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Frank Recognition of Public Rights by the President of Western Union and Telephone Companies.

Public regulation of public service corporations has come to stay. It ought to have come and it ought to stay. That is the flat and unequivocal assertion of Theodore N. Vail, president of both the American Telephone and Telegraph company and the Western Union Telegraph company. It came in the form of his annual report to the seventy thousand stockholders of the two great corporations. Although Mr. Vail's advocacy of full publicity in connection with the affairs of such concerns was well understood, nobody in financial circles had anticipated so frank an avowal of full public rights in the shaping of their general conduct. It came consequently as a surprise, not only because of its novelty and squareness, but also on account of the unqualified acquiescence of a board of directors comprising such eminent and conservative financiers as Robert Winsor of Kidder, Peabody & Co. and Henry L. Higginson of Boston, Henry P. Davison of J. P. Morgan & Co.; Senator W. Murray Crane, George F. Baer, T. Jefferson Coolidge Jr., Norman W. Harris, John I. Waterbury and others.

President Vail's declaration is heralded as the first recognition by those in high corporate authority of the justice of the demand that the public be regarded as virtual partners in all matters that pertain to the common welfare. He goes directly to the point.

"Public control or regulation of public service corporations by permanent commissions," he says, "has come and come to stay. Control, or regulation, to be effective means publicity; it means semi-public discussion and consideration before action; it means everything which is the opposite of and inconsistent with effective competition. Competition—aggressive, effective competition—means strife, industrial warfare; it means contention; it oftentimes means taking advantage of or resorting to any means that the conscience of the contestants or the degree of the enforcement of the laws will permit.

"Aggressive competition means duplication of plant and investment. The ultimate object of such competition is the possession of the field wholly or partially; therefore it means either ultimate combination on such basis and with such prices as will cover past losses, or it means loss of return on investment, and eventual loss of capital. However it results, all costs of aggressive, uncontrolled competition are eventually borne, directly or indirectly, by the public. Competition which is not aggressive, presupposes co-operative action, understandings, agreements, which result in general uniformity or harmony of action, which, in fact, is not competition but is combination, unstable, but for the time effective. When thoroughly understood it will be found that "control" will give more of the benefits and public advantages, which are expected to be obtained through such ownership, and will obtain them without the public burden of either the public officeholder or public debt or operating deficit.

"When through a wise, and judicious state control and regulation all the advantages without any of the disadvantages of state ownership are secured, state ownership is doomed."

"If Mr. Vail is right," says Harper's Weekly, "in a concise summing up, "then it seems pretty plain that we are entered upon a new era in both economics and politics. And it is high time we did if evolution is to supplant revolution as an efficient force in the development of civilization."

Unreliable Physiognomy.

I am a profound disbeliever in physiognomy. Features are false witnesses. Stupidity frequently wears a mask of intelligence. I know business men who look like poets and poets who look like business men. Men of genius invariably look like idiots, and if you pick out the man who looks most eminent in a party you are sure to find he is a nobody. I always distrust men who look magnificent. Nature is a stingy creature. She seldom gives a man the double gift of being great and looking great. She took care to lame Byron and deform Pope and disfigure Johnson. But the crowning example of her jealous parsimony is Shakespeare. I have always been disappointed with Shakespeare's face. It does not live up to his poetry. It is dull, heavy and commonplace.—Adventures in London.

Vegetable Fancy Work.

Little Mrs. Bride had almost everything to learn about housekeeping, but she was so enthusiastic in her interest that every one was glad to help her.

"I have some particularly fine asparagus," the marketman told her one day, and he displayed a bunch for her admiration. "Picked not three hours ago," he added.

Mrs. Bride looked at it with unaffected amazement.

"Does it grow like that?" she asked. "I always supposed the cook braided the ends of it."—Youth's Companion.

JOASH REPAIRS THE TEMPLE

Sunday School Lesson for April 23, 1911

Specially Arranged for This Paper

LESSON TEXT—2 Kings 11:21-12:16. Memory Verse 4.

GOLDEN TEXT—"Then the people rejoiced, for that they offered willingly."—1 Chron. 29:9.

TIME—In the twenty-third year of Joash's reign, 854 B. C. (Beecher), 821 B. C. (Hastings). Joash was slain in the fortieth year of his reign, 847 B. C. (Beecher), 803 B. C. (Hastings).

PLACE—Jerusalem, and the Temple.

KINGS—Hazael is king of Syria; Jehoahaz has succeeded Jehu in Israel; in Assyria Shalmaneser II. has died and Shamash-rammon has come to the throne.

Joash did that which was right in the sight of the Lord while Jehoiada the high priest was alive, but after the death of that good man Joash allowed the people to become idolaters again. Even during Jehoida's life, moreover, the worship at the high places was allowed to go on. These local sanctuaries were held to be conducive to true religion. The Temple was his boyhood home, his safe refuge for seven years from the murderous cruelty of Athaliah. In the Temple lived his best friends. There he had been crowned. No wonder he came to love those courts, and to sorrow over their dilapidated condition.

Joash called together the priests and the Levites, and bade them draw from the regular funds for the Temple restoration. This money of the dedicated things, the money consecrated to religious uses by the people, was obtained from three sources: Money of every one that passeth the account; that is, the poll-tax of a half-shekel paid by every male Hebrew above the age of 20 whenever a census was taken. Money that every man is set at; "All the assessments. Money that cometh into any man's heart to bring: The free-will offerings of the people for this purpose, which might be large.

The church workers, even when they take thought for the church, have little heart in their work. The facetious Sydney Smith had two yokes of oxen on his little farm in Yorkshire to which he gave the names of 'Tug' and 'Lug,' 'Haul' and 'Crawl.' These would be appropriate names for a large class of church members who put no heart into their Christian work. It is mere tug and toil and task to them.

