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MARRIAGES, MONEY AND MONKEYS

Marriage used to mean a blending of hearts, and the welding together of beautiful sentiments, but the marriage of modern times, and especially among the very wealthy, means only a mingling and blending of dollars.

The girl whose father is a millionaire is taught from the time she lays away her red "nighties" and drops her "diddy" that those who do not possess money are fathoms below her in the scale of humanity, no matter how full their souls may be of honor or their heads of brains.

The old diamond-bedecked mothers of these girls whose fathers are millionaires never lose an opportunity to impress them with the fact that those who do not possess wealth are only created to entertain them and do their drudgery.

Manhood and womanhood is never given a consideration with the idle, "aristocratic" and "plutocratic" rich, as there is nothing to be considered in their estimation of the human family but the size of their "pile."

It may be possible that some of our readers have not had the opportunity to watch the actions of those who possess great wealth and whom the silly world is pleased to distinguish from the man who wears "eyes" upon the southern part of his pants while he is going north, by calling them "honorable" men and "society" women, but if you have brains enough to make an invalid chigger a lunch you know as well as the RIP-SAW that the

old fathers and mothers of these aristocratic "brats" would rather see one of their sons marry a head-then queen whose wearing apparel consisted only of "ear rings" and "gee strings" than to see one of their "rum-soaked" and "cigarette-perfumed" sons marry the daughter of some poor farmer or mechanic, whose undershirt smells of the sweat of honest toil.

Should one of their sons become set in his determination and woo and marry some poor girl the probabilities are that he would not only be disinherited, but disowned, for presuming to "disgrace," as our idle rich term it, his plutocratic old parents, who with a pencil an inch long and with a mind that would run back twenty-five years could trace the origin of their "pile" to a dung wagon with their father as a driver, or to a washtub with their mother as engineer.

Should one of their daughters take the "bit in her mouth" and marry some poor fellow whose wardrobe consisted only of a pair of cowskin shoes, a change of socks, a pair of overalls, a 30-cent shirt, a hickory hat and a goosequill toothpick, no matter how honorable the young man was, nor how clean a record he bore, her old "flab-jawed" aristocratic mother and her father, who perhaps was at the head of a combination of "financial crooks," would, without hesitancy, declare that their daughter had thrown herself away by marrying beneath her station. But you "soft-pated" fa-

thers, husbands and sons out in the country will take off your 20-cent straw hats and wallow in the dust when this set passes you on the road in their automobiles.

You not only bow your damp-hool heads off to pay them homage, but you will permit the scheming leaders of either of the old political parties to place this "gang" of "he plutocrats" upon your ticket to make and execute your laws, and you and your sons will yell yourselves blue in the face, carry torchlights until you are as greasy as a "soapmaker" and wade in mud up to your "crotches" trying to elect them, when you know they would rather see one of their sons marry an Indian squaw if she had money, than to marry one of your sweet-faced daughters; and would prefer to see one of their daughters marry a "prize-winning ram" than to have her marry one of your hard-handed wage-earning sons or brothers.—Say, boys, the RIP-SAW don't believe you fellows are natural-born fools, but we do think that you have let your "think machinery" run so long without "mental grease" that it has begun to squeak.

Marriage among our millionaires in this country is run on exactly the same principles as is marriage among the aristocracy of Europe, as what is known as "the royal family of Europe" marry and intermarry among themselves until the present "tribe" of kings, queens, lords, dukes and duchesses has dwindled down to a family of Eu-

ropean idiots, as intermarrying in any country, produces the same result, and every one knows that knows anything that when cousins marry their offspring become imbeciles.

There is but one consolation in the marrying and intermarrying of our present-day millionaires, and that is, according to all the laws of nature, we will soon have a hilarious set of rich damp-hools; but at the present time we have a hilarious set of poor fools who haven't got sense enough to vote for what they say they want.

