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SOME PLAINER TALK.

and rightfully may it strut over the it, poor thing.

alor around as editorial on The course of underhanded attack. Times' fourth page. What a pity the The Times Truly says it has not a somebody's liver pills.

now appear, but certain it is that it when they have their glasses. is not the journalistic misfit who weekly demonstrates in the Forest Grove to help build up the town, but its

Office in Abbott Building. Times his utter inability either to se The Lewis and Clark Centennial and or hear or tell what readers expect to find in printed sheets pretending to be newspapers, and whose pitiful condition is so truly put by the new writer when he says of The Times: "It simply plugs along doing its best of up-to-date furniture at city prices, in trying to make the best paper it

novelty and call attention to for once. But the surprising change in style ladies' ready-made clothing or tailors running something readable. The first is no more remarkable than the to make men's suits, but they are just two columns of the editorial page are change in policy by which the greentastefully set, fairly free from typo- eyed monster openly manifests itself the people of Forest Grove. The News graphical errors and misspelling, and in the printed page while before it is furnishing a better newspaper to divided off into nice paragraphs with has been confined to private recitals convenient breathing places marked of the anvil chorus in neighbor's par- Forest Grove has before afforded and by the very appropriate emblem for lors or more public knocking at the the people have shown their apprecia-The Times and its editor, "ooo," social, missionary and charitable gathnothing, nothing, nothing. What a erings, in season and out of season contrast to the next column where a showing a sneaking, snivelling jealmisspelled heading punctuated with ousy of the newer and better paper lation which makes it willing at any 'diet's arprise mark opens a third whose superiority The Times has ad- | time to open its books to the prospectof a column of such slush as usually mitted by its cowardly, contemptible ive advertiser or for comparison with

writer of the leading article could not \$50,000 plant nor has it a clear title be regularly employed to make an to any plant of any size. The plant other oasis for the weary reader in upon which it is printed has been that desert of ideas which covers the longer a resident of Forest Grove than four home-print pages of The Times, have Walter Hoge & Co., and it does only relieved by an occasional tale of not appear that during their months a night of terror made blissful by Dr. of management anything has been Patent's New Discovery, or the enter- done to replace the worn-out type. taining story of those busiest and maintain machinery or keep the plant mightiest little things ever made, up-to-date by any additions. The Times may be as good as the average country The News wishes it might, in at paper but The News doubts it, for the tending to The Times' article, like the credit of the country would prefer not writer of that editorial, treat of the to believe it. It certainly does not parties back of it, but they are shad- know how to use a printing plant, of ows to be groped after only to vanish which it gives evidence every Thursat the touch, nothing real, nothing day, and that it is one of the best substantial about them. Whoever it printed papers in the state is a conis that has been able to put a sensible cession to be gotten only from nearstory into decent English does not sighted people and not from them

The Times asserts it does its part

RECOLLECTIONS OF REUNION, KERMIS AND FOURTH.



effort to cripple the wrist that gave it motion. The town cannot advance unless the country tributary to it prospers and there is no real benefit to Forest Grove from a paper that seeks every opportunity to injure the neighboring towns. The only advertising so far done by Mr. Hoge has been to make himself ridiculous by his anxiety for two-bit meals when away from nome on important occasions.

Of the value to Forest Grove of the two papers. The News puts in circu lation more money in Forest Grove than does The Times. Mr. Hoge's entire staff has less members than Mr. French's: while both pay rent and maintain offices and each gets his paper from Portland, one half printed with the same matter as about 200 other papers tributary to Portland, the other all printed but all exclusively its own.

Banker Haines does not get all his printing from The Times' office, nor any considerable part, but no person of any intelligence would refuse to patronize his bank because he gets a better check and for less money abroad than he could in Forest Grove. Roe & Buxton carry a complete line but could not do it if they tried to The Forest Grove Times in its latest can for Forest Grove." It simply can't get their wares all made in Forest issue indulges in "Some Plain Talk" do any better and that's the end of Grove. So Woods & Adams do not hire dressmakers to prepare their as much entitled to the patronage of the people of Washington county than tion by making it the official paper of the city, giving it the patronage of every live business house and a circuits neighbor. The Times.

