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Enthusiasm Over the Glorious History of Town of Norwich and Expresses Pride for His New England Ancestry—Founders Men of Strength and Individuality—Mason a Great Man—Church Influenced Uplifting of Town.

After the passing of the parade the crowd assembled close about the reviewing stand, and Governor Weeks briefly presented President Taft, saying that it gave him a great amount of pleasure to come to Norwich today, on the occasion of this celebration. I congratulate Norwich on its celebration and on the beautiful weather for it. I congratulate the people of Norwich and the state of Connecticut in having the president of the United States here as your guest, and it gives me great pleasure now to introduce to you President William Howard Taft.

President Taft was greeted with great applause, and got an extra hand as he, with a big smile, asked them to come closer. Get as close as you can, was his request, and I want to tempt to pass in front. He then said:

My friends—I think it was last year that I had the pleasure of addressing a Norwich audience. When I talked to you on the subject of the Panama Canal, and I promised to come back

term, and if I were a Norwich man I should hub it to my bosom. There is something about the town differing from most towns whose history I know, in the individuality of the town itself. There are other towns that have had noted individuals who have made history. Norwich has had noted individuals whose characters continued through three great crises have given a character and an individuality to the town itself.

Mason a Great Man.

Major John Mason was a great man, and he had a great son-in-law. James Fitch, a minister of the gospel in this town for forty years, who was a good man and there were in those thirty-five men in whose name the nine square miles were given by Indians, men of bone and sinew fit to meet the tremendous trials of those early days.

When you came to the revolutionary time, and you were not wanting, for out of the descendants of your first settlers you furnished great force to

men who built up your community and made its character. The Rev. James Fitch could not look upon any other religion in this community with any degree of patience, his descendants, firm in the faith as he was, now see that the best way to promote Christianity and the Kingdom of God and religion is to let every man worship God as he chooses. (Applause.) This community was well supervised by the clergy, and they did well by the clergy. The Rev. James Fitch, after fourteen years in Saybrook, came here and presided in the First Church for forty more years. I have heard clergymen say that after a clergyman passes his fiftieth year he ought to be emeritus and step out of the profession. They did not say so in those days. There was an authority about a minister of the gospel that meant a great deal more than mere persuasiveness, and the clergyman's authority is one that seems to cultivate a long life.

President 117 Years.

The Rev. James Fitch was succeeded by Dr. Benjamin Lord, and he was succeeded by Dr. Strong, all of the same church, and the Doctors Lord and Strong presided together, including six years when they were both ministers of this town one hundred and seventeen years. Now think of the influence in a community of God-fearing men with force of character, with power to condemn wrong and uphold right, and then you can understand how Norwich has survived and preserved an individuality. (Applause.)

Major Mason was a statesman. He was deputy governor. His chief was Governor Winthrop, and Governor Winthrop, while Major Mason presided over the colony of Connecticut, went to London and found King Charles II in such good humor that he got that famous charter of Connecticut. They said that Charles II was a monarch who never said a foolish thing and never did a wise one. (Laughter.) Whether it was wise for him or not, the charter of Connecticut that he gave, with its principles of free institutions and its attitude to the people of Connecticut in carrying on their government, was certainly from our standpoint a wise act, and I don't wonder that when they tried to get it away they put it in that oak where it was not found.

The truth is, my dear friends, we bear a great deal of discussion of free government and references made to the declaration of independence which this day celebrates. And some people so consider that instrument that they would make it mean that any body of men or children or women are born with the instinct of self government such that they can frame a government when they begin to talk. Now that is not true. Self government has been fought out in the history of this world any certain exact time has been hammered out by a thousand years of struggle and men have taught themselves until they have sense enough to know what is their own interest and when enough to know what is their interest and to give every other man all that is coming to him according to right and justice. (Applause.)

Men of Strength and Individuality.

Now what is true with respect, therefore, to our ancestors is not true with respect to many races in this world. They have to be led in the path of the principle and lesson of self government. But our ancestors, by a wise negligence in the home government for nearly two hundred years, came to be the best prepared people there were in the world for self government. Take the town of Norwich and see how those thirty-five men and the people who followed them made up a government; how they were conscious of the responsibility that they took upon themselves when they attempted to govern themselves, and how they carried on an orderly government, a government of liberty, regulated by law. So it was in every town in the thirteen colonies. They were all men of strength of individuality, of self restraint, and they knew what it cost to build up a government and maintain it, and when on the 4th of July, 1776, they declared their independence of Great Britain they did it with reluctance and with hesitation because they were under the tremendous burden on their backs and they knew the responsibilities that they owed to the world and that they owed to the people for whom they were making the declaration.

No better example of the character of those men who made that declaration of independence than the men who subsequently framed the constitution of the United States could be found than right here among your representatives of the town of Norwich. Your selectmen, your leaders, had the education and the experience that fitted them, as all the Americans of that day were fitted, to organize and maintain a civil government and preserve the free institutions and liberty regulated by law.

