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What Have We Done To-day?

We shall do so much in the years to come,
But what have we done to-day?

We shall give our gold in a princely sum,
But what did we give to-day?

We shall lift the heart and dry the tear,
We shall plant a hope in the place of fear,
We shall speak the words of love and cheer,
But what did we speak to-day?

We shall be so kind in the after-awhile,
But what have we been to-day?

We shall bring to each lonely life a smile,
But what have we brought to-day?

We shall give to truth a grander birth,
And to steadfast faith a deeper worth,
We shall feed the hungering souls of earth,
But whom have we fed to-day?

We shall reap such joys in the by and by,
But what have we sown to-day?

We shall build us mansions in the sky,
But what have we built to-day?

'Tis sweet in idle dreams to bask,
But here and now do we our task?
Yes, this is the thing our souls must ask,
'What have we done to-day?'

—N. Waterman.

Smiles

Judge—"The evidence that you called the gentleman a donkey is overwhelming. Had you not better admit the fact?"

Accused—"Maybe I had. The longer I look at him, the more probable it seems to me."

"Dorothy," asked her aunt one day, "do you like to go to school?"

"Yes, ma'am," replied dutiful Dorothy without the slightest hesitation. "I like going and I like coming back. It is staying there between times that sticks me."

"And how is your mother?" inquired the parson, who was calling at the home of one of his wealthy parishioners.

"She is in her room, upstairs. She is very ill," replied his hostess.

"You don't say so!" exclaimed the clergyman, whose tact was not always reliable. "Well, I sincerely hope that she will soon be down and out."

An Irish conductor was trying to make room for more passengers in his car during the rush hour the other night. As reported by a more or less truthful witness, this is what he said:

"Will them in front please move up, so that them behind c'n take the'r places or them in front, an' I've room fr them that's neither in front nor behind!"

Preachers

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