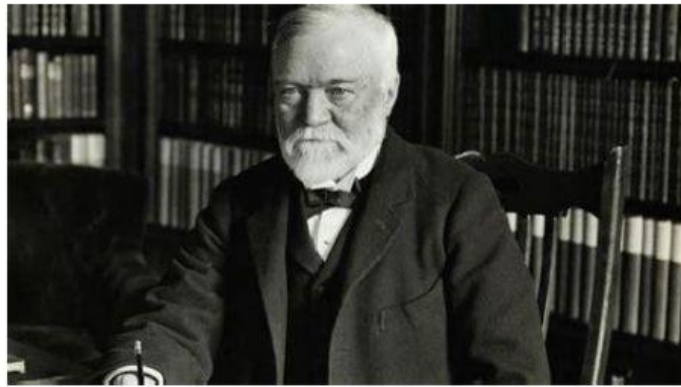


Andrew Carnegie, the Scotsman who personified the American dream



Use the words below to fill in the blanks. **Don't forget to put the verbs in the right form.**

*hunger / to succeed in / fairy tale / wealthy / rags to riches / to overcome / to hope / hard work
/ risk taker / determination / successful / ventures / to move / to grow up / to make it / penniless
/ failure / to work / to found / to invest / to spend / wealth / to become / poverty / industrialist*

1. One of the greatest "....." stories ever is that of Andrew Carnegie who went from extreme and to becoming the richest man in the world.
2. Andrew Carnegie was an who contributed to the American steel industry and he becoming one of the most influential self-made men.
3. His life looks like a but before he became he had to a lot of obstacles. First of all, he was born in a one-roomed house to a poor Scottish family. He in Scotland but when he was thirteen, his family to the United States with very few possessions.
4. Three months after leaving their home in Scotland, the family arrived in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Andrew's father, Will Carnegie, was greatly disheartened by his
5. However, young Andrew didn't lose On the contrary, this increased his to in life.
6. His first job was a 'Bobbin Boy' for \$1.25 a week. He then as a telegraph messenger, where he impressed with resourcefulness and
7. Carnegie was a As he made more money, he in various businesses like iron, bridges, and oil but his investments were and he also made a lot of business connections with important and powerful men. His entrepreneurial in America's steel industry allowed him to a millionaire.
8. After selling his steel corporation in 1901, he the rest of his life using his for philanthropic causes. He donated to nearly 3,000 libraries, parks, education, arts, and world peace.