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The revival continued to be marked by highly orderly prayer meetings, remarkable trans-denominational unity, innumerable conversions, definite easing of interracial tensions and a significant drop in crime rates.

United States – Forty-eight of the fifty states and the federal district are contiguous and located in North America between Canada and Mexico. The state of Alaska is in the northwest corner of North America, bordered by Canada to the east, the state of Hawaii is an archipelago in the mid-Pacific Ocean. It is one of the worlds most ethnically diverse and multicultural nations, paleo-Indians migrated from Asia to the North American mainland at least 15, years ago. European colonization began in the 16th century, the United States emerged from 13 British colonies along the East Coast. On July 4,, during the course of the American Revolutionary War, the war ended in with recognition of the independence of the United States by Great Britain, representing the first successful war of independence against a European power. The current constitution was adopted in , after the Articles of Confederation, the first ten amendments, collectively named the Bill of Rights, were ratified in and designed to guarantee many fundamental civil liberties. During the second half of the 19th century, the American Civil War led to the end of slavery in the country. By the end of century, the United States extended into the Pacific Ocean. The end of the Cold War and the dissolution of the Soviet Union in left the United States as the sole superpower. It ranks highly in several measures of performance, including average wage, human development, per capita GDP. The competition is a pageant that is held annually and is open to women from the United States between the ages of 17 and Originating in as a bathing beauty revue, the contest is now judged on competitors talent performances, Miss America travels about 20, miles a month, changing her location every 24 to 48 hours, touring the nation and promoting her particular platform of interest. The winner is crowned by the previous years titleholder, the current titleholder, Miss America , is Miss Arkansas , Savvy Shields, who was crowned on September 11,, by her predecessor Betty Cantrell. The origins of the Miss America pageant lie in a event entitled The Fall Frolic, three hundred and fifty men pushed the chairs. However, the attractions were the young maidens who sat in the rolling chairs, headed by a Miss Ernestine Cremona. The event was so successful that The Businessmens League planned to repeat it the year as a beauty pageant or a bathers revue. Thus, newspapers as far west as Pittsburgh and as far south as Washington, the winners would participate in the Atlantic City contest. If the local newspaper would pay for the wardrobe, the Atlantic City Businessmens League would pay for the contestants travel to compete in the Inter-City Beauty Contest. Herb Test, a newspaperman coined the term for the winner as, on September 8,, people gathered at the Boardwalk to watch the contestants from Washington, D. With its revival in , year-old Marian Bergeron won, prompting future contestants to be between the ages of 18 to 26, in , Lenora Slaughter was hired to re-invent the pageant and served for 32 years as its Director. By , a talent section was added to the competition, in , the title officially became The Miss America Pageant and the pageant was held in Atlantic Citys Convention Hall. In , compensation for Miss America switched from furs and movie contracts to college scholarships, an idea generally credited to Jean Bartel, Miss America During the early years of the pageant, under the directorship of Lenora Slaughter, it became segregated via rule number seven that stated, contestants must be of good health, rule number seven was abolished in She also participated in one of the last USO-Miss America tours in Vietnam, a decade later in , Miss New York , Vanessa Williams, faced discrimination in response to her win and later resigned under pressure due to a scandal involving nude photographs. With a career spanning nearly 80 years, Hope appeared in over 70 feature films and short films, in addition to hosting the Academy Awards 19 times, he appeared in many stage productions and television roles and was the author of 14 books. The song Thanks for the Memory is widely regarded as Hopes signature tune, born in Eltham, Kent, Hope arrived in America with his family at the age of four and grew up in Cleveland, Ohio. He began his career in business in the early s, initially on stage. He was praised for his timing, specializing in one-liners and rapid-fire delivery of jokes. He also appeared in numerous specials for NBC television, starting in , Hope participated in the sports of golf and boxing and owned a small stake in his hometown baseball team, the Cleveland Indians. He died at age at his home in