> Our illustrations some of them bave appeared elsewhere, the one of President Ferrin for instance in The Times. but there so poorly printed on account of wretched work, cheap paper and inferior ink, that it was a duty to allow the new president's features to be seen. The illustration of St. Mary's convent shows the academy which was not completed till last winter. Mrs. McEldowney's portrait was from a photo just taken, so was the reproduction of Photographer Meresse's latest view of the university campus. The picture of the band in their new uniforms just received in time for the Fourth, the liberty car with the queen elected last week-all these sufficiently answer the assertion that only Frank Brown's cartoons are original with The News, and the rest are stale. Engravings cost money, apart from their purchase, tho' The News' payments to Engraver Felloes each week would more than pay the bill of The Times for its entire patent, whose serial story and musty state and foreign news Mr. Hoge's writer counts in as part of the matter set by The Times. Engravings require better and anyone who wants to send a paper of that law to close two of the dives. away to friends desiring to know Grove he shall send.

At some length these statements of The Times have been considered, as they are matters which may not be generally understood and perhaps the misrepresentations of the "plain talker" might deceive some, but the rest of the editorial needs little attention. When The Times publishes a signed statement from Druggist Miller that Mr. French has attempted extortion has betrayed its ignorance) there will be time enough for The News to publish a signed denial couched in the fullness of denying each and every specific point or possibility, but the grievance seems really to be that The News after seven weeks has complete-There is little real regard for Mr. overwhelming vote of the people of asserted that The News had abused declared by the Multnomah circuit him when not one single word which judges unconstitutional, rests on the would have been anything but praise assertion in the Bill of Rights "that if spoken of the best man in the com- all power is inherent in the people munity was said about him.

pears in the mournful statement ment in such manner as they may tucked away in an obscure corner that | think proper." "the 'fron house' and other joints, A supreme court which for expedi- very best. Apply at News office or ... died in Paris; born 1767. fearful of an aroused public senti- ency's sake has permitted the hanging Clarence Miller, Gales City.

EDUCATORS MUST BE CHARACTER MAKERS

By JAMES B. DILL, New York Lawyer, Called "The Father of Trusts"



HE world is full of instances of men who have failed in business because they were "misplaced men." Few men, having come to a realization of the fact that they have started upon the wrong course, entered upon the wrong lines of work, have the cour-

age to turn around and start over again, beginning at the bottom. No class of men are more likely to make this mistake than university graduates. The first thing, therefore, that a university education in the hands of practical instructors should do is to stop "misplaced men" from continuing in the wrong course. It is to keep out of the law school the man who is intended for the ministry. It is to keep the man out of the theological seminary the bent of whose mind leans to the law.

The vital question to the young man in after years is his character, integrity and strength, mental and moral-not so much whether he has absorbed so much Greek, Latin or mathematics, but what impress has the instructor and instruction made upon the character, mental and moral, of the university man.

THE NEED OF THE AGE IS NOT MORE EDUCATION IN EX-TENT, BUT MORE EDUCATORS IN THE TRUE SENSE OF THE WORD-MORE CHARACTER MAKERS RATHER THAN LECTURERS

Man's Highest Development Dependent **Upon the Development of Woman**

By Professor IRA W. HOWERTH of Chicago



HE WOMAN QUESTION IS IN ONE SENSE A PART OF THE LARGER SOCIAL QUESTION. WOMEN OUTNUM-BER MEN IN ALL THE CIVILIZED NATIONS EXCEPT ITALY, BELGIUM AND THE UNITED STATES.

The number of women, however, does not give the woman question its highest significance. THE DEVELOP-MENT OF THE HIGHEST TYPE OF MANHOOD IS DE-PENDENT UPON THE EQUAL DEVELOPMENT OF WOM-EN. Under present social conditions woman is in a very true sense a subject—a subject of social prejudices and conventionalities and in some respects a subject of man.

BEFORE WOMAN CEASES TO BE A SUBJECT OR A SLAVE IT WILL BE NECESSARY FOR US TO CONVERT MAN, THE SLAVE-HOLDER.

