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By "HOP"



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July 18 in American History.

- 1792—John Paul Jones, naval hero of the Revolution, died in Paris; born 1747. 1887—Robert Mercer Taliaferro Hunter, once a leading southern statesman, died; born 1830. 1890—Eugene Schuyler, author and diplomatist, died; born 1830. C. H. F. Peters, astronomer, who discovered more than forty asteroids, died; born 1813. 1899—Horatio G. Alger, famous as a writer of stories for boys, died; born 1834.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.) Sun sets 7:28, rises 4:43. Evening stars: Mars, Jupiter, Mercury, Venus. Morning star: Saturn.

MONEY WASTED ON STREETS

With the improvement of several streets on the hill with macadam, it is to be hoped that Oregon City has seen the last of this sort of improvement, with the exception of isolated instances, where fills are necessary and hard-surface streets are inadvisable. At the last meeting of the council advertisements for proposals were ordered for the hard surfacing of Main street from Moss street to the Abernethy and the wheels of municipal legislation were set in motion for the improvement of Seventh street, with either macadam or a hard surface material. We predict that the completion of the North end of Main street with hard surface will mark the practical end of macadam streets here. Macadam is, to a very considerable degree, money wasted, for the repair bill of the city is a heavy item, and it should not be forgotten by the property owners that they have to bear the burden of the repairs, for, while the money comes out of the permanent street improvement fund of the city's treasury, it finds its way into this fund direct from the pockets of the property owners. Time was when the city paid one-third of the cost of all improvements, but before the street improvements to the property subject to improvement, we were told that the levy for the permanent street improvement fund

would be materially reduced. Such has not been the case. The levy has remained stationary, largely for the reason that the city has been obliged to expend huge sums of money for needed repairs to old macadam streets that have a short life. Other Oregon towns are pointing the way. While our streets are in a much better condition than they were three years ago it will only be a little while until the city will have to spend its money to keep up the streets that have been macadamized in recent years. Hard surfaced streets are a permanent improvement, and they are a beautiful improvement as well. They add much to the appearance of the city and they enhance the value of property wherever they are laid down. Oregon City is rapidly getting out of its old rut and is taking its rightful place with other live cities of the Northwest. Now let us take a long step forward, and insist that our streets shall be as good as our sister towns in the Willamette Valley. The property owners of Seventh street have had their lesson, and it would be wisdom on their part to lose sight of the first cost and look only to the ultimate cost and the corresponding benefit to their property and to their section of Oregon City.

and if we are to get anything why don't we get it? W. S. U'Ren uses a quarter of a column in The Oregonian to explain his sensational stunt of last Sunday night at the Chautauqua grounds, but he makes a very lame explanation. U'Ren talks about the "sins of mismanagement and discourtesy" of Secretary Cross, who has worked his head off in the interest of the Willamette Valley Chautauqua Assembly for 20 years, while U'Ren has been urging the people of Oregon to enact laws that might open a way for his crippled child, dubbed "Single Tax." It would seem that one Chris Schuebel, a member of the Board of Directors of the Chautauqua would either curb his law partner's impatience or resign from the directorate.

Single Tax and Socialism go hand in hand and as their followers become more fanatical they often become anarchists. The flag of America, the stars and stripes, we all love and stand ready to protect, if necessary, with our lives, stand for none of the foolhardy claims of the single taxers, the Socialists or the blood red symbol of the anarchists. Oregon laws have been for the past ten years gradually riddled by our stiff styled Socialist who thinks he is doing more good under the flag of the Republican party and while we still stand in the prosperity class our industrial progress has not been anywhere near what it should be and would have been had W. S. U'Ren and his lieutenants kept their hands off and stayed with the Socialists under the flag of the Socialist party as the Journal sometime ago quoted W. S. U'Ren as saying of himself. The only fine which can probably be lawfully imposed for the improper use of the Republican flag is that the people can show by their votes that they are not in accord with the principles of their self-appointed leader—a prophet, one apt to lead the state into the wilderness instead of into the promised land. Single Tax or any of its near brothers as outlined for the coming election will drive away what we now have to aid and practically pay our taxes, thus leaving in the end the whole burden of carrying a bankrupt state on the people whom W. S. U'Ren is trying to make believe he is their Moses. The people of Canemah, Oregon City, Gladstone and Jennings Lodge fail to see wherein the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company has made any changes in the rates effective between station and Portland as talked of at the various conferences of their officials and the committees of the four commercial clubs, under the combined name of the Fair Fares Committee. Delays are costly