Toluca Lake, Hope was born in Eltham, Kent the fifth of seven sons. In 1912, the family emigrated to the United States aboard the SS Philadelphia and passed through Ellis Island on March 30, before moving to Cleveland, from age 12, Hope earned pocket money by busking, singing, dancing, and performing comedy. He entered many dancing and amateur talent contests and won a prize in for his impersonation of Charlie Chaplin, for a time, he attended the Boys Industrial School in Lancaster, Ohio. As an adult, he donated sizable sums of money to the institution, Hope had a brief career as a boxer in 1928, fighting under the name Packy East. He had three wins and one loss and participated in a few staged charity bouts later in life, Hope worked as a butchers assistant and a lineman in his teens and early twenties. Hope also had a stint at Chandler Motor Car Company. Deciding on a business career, he and his girlfriend signed up for dancing lessons. Encouraged after they performed in an engagement at a club, Hope formed a partnership with Lloyd Durbin. Silent film comedian Fatty Arbuckle saw them perform in and found work with a touring troupe called Hurleys Jolly Follies. Within a year, Hope had formed an act called the Dancemedians with George Byrne, Hope and Byrne had an act as a pair of Siamese twins as well and danced and sang while wearing blackface before friends advised Hope that he was funnier as himself. In 1934, Hope informally changed his first name to Bob, in one version of the story, he named himself after racecar driver Bob Burman 4. The shows title sequence features a version of Suicide Is Painless. The series premiered in the U. It is still broadcast in syndication on television stations. The series, which depicted events occurring during a war, spanned episodes. The Korean War lasted 1, days, meaning each episode of the series would have averaged almost four, Many of the stories in the early seasons are based on tales told by real MASH surgeons who were interviewed by the production team. Like the movie, the series was as much an allegory about the Vietnam War as it was about the Korean War. The series is usually categorized as a comedy, though it is also described as a dark comedy or a dramedy because of the dramatic subject material often presented. As the show developed, the took on more of a moralistic tone. Richard Hooker, who wrote the book on which the television, while the show is traditionally viewed as a comedy, many episodes were of a more serious tone. Airing on network primetime while the Vietnam War was still going on, for this reason, the shows discourse, under the cover of comedy, often questioned, mocked, and grappled with Americas role in the Cold War. Episodes were both plot- and character-driven, with episodes being narrated by one of the shows characters as the contents of a letter home 5. Vice President Richard M. Attorney General Robert F. Psychologist Joyce Brothers was also one of Carsons most frequent guests. Carson strongly disliked prop comedy and generally refused to have such comics on his show, gallagher first appeared on The Tonight Show Dec. Gallagher again appeared on May 9,, a show hosted by Carson, mort Sahl recalled, The producer crouches just off camera and holds up a card that says, Go to commercial. So Carson goes to a commercial and the team rushes up to his desk to discuss what had gone wrong. Actor Robert Blake once compared being interviewed by Carson to facing the death squad or Broadway on opening night, the publicity value of appearing on Tonight was so great, however, that most guests were willing to subject themselves to the risk. The shows announcer and Carsons sidekick was Ed McMahon, who from the very first show would introduce Carson with a drawn-out Heeeeeeeeeeres Johnny. The catchphrase was heard nightly for 30 years, and ranked top of the TV Land poll of U. For five years previously, would remain standing to the side as Carson did his monologue, laughing at his jokes, the two would usually interact in a comic spot for a short while before the first guest was introduced. After a incident in which he ruined Carsons joke on the air McMahon was careful to, as he said and he wrote in his autobiography, My role on the show never was strictly defined. I did what had to be done when it had to be done, I was there when he needed me, and when he didnt I moved down the couch and kept quiet. I did the audience warm-up, I did commercials, for a brief period I co-hosted the first fifteen minutes of the show, and I performed in many sketches. On our thirteenth-anniversary show Johnny and I were talking at his desk and he said and he paused long enough for me to recognize my cue, so I asked, How long is it. Thats why youre here, he said, probably summing up my primary role on the show perfectly. I had to him, I had to help him get to the punch line. Many nights Id be listening to Johnny and in my mind Id reach the same ad lib just as he said it, Id have to bite my tongue not to say it out loud 6. The series ran for episodes over six seasons, plus one reunion TV movie from October 27,, CHiPs is an action crime dramedy. Over-the-top freeway pileups, which occurred frequently, especially in the

seasons, were a signature of the show. There was little violence on CHiPs, and the show can be classified as a light drama, the episodes filled a standard hour-long time slot, which at the time required 48 minutes of actual programming. For filming, traffic on Los Angeles freeways was non-existent and most chase scenes were done on back roads, eventually, by the end of the first season, this subplot faded away as audiences were used to seeing the two working as a team. Larry Wilcox as Officer Jonathan A. Despite their successful pairing on-screen, Wilcox and Estrada did not always get along behind the camera, however, it was Wilcox's falling-out with the producers over what he saw as continual favoritism toward Estrada that saw Wilcox not return for the sixth and final season. Wilcox was replaced by Tom Reilly, the episode also used television coverage of the final. In order to become a member of the CHiPs cast. As a result, Bobby was featured less prominently in later episodes of the season, with Bruce becoming Ponchs partner in the third to last episode. During a coffee break on an evening shift in the mids he saw two young CHP officers on motorcycles which gave him the idea for this series. This makes his one of the earliest regular portrayals of a Vietnam veteran on television. Larry Wilcox served 13 months in Vietnam as a Marine artilleryman, although doubles were used for far-off shots and various stunt or action sequences, Wilcox and Estrada did a great deal of their own motorcycle riding, and performed many smaller stunts themselves. Although Wilcox emerged relatively injury-free, Estrada suffered various injuries several times throughout the run of the series, in several early first season episodes, a huge bruise or scar can be seen on his arm after he was flung from one of the motorcycles and skidded along the ground. But his worst accident came when he was injured in a motorcycle accident while filming a season three episode in August , fracturing several ribs and breaking both wrists 7. The show aired for a total of episodes spanning seven seasons, the series was inspired by the film Moonrunners, which was also created by Gy Waldron and had many identical or similar character names and concepts. Several other technicalities of their probation also came into play at various times and he is always looking for ways to get them out of the picture so that his plots have a chance of succeeding. Many episodes revolve around Hogg trying to engage in an illegal scheme, some of these are get-rich-quick schemes, though many others affect the financial security of the Duke farm, which Hogg has long wanted to acquire for various reasons. Other times, Hogg hires criminals from out of town to do his dirty work for him, Bo and Luke always seem to stumble over Hogg's latest scheme, sometimes by curiosity, and often by sheer luck, and put it out of business. Owing to their fundamentally good natures, the Dukes often wind up helping Boss Hogg out of trouble, more than once Hogg is targeted by former associates who are either seeking revenge or have double crossed him after a scheme has unraveled in one way or another. Sheriff Coltrane also finds himself in some instances and these instances became more frequent as the show progressed, and later seasons saw a number of stories where the Dukes and Hogg temporarily work together. The series was developed from the film Moonrunners, created by Gy Waldron in collaboration with ex-moonshiner Jerry Rushing, this movie shares many identical and very similar names and concepts with the subsequent TV series. Although itself essentially a comedy, this movie was much cruder and edgier than the family-friendly TV series that would evolve from it. In , Waldron was approached by Warner Bros. Production began in October with the intention of only nine episodes being produced as mid-season filler. The first five episodes were filmed in Covington and Conyers, Georgia and surrounding areas, after completing production on the fifth episode, High Octane, the cast and crew broke for Christmas break, expecting to return in several weeks time to complete the ordered run of episodes. Rushing appeared as shady used car dealer Ace Parker in the third episode produced, although he remained on good terms with cast and crew and in recent years has made appearances at several fan conventions. By the end of the first season, the tone of The Dukes of Hazzard was mostly in place. When the show returned for a season in Fall , with a few further minor tweaks. By the third season, starting in Fall , the template was well set in place for that which would be associated with the show. Of the characters, only Uncle Jesse and Boss Hogg appeared in all episodes, Daisy appears in all but one, the General Lee also appears in all but one. Luke Duke is the dark-haired, older Duke boy, more mature and rational than his cousin Bo, he is typically the one who thinks of the plan that will get the two out of whatever trouble they have gotten into 8.

