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## \$24,000—\$44,000 Which Do You Prefer ?

The average man earns about \$1,100 a year. He works 40 years and earns a total of \$44,000 in a life time. The average day laborer gets \$2.000 a day or \$600 for a year of 300 days. He earns \$24,000 in a life time. The difference between \$44,000 and \$24,000 is \$20,000. This is the minimum value of a practical education in dollars and cents. The increased self-respect cannot be measured in money. Why not stop plugging away at a small salary when the International Correspondence Schools, of Scranton, Pa., can give you an education that will make a high salaried man of you? No matter what line of work you care to follow, this great educational institution can prepare you in your spare time and at a small cost to secure a good-paying position. Our local Representative will show you how you can triple your earning capacity. Look him up today. He is

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Members of the State Educational commission expect to recommend to the next legislature that the children of Pennsylvania be taught to fight forest fires

The matter of forest preservation has been much discussed by the commissioners at their several meetings, and in addition much correspondence on this subject has been exchanged among them.

The commission is practically committed to a demand for a law to compel the establishment of special agricultural schools throughout the state, and it is understood that special classes for instruction not only in the cultivation of forests, but also in the means for the prevention of their destruction will be included in the regular curriculum for these institutions.

The Pennsylvania State Grange is particularly active in a campaign for the establishment of these agricultural schools, and the commission in its report to the legislature will incorporate the ideas of this influential order.

Supt. of Philadelphia schools Brumbaugh who is an active member of the state commission, which is now busily engaged in drafting new code of educational laws for the commonwealth, said that had forest preservation been included in the curriculum of the school the present drought in the interior of Pennsylvania could very probably have been averted.

Dr. Brumbaugh said that he believed that practical instruction in fighting forest fires would work wonders in preserving the woods, which aid so materially in conserving the water supply of the state.

#### Same Old Story.

Taft talked "straight talk" to his countrymen about every issue that engrosses the thoughts of Americans today. Bryan promises a series of postscripts to dispose of tariff, railroads, currency, trusts and everything else of real importance. And then he engages in one of his melancholy searches after a "paramount issue" and finds it in the rhetorical, fustian and tinsel platitudes, "Shall the people rule?"

It is the old, old story. The garb of the conservative does not sit well upon the born Causader. Mr. Bryan has put forth a tactful, smoothly phrased bundle of generalities, and he has done so at the very moment when the mental appetite of the whole people is sharpened for strong meat and not wind pudding.

With a score of honestly disputed and important questions open, he chooses deliberately to select as the chief issue of the campaign a query to which there is absolutely no negative response—"Shall the people rule?" The people always have ruled and always will rule.—Philadelphia North American, Aug. 15, 1908.

#### His Head and the Psalm.

The Rev. C. N. Wright, Wardle vicarage, Rochdale, for a personal reminiscence, writes: "In my third living there was a very crowded congregation the first morning I officiated. The parishioners were evidently curious as to the build, color of hair, etc., of their new vicar. As a matter of fact I was, though a young man, very bald. A little thought would have caused me to make my first appearance on any morning but the 8th, but it was the 8th, and, in the Psalms, which were read and not sung, I had to say: 'My sins are more in number than the hairs of my head.'—London Graphic.

#### A Weigh Off.

"I want to get a pair of scales," remarked the customer. "Have you the ambuscade make?"

"What's the ambuscade?" inquired the clerk.

"Well," returned the customer, "I am given to understand that they're the kind which lie in weight."—Bohemian.

#### Elephant Police.

The sight of six pairs of elephants simultaneously at work capturing a half dozen struggling, trumpeting mates is an imposing one. Like a pair of animal policemen arresting a prisoner, the great beasts slide alongside a victim, take him between them and jostle and squeeze and worry him, tall first, toward a tree. Every inch is contested by the herculean fighters until nearing a stout tree or stump the little brown elephant catchers slide under their mounts to the ground, crawl under the ponderous bellies and shuffling, kicking feet, slip cable slings about a hind foot and take a turn around a tree.—Strand Magazine.

#### Brilliant Idea.

"I can't understand," said the stranger, "since the monument is perfectly cylindrical in form, why they put in square railing around it."

"Perhaps," replied the native, "they didn't have enough railing to go round."—Philadelphia Press.

#### September Court Notes.

Joseph Fischer vs. Harriet A. Steinback, et. al. No. 25 Dec. Term. 1905. Rule for new trial discharged. In Re. Petition for County Bridge across Mehoopany Creek in Colley Twp., Levi Yonkin, John Walsh and Nathan Persun, Surveyor appointed Viewers.

In Re: Petition of the Supervisors of Forks Township for a County Bridge over the Little Loysock Creek near Shrimps. Nathan Persun, Surveyor, William Murray and Philander Keeney, appointed viewers.

In Re: Petition for road from Howard Mosteller's mill to Marcus Horn's in Davidson Township. George Landback, Wesley Kneller and W. C. Mason, Surveyor, appointed Viewers.

