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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1910.

FEBRUARY 22 IN HISTORY.

- 1731—George Washington, first president of the U. S., born in Westmoreland county, Virginia. Died at Mt. Vernon, Dec. 14, 1799.
- 1814—Henry P. Baldwin, U. S. senator and fifteenth governor of Michigan, born in Coventry, R. I.
- 1819—Sabine river agreed upon as the boundary between Spain's possessions and the United States.
- 1836—Mexicans under Santa Anna began the siege of the Alamo in San Antonio.
- 1856—The first railroad in California was completed.
- 1868—United States made its first naturalization treaty, that with the North German Confederation.
- 1872—James Black, first temperance candidate for president of the U. S., nominated at a convention in Columbus, O.
- 1873—Samuel Leonard Tilley became minister of finance of Canada.
- 1875—Sir Charles Lyell, celebrated scientist, died in London. Born in Scotland, Nov. 14, 1797.
- 1903—National party of the Union Socialists formed in Philadelphia.

MAKING AN INVESTMENT.

The writer is not a land capitalist, but if he was and wanted to get good and permanent returns on his money invested he would speedily set about colonizing his land by cutting it up into suitable tracts of from fifty to sixty acres and locating thereon a colony of good German truck farmers, or some other class of progressive farmers. In fact, it seems to us that this would be a good work for a community. Few communities refuse to go down in their pockets and dig up bonuses for railroads on the theory that railroads develop a country, and they do. But so would colonization, and the investment could be made here with a hope of getting a direct return on the money invested. If a five hundred tract of land could be divided among ten good truck farmers within a reasonable distance of this city, and the purchasers given a long time in which to pay for their tracts, the investment would be worth good money to the promoters, and would increase the wealth of the county at the same time. This is an experiment worth making. It is the way to settle the country and develop the idle lands.

IF WASHINGTON SHOULD COME BACK.

The country is pleased today to pause and reflect on the life and influence of George Washington, the father of his country, whose birthday

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this is. Contrasted with the simple ways of government in Washington's time, things are now vastly different in many ways, and it is a thought worth dwelling on as to what the first president would think should he come back to Washington. History tells us that the first president, lovingly known as General Washington, was accustomed to ride horse back or walk from the White House to the capitol, or from other places to the White House. But if he should come now on his same faithful steed the chances are he would be run down by some sixty horsepower auto bearing some agent of the government, or he would be held up at the entrance to the grounds by one of the body guards of the premises and be made to explain his business. Once inside the home that was formerly his he would find changes as magical as those of the fairy tales, and would not know his own. The simple furnishings of the long ago have been stored in the attic and splendor has taken the places.

And in the halls of congress! What would he find here? History has been very charitable in forgetting the faults and inconsistencies of the early statesmen of America, or else they were a virtuous lot and were trying to render a government for and by the people. But, alas, today General Washington would touch shoulders in the halls of congress with special representatives of the various combines, men who are owned and controlled by the sugar, steel, oil and other trusts, and who do not seem ashamed that their employment should be a matter of public record. Truly, if the father of his country should come back and was given the same sincere mind and tongue he would no doubt have a startling message to deliver to his people. If Washington should come back he would find, too, that one of his chief claims to fame—the fact that he could not tell a lie—was and is not the chief virtue of many who came after him.

SHOULD WORK TOGETHER.

To make a city—to build a city—it is necessary for men to work, to work together toward the laudable goal of city building. The individual cannot accomplish much, cannot take up the burden of building a city and succeed at it. It is necessary for the individual to work, but when his work is added to the energies of the entire citizenship then it is that his efforts become effective.

The Denison Herald says along this line:

"Natural advantages are a great thing for a town's foundation. A good location is another great advantage. These things, however, count for little if there is not an organized effort on the part of the citizenship of the town to take advantage of these conditions to the fullest measure and build on the substantial foundation that is theirs. A live bunch of hustling men working together and taking advantage of every opportunity that is presented, will discount a whole lot of natural advantages and build a city while the town with the good foundation is wondering why it is that such a town keeps going ahead by leaps and bounds. It is not a hard proposition to figure out if you will give the matter a little thought and investigate what is being done."