The Revival is barely remembered today by secular historians, but it was probably the greatest awakening ever experienced by the United States of America. It was estimated that in the period fully one million people were converted from a population of less than thirty million.

Although our job market has changed significantly and a day like this has gone the way of the three martini lunch, there are still very few things as rewarding as being out at the yard in the middle of the day, in the middle of the week while watching the game and knocking back a few cold ones when you know you should be at work. So sit back, kick up those hard working paws of yours on the seat in front of you, sip your suds, get some mustard on that dog and relax as you follow this to-do list in the art of baseball hooky. Call it a rite of passage but calling in sick to get out of your job so you can take in a baseball game is a time honored tradition that every fan should partake in at least once a year. Scientific studies conducted by some of the most decorated and highest regarded psychologists practicing today all agree that this does the mind right. But first thing is first, you need to get out of work. The first inclination may be to simply try honesty. Plus, making up an excuse gives the afternoon an increased sense of excitement. Will I be seen on TV diving for a foul ball? One year I told my boss a piece of ceiling fell from my bathroom and I had to stay home while the repairs were underway. Turns out my boss did carpentry on the side and had all these very intricate questions he wanted answered. I barely dodged that bullet but I learned that simplicity is the key. Most workplaces want to avoid people working with the flu or the potential of someone running to the bathroom every ten minutes so these are relatively full proof. Have a good breakfast. Beginning last year and continuing this year, Brew and I kick off our day at Arbor Cafe on Telegraph Avenue in Oakland with a hearty breakfast sandwich. Trust me, we checked. Arbor offers the fine connoisseur the option of either a PBR or Tecate tall boy and I recommend the Tecate to go with your breakfast because it pairs very well with the baked eggs in your sando. Why do I need a beer at 11 in the morning you ask? Just a suggestion but it is also quite fun to head into a cafe where people are very seriously working on their laptops, pounding cup after cup of the house French Press and order a tall boy while decked out in your best game threads. The person with a day off or the overly caffeinated academic trying to work on their Literature of World Mythologies thesis? I rest my case! Also, if you do make it into Arbor, be sure to grab a slice of their homemade pumpkin bread. Enjoy the game but more importantly enjoy yourself. Unfortunately, Brew and I were on the losing side of a ten-inning Blue Jays v. We got to enjoy the sunshine on a gorgeous day, make some new friends in the stands, yell a little bit and crack some jokes. Not a bad alternative to work and when we did make it back into our respective jobs we were fresh and relaxed with even a little perspective on it all. From left to right:

Chapter 3 : Kathrine Baumann - WikiVisually

In the post, I discuss the role that prayer played in the Teschen Revival of and the Businessman's Revival of Recent Tweets What a joyous time tonight at @fbcjackson as we celebrated Advent with a Hanging of the Greens service.

Our mission is based on a vision that God gave to Demos Shakarian listen to the vision , founder of the International Fellowship, in In that vision, God took Demos around the world and showed him "millions and millions of men standing shoulder to shoulder. The faces were set, lifeless, miserable. They stared straight ahead, unblinking, unseeing. With a shudder of horror I realized that they were dead. Then the vision changed. Everywhere it was the same. Brown faces, black faces, white faces - every one rigid, wretched, every one locked in his own private death. Then God spoke through Rose Shakarian "My son what you see next is going to happen soon. But what a difference! This time heads were raised. Eyes shone with joy. Hands were lifted towards heaven. These men who had been so isolated, each in his prison of self, were linked in a community of love and adoration. America - everywhere death had turned to life. And then the vision was over. God gave the Fellowship - through Demos Shakarian - the mission to call men back to God!! But only two out of six attend Church on a given Sunday. The average American man accepts the reality of Jesus Christ, but fails to see any value in going to church. As many as 90 percent of the boys who are being raised in church will abandon it by their 20th birthday. Many of these boys will never return. The majority of those men who actually attend church do nothing during the week to grow their faith. The members of our chapters are men, not exceptional men, and just average business people, who know the Lord and love Him. They tell other men what they have actually experienced of God, men like themselves, men who might not believe what a preacher said - but who will listen to a plumber, an engineer or a salesman because they are plumbers, engineers and salesmen themselves. The members of our Chapters have the unique opportunity to reach the men in the Marketplace; men that are not being touched by current methods of evangelism; particularly by the formal Church. To call men to God: To mentor young men who have never had positive male role model by being a spiritual father to them. To provide a basis of fellowship among all men everywhere: To bring about a greater measure of unity and harmony in the Body of Christ; where members are united in a common effort to spread the Good News and to be in full fellowship and submission to the true Head of the church. It is a matter of record, that participation in a FGBMFA Chapter often stirs men to a greater service and dedication in their own local assembly.