In Re: Petition of citizens of Colley Township for change of system of taxation for Road purposes, by abolishing working Road tax.

The Court orders that a vote upon same be taken at the February Election 1909. Notice to be given as directed by Act of Assembly.

In Re: Petition of Thomas Booth, a subject of Edward VII. for Naturalization. Petition granted and applicant sworn in open Court.

James Thall of Cherry Township is appointed tipstaff to wait upon the Traverse Jury.

Matthias Fogle vs. Mary E. Fogle, in Divorce. Divorce Decreed.

Joseph C. Fullmer vs. Caroline E. Fulmer. In Divorce. Divorce Decreed.

Fannie Atherton vs. Utta Elova Atherton, In Divorce. Divorce Decreed.

Amanda Caroline Fraley vs. Franklin J. Fraley, In Divorce. Divorce Decreed.

Orrin R. Heverly vs. Clara Belle Heverly, In Divorce. Subpoena awarded.

John S. Henley vs. Clara Henley, In Divorce. Subpoena awarded.

Mattie A. Miller vs. George E. Miller, In Divorce. A. B. Kilmer is appointed Commissioner to take testimony.

Commonwealth vs. Frank Haverly, No. 5 May Session, 1908 Adultery. Case tried and Jury find defendant "Guilty as indicted". Sep. 25th, Defendant sentenced to pay the cost of prosecution, to pay a fine of \$100, and to serve a sentence of six months in the County jail.

Commonwealth vs. Teofelf Machulsky. No. 8 Sept. Sessions, 1908. Charge Larceny. Defendant pleads guilty, and without trial is sentenced to pay the costs of prosecution, a fine of \$100 to restore the stolen property, and to serve a sentence of 18 months separate, solitary confinement, with labor in the Eastern Penitentiary.

Commonwealth vs. Nick Petrisin. No. 9 Sept. Session 1908. Charge, Assault and Battery. Nolle Prosequi entered by leave of Court.

Commonwealth vs. George Dennis No. 10 Sept. Session 1908. Charge, Assault and Battery. True Bill on second count. Jury find defendant guilty as indicted. Defendant not appearing for sentence, his bail is forfeited and Capias issued.

Commonwealth vs. Frank Magargle. No. 11 Sept. Sessions 1908. Nolle Pros. entered by leave of Court.

Commonwealth vs. Maynard J. Phillips, No. 12 Sept. Sessions, 1908. Nolle Pros. entered by leave of Court.

Commonwealth vs. Frank Nollam. No. 13 Sept. Sessions, 1908. Aiding a prisoner to escape. Nolle Pros. entered by leave of Court.

Commonwealth vs. Claud Vanhorn alias Paddy Brock, No. 14 Sept. Sessions, 1908. Charge, Larceny from the person.

Jury find defendant "Guilty as indicted. Sept. 25th, Def. sentenced to pay a fine of \$100, and cost of prosecution, to restore the stolen property and to serve a sentence of imprisonment at separate solitary confinement in the Eastern Penitentiary.

Commonwealth vs. Emery Stout, Edward Griffith, Ira Searfoos, Albert Stuart and Edward Nibarr No. 16 Sept. Sessions 1908. Charge, Larceny from the person. True Bill,

Defendants tried, and Jury render a verdict not guilty.

Commonwealth vs. George Dennis No. 17 Sept. Sessions 1908. True Bill. Jury find Defendant "Not Guilty." Prosecutor Joe Wica, and Defendant each to pay one-half the costs.

Commonwealth vs. John Vico and Joe Vico. No. 18 Sept. Sessions 1908. Charge, Assault. Not a true bill.

Commonwealth vs. Frank Magargle. No. 14 Sept. Sessions 1908. Charge, Perjury. Grand Jury find not a True Bill, and prosecutor Alfred G. Phillips, to pay the costs. Sept. 24 1908, Sentence of costs imposed upon Alfred G. Phillips is rescinded.

A. J. Bradley, Administrator and Escheator vs. J. B. Comber et. al. No. 34 May Term, 1908. By agreement the case is tried before the Court without a jury. Decision reserved.

Catharine Bahradministratrix, vs. Julius Bahr, No. 24 December Term, 1905. Replevin. Jury find the title to the property in dispute is in the Plaintiff, and value the same at \$45.

Hattie N. Schoonover vs. Deila Brown. No. 28 Sept. Term, 1907. Trespass. Jury find for the plaintiff in the sum of \$55.

Peter Jankoskey vs. J. M. Boatman. No. 30 Sept. Term, 1908. Alias Scire Facias is directed to issue.

Elmer E. Brode vs. A. Arlington Hibbs, No. 58 Sept. Term, 1908. Judgment directed to be entered favor of the plaintiff for want of an appearance.

In Re: Partition for appointment of Deputy Constable for Ringdale Precinct. John Manuel is appointed as prayed for.

