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i) All work and no joy can lead to disaster.

ii) The Dangers of Burnout.

The majority of vices in this world are due to the doctrine of doing something all the time. This doctrine brings more harm than good. The world is still in chaos, which is not due to lack of virtue but to the thoughtfulness of those virtues. In July 1914, if the leaders had taken some time, the conditions of the world would be much better.

They rushed to Versailles instead of going somewhere peaceful and then holding the so-called peace conference. At present, even if half of the European leaders decided to quit this notion, the world would be in much better position. Religious sects often hold

conferences, but the fate of civilization is still in doubt. People who attend those conferences, gain nothing valuable and continue doing moral policing. It would be much better for them to try to recover their mental health.