It is the aim of our American millionaires for their sons and daughters to select wives and husbands from the families of other millionaires, thereby keeping the millions of each family together and never permit their millions to slip away from their greedy grasp. And this is exactly the reason that we today have in America "a millionaire monarchy," who control both the finances of this country and the political machinery which makes and executes the laws for those who do the voting.—Who is to blame for this state of affairs? Ah, no one but you, fathers, husbands and brothers, as you, yes, you, elect a class of men to both ENACT and EXECUTE your laws who would permit you to freeze and starve in the street rather than give you stable room or permit you to sleep in their dog kennel.

The man is a liar that accuses the RIP-SAW of trying to "prejudice"

The so-called Christian Nations celebrate the 25th of December, and fill their bowels bursting full of "grub", and claim they do this on the account of the sublime doctrine that Jesus Christ promulgated; and the next day they begin to violate every law that Christ proclaimed, and continue this violation for the next three hundred and sixty-four days—Aren't WE church members one hell of a set anyway?

the poor against the rich, as Webster says the word "prejudice" means: 'AN OPINION FORMED WITHOUT DUE KNOWLEDGE OF THE FACTS AND CIRCUMSTANCES ATTENDING THE QUESTION; TO BIAS THE MIND BY HASTY AND INCORRECT NOTIONS AND GIVE IT AN UNREASONABLE BENT TO ONE SIDE OR OTHER OF A CAUSE.'

Therefore, any man or woman who has watched the trend of the times and the political and financial intrigue of our commercialists and politicians can testify to the fact that it is not "prejudice" that prompts a man to tell the truth, as "facts" never did nor never can contain a symptom of "prejudice."

When marriage is contracted from no other standpoint than money, then those who are guilty of causing their daughters to prostitute themselves for gain only, should not, nor does not, rank higher in the estimation of true manhood and womanhood than monkeys.

Mr. Voter, if you consider yourself a man possessing the true attributes of an "all-wool" manhood, then awake yourself from your lethargic sleep and rebuke this chattering, unprincipled set of money-changers at the ballotbox; and by doing so you will elevate your boys and girls to the pedestal of true manhood and womanhood, and at the same time rebuke the "gold-collared curs" of finance who preach Christ and him crucified while standing upon the prostrate form of toil.



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LOVE

By F. E. Bowers

"God is love," therefore love is the one force that has produced the inexorable laws of the universe to obey, which means harmony and heaven; to disobey—discord and hell. Law is a rule of action, and a rule without action is void. The action proper and necessary to bring about perfect harmony between the physical and metaphysical, body and soul, is to use wisely the things nature has so abundantly provided for every possible want of mankind, in such a manner that the environments necessary to produce the highest development of character may appear.

The earth without man is a paradise, simply because we are a set of egotistical fools trying to raise hell when heaven is the crop best adapted to the soil.

Emerson says: "Intellect created the universe and is the key to all it contains." Also—"Every morning with the rising sun nature quietly, passively offers to mankind the boundless wealth of the world. If you are hard headed and refuse to take it, she says nothing; but continues to do the same thing each succeeding day. These are axioms that require neither proof nor demonstration. Therefore the religious hypocrites are served notice to refrain from declaring that—"poverty, hunger and want are each and all a part of the divine dispensation."

The character of a man is developed by love and it alone. If he loves justice, liberty and equality of opportunity with all his heart and soul, then will he cry out against tyranny and oppression with a loud voice, though he may be called a "pessimist" or perhaps a "socialist" who wants to "divide up," by the long-eared slaves who love the music of their rattling chains.

If we love God we should show our appreciation of his bounty by using the good things of earth for our mutual benefit and happiness. The love that makes our physical existence a possibility is developed in the heart and soul of our mothers. No living thing is so helpless at birth as a human being, and no stronger evidence of the wisdom and mercy of the Creator can be found than the strength of maternal love for its offspring so utterly weak and helpless; and yet the environments of motherhood are in a vast multitude of cases so unnatural and cruel that children—helpless infants—are abandoned to the mercy of strangers. One hundred and fourteen were so treated in the city of Memphis, Tenn., in one year; not one single mother of all this number (every one of whom is white) is known at the foundling home.