SINGLE TAX AND SOCIALISM

When marchin' Elks grew thrifty Some folks passed bottles of beer Wuz water so scarce in Portland— Good water, cold and clear? But Josh an' I had cause to be proud Of our Oregon City boys; They marched right along like soldiers— No breaking ranks, no noise!

They must have been tired an' thirsty On their five mile march that day, But not one of 'em drank a glass of beer Or smoked anything on the way! An' in their nice new uniforms You're right they all looked fine!— But here comes Josh with the milk to strain! I'll tell you more next time.

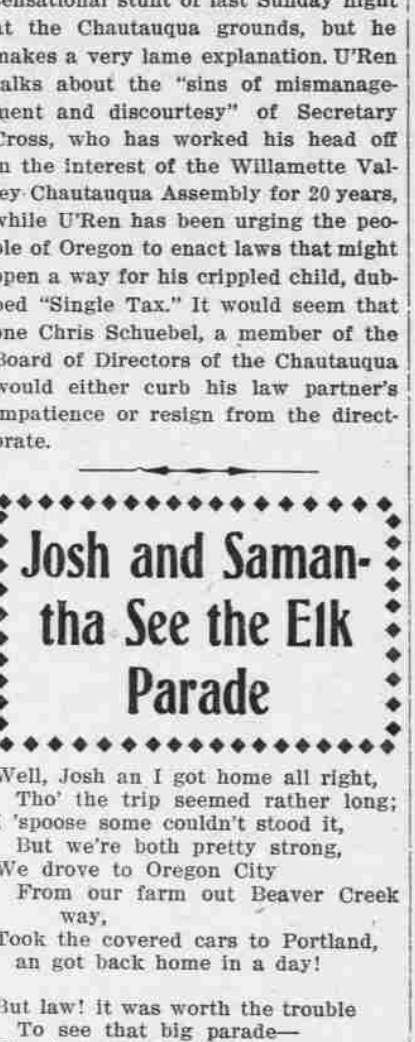
POLICE CALLED AIDES OF CRIME

one unjustly to attack this body in general on account of the alleged wrong doing of a few. "In the investigation of the actions of the police in connection with the gambling situation, an investigation should also be made by the courts and the district attorney, who could stop gambling if they desired by upholding the police and sending convicted gamblers to jail, instead of letting them go free on suspended sentences." The letter ridiculed some of the charges against the police, but did not deny that some of the members of the police department might be guilty. A new feature of the Rosenthal murder was developed today when a mysterious woman, dressed in green, informed District Attorney Whitman that she had seen a touring car similar to that used by the slayers of Rosenthal standing in front of the home of Police Lieutenant Becker's from 6 o'clock until 9 on the night before Rosenthal was slain. The woman then went to the coroner's office where she identified the car used by the murderers as the one she had seen standing in front of Lieutenant Becker's home.

SUES TO COLLECT ON NOTE

The Northwestern Trust Company Wednesday sued Martha Boss and Marie Boss for \$550, alleged to be due on a note executed April 5, 1912.

Cuba's Insurrection and Two Of the Means of Checking It



Photos by American Press Association.

