the boy for truancy.

The father of one of the teachers, T. H. Somerville, also writes commending Mr. Foster's sense of fair play. Of this reader may judge for himself. His whole letter is based on information which seems to have been the most meagre. He certainly could not have attended the inquest. He likewise complains that Mr. Higgins should not have appeared before the school board, nor any person for him. The suggestion might be made kindly, that hereafter Mr. Higgins was not before the school board, or if he finds that impossible, as I presume he will, that he obtain a little more information before writing to the paper.

It was the coroner, not Mr. Higgins, who caused this inquest to be held. The inquiry should have been impartial, yet at every session, the disposition of the teachers to take sides, was apparent, even to the extent of preventing the truth being disclosed. After the recommendations were made there was a general fear that the school authorities would not carry them out, and now we find Dr. Bridges, who was the chief witness for Miss Spencer at the inquiry, appointed on the investigating committee of the school board. This hardly appeals to a British sense of justice. The investigation which has been held, is a far cry from the recommendation of the jury. The jury desires an investigation by a commission, and not by the school board, and an investigation in a public manner as possible.

I wish it clearly understood that I

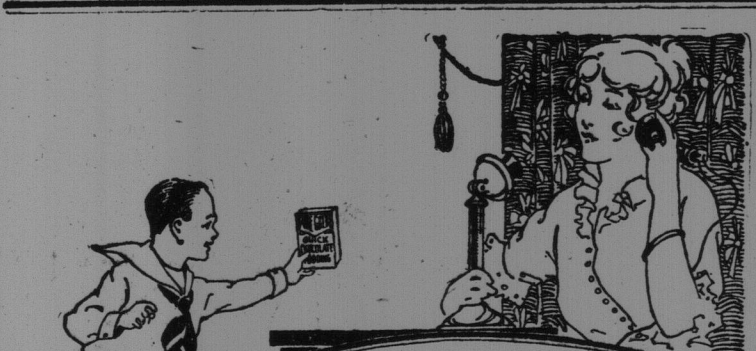
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have no feeling whatever against Miss Spencer, or against any other teacher in the public schools, but went to the inquest with an open mind, and took an oath to give a verdict according to the evidence adduced at the inquest, and made my finding and recommendations, accordingly, which I believed were justified and in the public interest. I trust that the school board, who are the servants of the people, will carry out our



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FAITH AND WORKS

e and Leather Journal, Toronto.) at there are always more pessimists than optimists. Optimists account for the fact that there are so many failures in life. It is a question of "river." It has been stated that less than ten per cent of who go into business succeed, and lack of capital is said by the ex- who compile the statistics to be the greatest factor, the fact is never taken account that most of those who good do so on brains and hard rather than on financial backing. ners will admit that they do not credit so much today on a man's cl standing as upon his character, knowledge of his business and his city for hard work. There are more breaking late success today than who have difficulty getting the cy together to pay their bills; and are at the same time more business erns giving to the dogs through ex- agance and poor management in- by easy circumstances than ough most other causes.

Faith in business as in other lines of "laughs at impossibilities and cries hall be done." The faith of faiths battle half won before it has proper- begun. "All things are possible to that believe" is true in the natural of the future will "subdue the glooms, stop the mouths of lions, out weakness be made strong, wax val- in fight and turn to flight the arm- of the alien" in the great campaign commercial achievement. Here's a welcome to the returned soldier and his bride. May their wedded life be a long and happy one. If she is a "British Bride" she will be very fond of tea—and good tea, at that. She will first be attracted to Red Rose Tea by the name which will remind her of the "Red Rose" of "Old England". And when she tries it she will again be reminded of the "Homeland", for she will find Red Rose Tea the same kind of Tea that she has used at home—a rich, full-flavored blend, consisting chiefly of ASSAM teas grown in British-owned plantations in northern India. Red Rose Tea is sold always in sealed packages.

ple's "hearts are failing them." Business men even of optimistic tendencies are asking what will the months to come bring in the way of business and especially profits? The farmer is complaining about lowering prices of foodstuffs and enhanced costs of his household and husbandry necessities, and there is a feeling of unrest with regard to labor conditions in many centres, as well as uncertainty with regard to the future of prices in many staple commodities. Nevertheless the fact that there has been so little real disturbance in the three or four months following the conclusion of the war, ought to give good ground for the belief that during the next three or four months, when business ought to be at its best, there will be a general steadying of conditions that will make for better trade conditions.

Manufacturers in various lines claim that business shows every indication of a steady development. The best buyers have gotten over their tendency to waver and are anticipating freely their future needs. These out selling goods for next fall claim that the manifested confidence in the future is quite surprising, and this condition is not confined to staple articles but applies to those that may be considered quite in the luxury class. Its saving essence is action. As the apostolic writer puts it: "Faith without works is dead." He says: "Show me thy faith without thy works, and I will show thee my faith by my works." Faith that does not get out and hustle just now is not worth a Russian kopek. The man who is going to make money this year is the one who sees that with all the uncertainty in the air and all the jeremiads that are still out of in- instrument it is going to be a matter of even more effort than in the past to sell goods. Faith and works are the two things that are going to put this staggering old world on its feet again. They are the

foundation stones of individual commercial success. "Believe and hustle." **WANTS LOVE TO PAY.** Man starts his courtship on a fifty-fifty basis, but the day after the honeymoon he begins looking for ninety per cent, the best of it. Gladys Brockwell proves this in "The Strange Woman" at the Imperial Theatre Monday and Tuesday.

INTERNATIONAL SHOW TO BE HELD THIS YEAR

The international horse show at Olympia, London, England, abandoned since the outbreak of the war, will be revived again this year, according to an article in the latest issue of "The Rider and Driver," which is the official organ of the show, has been held in London. The definite date have not been decided.

This show, conducted in the past under royal patronage, has been held under the auspices of an association of England's leading sportsmen, with Lord Londale as president. It is probable that the Earl of Londale will continue as president of the re-organized association, while most of the former directors are expected to retain their interest and activity. American directors of this association included the late Alfred G. Vanderbilt, E. T. Stotesbury, Clarence H. Mackay and Lawrence Jones. Canada, France, Belgium, Holland, Spain, Italy, Russia, Germany, Japan, Argentina and other countries have also been represented in years past. Germany's representation ceased with the beginning of the war. A special effort will probably be made to attract entries from this country, for

it is understood the desire for American exhibitors' participation in the show is greater than ever before. A number of special classes will be included in this year's programme, among them classes for cavalry and artillery horsemen representing the allied countries.

WOULD ELEVATE TONE OF THE BRITISH BARROOMS

London, March 22.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press)—A bill has been introduced into the House of Lords with the object of converting public barrooms into social halls. The author of the measure, Lord Lamington, proposes to transform the saloon into a house of refreshment and recreation where music and dancing will be permitted and children allowed to be present with their parents. Brewsters are giving the bill their support. "It is calculated," commented an official of the brewers' society, "to elevate the tone of public houses. I think that the general view of the trade will be that it is a step in the right direction."

FATHER OF 32 CHILDREN

Victor Allaire, for many years engaged as a contracting mason, died on Monday at his home, 423 East School street, Woodstock, R. I., aged 72. Mr. Allaire was married three times, his last wife surviving him. He was the father of 32 children, 10 being born of the first marriage, 9 of the second and 13 of the last.

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