

to be prized, for no one can habitually think evil thoughts or lead an evil life and yet be healthy. And after all, the highest beauty is that which comes from a beautiful spirit irradiating and expressing itself through a beautiful body.

—*The Queen.*

Smithsonian Institution—Hodgkins Fund Prize.

The Hodgkins Fund Prize of \$1,500 is offered by the Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D.C., in accordance with the following announcement: In October, 1891, Thomas George Hodgkins, Esq., of Setauket, New York, made a donation to the Smithsonian Institution, the income from a part of which was to be devoted to "the increase and diffusion of more exact knowledge in regard to the nature and properties of atmospheric air in connection with the welfare of man."

In the furtherance of the donor's wishes, the Smithsonian Institution has from time to time offered prizes, awarded medals, made grants for investigations, and issued publications.

In connection with the approaching International Congress on Tuberculosis, which will be held in Washington, September 21 to October 12, 1908, a prize of \$1,500.00 is offered for the best treatise that may be submitted to that Congress "On the Relation of Atmospheric Air to Tuberculosis."

The treatise may be written in English, French, German, Spanish or Italian. They will be examined and the prize awarded by a committee appointed by the Secretary of the Smithsonian Institution in conjunction with the officers of the International Congress on Tuberculosis.

The right is reserved to award no prize if in the judgment of the committee no contribution is offered of sufficient merit to warrant such action.

The Smithsonian Institution reserves the right to publish the treatise to which the prize is awarded.

Further information, if desired by persons intending to become competitors, will be furnished on application.

CHARLES D. WALCOTT,

Secretary, Smithsonian Institution.

Washington, February 3, 1908.

Dr. Leander Starr Jameson, Premier of Cape Colony from 1904-1908, has resigned. He was born in Edinburgh in 1854, and is a graduate of the University of London. He organized the famous Jameson raid against the Boers in the Transvaal. For this he was tried in London and sentenced to ten months' imprisonment, of which he served one.