Chapter 4 : MAIN PAGE: Full Gospel Business Men's Fellowship America - Seacoast Chapter

Stephen's Stuff The Great Awakening of The footnotes were left in the USA. Please don't expect them anytime soon. America Prior to the Revival.

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Providence Plantation as a proprietary colony. Providence referred to the concept of providence, and plantation was an English term for a colony. State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations is the longest official name of any state in the Union, advocates for excising plantation asserted that the word specifically referred to the British colonial practice of establishing settlements which disenfranchised native people. Advocates for retaining the name argued that plantation was simply an archaic English synonym for colony, the referendum election was held on November 2., and the people voted overwhelmingly to retain the entire original name. It is bordered on the north and east by New York, on the southeast and south by the Atlantic Ocean, on the west by Pennsylvania, New Jersey is the fourth-smallest state but the 11th-most populous and the most densely populated of the 50 United States. New Jersey lies entirely within the statistical areas of New York City. New Jersey was inhabited by Native Americans for more than 2, years, in the early 17th century, the Dutch and the Swedes made the first European settlements. New Jersey was the site of decisive battles during the American Revolutionary War in the 18th century. The pressure of the collision between North America and Africa gave rise to the Appalachian Mountains, around 18, years ago, the Ice Age resulted in glaciers that reached New Jersey. As the glaciers retreated, they left behind Lake Passaic, as well as rivers, swamps. New Jersey was originally settled by Native Americans, with the Lenni-Lenape being dominant at the time of contact, scheyichbi is the Lenape name for the land that is now New Jersey. The Lenape society was divided into clans that were based upon common female ancestors. These clans were organized into three distinct phratries identified by their animal sign, Turtle, Turkey, and Wolf and they first encountered the Dutch in the early 17th century, and their primary relationship with the Europeans was through fur trade. Although the European principle of ownership was not recognized by the Lenape. The first to do so was Michiel Pauw who established a patronship called Pavonia in along the North River which eventually became the Bergen, peter Minuits purchase of lands along the Delaware River established the colony of New Sweden. Since the states inception, New Jersey has been characterized by ethnic, New England Congregationalists settled alongside Scots Presbyterians and Dutch Reformed migrants 4. The Miss USA pageant was conceived in when Yolande Betbeze, winner of the rival Miss America pageant, Pageant sponsor Catalina decided to pull their sponsorship off the pageant and create their own competition. There were thirty delegates in the first year of competition, from the s, each state and the District of Columbia have sent a delegate each year. Alaska first competed in and Hawaii in , both had competed at Miss Universe until this time. The pageant aired on CBS from until , and for years was known for having a CBS game show host as pageant host. John Charles Daly hosted the show from “, Bob Barker from until , Alan Thicke in , Dick Clark from to , the shows highest ratings were in the early s, when it regularly topped the Nielsen ratings. Viewership dropped sharply from the s to the s, from an estimated viewership of 20 million to an average of 7 million from “ This occurred in ,, and , in , the first runner-up Susan Bradley of California declined the title and the crown went to the second runner-up Cheryl Patton of Florida. The only instance when a first runner-up assumed the title of Miss USA prior to this period was in and she also gains exclusive access to events such as fashion shows and opening galas, as well as access to casting calls and modeling opportunities throughout New York City. If the winner, for any reason, cannot fulfill her duties as Miss USA, including if she wins the title of Miss Universe, presidential campaign, resulting in both Miss USA and Miss Universe being dropped from their schedules 5. Bayonne was originally formed as a township on April 1., Bayonne was reincorporated as a city by an act of the New Jersey Legislature on March 10., replacing Bayonne Township, subject to the results of a referendum held nine days later. Originally inhabited by Native Americans, the presently known as Bayonne was claimed by the Netherlands after Henry Hudson explored the Hudson River which is named after him. However, there is no evidence for this notion, which is considered apocryphal. Whitcomb gives more credence to the idea that Erastus Randall, E. Bramhall, four striking workers were killed when strikebreakers protected by police fired into a crowd. According to the United States Census Bureau, the city had an area of Unincorporated communities, localities and place names located partially or completely within the city include, Bergen Point, Constable Hook, as of the census of , there were 63, people,25, households, and 16, families residing in the city. The population density was 10, The racial makeup of the city was Hispanic or Latino of any race were In the city, the population was out with The median age was For every females ages 18 and old there were