Tell us in the name of God and humanity, what miracle of iniquity is being wrought in Tennessee that

makes demons out of mothers? Worse even than the beasts of the jungle, who fight even unto death to protect their young. Something whispers in our ear the story of overworked, underpaid girls, and arouses anew our already grim determination to fight this system of "business" that is fast destroying not only maternal love, but all other kinds of love, and is making an abortion of our prospective civilization.

No tongue or pen could begin to describe the love of a mother. Children gone astray, even to the lowest dregs of degradation, are loved and prayed for as if they might be brought back by the power of a mother's love. She remembers with a breaking heart the weary midnight watches when she walked the house till daybreak with the hot fever-burning cheek pressed so tightly to her own, praying so earnestly that the little one might be spared to make her happy; and now she knows that the disease that is torturing her child is not of the body, but of the soul; and she prays as she never prayed before that the pitfalls that are RUN FOR PROFIT may be forever wiped away, and these prayers will be answered. The love of a mother is too close to that of Divinity to pass unnoticed. THE POWER OF GREED SHALL NOT USURP THE POWER OF GOD.

Scientific psychological motherhood is the solution of breeding something more than swine, who will "turn again and rend you" when you "cast before them the pearls of wisdom." Some day when we get a few steps nearer the threshold of that civilization of which we have never yet dreamed we will place our environments around motherhood that will result in something more than a race of sayages who will fat themselves by eating missionaries, or do infinitely worse—starve the missionaries to death that they may remain drunk on champagne made by the poor missionaries themselves.

The love of home is a nation's strength. This being true, we are weak, as only 7 per cent of the American people own a home. They are tenement-house tramps and installment-paying serfs. They exist on the weekly-payment plan from the cradle to the grave; then they continue to be an expense while being fumigated in purgatory, which is a quarantine station where the halos are fitted and nailed on wooden heads; harps are tuned and pink "mother hubbards" put on for the final dash to the elysian fields, etc., ad infinitum—all of which is paid for in weekly installments at 1000 per cent profit by the poor in large cities. Every word of this is a melancholy fact, and no joke. The protective tariff is largely paid

on the installment plan by millions of poor women who pay a profit of from \$35 to \$50 on every sewing machine they buy. Thousands of machines that could easily be repaired are broken up with sledge hammers that this enormous profit may be made on new ones.

The census recently taken in New York city shows that 3,775,743 people live in tenements. In these houses are 101,117 rooms without a single window of any kind. And this class of slum dwellers is ever on the increase; they multiply like fleas—and what a national disgrace are these conditions! Here in these human hives are millions of children, of whom Christ said, "in as much as ye did it unto the least of these ye did it unto me," and "if a man harm one of these little ones it is better for him that a millstone were hanged about his neck and he be cast into the midst of the sea." In seven months there were sentenced to prison from one ward in this slum district men and boys whose terms of imprisonment aggregated 540 years. These are a few samples of the homes provided by the master class (who live on Fifth avenue) for the working class. And remember that classes are made by people at the top of society, and not at the bottom.