In other words, the ideas and standards of man must be changed. He must come to recognize that the labor of the woman in the home is a valuable contribution to the work of the world and de-He must come to recognize that the labor of the woman in the serves its reward. He must cease to regard woman as his inferior or as "his." WOMAN'S OWN CONSERVATISM MUST ALSO BE MODIFIED, AND SHE MUST CONSCIOUSLY PRE-PARE HERSELF FOR A LIFE OF FREEDOM. We must depend, therefore, upon the educational influences of society, the church, the home, the school, social intercourse and the like, to prepare both man and woman for a social condition in which there will be no thought or appearance of subjection.

ment, have both been closed tight of murderers for half a century in the business." The impression is sought ative punishments shall be inflicted, near neighbor of the city hall, is the living salaries, despite the constituonly other joint in town, that there tion's prohibition and even taken unstore was not one of them. The Times because public opinion favored this tried to say The News was foolish in reasonable course, is not likely to much, costlier ink, take time of an blind pigs, but after it was found Mr. nearly unanimous people. experienced pressman to get ready. Hoge's bluff of last week would not but they make a more creditable sheet | work, there seemed to be enough fear

There ought not to be much doubt about Forest Grove and Washington in the mind of any reasonable person, county is not likely to hesitate as to whatever may be thought of the at- districts that levied tax, with their which of the two papers in Forest tempt alleged of Mr. French, that The rates for the past year, are: District Times is much more solicitous of Mr. 15, Forest Grove, 10 mills, \$246,235; Miller's interests than becomes the 16, Scoggins Valley, 2 mills, \$40,710; disinterested champion of prohibition. 40, near Tigardville, 1 mill, \$34,325; But The News does not propose to 65, Glenwood, 13 mills, \$9830; 64, near overlook the real issue and while it Dilley, 3 mills, \$23,350; 11 joint, Gashas favored a licensed saloon in For- ton, 8 mills, \$48,495; 49, near Gaston, est Grove, it will see that an unli- 3 mills, \$11,385; 9. Glencoe, 2 mills, censed one shall not run without the \$56,580; 62 joint, 11/2 mills, \$27,060; 8. people knowing of it. If the temper- near Hillsboro, 2 mills, \$48,725; 42, ance people of Forest Grove prefer Hillside, 3 mills, \$19,435; 7, Hillsboro. Druggist Miller and The Times, they 10 mills, \$309,273; 70, near Glencoe, (Oregon law knows no such offense as are to be congratulated, such of them 5 mills, \$10,914; 74, Bethany, 12 mills, blackmail and The Times as usual as champion that combination, upon \$22,745; 50, Scholls, 5 mills, \$24,230; their consistency.

> THE RIGHT OF THE PEOPLE TO GOVERN.

and that they have at all times a right The only sympathy for Miller ap- to alter, reform or abolish the govern-

since Sunday and are going out of face of a declaration that only reformto be created that the "Waverly," the has allowed state officers to receive were but two and that Miller's drug constitutional increases in salary itself paper, heavier and costing twice as claiming there was a law to reach stand against a demand backed by a

SCHOOL DISTRICT TAXES.

The assessed valuation of the school 29, Reedville, 31/2 mills, \$92,228; 28, Gaston, 3 mills, \$32,550.

Next year the new law goes into effect by which the county court must levy a tax that will bring in the equivalent of \$6 for each child over 4 and under 20 in the county. This will give The initiative and referendum about double the amount now received ly distanced its would-be competitor. amendment which was adopted by an by the county school fund and do away with the necessity for taxes in most of Miller else it would never have been the state of Oregon, but has just been the districts, those having interest on 1733—Charlotte Corday was guillotined for bonds to meet or schoolhouses or furniture to pay for of course having to tax however, as the county money may not be used for those purposes.

> Lumber-All kinds of undressed and planed. Delivered. Price the 1792-John Paul Jones, the naval hero,

July 12 In History.

100 B. C .- Julius Cosar

born. 1509—Calvin born. 1538—Erasmus, the reform-er, died in Basel; born 1467. Erasmus was considered the greatest wit and scholar of his age. Kings were honored by an audience with him. He differed with Lu-



1690-Battle of the Foyne. Dolly Madison

1794-Battle of Mannheim. 1805-Joseph Bonaparte entered Madrid as king of Spain.

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§49-Dolly Madison (born Dorothy Payne),
widow of President Madison, died in
Washington; born 1772.

1870-Rear Admiral John A. Dahigren, U.
S. N., died at Washington; born 1810.

1892-Cyrus W. Field of Atlantic cable

1892-Cyrus W. Field of Atlantic cable fame died in Dobbs Ferry, N. Y.; born 1897—Nicholas C. Creede, noted mine own-er, died at Los Angeles; born 1843.