As of the United States Census, Edison had a population of 99, The population reflected an increase of 2, from the 97, counted in the Census, Edisons population has been above the , threshold since , increasing by 2. Portions of the township were taken to form Metuchen on March 20,, the name was officially changed to Edison Township on November 10,, in honor of inventor Thomas Edison, who had his main laboratory in the Menlo Park section of the township. Edison was ranked the 28th most-livable small city in the United States by CNN Money Magazine, in , two years later, Money Magazine ranked the township 35th out of the top places to live in the United States. In the survey of Americas Safest Cities, the township was ranked 23rd, out of cities included nationwide, in , Edison was ranked as one of Americas 10 Best Places to Grow Up by U. The rankings focused on low crime, strong schools, green spaces, Edison Township, comprising former sections of Piscataway and Woodbridge townships, was settled in the 17th century. The earliest village was Piscatawaytown, which is centered around St. James Church, the community was previously known as Raritan Township, not to be confused with the current-day Raritan Township in Hunterdon County. In , Thomas Edison set up his home and research laboratory in New Jersey on the site of a real estate development in Raritan Township called Menlo Park. While there he earned the nickname the Wizard of Menlo Park, Christie Street was the first street in the world to use electric lights for illumination. Edison subsequently left Menlo Park and moved his home and laboratory to West Orange in , near Piscatawaytown village, a portion of the Township was informally known as Nixon, after Lewis Nixon, a manufacturer and community leader. Soon after the outbreak of World War I, Nixon established a massive volatile chemicals processing facility there and it was the site of the Nixon Nitration Works disaster, a massive explosion and resulting fire that killed 20 persons and destroyed several square miles of the Township. In , the name was changed to honor inventor Thomas A. Also on the ballot in was a proposal to change the communitys name to Nixon. Edison has been one of the municipalities in New Jersey. As of the United States Census, it was the fifth most-populated municipality in the state, after the cities of Newark, Jersey City, Paterson, Edison is primarily a middle-class community with more than 75 ethnic communities represented. Edison has a large Jewish community next to Highland Park, with multiple synagogues located in Edison, Edison also has a growing Indian community and a number of temples serving the religious needs of the community. Reflecting the number of Edisons residents from India and China, the township has sister city arrangements with Shijiazhuang, China, and Vadodara, India 7. It is the seventh-largest country by area, the second-most populous country, and it is bounded by the Indian Ocean on the south, the Arabian Sea on the southwest, and the Bay of Bengal on the southeast. Indias Andaman and Nicobar Islands share a border with Thailand. The Indian subcontinent was home to the urban Indus Valley Civilisation of the 3rd millennium BCE, in the following millennium, the oldest scriptures associated with Hinduism began to be composed. Social stratification, based on caste, emerged in the first millennium BCE, early political consolidations took place under the Maurya and Gupta empires, the later peninsular Middle Kingdoms influenced cultures as far as southeast Asia. In the medieval era, Judaism, Zoroastrianism, Christianity, and Islam arrived, much of the north fell to the Delhi sultanate, the south was united under the Vijayanagara Empire. The economy expanded in the 17th century in the Mughal empire, in the midth century, the subcontinent came under British East India Company rule, and in the midth under British crown rule. A nationalist movement emerged in the late 19th century, which later, under Mahatma Gandhi, was noted for nonviolent resistance, in , the Indian economy was the worlds seventh largest by nominal GDP and third largest by purchasing power parity. Following market-based economic reforms in , India became one of the major economies and is considered a newly industrialised country. However, it continues to face the challenges of poverty, corruption, malnutrition, a nuclear weapons state and regional power, it has the third largest standing army in the world and ranks sixth in military expenditure among nations. India is a constitutional republic governed under a parliamentary system. It is a pluralistic, multilingual and multi-ethnic society and is home to a diversity of wildlife in a variety of protected habitats. The name India is derived from Indus, which originates from the Old Persian word Hindu, the latter term stems from the Sanskrit word Sindhu, which was the historical local appellation for the Indus River. The ancient Greeks referred to the Indians as Indoi, which translates as The people of the Indus, the geographical term Bharat, which is recognised by the Constitution of India as an official name for the country, is used by

many Indian languages in its variations. Scholars believe it to be named after the Vedic tribe of Bharatas in the second millennium B. E and it is also traditionally associated with the rule of the legendary emperor Bharata. It was introduced into India by the Mughals and widely used since then and its meaning varied, referring to a region that encompassed northern India and Pakistan or India in its entirety 8. Wayne was formed as a township by an act of the New Jersey Legislature on April 12., Totowa was formed from portions of Wayne and Manchester Township on March 15,

Chapter 5 : History of the Professional and Businessmen's Association | P&BA

H-Net Reviews in an effort to promote new political arguments embodied in the phrase "freedom under God" in the name of "Christian Libertarianism," a newly.