In Re: Partition of the estate of Richard Swingle. deceased. Rule granted on heirs and parties in interest to accept or refuse the purparts described in writ.

In Re: Appointment of Trustees of the Union Graveyard and church Association. Wm. W. Warburton, Ezra C. Rowe and Edward Molyneux are appointed Trustees.

In Re: Second and partial Account of Margaret Connor, Administratrix. Administratrix is directed to file vouchers and give dates and particulars of same.

David Vanhorn, et. al. vs. Frank Magargle, No. 71 May Term, 1908. Certiorari. Judgment reversed.

In Re: Road on township line ets Argued and C. A. V.

The 125th anniversary of the city of Philadelphia will be celebrated from October 4th. to the 10th. Preparations to make it a great success have been under way for months. It is going to be worth seeing. It will be the greatest celebration Philadelphia has ever seen. A great program has been arranged. Every evening Philadelphia's history will be dramatized on Franklin field. There will be a 200mile automobile race within the city limits and many other interesting events. The city will be filled with visitors and for the benefit and comfort of many people "The Philadelphia Press" will have a registration and information bureau and will print daily a list of the people from out of town who register. If you are so unfortunate that you cannot attend be sure to read "The Philadelphia Press" every day, for it will cover fully the many features of Philadelphia's 25th anniversary.

British Columbia has been swept by fires, causing \$3,000,000 of damage. California and every Pacific coast State has had fires. Great forest fires have wiped out whole counties and villages in Minnesota. The Adirondack State forest reserve are fire-swept. Forest fires are causing great loss in this State.

But the Federal forest reserve of 168,000,000 acres has trifling fires, such as any wooded country in this State have every year, and hardly mention. Why? Because the Federal forest reserves are properly policed and cared for. Slashes are cleared up. Fire zones are preserved. Men building unguarded fires are prosecuted and jailed. The whole forest floor is kept clean and free from fire material.

The forest fires which have just laid waste whole counties in Minnesota, Michigan, and extended into Wisconsin, destroying towns and making hundreds of persons homeless, have focused the attention of both government and State forest officers on the enormous losses of forest wealth which will be checked up to the year 1908. In the whole northern half of the United States throughout the vast territory extending from coast to coast, the reported destruction by forest fires has been terrific and it is likely that the year will go down as one of the worst in the last quarter of century. Officers in the United States forest reserve say that it is doubtful if this year's actual losses from forest fires in all parts of the country will ever be known but it is certain that they will run so high in the millions that the country will be startled when a compilation of the end of the season makes it possible to give even the most conservative figures. Suffice it to say, were all the timber burnt up this year in all parts of the country converted into cash, it could provide for a good sized navy of first class battleships.

Jamison City Pa., Sept. 22d, 1908. While cleaning the soaks at the Tannery this afternoon, George Hasenplug, Charles Lahler, John Meeker Barce Gordon, Quinton Kunkle and Kersey Knittle were overcome with gas that had collected in the pool. This pool is cleaned every few days, but on account of the low water it had not been cleaned for some time. For a while it looked as though Hasenplug Kahler and Knittle would never do any more work, but by hard work the Dr. and men brought them around all right.

One of the best speeches made at the recent state convention of the Merchants' Association was that of James Foust, state dairy and food commissioner. Mr. Foust offered a series of "don'ts" for the Merchants. Mr. Foust's suggestions were as follows:

"Don't go to other states to purchase your vinegar, when you can purchase it from manufacturers, wholesalers and jobbers in your own state who will give you a guarantee as to its purity.

"Don't purchase cheap catsup put up in large bottles bearing bright attractive labels,

"Don't purchase two ounce bottles of extracts to retail at ten cents.

"Don't purchase quart jars of so-called prepared mustard to sell for ten cents, giving a glass dish as a premium.

"Don't purchase cheap baking powders where premiums are given to customers with each sale.

"Don't handle cheap preserves sold in small wooden buckets, when the price indicates that they may be made from artificial ingredients which are injurious

"Don't encourage your customers to purchase cheap groceries when by so doing they may endanger their health.

Federal forest reserves cover 168,000,000 acres. This is just six times the area of Pennsylvania. It is one and a half the area of California. It is all forest.

The vast forest reserves are under the same drought as the rest of the country. Much of this area is far more worse off as to water supply and rain fall than any Eastern State. But this 168,000,000, acres of timber has had no forest fires. The damage from fire this year in the National forest reservation is put by the officers of the forest service at \$30,000.

While playing in the yard on Saturday, "Buster" the two and one-half year old baby of Mrs. Jack Carpenter, of Ricketts, who makes his home with Mrs. W. K. Weed, of Green street, fell down an outside cellar way and received severe injuries.

Besides being very badly bruised about the body he received an injury to the head, which has caused concussion of the brain. Although still very sick, he was reported as somewhat better on Monday.—Williamsport Gazette.