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ENGAGEMENTS.

The engagement is announced between Miss Ivy MacShane and Mr. Howey Walker.

The engagement is announced of Miss Grace Parkes, Tiki Marama, St. John's Hill, Wangarui, to Mr. Anderson, also of that city.

The engagement is announced of Miss Amy Halliwell, of Devonport, to Mr Douglas Richardson, of the Auckland Savings Bank staff.

A Rich Man's Wisdom.

RUSSELL SAGE, THE MOST CONTENTED MULTI-MILLIONAIRE IN NEW YORK.

Ninety years of age and weighted with scores of millions, Russell Sage is to-day one of the most completely satisfied rich men in the world. This is true, for "he himself has said it, and 'tis greatly to his credit."

Russell Sage is now the oldest of the money-kings in New York. He was born twenty years before Andrew Carnegie, who threw off the harness of business five years ago. The original John Jacob Astor died at eighty-five, and Commodore Vanderbilt at eighty-three. But Russell Sage is still standing at the tiller of his gold-balanced craft, as keen and sharp-eyed as he ever was.

He is as saving in his opinions as in his money, and it is seldom that he can be persuaded to make his mind an open book for the general public. But recently he consented to give the New York "World" the full story of life as he sees it. It is the most complete description of the Sage philosophy that he has ever given to the public. Whatever this advice may be worth to you, it has been worth about a hundred millions to Russell Sage.

I think, if I had my life to live over again, he said, it would be as honest, as simple, as home-loving as I could make it. I would try with all my power for home-like comfort, happiness and long life, as against show, shallow pleasure and a short existence. Home life is best. Clubs are only a place for idle old men and wasteful young men.

Great wealth is not everything, by any means. The mere making of money is not the only criterion of success. Many men whose names are our common heritage have died in very moderate circumstances, or even in poverty. Money is not a measure of brains.

Real success is often achieved after many failures. An active man builds success upon a foundation of failure; a passive man does not. A real man is not hurt by hard knocks. Hard knocks make character.

WOULD MAKE CHARITY A LIFE-STUDY.

I think, had I my life to live over again, I would make charity a life study. It is a science. It cannot be learned in a day. The older a man lives the more he gets to realize this. From my own investigations I have found that there is a large class of professional mendicants that prey upon the well-to-do and charitably inclined.

From time to time I have taken a whole month's batch of appealing letters and have had them thoroughly investigated by trained agents. Very few have been found to possess real merit. Most of the appeals were from persons who would not help themselves even with the aid of a helping hand.

Real charity is dispensed without the glare of trumpets. Notoriety and professional philanthropy, indiscriminate almsgiving in any guise, have al-

ways been repugnant to me. I have never asked for any publicity for what I have done. Silence has invariably been my rule and practice.

MARRY EARLY AND KEEP OUT OF THE "FOUR HUNDRED."

If I had my life to live over again I am sure I should not attempt to move in what is termed "society." I would rather be one of a few gathered together by a bond of friendship than to partake of all the glitter and hollowness of what is called the "Four Hundred." The friendship of a few outlives life itself. Friendship remembers; society forgets. In the home only is there true happiness. It is there that a man's best ideas get their birth and growth.

If I had my life to live over again I would marry even earlier than I did. The tender care of a good wife is the finest thing in the world. I am thankful indeed that I have had this in the fullest measure.

LOOK OUT FOR CLOTHING BARGAINS.

Thrift is the first element of successful manhood. When you have made your fortune, it is time enough to think about spending it. Two suits of clothes are enough for any young man. The only thought that a young man need spend about his clothes is to look out for bargains at the lowest price.

Let him be on the lookout for cheap hats, bargains in shoes, knockdowns in suits. He is fostering business traits that augur well for his success in years to come.

The boy who knows bargains in socks makes the man who knows bargains in stocks.

Fifty cents is enough for a straw hat; it will last two seasons. You can get for 39 cents an unlaundered white shirt, which is excellent. You can get a good undershirt for 25 cents. Silk is not for salaried men. Fine clothes bring sham pleasure. Don't try to rival the flowers of the field.