A sign can advertise a business or service. It can announce a birth in the community or welcome back military personnel who were serving overseas. It can let people know about upcoming events or that a company is hiring. After all, a sign is designed to say something. A local businessman, who says he was essentially asked to remove his sign by the Town of Naples Code Enforcement Officer, has used a roadside marquee to let his grievances be known. It is located on the corner of Routes and Over the weekend, Lajoie put a new message on the marquee that had been used by the bakery, Pretentious Pie, which closed for the season. Code Officer Carter wants me to tear down my sign. Call town manager That is because the 32 square feet, which is allowable for one sign or the combined surface of two signs, includes both the structure and the sign, according to the letter written by the code enforcement officer. The Naples Ordinance Review Committee will schedule a date for a hearing to address this business sign. A permit was granted on July 17; and a Notice of Violation was sent on Sept. The issue is whether the structure the sign is posted on is included in the allowable 32 square feet. De Busk Photo Lajoie said that his sign is not in violation of the Naples Sign Ordinance, which was most recently revised in His interpretation of the ordinance is that the sign alone can be up to 32 square feet, and the size of the sign post can be up to 20 feet. The sign post on his commercial property is 16 feet high, he said. He also abided by the proper distance from the right-of-way, which is 35 feet from the centerline of Roosevelt Trail. Lajoie added eight inches to that distance "just to be safe," he said. According to Lajoie, when he got his permit, he showed Carter a photo of a similarly-designed sign post and told Carter that was what he planned to build. He said Carter gave him the go-ahead. Now, the go-ahead is to remedy the Sign Ordinance violation. On Wednesday morning, Carter said never once has she told Lajoie that he had to remove the sign. I did not say that. Meanwhile, Lajoie is waiting for a date to be set so that he can appear before the Ordinance Review Committee. This upcoming hearing prohibits members of the committee "even those who helped write the ordinance" from commenting on any interpretation the sign ordinance. As per the Naples Sign Ordinance, the size of signs is addressed in Section 2. Thirty-two square feet is the maximum size for a sign. That applies to portable signs as well as signs posted on the side of a building or on its roof. Sandwich board signs, also known as a sidewalk or an A-frame sign, are restricted to 12 feet. This is not what Renee wants to do. Carter said while some in the town are siding with Lajoie, people also come into her office to express their support for her. Over the weekend, community members have commented about the marquee to Lajoie. Since June, Lajoie and a crew of contractors have cleaned up the clutter in the yard and revitalized the old barn that housed the Antique Revival store. Please follow and like us:

Chapter 6 : Revivals in North America: The Great Revival of in New York

Revival historian J. Edwin Orr indicated that the Hamilton, Ontario Revival "was the first unusual stream of blessing" that took place in Prayer in Charleston, South Carolina.

These are some elements that led to this decline: Some say the number of his followers Millerites reached , His influence led people to sell their property and give their wealth to the poor. When that date passed and nothing transpired, overwhelming disillusionment caused thousands to abandon Christianity, and become bitter unbelievers and even atheists. This event has since been labeled as The Great Disappointment. Extraordinary Prayer To address the decline in the spiritual atmosphere, prayer-meetings were always the first thing that was initiated. Prayer in Charleston, South Carolina In the summer of an 8-week revival took place in the Charleston area. It is known as the Anson Street Revival. Some have suggested that this revival was instrumental in sparking the global awakening of that year. This church was suffering a decline in membership, along with most of the other churches in the city and nation. He spent some time handing out leaflets informing people of the location and time of the prayer-meeting. At noon, September 23, , Lanphier began the prayer-meetingâ€¦, alone. After about 30 minutes several people began to trickle in, and a total of six people joined him in prayer on that day. On September 30, , 20 people were present at the prayer-meeting. During this time the great financial panic reached a crisis and crippled businesses everywhere. On October 7, , 40 people were present, and those assembled decided to begin meeting daily for prayer. During this same week, the Revival of Hamilton, Ontario began mentioned above. There was no preaching, just praying. Unsaved people would attend the prayer meetings and leave converted. The secular press began giving space to report on the revival. This is a March 20, , editorial from the New York Times: The great wave of religious excitement which is now sweeping over this nation, is one of the most remarkable movements since the reformationâ€¦. Travelers relate that in cars and steamboats, in banks and markets, everywhere through the interior, this matter is an absorbing topic. In this City, we have beheld a sight which not the most enthusiastic fanatic for church-observances could ever have hoped to look upon; we have seen in a business-quarter of the City, in the busiest hours, assemblies of merchants, clerks and working-men, to the number of 5,, gathered day after day for a simple and solemn worship. Similar assemblies we find in other portions of the City; a theatre is turned into a chapel; churches of all sects are open and crowded by day and nightâ€¦. It affected judges and college students, businessmen and housewives. At times, schools had to close in order to pray and seek God. The revival swept New England and spread to the West and Canada. Throughout the Civil War, camps had great revival meetings, and over , were converted in the Confederate Army alone.

Chapter 7 : Businessmen's Prayer Revival | BEAUTIFUL FEET

ABOUT COMMUNITY OF THE RISEN LORD. Our Story. Our Mission is Bringing Revival to the Heart of the Catholic Church. See More. Community See All. 3, people like this.

Revivals in North America: There were times in the history of the church when it pleased Him to grant very rich outpourings of His Holy Spirit. It seems that many countries had these blessed seasons of awakening in which many sinners were convicted and subsequently converted. Several months ago, we considered the Pyongyang Revival of in Korea. In conclusion we will try to draw some conclusions for spiritual life today.

Material Prosperity The years leading up to were characterized by tremendous economic growth and prosperity in the United States. There was a population boom and many people were becoming wealthy. The focus of many was on this world and as a result there was a deep decline in spiritual life. Materialism had become a pervasive force throughout the land. Young people were growing up without God and many were captivated by the love of money. Churches suffered serious decline in attendance.

