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Richard Armour (1906-1989) was an American poet and author who wrote over sixty books.

Armour was born in San Pedro, California. His father was a druggist, and Armour's autobiographical *Drug Store Days* recalls his childhood in both San Pedro and Pomona. He attended Pomona College and Harvard University, where he studied with the eminent Shakespearean scholar George Lyman Kittredge and obtained a Ph.D. in English philology. He eventually became Professor of English at Scripps College and the Claremont Graduate School in Claremont, California.

In larger things we are convivial; what causes trouble is the trivial.

- Armour, Richard

I've suffered from all of the hang-ups known, and none is as bad as the telephone.

- Armour, Richard

Until Eve arrived, this was a man's world.

- Armour, Richard

It is all right to hold a conversation but you should let go of it now and then.

- Armour, Richard



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