July 13 In History.

1785—Stephen Hepkins, "signer" for Rhode Island, died in Providence; born 1707. 1783—Marat, the terrorist, was assassinat-

ed by Charlotte Corday.

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1822—Modern battle of Thermopylie early
in the Greek war of independence.

1863—Draft riots in New York city.

1890—General John Charles Fremont, explorer, soldier and Republican presidential candidate in 1856, died in New
York; born in Georgia 1813. Fremont
had held the rank of lieutenant in the United States army and became fa-mous as the "Pathfinder" through his explorations across the Rocky moun-In 1861 he was commissioned from civil life major general of regu-

ham's Magaz'ne, died at Orange, N. J. 1900—The ailied forces at Tientsin repulsed in a desperate attack upon the native city. Colonel Emerson H. Liscum, commanding the Ninth United States regulars, was killed leading the at-tack, and the regiment suffered heav-fly in the battle.

July 14 In History.

1602 — Cardinal Mazarin, French states:nan, born;

1789—The populace of Paris stormed and captured the Bastille. The Bastile was the state prison and citadel of Paris.
Many noted people were confined there, among them Richelleu, Voltaire, Latude and "The General Lyon.
Man In the Iron Mask." The populace overcame the guard and emptied the

overcame the guard and emptied the dungeons, liberating one man who had been in a cell 30 years. 1818-Nathaniel Lyon, soldier, born in Ash-ford, Conn.; killed at Wilson's Creek, Mo., 1861.

1828-Jervis McEntee, American landscape artist, born at Rondout, N. Y.; died

there 1891.

1853—The Crystal palace exhibition opened in New York city. The New York world's fair of 1853 brought together a fine display of American machinery and a variety of foreign products. The building represented a Greek cross. It was wholly of glass and iron; length, 365 feet; width, 150 feet.

Federal veteran, died in Washington;

1901—Charles Nordhoff, author and jour-nalist, died in San Francisco; born 1830.

July 15 In History.

1808—Henry Edward Manning, cardinal, famous convert to Roman Catholicism, born in Hertfordshire; died 1892. 1815 — Napoleon Bonaparte surrendered himself to Captain Maitland of the Bellerophon. 1817—The Baroness de Stael, French wom-

an of letters, died. 1871-Thomas Lincoln (Tad), son of Abra-ham Lincoln, died at Chicago; born

1883-Charles Haywood Stratton (Tom

Thumb) died at Middleboro, Mass., aged 45. 1893-General J. C. Kelton, U. S. A., retired, died in Washington: born 1832 1897—General Philip Regis de Trobriand, a veteran of the Federal army, died at Bayport, N. Y.

July 16 In History.

1723-Sir Joshua Reynolds, the celebrated English portrait painter, born at Plympton, Devonshire; died in Lon-

with her husband and child, drowned off Fire Island beach, New York; born 1857-Pierre Jean de Beranger, French

1882-Mrs, Abraham Lincoln died, aged 67. 1891—General Benjamin Franklin Kelley, a Federal veteran, noted for his exciting campaigns in West Virginia and Mary land, died at Oakland, Md.; born in New Hampshire 1807. 1893—Rear Admiral Earl English, U. S. A.,

retired, died in Washington; born 1828.

1897-General Joseph Conrad, a noted Federal veteran of the Army of the Cum-berland, died at Atlantic City; born

July 17 In History.

1744-Elbridge Gerry, "signand statesman, born Marblehead, Mass.; dled 1814. 1745 - Timothy Pickering.

statesman, born in Sa-lem, Mass.; died 1829. 1749-Peter Gansevoort, sol-dier, born in Albany; dier, born in Albany; died 1812. Gansevoort joined the Revolution-ary forces as major of Gansevoort. the Second New York soon after Lex-

His services were chiefly central New York, where he contended against the Indians and British. One of his victories was the defense of Fort Stanwix, where he defeated St. Leger and prevented his co-operation with Burgoyne. killing Marat

1898—End of the war in Cuba; General Toral, Spanish commander at Santiago and vicinity, surrendered the city.

1901—General Daniel Butterfield, veteran
volunteer officer of the civil war, died
at Cold Spring, N. Y.; born iSil.

July 18 In History.