Inner City Ministry The population growth of New York City began to force the wealthy residents out of the downtown area, where they were replaced by unchurched masses of working class labourers. Many churches moved out of the city to accommodate their members. But in contrast to these churches the North Dutch Reformed Church of Manhattan decided to stay and reach out to the lost masses of people who surrounded them. To accomplish this, the congregation employed a year old businessman, Jeremiah Lanphier, as missionary to the inner city. Born in , Lanphier was converted in His contemporaries characterized him as a tall man with a pleasant face and an affectionate manner, who was endowed with much tact and common sense. For years Lanphier had been under the preaching of Rev. In his preaching Alexander emphasized the necessity of the special work of the Holy Spirit in salvation as well as the effectiveness of prayer. When the Dutch Reformed Church appointed Lanphier to be inner city missionary, he transferred his membership to that congregation. Lanphier was a man of prayer and an effective and energetic speaker. Moved by the spiritual plight of the lost masses, he had given up his business to devote himself to inner city evangelism work. He began to visit homes, distribute Bibles and tracts, and advertise church services.

How often shall I pray? As often as the language of prayer is in my heart; as often as I see my need of help; as often as I feel the power of temptation; as often as I am made sensible of any spiritual declension, or feel the aggression of a worldly, earthly spirit In prayer, we leave the business of time for that of eternity, and intercourse with God. On the reverse of the pamphlet it said: This meeting is intended to give merchants, mechanics, clerks, strangers and businessmen generally an opportunity to stop and call on God amid the perplexities incident to their respective avocations. It will continue for one hour; but it is designed for those who find it inconvenient to remain more than 5 or 10 minutes, as well as for those who can spare a whole hour. Necessary interruption will be slight, because anticipated. Those in haste often expedite their business engagements by halting to lift their voices to the throne of grace in humble, grateful prayer. He waited in the upper room of the consistory building. Nobody came, until around A few minutes after that more came until a total of six men, representing five different denominations had joined Lanphier to pray. The next Wednesday between 14 and 20 people were in attendance. The third week, the prayer meeting was attended by between 30 and 40 men. The meetings were so encouraging that it was decided that they should meet daily. The next day attendance increased again. Soon they filled the Dutch Reformed Church building. The agenda was simple: They prayed for the salvation of souls. There was communal singing, and edifying exhortations were presented.

Increasing Numbers Then came the economic crash of In New York City alone, 30, people lost their jobs. In addition to the financial crisis, the nation was gripped by tensions over slavery. Sharp dissension and even civil war loomed on the horizon. Participation at the prayer meetings increased so much during this period that by mid November, two lecture rooms had to be used, and both were filled. Many **Conversions** Many who attended did not profess to be religious, but they came under conviction of sin and began to look for a saving interest in Christ. Soon, they started prayer meetings in other church buildings in downtown New York City. In March a noon prayer meeting was started in a large theatre. Half an hour before the announced time, it was filled to capacity.

Because the majority of the attendees were businessmen, they started prayer meetings in public buildings. In one hour he could only get to 12 meetings, but he counted more than 6, men. Revival A landslide of prayer began. Louis, thousands of people packed downtown churches 3 times per day, just to pray. There were 6, people in attendance in Pittsburgh. Daily prayer meetings were held in Washington D. The New York Times, in an editorial dated March 20, , stated the following about the revival: The great wave of religious excitement which is now sweeping over this nation, is one of the most remarkable movements since the reformation Travelers relate that in cars and steamboats, in banks and markets, everywhere through the interior, this matter is an absorbing topic. Similar assemblies we find in other portions of the City; a theatre is turned into a chapel; churches of all sects are open and crowded by day and night Many ministers began having nightly services in which to lead men to Christ. Edwin Orr relates the story of a visiting merchant to New York City who was selecting goods when noon hour came. He requested the wholesaler to work through the noon hour so that he would be able to return to Albany by the evening riverboat, but the response was: I have something to attend that is of more importance than the selling of goods. I must attend the noon-day prayer meeting. When he returned to Albany he immediately started a noon-day prayer meeting in that city. Church bells would bring people to prayer at eight in the morning, at twelve noon, and six in the evening. In Chicago the churches had a waiting list for people who wanted to teach Sunday school classes. The revival spread all across America and pastors were baptizing 20, people every week. So they went to the river in the cold of winter, cut out a square of ice and baptized people in the cold water! The revival spread like wildfire across the country. McIlvaine , bishop of the Episcopalian Church of Ohio wrote: The Revival is barely remembered today by secular historians, but it was probably the greatest awakening ever experienced by the United States of America. It was estimated that in the period fully one million people were converted from a population of less than thirty million. This article was printed in the FRC Messenger and is republished here with permission.

Chapter 8 : The Business Man's Special and the Art of Baseball Hooky | Baseball Revival