It is only a question of time when the business men will occupy only skyscrapers. Everything else on earth will be sold on installments, the people going periodically to the tall buildings to pay up to date. As soon as we leave the home and go out to engage in the avocations necessary to our welfare we should be governed in all our actions by brotherly love. But do we find it so? Alas, we do not! Every man is trying to make a fool of us for profit to himself. If we buy, the price is simply the limit of our idiosyncrasy. If we go to school we have teachers, but the books that gave learning and wisdom to them are abolished, and for the benefit of the book trust we must buy others, regardless of the fact that two and two are four in all books; and history is the same. The oceans are in the same place always, so are the mountains and rivers, and yet each year we must have new geographies—that the grafting boards of education and school superintendents may assist the book trust. We find people are only happy in as much as they profit by the misery of others. If there is a calamity that results in a multitude of deaths the undertaker is happy; if a murder is committed in open daylight the lawyers are happy; if everybody is sick the doctors rejoice. If crops fail in one section, people in another are happy, as theirs will bring a higher price; and so it goes—whatever brings profit, regardless of the result to others, brings happiness. How can brotherly love exist under such conditions? Every human being trying to get rich by securing some means of unholy extortion, giving just as little as possible for all they can get. Such a brutal, degrading system can never develop that brotherly love of which poets

THERE ARE THOUSANDS LIKE HIM.

A letter recently received from Mr. W. W. Miller, Box 13, Dry Creek, La., in part follows:

"Dear Col.:—If a man had told me in 1908 that I were going to vote a Socialist ticket in 1912, the atmosphere would have been so clouded with my denunciations of him that the light of Halley's Comet would not have penetrated it. Now, if the same man would tell me that I was not going to vote a Socialist ticket in 1912, the same thing would happen.

"I got hold of a copy of the Maple-Powell debate, and I read what Powell said in order to see what Maple had to say in reply, and before I finished reading Powell's talk I decided that if Powell had all the hypocrisy pumped out of him he would not be large enough to be seen with a microscope.

"If what you had to say to Powell had taken two weeks to have read it, I would have finished ere I slept. What we need is a few more Dick Maples to turn loose all over the South. We need science and teachers just as you are, to teach humanity, godliness and morality. If I must be a cringing, cowardly hypocrite all my life in order to get to heaven, then I am not going there, and that is the end to it.

"I wish I could take you by the hand and tell you how long I want you to live to continue the work you are so nobly doing."

have sung and prophets preached in all ages. People join all sorts of lodges and secret fraternal societies, holding their hands aloft, repeating the most sacred and solemn pledges to assist all other members, and the very next day skin them blood-raw in a business transaction. They say "they have got to live." We have often wondered what leather-head ever evolved in his empty hatrest the idea that every thief, prostitute, liar and scoundrel on earth had "got to live"? They have a right to live as honest, honorable, virtuous men and women, not otherwise. We will agree that it would be infinitely easier to do so under socialism, and that is what we are writing this very article to explain about.

Love of country is another phase of love that can be cultivated and developed a little, but don't stop loving when you have covered the territory in your "skule deestreet." We adore the sentiment of the man who said: "The world is my home; to do good is my lifework." People often bray and brag about their being born in some particular place, but darned if we can see what they had to do with the selection of their own birthplace. It is sickening to hear a tack-headed bully trying to justify himself in being a cowardly assassin and an all-round ruffian by saying that "he was born in some particular state, where the soil just wouldn't raise anything but the very best of men, of whom he was chief"; and if you even looked as if you had the smallest inclination to doubt it he was ready to unhitch a big gun from his hip and plug you full of holes to prove his statement true to the smallest detail. May heaven protect us from such patriotism as this; for our part, we would vastly prefer being politely treated by a foreign-born citizen who couldn't talk so you could understand where on earth he was born. About the only difference between a native and a foreigner is that the native was there because he couldn't help it, and the foreigner because he paid steamboat and railroad fare. So if they will both behave themselves and vote for Socialism we will all be friends regardless of birthplaces.

