

ONLY ONE WAY TO SUCCEED.

There is only one way to be truly successful, and that is to deserve it. No man can ever hope to be successful unless by his own personal efforts he has worked his way to a position where success must crown his efforts. Those men who have been the most successful and have made not only a reputation for wealth and influence, but a name that will last through coming ages, have been those who were ambitious and determined, who never allowed the discouraging and disheartening failures in a single instance to overcome them, or turn them from the course they were pursuing. Most of them have been men who had to work hard and diligently for every penny they earned.

With every avenue open, with every opportunity at hand, with equal chances for all, it is very strange how few really successful men there are. In a recent issue we gave the names of some of the prominent men of the day, all of whom began life under circumstances and conditions not at all flattering, and yet who, by their own individual efforts have made a mark, and have been successful to an extent that is the envy of many a laboring man, whose condition is far less promising than was theirs. It is true that not all men are endowed with the same faculties and ability for business that were these. Yet even in their cases, it was more a question of development than of endowment. They had to deserve success before they attained it. Too many young men are apt to think that because they are not successful is not their fault, but rather the result of circumstances, and become discouraged or disheartened after a few attempts, or conclude that fortune and fate are against them, and give up the struggle at the beginning of the battle.

There is many a young man to-day who is plodding along, simply existing, who has all the ability and necessary qualities of character to make himself a name and fortune, as lasting and as large as is the lot of any. And yet, because he has not developed these qualities and taken advantage of their aid to forward his ends, he is still struggling along, cursing fate and bemoaning his lack of fortune and position.

There is many a man among the crowd that struggles for a livelihood in the mill or at the desk who has within him all the natural characteristics that are requisite to a career of wealth and success in the sense that some of our prominent men are successful, and it is no one's fault but their own, that they are not enjoying it. There is only one way to success, and that is by personal effort and application which deserve it, and by which alone it can be won.

It is a curious contrast to present temperance legislation that Massachusetts by statute less than one hundred years ago exempted from taxation for five years "all brew houses wherein shall be made one hundred barrels of ale or beer annually." The reason for this exemption was that these manufacturers afforded a market for barley, and thus promoted husbandry, besides furnishing a valuable article for export. A further reason will sound strangely to temperance people now. It was that the wholesome qualities of these malt liquors are promotive of public health, and that they are the best means of preventing excessive use of spirituous liquors. Such conclusions of people less than one hundred years ago shows the great advance that temperance has made. Statistics show that per capita the use of strong liquors in this country is much less than it was in the olden time.

Two republican daily newspapers will be established in Little Rock, Ark., this month—the *Progress* and the *Register*. The *Progress* will be published by a \$20,000 stock company, with W. A. Webber as editor, and the *Register* will be under the editorial control of J. M. Johnston, of Kansas, and W. Jasper Blackburn, of Little Rock. It is understood that these papers will be the organs, respectively, of the anti-Clayton and the Clayton factions of the Arkansas republicans, and when they are in full blast lively times may be expected.

To day we publish 15,000 newspapers in the United States, three times more than any other country, and over a third of the combined issue of the whole world. Our circulation gives four papers a week to each family of five in this country. From 1850 to 1890, the growth of newspapers in the United States was five hundred per cent, while the increase in population was but one hundred per cent. What higher tribute could be paid to the intelligent enterprise of American journalists?

In a half page advertisement in one of our exchanges, of a dry goods merchant, is this sentence: "Our newspapers are the life of our city and are bread winners for the merchants." There is a whole volume in this sentence. A city or town without one or more live newspapers is not worth the space it occupies. A newspaper, rightly conducted, is worth more to a town or community than thousands of dollars invested in any other enterprise.

This is the season of the year when the editor writes columns of summer resort editorials and works fifteen hours per day.

Frank Carpenter, the traveler and newspaper correspondent, just back from a trip around the world, is an odd looking chap, as slim as a fence rail, with somewhat ungainly figure, startling red hair and mustache and homely face. He is a persistent and voluminous writer and a rapid talker. He lives in Washington.

The perfected Salt Trust, fostered by the tariff and linked with "British gold," is the last and greatest of the "private affairs" for monopolizing the control of a universal necessity which Mr. Blaine post-pooled last year.

Ohio ought to be good fighting ground for the Democracy this Fall, with Foraker renominated on a platform that even goes so far as to indorse Corporal Tanner's rampaging career in the Pension office.

Somebody who recently saw Ex Senator Riddleberger, of Virginia, in Washington says that "his face wore a very sober look." This is unusual, but encouraging.

Dr. Mary Walker threatens to join the Democratic party. Don't. There are already enough leeches in the Democratic ranks.

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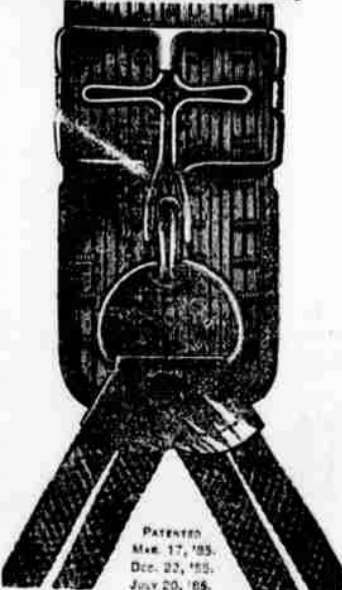
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