But when the citizens are alert and have also natural advantages greater things can be done, great results secured. However, the great trouble is towns with natural advantages rely wholly upon the advantages when the citizens should work together to get value from the natural advantages.—Greenville Banner.

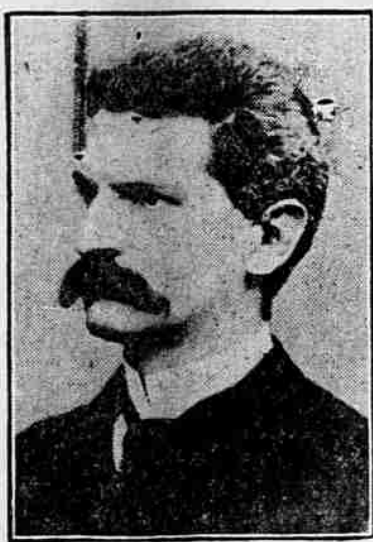
As we boost Palestine, Palestine will boost us. Reciprocity culminates in this kind of a game.

The chief complaint of the small boy is that Washington only cut down the cherry tree, but was not required to cut it up into stove wood and stack it in the shed. And there is something in the kid's protest.

Over in Waco in the recent municipal election it cost H. B. Mistrot just \$225 to win the nomination for mayor, while his opponent, J. W. Riggins, spent \$1,023 for a handsome defeat. Possibly the extra 23 did it—together with the votes that Mistrot got.

Sidney Sonnino.

Italian Statesman an Official of Long Experience.



Sidney Sonnino, leading statesman of Italy is a man of about sixty-three, who began his public career thirty years ago in the diplomatic service. He has held several important offices in the government of his country.

There is no evidence of hook worm among the people of this section now, but every one is busy getting the crops going. After awhile when fish begin to bite and the warm weather mixes with the cold butter milk the hook worm may get busy, but not now.

Bascom Thomas, who aspires to be lieutenant governor of Texas, is on record as saying that \$25,000 will buy the Texas senate and deliver it to any quarter. That is a shameful statement, especially coming from a man who was given a chance to prove his charges and flunked completely. We are not for Thomas.

Colonel Henry Watterson on Ballinger's retention of Vertrees: "A man with a record for never having lost a criminal case should have been chosen at the beginning." This also reminds Marse Henry of a story. "Are you the defendant?" asked the police court judge. "No, sah," replied the culprit, pointing to his lawyer. "That's the defendant, sah. I se de gentleman what stole de hawg."

POLITICS AND POLITICIANS.

Senator Nathan B. Scott of West Virginia has issued a formal announcement of his candidacy for reelection.

A special election will be held next month in the Fourteenth congressional district of Massachusetts to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Congressman Lovering.

Napoleon B. Broward, former governor of Florida, will be a candidate for the seat of J. P. Taliaferro in the United States senate. Senator Taliaferro's term will expire a year hence.

Charles Henderson, president of the Alabama railroad commission, who recently declared himself a candidate for the democratic nomination for governor of his state, has decided to withdraw from the contest.

David Jayne Hill, ambassador to Germany, and Jacob Gould Schurman, president of Cornell University, are among those now prominently mentioned for the republican gubernatorial nomination in New York.

Philip A. Stanton, who has served for a number of years as speaker of the lower branch of the California legislature, will be a candidate for the republican nomination for governor of his state this year.

Former Governor S. H. Elrod of South Dakota has decided to try again for the governorship. Other candidates are already in the field and an interesting contest is expected in the state-wide primary next June.

Thomas Taggart, former chairman of the democratic national committee, may become a candidate for the seat of United States Senator Beveridge, providing the democrats have a majority in the next Indiana legislature.