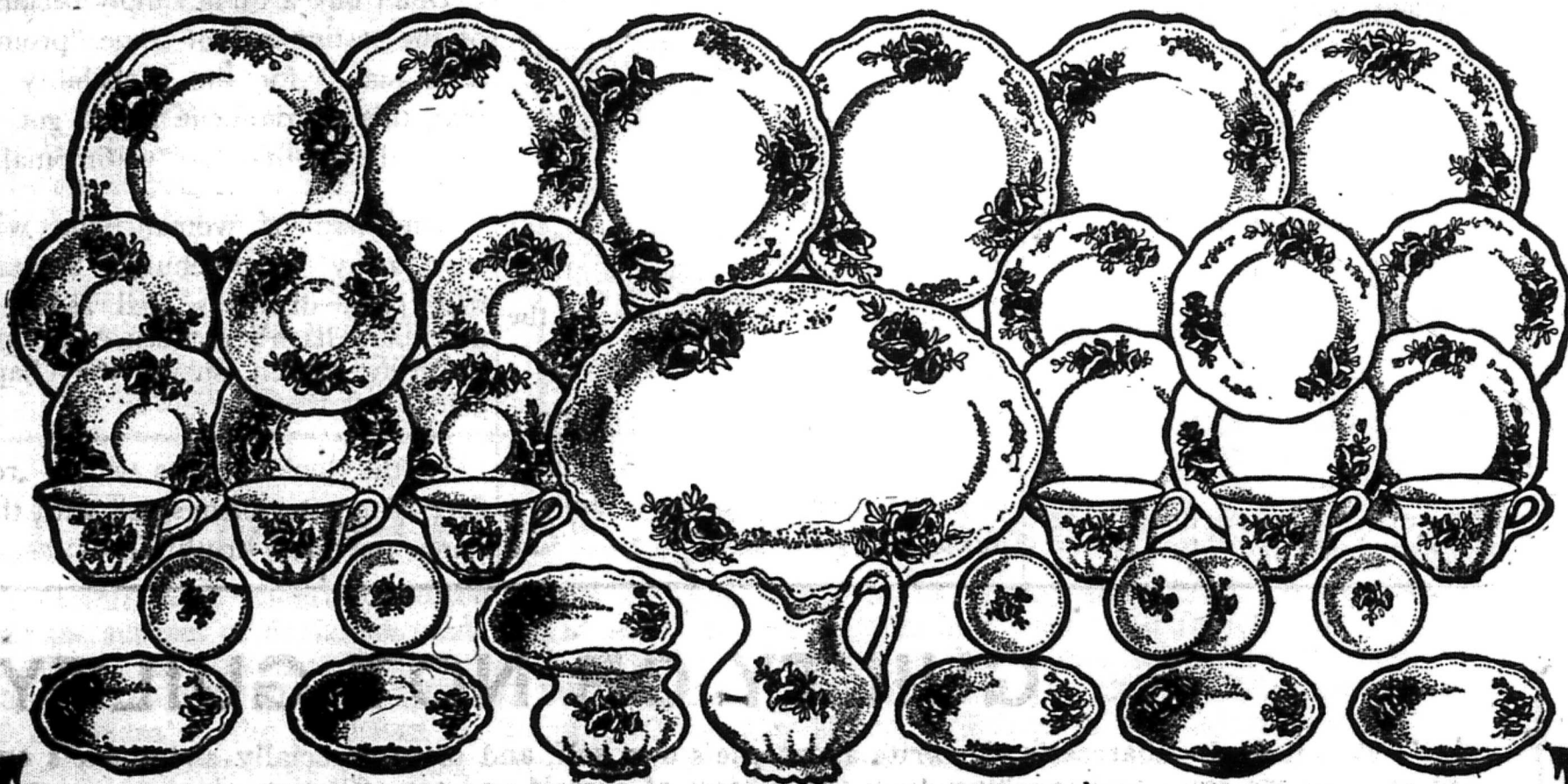
Let us all love PRINCIPLES above people or places, study carefully the laws of God, who is love. It was not in hatred that he made things to give us pain; it was to preserve and prolong our existence. When a child touches fire with his

little naked hand he is taught then and there to forever avoid such action in the future; and when we, as reasoning, thinking men and women, know that all previously

organized society has suffered to a greater or less degree from tyranny and religious fanaticism, then we should strive to secure that liberty that can only come through indus-

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The man who believes in "fate" is always a flat failure.