There is a lack of co-operation. A minister called upon a member who had been neglecting the week-night service, and went straight up to the fireplace in the sitting room, and with the tongs removed a live coal from off the fire, and placed it on the hearth, then watched it while it turned from the red glow of heat to a black mass. The member in question carefully observed the proceeding, and then said, "You need not say a single word, sir; I'll be there on Wednesday night." No church fire can burn brightly if the coals are pulled apart.

Though many other reasons might be given for the failure when church work falls behind, it is all summed up in one cause, the absence of Christ. "Getting Christ into the people will solve the problem of getting people into the church," and getting them to work when they are there.

With the frankness and openness with which all church matters should be treated, Joash sent for Jehoida and the subordinate priests, and asked them, with some indignation, "Why repair ye not the breaches of the house?"

A very simple plan was adopted, appealing directly to the religious zeal of the people. A wooden chest was taken, and a slit was made in the lid for the money to pass through. This was set beside the altar. How did Joash's plan succeed? Admirably; it brought in much money. People like to give directly to a cause, to know just how their money is spent. They are far more likely to respond to special than to general appeals. The king's secretary and the high priest went together to the chest, counted the money, and put it up in bags. It was then given to the overseers of the work, and they paid it out to the carpenters, builders, masons and the men that furnished the timber, hewn stone, and iron and brass. Nothing was spent on mere ornaments—everything was devoted to the solid repair of the fabric. In all church work progress is made only by fixing upon a goal and allowing nothing to turn one aside till the goal is reached.

The crown of Joash's life was what he did for the house of God. Such work will be the crown of any life that undertakes it. There is room in God's house for all kinds of workers and all degrees of skill. Even the youngest scholar in the Sunday school can make a helpful contribution to the Temple service.

Work for the church should be progressive; we should become more efficient church workers every year. To this end it is necessary that we begin young, just as singers and piano players begin young.

"Jack of all trades and master of none" is as true of church work as of work in secular callings. Every young Christian will be wise if he selects some line of work for God and cultivates it as his specialty. It may be singing, or teaching, or social work, or administrative work, or evangelistic work, or the use of the pen. Whatever it is, he cannot make the selection too early or begin too soon on his preparation. It will be the very best work of his life, and it deserves the best years of his life and the fullness of every one of his powers.

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San Antonio, Where American Troops Concentrated, Former Home of One of Most Picturesque Frontiersmen of Nation.

The center of interest in America today is historic old San Antonio, which is the point of concentration for the bulk of troops that have gathered in Texas to be utilized in the present emergency. Just beyond Fort Sam Houston, which may be termed the citadel of San Antonio, is a grass covered plain, 800 acres in extent, where the great camp is situated. The troops are massed by regiments, which are encamped in squads, all facing in the direction of Gen. Carter's headquarters, which are located on top of a little hill that is the only elevation to break the monotony of the landscape.

The interesting city of San Antonio consists of three parts: the old town, or San Antonio proper, between the San Pedro and the San Antonio rivers; Chihuahua, west of the San Pedro; and Alamo, east of the San Antonio. The old town is the business quarter and has in great part lost its Mexican character, having been almost entirely rebuilt since 1860. Chihuahua is almost exclusively Mexican in character and population. The houses are one story high, built partly of stone and partly of upright logs with cane roofs. Alamo is the largest quarter of the city, is considerably larger than the other two and is mostly inhabited by Germans.

In the north part is the Alamo plaza, with the fort of that name which, 64 years ago, was the scene of a savage and sanguinary encounter between a small company of Texans and Americans, and a greatly superior force of Mexicans, which resulted in the capture of the fort and the mas-

Davy Crockett Home.

sacre of the entire garrison. Among the valiant defenders was the famous Davy Crockett, who had gone to help the Texans in their fight for independence, and who fell surrounded by the bodies of those he had slain ere he was cut down.

The heroic valor of the garrison and the barbarity of the Mexicans thrilled the American people. The cry of "Remember the Alamo!" was heard throughout the country; and the feeling which it excited did much to bring on the war with Mexico, in which an American army swept triumphantly into the capital of the Montezumas.

Hard by this historic place is the old cabin of Davy Crockett, which has been preserved by the patriotic Texans as a lasting memorial to the hero who lost his life in the sublime cause of liberty.

WHERE WOMEN ARE WANTED

Farmers of the Great Canadian North-West Are Suffering From Loneliness.

Winnipeg, Man.—The farmers hang about the tiny stations that do the great transcontinental railroad tracks between Winnipeg and the Rockies, waiting for a sight of the emigrant girls on the west-bound train that goes through once in 24 hours. Every one of them is on the lookout for a wife. Loneliness is not good for a man, and that is why one finds hundreds of young fellows who are developing the land of the great northwest eager to find a mate.

How scarce the right type of girl for domestic work in Canada is may be judged from the words uttered by the bishop of London a short time ago. "It is practically impossible," he said, "to get a servant in Canada for love or money. I could find places for 200 girls tomorrow if we had money to send them out."

Further proof of the dearth of women in Canada is furnished by Arthur M. Grenfell, son-in-law of Earl Grey, the governor general of Canada, who says: "There are eight men to every woman in the land. Domestic service of various kinds is to be had for the asking."

Just a word of warning, however. Girls must not expect to be snapped up by the first man that comes along and have a nice, easy time of it. Girls are only wanted who know how to work and who will work, and for them the wages range from $10 a month for common help to $30 and $50 for specialists—that is, for instance, qualified cooks.

New York's Street-Car Traffic.

New York.—More than 50 per cent of 3,500,000 persons, of the seven millions living in Greater New York and its environs, ride daily on the traction lines of the Metropolitan district, according to statistics completed by the public service commission.

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