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"Where Rolls the Oregon."

The Lewis and Clark Centennial and American Pacific Exposition, Portland, 1905.

MR. HERMANN'S ELECTION.

The election of Binger Hermann as successor to the late Congressman Tongue is a timely endorsement of Republican policies and, however the issue may have been distorted for campaign purposes locally, will be regarded in the East as strengthening the President in his great battle against the trusts. It too is a rebuke to outsiders who interfered in the First District to conduct a campaign of vilification with which our people have no sympathy.

Washington County's vote is most gratifying and to the quiet workers of the party belongs the credit, although some who have been permitted to pose as leaders were not to blame for their efforts not being more effective, except that they had unwisely committed themselves before the party's candidate was nominated. The rule of the minority over the Republican party of Washington County is at an end, and they will do well who acquiesce in the will of the people. Such is the lesson of last Monday.

AMERICAN FLAG DAY.

The local camps, Woodmen of the World, make the request that as business and residence houses, as far as possible, display the National emblem on Monday, June 15. June 14th is "Flag Day," the day set apart by an act of congress in commemoration of the day upon which the Stars and Stripes was formally selected as the emblem of the land of the free and the home of the brave.

June 2, 1898, the American Flag Association was formed. The flag had been improperly used, but there were many loyal citizens who thought it should be held sacred and not put to uses which would teach young America to look upon its folds with less reverence than it was regarded by themselves. It was becoming common to see it used as a trade mark, as advertising a special brand of cigars, and in other ways it was put to uses which degraded and desecrated it. The object of the American Flag Association was to prevent these abuses, and to secure a general celebration of June 14th as "Flag Day," because on that day in the year 1777 Congress selected the flag of the United States.

Both of the purposes for which the Association was formed have been accomplished. The putting of the flag to ignoble uses has been stopped, and June 14 has been set apart by Congress to be observed as "Flag Day" all over the United States. Inasmuch as June 14th this year falls on Sunday, Monday, the 15th, has been selected as "Flag Day."

The patriotic spirit of the Woodmen of the World, as evinced by the manner in which they are pushing this laudable observance of "Flag Day" is worthy of commendation.

Every lodge in the State is taking similar action, and on June 15th "Old Glory" will wave from thousands of housetops and mastheads in Oregon. Let every one make note of the date and let the flags go up all over the country.

Sir Henry Wotton, who three centuries ago asked to have inscribed on his tomb that he was the originator of the saying, "The itch of disputation will prove the scab of the church," must have foreseen how pat the saying would be to the Presbyterians' troubles with foreordination, election and infant damnation.

FOREST GROVE FINANCES.

City Treasurer W. S. Hudson Makes a Creditable Showing for the City in His Report for May.

Balance on hand.....\$629.44
Rec'd of Marshal 2.00
County Treasurer 629.12
Marshal 3.50
County Treasurer 147.83
Light fund 245.09
Water fund 110.44
Sale of lamps 3.75

\$1771.17

Disbursements—
W. S. Hudson,
Warrant No. 1804...\$ 3.30
P. W. Cronin,
Warrant No. 1805.... 12.00
W. S. Hudson,
Interest on bond 812.03
E. A. Dixon,
Warrant No. 1806... 15.00
J. F. Haynie,
Warrant No. 1807.... 6.95
E. W. Haines,
Check W. & L. fund... 160.00

1023.75

Balance on hand\$ 747.39

Judge W. H. Hollis, of the law firm

	1896	1898	1900	1902	1903
Beaverton	124	74	148	69	99
Heavenden	44	78	67	55	59
Buxton	38	32	34	47	39
Cornelius	98	122	107	117	80
Columbia	47	29	57	73	61
Dairy	88	64	101	93	85
Dillie	32	26	65	53	60
East Butte	107	32	94	39	69
Elk Creek	80	50	100	24	73
Gales Creek	74	20	87	28	79
Gaston	90	91	85	50	83
Mountain	3	23	9	29	9
N. Hillsboro	102	4	105	66	96
N. Forest Grove	78	69	102	65	123
Reedville	27	53	62	38	53
S. Hillsboro	129	99	123	76	121
S. Forest Grove	84	74	111	66	124
S. Tualatin	69	98	79	65	67
Washington	79	76	99	48	71
West Butte	69	48	82	29	70
W. Cedar Creek	75	70	99	50	92



— NOW THE GAP WAS CLEARED. —

THE ROAD TO PROSPERITY

By RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, Prominent and Wealthy New York Lawyer



THE very nature of the end toward which the young man of today must aim has altered, not the means which he must employ in order to achieve his ambition. He must possess the mental strength, the SOUND JUDGMENT OF MEN AND THINGS, the keen analysis of business tendencies and the general intelligence that can solve the problems of commerce.