Virtues Still Exist.

Now you have stood and looked at the procession so long that your eyes are strained and I do not mean to strain your ears. I wish again to testify to the profound pleasure I have had in studying the history of the town of Norwich, of going over the character of your great men and of realizing that the strength of your community—the character of your community—is in the character of the men that made it up; and I doubt not that right here under these beautiful skies and in these houses, so many of which preserve the memories of the past, there is the same respect for virtue, for individual character, for honesty, for freedom and for law that was left to you as a legitimate legacy from the ancestors whose memory you honor today.

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One Thing Needed. "Picking pockets," says Nifty Mike, "is like any other business. It's a cinch after ye gets yer hand in."

Uncle Ezra Says: "The cup that cheers would be all right if that wuz the end uv it."—Boston Herald.

And How Few Do! Man's chief wisdom consists in knowing his follies.—Rochefoucauld.

And the Proper One. The road leading to justice is the safest.—Hesiod.

PRESIDENT WILLIAM H. TAFT,

Who Considers Norwich a Great Town.

here at the 250th anniversary of your city's foundation, whether I was nominated and elected for the presidency or not. (Laughter.) I said that probably you would not want me if I was not elected. (Voice: Oh, yes.) And I haven't had an opportunity to test you on that. (Laughter, Voice: You're all right, Bill, anyway.) But it is a great pleasure to come back to this beautiful town. I like to call it a town, because, while you make a distinction between the city and the town, the term town suggests its wonderful history. Well may it be called the Rose of New England. (Applause.) Its beauties today and its sweet memories of the past justify the use of that

that which was needed to separate this country from England. And then, again, in the civil war you furnished much more than your quota, and the names of the men who marched out from Norwich would have done credit to many a larger city with a much greater population to draw from. One of the things that the history of this town suggests is the character of the government that you had here in the early days. Like that of this government of other New England towns, but perfect in its way, it was almost a democracy. The minister, James Fitch, was not alone a minister of the gospel as we know him today, exercising a beneficent influence in the community, but he spoke by authority, the state was behind him and the men and women of the community were obliged to conform to the rules of morality and life which he laid down.

Idea of Ancestors.

We speak with great satisfaction of the fact that our ancestors—and I claim New England ancestry—came to this country in order to establish freedom of religion. Well, if you are going to be exact, they came to this country to establish freedom of their religion and not the freedom of anybody else's religion. (Laughter and applause.) The truth is in these days such a thing as freedom of religion was not understood. Erasmus, the great Dutch professor of his day did understand it and did advocate it, but among the denominations it was not certainly fully understood. We look with considerable horror and with a great deal of condemnation on those particular denominations that punished our ancestors because our ancestors wished to have a different kind of religion, but when our ancestors got here in this country and ruled, they intended to have their own religion and no other. But we have passed beyond that, and out of the friction, out of the denominational prejudices we have in the past developed a freedom of religion that came naturally and logically as we went on to free institutions. It came from those very

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A Wayside Observation. "What I want you to immediately do," said the woman with a determined look, "is to unpermanently pick up that ax and before eating this lunch to carefully split some wood." "Aias!" exclaimed Pleading Pete, "how unreasonable some women are! They think wood is as easily split as an infantile."

Wees of London Police. Every observing Londoner must have noticed the haggard appearance of the police. Your modern London policeman has no time for steak and midnight soporifics. The shaded area knows his bulky form no more; alas! there is no bulky form to know.—London Sketch.

A Coincidence. On the notice board of a church near Manchester the other day the following announcements appeared together: A potato pie supper will be held on Saturday evening. Subject for Sunday evening, "A Night of Agony."—Manchester Guardian.

Be Natural. Sidney Smith said, by way of advice: "Whatever you are by nature, keep to it; never desert your own line of talent. Be what nature intended you for and you will succeed; be anything else and you will be a thousand times worse than nothing."

A Crippled Organ. Alfred at the window watching an old organ grinder with an old-fashioned, stick-propped barrel organ, and listening to the dulcet strains of "Home, Sweet Home," suddenly exclaimed: "Poor old organ! She's only got one leg!"

Grotesque Source of Inspiration. Young, the poet, composed his "Night Thoughts" with a skill before him, in which he would place a lighted candle, and at times he would wander among the tombs at midnight to get sepulchral inspiration.

Reflection. The solitary side of our nature demands leisure for reflection upon subjects on which the dash and whirl of daily business go long as its clouds rise thick about us, forbid the intellect to fasten itself.—Froude.

The Difference. What is the difference between the permission to speak in a low tone, and a prohibition not to speak at all? In the one case you are not to talk aloud; in the other you are not allowed to talk.

Taking Long Chances. An Atchison twin is to marry a twin in Tepeka. Goodness, and twins are said to be hereditary.—Atchison Globe.

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