ONCE again the United States government has been obliged to make preparations to "keep the lid on" in Cuba and has dispatched a strong squadron under the command of Rear Admiral Osterhaus, with the armored cruiser Washington as his flagship, to land marines at Guantanamo and to take such steps as may be necessary to safeguard American interests. Under the provisions of the Platt amendment the United States has "the right to intervene for the preservation of Cuban independence and for the maintenance of a government able to protect life, property and individual liberty." The Cuban government has protested its ability to put down the negro insurrection with its regular and volunteer forces, which include many of the men who fought against the Spaniards in the war of liberation. The Washington is shown in the upper photograph, a detachment of the regulars in the lower.

BIBLE CLASS QUESTION CLUB IS STARTED TODAY

We commence to-day the publication of a series of suggestive questions on the International Sunday School Lessons. For some time past these weekly questions have been stirring a great deal of national interest. They are published in nearly a thousand newspaper towns and are studied by millions of readers. They are received warmly by the public and enthusiastically endorsed by clergymen of all the churches. Sunday school superintendents, teachers and adult Bible class scholars use them in every town where they are published, and the general public are much interested. Contracting for this unique Bible study question service forms the Morning Enterprise and its readers into a local club of one of the classes of the International Press Bible Question Club, and gives the right for all our readers to compete for some very valuable prizes. There are four classes organized each year composed of the newspapers which take up the publication of these questions at four different periods, viz: Those that commence April-June are Class A; July-September are Class B; October-December are Class C, and January-

Josh and Samantha See the Elk Parade

Well, Josh an' I got home all right, Tho' the trip seemed rather long; I 'spose some couldn't stand it, But we're both pretty strong, We drove to Oregon City From our farm out Beaver Creek way. Took the covered cars to Portland, an' got back home in a day! But law! it was worth the trouble To see that big parade— The floats, an' the thousands marchin' A fine appearance they made! Josh clean forgot he had grown up, An' tho' that he wuz a boy A sittin' out on the gate post, An' hollerin' fer pure joy. When marchin' Elks grew thrifty Some folks passed bottles of beer Wuz water so scarce in Portland— Good water, cold and clear? But Josh an' I had cause to be proud Of our Oregon City boys; They marched right along like soldiers— No breaking ranks, no noise! They must have been tired an' thirsty On their five mile march that day, But not one of 'em drank a glass of beer Or smoked anything on the way! An' in their nice new uniforms You're right they all looked fine!— But here comes Josh with the milk to strain! I'll tell you more next time.

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Questions for July 21

- The Growth of the Kingdom. Mark iv:26-32; Matt, xii:33. Golden Text—Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in earth as in heaven. Matt. vi:10. (1.) Verse 26—What does "the kingdom of God" here stand for? (2.) What seed is here referred to and what is the ground in which it is sown? (3.) Whom does the "Man" represent which sows the seed and how is the seed sown? (4.) Verse 27—After a minister or teacher or any other Christian has sown the seed of the gospel ought he to be restless or anxious concerning its growth? Give your reasons. (5.) What is the proof that the seed of the gospel will when sown always bring forth its proper fruit? (6.) Verse 28—The earth produces a great variety of things of self propagation, without human instrumentality. Would you say, or not, and why, that Christianity is in any measure analogous to this? (This is one of the questions which may be answered in writing by members of the club.)

Your Questions Answered

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Spirit of Unrest Is Sign of Progress

By the Right Rev. CHARLES S. BURCH, Suffragan Bishop of New York

THIS spirit of unrest which prevails at present is not confined to the United States. The drift toward upheaval exists in China and Mexico, in England and many great European countries, in North Africa, in India and Asia Minor and the South American republics. But it is merely the discontent and restlessness which stands at the BASE OF ALL TRUE HUMAN DEVELOPMENT, which is based on dissatisfaction. Unrest is the DIVINE WAY TO VITAL GROWTH AND ACHIEVEMENT. "Divine discontent" is one of the world's most meaningful phrases. Man has for good reason been given the capacity for almost UNLIMITED DISCONTENT. These outreachings of the soul become the greatest dynamic of his life in its higher aspects. Dissatisfaction with the existing order has been the means by which wrongs have been righted and PROGRESS ATTAINED ever since the dawn of history.

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