A GOOD MAN CANNOT HAVE TOO MUCH MONEY.

A rich man does not work for himself alone.

He is really the nation's agent. He turns his wealth over constantly in a way that helps others. No one need be alarmed over the constant increase in the wealth limit. Big enterprises require big men. Had I my life to live over again, I would work just as hard.

There is no such thing as a money-curse.

It is the man, not the money, that makes the amount of individual wealth wrong. A good man cannot have too much money. The easiest way a poor citizen is made is through inheritance. Take a young man who comes into a large fortune which he hasn't earned. What does he do with it? He wastes it.

And so let me say in conclusion, if I had my life to live over again, I would try just as hard as I know how to turn my money over and over again, that it might do the most good to other men.

I would live no differently. I would do as hard a day's work as I knew how. I would not feel it necessary to take vacations to recuperate. I would get my pleasure simply. I would take a drive in the afternoon as I have always done. I would dine simply on plain food. After dinner there would be a little reading of the papers or of good books, a chat with friends that might drop in, and maybe a game of whist. I get plenty of relaxation from an exciting rubber. When the game is over, my day is done. I sleep like a top till morning.

That would be my life if I had it to live over. All my life my home has been my haven of happiness.

"Hallo, old boy! Haven't seen you for ages. What's your little graft now?"

"Dealing in furniture."

"Ah! Doing well?"

"No. It's my own bits o' sticks I'm selling."

"It appears you three vitriol in the man's face?" said the lawyer to his excitable lady client, after bail had been refused.

"Yes, sir. You can't tell how sorry I am! I thought he was my husband!"

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AUCKLAND.

Dear Bee, May 29. SOCIAL DOINGS OF MR. SEDDON AND FAMILY IN AUSTRALIA.

Of course you have read all about Mr. Seddon's political doings in Australia, but I wonder if you have heard anything of the social doings of our Premier and his family; if not the following will no doubt be of interest to you: New Zealand residents in Sydney, as well as Sydney admirers of Mr. Seddon, entertained the New Zealand Prime Minister and his family at an "At Home" on Friday in the Winter Garden of the Australia Hotel. Seats were placed here and there under the tall palms, and the visitors sat about in little groups chatting to each other, and listening to the music, an excellent programme having been arranged by Mr. G. Rumsey and Mr. J. T. Shaw. Mrs. Seddon stood just within the doorway, and shook hands with the guests. She wore a handsome black gown, with frills and tulle of point lace. Miss Jackson pre-ented her with a bouquet of pink carnations and Comtesse de Berthe roses, tied with streamers of white ribbon. On one end was written "Kia Ora" and the presentment of the Southern Cross, and on the other a silver fern-leaf. Nearly all those present sported the little leaf of fern, the emblem of New Zealand, some of them in silver being very pretty. Mr. Seddon's two daughters and his son were present. Miss May Seddon wore a frock of pale blue, trimmed with wavy lines of cream guipure. Mrs. Dyer chose cream Roman satin, with touches of net and lace, and a large pink rose on the corsage.

Refreshments were served at little tables decorated with flowers, bowls of autumn-tinted Virginian creeper being most effective. A small raised platform was arranged at the further end of the room, and here the vocalists stood to sing. Here also at the close of the evening Mr. Seddon made a happy speech. Mr. Stuart Seddon and his sisters moved about amongst the people, and had a few words to say to each little group. The New South Wales Premier, the Minister for Works, the Minister for Lands, the Colonial Secretary, the Minister for Agriculture, and others were there, as well as many well-known politicians outside the Ministry, some of whom were accompanied by their wives and families.

The arrival of the Premier of New Zealand last Wednesday was the excuse for the arranging of several social entertainments, and which took place during last week. Mr. Seddon was accompanied by Mrs. Seddon, Miss May Seddon, Mr. Stuart Seddon, Mrs. Dyer and her daughter, as well as his two secretaries, Mr. J. F. Andrews and Mr. F. G. Matthews. The Warrimoo was met at the Heads by the Government launch, and the New Zealanders were taken on board and brought to the Phillip-street