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Its origin dates from at least 1840, when an organization known as the Association of Polish Businessmen in Buffalo Stowarzyszenie Polskich Przemyslowcow w Buffalo assisted in the formation of the Dom Polski Association. Shortly thereafter, its name was apparently changed to the Association of Polish Merchants and Businessmen. The first president was Anthony Schreiber, owner of a major brewery located on Fillmore Avenue. Of course, a primary element of their concern was for the promotion of trade and industry. Thus, for example, the Association was primarily responsible for the establishment of a branch post office in the Broadway-Fillmore area. It was the Association of Polish Merchants and Businessmen which led the eventual effort to raise that track. Meanwhile, at home, the merchants and businessmen maintained an active scholarship program. The Association frequently became an advocate for important civic causes. The early members of the Association of Polish Merchants and Businessmen shared the belief that the industry and trade were necessary to the strength and vitality of their ethnic community. Indeed, one of the original motives for organizing the Association was to permit entry into what, for the community, was then the novel area of banking. Until 1860, the Polish community in Buffalo conducted all business activity either through individual proprietorships or under partnership arrangements. Eventually, the corporation operated branches on Broadway and in the Black Rock area of Buffalo, and in Hamtramck, Michigan. The Broadway store remained in business until 1865. The formation of Spolka had two important results. First, the business community became acquainted with an important legal structure. Second, under the auspices of the Association of Polish Merchants and Businessmen, Polonia acquired control over another dimension of its own economy. Meanwhile, Polonia also witnessed the growth of similar organizations in other geographical areas and within professions. Prior to the Second World War, both the attorneys and the health professionals formed active societies that have survived and prospered to the present time. Their breadth of influence brought to the organization a strength which not only produced the accomplishments described above, but which in turn captured even greater membership support. So powerful was the organization that by 1880, it was giving serious consideration to the possibility of erecting its own headquarters. Unfortunately, the Depression intervened. The economic nightmare that brought disaster to the business community also destroyed the vitality of organizations based on that community. On March 27, 1880, at a meeting in the Polish Union Hall, the Association assumed its current name and elected Leon Kolipinski as its first president. During his administration, on October 17, 1880, the membership approved a constitution calling for the election of 15 directors. These were chosen at a general meeting on March 20, 1881. General meetings always featured a guest speaker or other presentation. At these monthly gatherings, attendance by fewer than 25 was deemed to constitute a disappointing turn-out. Socially, the Association has sponsored a range of events which from time to time have included family picnics, Crystal Beach days, and fashion shows. The second area is civic involvement. On various occasions, it has adopted resolutions in support of particular public causes. Underlying these social and civic activities is the potential for achieving a third goal, namely economic gain. On numerous occasions, our organization has rendered monetary assistance to meritorious ethnic causes. During the last decade, it has been either the sole or joint sponsor of an ethnic festival, a Polish orchestral concert, and a commemoration of the investiture of Pope John Paul II. Once nominated, candidates spent much effort and money to get elected. Polonia has become increasingly decentralized, particularly with regard to its businessmen and professionals. By 1900, only half of the membership remained in these same areas, and today more than two-thirds reside outside of the regional ethnic settlements. When retaining a cultural dimension, these activities foster a revival of ethnic spirit and pride. Accordingly, the organization has sought to unify those professionals and businessmen who recognize the shared values of their Polish heritage. Our challenge for the future is to sustain the patriotic goal of fostering this unity for the good of our members and community. Thank you Judge Bucki!

Chapter 9 : ABOUT: Full Gospel Business Men's Fellowship America - Seacoast Chapter

Economic revival and private enterprise in Pakistan; proceedings of the Businessmen's Conference, Karachi, May ,

Early life[edit] Demos was named after his Armenian grandfather, who, with most of his relatives were exiled in the late s from Erivan Governorate Armenia to Karakala Merkezkarakale village, Kars Oblast , Russia, for their heretic folk-protestant religious views. In Kars they met and joined like-minded Spiritual Christian Pryguny, denominations of various volunteer settlers and religious exiles from Russia. Among the Pryguny in Romanovo village was a "Boy Prophet", Efim Gerasimovitch Klubnikin, who, as early as , when he also lived in Erivan Governorate, began to have visions of an unspeakable tragedy and warned that all must flee to a "place of refuge. The famous writer Leo N. Tolstoy protested to the Tsar about this cruelty, resulting in aid from the Society of Friends , London, and the Canadian government to move over 7, about one-third of all Dukhobortsy to central Canada. Demens had been promoting California to immigrants from Russia for a decade, objected to Dukhobortsy settling in Canada, and personally diverted most all non-Dukhobor Spiritual Christians arriving after away from Canada to Los Angeles, while the Freedomites began protesting against the Canadian government. Isaac married Zarouhi Yessayian, and he became a prosperous dairy farmer in Downey, California. He married Rose Gabrielian in Evangelistic campaigns[edit] Shakarian used his organizational abilities to facilitate evangelistic campaigns, in particularly working with Charles S. Shakarian spent most of his adult life building the Fellowship for free. Even honorariums that were given to him at speaking engagements he would deposit them back into the ministry. Every year at the annual board meeting he would resign his position as president step out into the hall and allow the man board to vote in their president that serve for the next year. They would always vote him in, nonetheless this speaks volumes to the character of this godly man. The Fellowship grew into over countries. Hundreds of other ministries were birthed from the Fellowship. Shakarian played a key role in saving that ministry in the early days. Beliefs[edit] Shakarian was a third-generation Pentecostal, and he believed in the "Full Gospel", that all the supernatural events in the New Testament should be understood literally, and could also occur today. In particular, he believed that God healed the sick and injured including on one occasion his own cattle herd from tuberculosis , and that Christians filled with the Holy Spirit received visions and promptings from God, including direct messages. Shakarian considered that although God sometimes prompted him to pray for healings, he was primarily to be a "helper", as defined by I Corinthians He also believed that the rise of the Charismatic Movement was a harbinger of the Second Coming , and that there would be a persecution of Christians in America just before this occurred. Revell Company, , p. Retrieved 10 February