He requires, in other words, the PRACTICAL EDUCATION that cannot always be acquired in the higher schools of learning.

THE LAD WHO COMMENCES HIS CAREER AS AN OFFICE BOY IN A COMMERCIAL HOUSE GENERALLY OUTSTRIPS THE UNIVERSITY GRADUATE, WHO IS HANDICAPPED IN THE RACE OF LIFE BY THE FACT THAT HE LIVES IN AN ATMOSPHERE OF THEORETICAL KNOWLEDGE UNTIL HE IS TWENTY-THREE YEARS OF AGE.

Such training is serviceable only to members of the learned professions. The leaders in the world of commerce are almost always self made men, whose minds have been sharpened in the school of experience. This practical and intelligent grasp of a business proposition, this constantly increasing acquaintance with business principles, is of slow and gradual growth.

The boy who begins his career with the set purpose of doing his full duty to his employers and of acquiring a maximum knowledge of business methods in every position or department to which he is raised by his integrity, his reliability, his devotion to work, HIS WILLINGNESS TO REACH HIS OFFICE IN TIME AND TO BE THE LAST TO LEAVE HIS POST, acquires a character the value of which will be inevitably recognized by his superiors.

THE MOST IMPORTANT FACTOR OF SUCCESS IS TRAINED INTELLIGENCE.

STORING FOR THE FUTURE

By CHARLES R. BARRETT, Superintendent of the Chicago Athenaeum

RESPONSIBILITIES are being shifted every day from old to young shoulders. The young shoulders must be prepared to carry the weight of responsibility, but such strength cannot be acquired in a day. THAT MAN IS HAPPIEST WHO FINDS PLEASURE IN HIS WORK. We should garner our mental and physical resources in such order that the distribution of happiness shall be even through each stage. But to do this the child must store for the boy, the boy for the young man, the young man for the matured man and the matured man for the old man. MUCH ENERGY IS DISSIPATED BY THE INDULGENCE OF HURTFUL HABITS, CAUSING WASTE OF TASTE AND STRENGTH.

EACH STAGE OF MAN SHOULD STORE FOR THE SUCCEEDING STAGE, WHICH WILL DEMAND ALL THE RESOURCES OF MIND AND BODY IT IS POSSIBLE TO ACQUIRE.

SOLUTION OF THE RACE PROBLEM

By Dr. LYMAN ABBOTT

I WOULD say to the colored race that it is for their interests to have the ignorant and the vicious and the corrupt vote cease. THEY CANNOT AFFORD IN THIS COUNTRY TO BE REPRESENTED BY THE MEN WHO STAND FOR IGNORANCE AND VICE AND CORRUPTION. And this I would like to say in tones that would ring throughout the nation: IT IS OUR LOSS IF WE PERMIT THE IGNORANT WHITE VOTE TO CONTINUE.

I URGE THE APPLICATION OF THE GOLDEN RULE FOR THE SOLUTION OF THE RACE PROBLEM.

He would be a bold man who would say that this had already been done, but any man would be a very pessimistic man who could not see that to a considerable extent this rule has already been applied.

Industrial and Social Peace

Sought by Organized Labor

By SAMUEL GOMPERS, President of the American Federation of Labor

ORGANIZED LABOR IS THE RESULT OF OUR INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AND ENVIRONMENT. IT PROPOSES TO SECURE A LARGER SHARE OF THE PRODUCTION OF WEALTH. IT SEEKS TO SECURE THESE OBJECTS BY PEACEFUL AND LAWFUL METHODS. IT AIMS TO ESTABLISH MORE RIGHTFUL RELATIONS BETWEEN MAN AND MAN.

ORGANIZED LABOR SEEKS NO CONFLICT SUCH AS PRESIDENT PARRY OF THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MANUFACTURERS WOULD PROMOTE, NOR WILL IT RUN AWAY FROM IT. We desire industrial and social peace and are making for it, Mr. Parry and those who act with him to the contrary notwithstanding.

We shall be enabled soon to discern to what extent the manufacturers of the United States are in accord with him. At this writing we are confident that he represents but an infinitesimal part of the American employers.

ORGANIZED LABOR FACES THE FUTURE CONFIDENT AND SELF RELIANT.

June 7 In History.

- 165—First American congress called by vote of Massachusetts assembly.
- 176—Richard Henry Lee in the Continental congress offered resolutions declaring the colonies independent.
- 171—Brigadier General Thomas J. Rodman, inventor of the Rodman gun, died at Rock Island; born 1815.
- 133—Edwin Booth, the tragedian, died in New York city; born 1833.
- 134—Professor William Dwight Whitney, eminent philologist of Yale college, died in New Haven; born 1827.
- 134—McCamley Price, ex-governor of New Jersey and a California pioneer, died at Hazlewood, N. J.; born 1814.
- 137—Ney Elias, explorer and former consul general at Meshed, died in London.
- 139—Augustin Daly, American theatrical manager and playwright, died in London; born 1838.
- 139—General W. S. Clark, noted Mexican and Confederate veteran, died at Atlanta.