Governor Harmon of Ohio, Governor Marshall of Indiana, Governor Shallenberger of Nebraska, Governor Burke of North Dakota, Governor Shaffroth of Colorado, Hoke Smith of Georgia, and Representative Champ Clark of Missouri have been invited to speak at the annual Jefferson Day banquet of the National Democratic League of Clubs, which is to be held in Indianapolis the night of April 13.

Represents the Actuary.

The Herald received a call today from Mr. George G. Jones, who with Mr. Lyman Hanes is making a canvass of the city, examining into conditions of insurable property, fire-fighting facilities, etc., etc., with a view to fixing an equitable insurance rate, acceptable alike to the state insurance board, the property owners

and the insurance company. He came to qualify his statement made a few days ago that he was working for the insurance commission. He says the work being done here is for the actuary, Mr. C. B. Roulet, representing the insurance companies doing business in Texas, and that the rate established after the report on Palestine is completed will be passed up to the state commissioners for their acceptance. Mr. Jones makes this statement after his attention was called to a letter written by Mr. Wright, a member of the board, the contents of which were published in the Herald.

Will Give a Tea.

The members of the Woman's Relief Home will give a tea Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 23, from three to six, at the home of the president, Mrs. C. C. Stoddard. Come and bring your friends, and have tea with us. Only fifteen cents.

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THE HOUSTON CONVENTION.

Palestine Layman Tells of the Great Meeting.

(Contributed by a Layman.)

After an inspiring session of three days, the great meeting for East Texas laymen recently held in Houston came to a most successful end Sunday night. The best known men among the leaders in this movement were present from the east, as well as missionaries fresh from the dark corners of the world, notably Africa and China. Business men were present who had toured the globe in an investigation of the missions and their work, and their testimony was added to that of the missionaries themselves. Also leaders were there who are at the head of the missionary organizations of this country, these having also traveled largely in foreign heathen lands. The mass of testimony submitted pointed out the inadequacy of the present methods to evangelize (not "convert") the world in the present generation, though the progress made at the present time with the present equipment is shaking the nations of the earth as never before, and gives bright promise for future years.

The spiritual impression made was intense, as manifested on the strained faces of the delegates present and by the irrepressible storm of approval and sympathy often following those who spoke to the convention. A higher mark will be set in future work along this line for this territory. This was manifest in a practical way by the fact that the various churches of Houston voted solemnly to increase their last year donation to foreign missions from the combined sum of \$7,700.00 to over \$27,000.00, the former representing last year's gift and the latter the amount pledged for the present year. In so doing Houston is only following the path of all of the great centers of the United States and Canada, where these conventions have been held. That the other towns of this territory will be profoundly impressed it goes without saying.

The Houston Chronicle of Feb. 22, 1910, says: Then a dramatic incident occurred. Dr. Lilly stepped to the front of the platform, holding in his hand a card on which was written the record of what the churches of Houston had done for missions during the past year. He tore the card to atoms and as the small particles fell to the floor he said: "That's your past record. You are not very proud of your 73 cent showing. You never want to see it again. You have set a new mark and you will never return to the old way. May God bless and bless Houston." There was a moment of prayer, the benediction followed, and what was considered as the greatest religious meeting ever held in the city was brought to a close.

Palestine was represented by eight laymen and pastors. Five of these were from the Presbyterian church,

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AT THE LYRIC.

Packed House Greeted the Patterson Sisters Last Night.

The management says:

The Patterson Sisters, singing dancing soubrettes, opened their engagement at the Lyric Theatre last night to a packed every available space being these dainty little girls wear very pretty costumes, and dance well. Little Marguerite's singing was especially fine, and she won the hearty audience.

The Lyric will give a special day matinee this afternoon at 2 o'clock, and tonight will present special Washington's birthday program, including the Patterson three thousand feet of high art pictures, some excellent music, and the Trice Orchestra beautiful illustrated song by H. Werremeyer.

Each lady and child visiting theatre today will receive a souvenir. No advance in price.