June 8 In History.

- 1806—George Wythe, "signer" and for 20 years chancellor of Virginia, died at Richmond; born 1726.
- 1808—Thomas Paine, deist, died in New York city; born 1739.
- 1840—The city of Natchez, Miss., nearly destroyed by a tornado; 20 deaths; loss, \$5,000,000.
- 1845—Andrew Jackson, president in 1829-37, died at The Hermitage, near Nashville; born 1767.
- 1891—Destructive floods in the Red river region, Texas.
- 1896—Jules Simon, distinguished statesman, formerly premier of France, died in Paris; born 1815.
- 1896—Frank Mayo, American actor, died in New York city; born 1839.
- 1900—Missionaries in China cabled President McKinley to send protection from the Chinese anti-foreign element.

June 9 In History.

- 1811—Sara Payson Willis, later Eldridge and finally Parton, born in Portsmouth, Me.; died 1872; known as Fanny Fern. Mrs. Eldridge-Parton was the sister of N. P. Willis, the poet. Besides her sketches, two novels and several books for children represent her published works.
- 1870—Charles Dickens, novelist, died at Gadshill, in Kent; born in Portsmouth 1812.
- 1893—Disaster at Ford's old opera house, Washington, where Lincoln was assassinated.
- 1894—Cyrus West Field, son and namesake of the cable projector, died in New York city; born 1857.
- 1902—Celebration at West Point commemorating the centenary of the National Military academy.

June 10 In History.

- 1653—The first mint in America began to coin. Colonial coinage began in Massachusetts. The first coins were of three denominations: 12 pence, 6 pence and 3 pence. The inscription on one side was N. E. and on the other marks of value, IIII, V and VI. Later the word Massachusetts was placed on one side, with a tree in the center, and the words New England on the reverse, with the date of the year.
- 1672—Peter the Great of Russia born near Moscow; died Feb. 8, 1725.
- 1801—The United States entered on a war with Tripoli; Tripoli instituted the war on May 10, 1801, by cutting down the flagstaff of the American consulate.
- 1898—Colonel R. W. Huntington landed a force of 600 marines at Guantanamo bay and hoisted the stars and stripes on Cuban soil.
- 1901—Walter Besant, noted English novelist, died in London; born 1836.
- 1901—Buchanan, English poet, novelist and dramatist, died in London; born 1841.

June 11 In History.

- 1294—Roger Bacon, commonly called Friar Bacon, scholar, alchemist and liberal writer, died at Oxford; born 1214. Bacon was educated at Oxford and Paris. He took the vows of the Franciscan order at Oxford. Being profoundly Roger Bacon, learned in philosophy, metaphysics and science, with great skill in mechanics, he was suspected of dealing in magic. He was confined in prison ten years for certain of his writings. The resemblance between Roger Bacon and his namesake, Lord Bacon, was called remarkable. Roger's great work, "Opus Majus," is said to suggest the spirit of Lord Bacon's "Novum Organum."

June 12 In History.

- 1485—James III, of Scotland killed near Bannockburn.
- 1802—Harriet Martineau, author and noted agnostic, born in Norwiche, England; died 1876.
- 1896—John Augustus Roebling, designer and first chief engineer of the Brooklyn bridge, born at Mulhausen, Prussia; died 1868.
- 1894—Entry of Maximilian and Carlotta into the City of Mexico.
- 1878—William Challen Bryant, the poet, died in New York city; born at Cummington, Mass., 1794.
- 1894—Commander John Rodgers, U. S. N., retired, died at Oakland, Pa.; born 1822.
- 1899—Duke Abruzzi's North pole expedition sailed on the Stella Polare from Christiania, Norway.
- 1906—Lucretia Pollock Hale, noted writer, died in Boston; born 1829.

June 13 In History.

- 1736—Thomas Arnold of Rugby school, father of Matthew, born at Cowes, Isle of Wight; died 1842. Thomas Arnold began life as a private tutor, but was soon ordained as a priest and appointed head master of the famous Rugby school. His own example and the high sense of duty inculcated among students raised the fame of the school. Arnold published a "History of Rome" and at the time of his death was delivering his introductory course of lectures as professor of modern history, Oxford university.
- 1894—Rev. E. C. Robinson, professor in the University of Chicago and formerly president of Brown university, died in Boston; born 1815.
- 1896—Senor Lorilla, a noted Spanish republican leader, died at Madrid; born 1834.
- 1898—The 17th army corps, under General W. R. Shafter, sailed from Tampa for Santiago.