The devil always writes his advertisements with red ink.

If LAW meant JUSTICE, we'd have a power of justice in this country.

The man who believes in the "ground hog" hasn't got much respect for God's wisdom.

'Tis the homely girls who dress the loudest—what they lack in face they make up in frock.

Many men are "all run down" because they are too lazy to wind themselves up if they had a key.

"Yankee Doodle" and "Dixie" are always played when the politicians are looking for empty-headed voters.

If only "TRUE CHRISTIANS" were allowed to attend church, our church houses would be built smaller.

A political paper always reminds us of a cross-cut saw with only one man working it—it only throws dust one way.

If "all work and no play makes Jack a dull boy," what will all VOTE and no SAY make of the jackass voters?

Just as long as my MASTER controls my CLOTHES AND FOOD, I'll have to obey him, or starve and go naked.

HELL and the PRESENT SYSTEM were built by the same class of MASTERS.—JUSTICE never had any use for a hell.

The white man who will advocate "social equality" for the negro had better move up a few notches until he gets to be as good as the negro before "spouting" about "social equality."

The woman who uses an abundance of perfume always reminds us of the boy who fought a musk ox and then had to fight a polecat to get the stink off.

A rich man died in one of our large cities the other day and left \$900 to a priest for saying "masses for the repose of his soul"—a darn good job without a boss.

Don't buy a thing simply because of the testimonial of some "prominent man," for the probability is that this "prominent man" got it for nothing—thus the "testimonial."

The man or woman who will stay away from church because they can't dress as well as their neighbors hasn't got sense enough to enjoy heaven, should they happen to get there.

If the looking-glass would reflect "character blemishes" with the same unerring truthfulness as it

does "facial blemishes," there would be a lot of us who would comb our heads by guess.

It is folly to suppose that a millionaire will donate \$10,000 to a campaign fund for the benefit of the men whom he lives off of. Then why does he do it? Simply to make fools of us "jays" and get our votes that he may be benefited.

If it was God's plan that those who create the wealth of the world should only inherit RENTED SHACKS, CRUSTS, SHODDY CLOTHES, HEART ACHES, AND SERVITUDE, the devil couldn't do worse.—But it wasn't God's plan.—It's the voters ignorance.

The man who thinks that God placed a "CONSCIENCE" in his bosom to tell him what is RIGHT and what is WRONG can't have much respect for a God who would make the darn thing so weak on the RIGHT SIDE that the WRONG SIDE would do all the business.—SIR?

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GUILTY OR NOT GUILTY?

It is indeed embarrassing to write about one's own self, and more especially about one's own afflictions; however, we cannot see how we can avoid touching upon the subject of ourself and our affliction, since so many, and we believe them sincere people, have selected us and our afflictions to write and talk about.

Our readers, of course, remember that on the 27th of August, last, we had a stroke of paralysis that, for a short while, affected our entire left side, and which, for some weeks, put us entirely out of business, and from which we have not as yet fully recovered.

We do not, ourself, hold God Almighty responsible for that stroke of paralysis, as in our estimation, the matchless God of the universe is above such little, insignificant dirtiness; however, it appears that some of the dear, good, ignorant brethren and "sistern," who are sorry that the Lord didn't do a better job, and strike us a harder jolt, are of the opinion that God Almighty is the individual that "struck Kelley."—Now, if we really thought that the God who created this magnificent universe, and filled the firmament with other worlds as splendid as our own, was really guilty of something that one could hardly imagine of an unprincipled, white-livered, earthly enemy, we would then cut him entirely off of our visiting list, and would have no more respect for him than we would for a depraved human cur who would select one whom he disliked, and cut a leader, a nerve or a muscle, which would paralyze him; and should any man be found guilty of such a dastardly and diabolical act, there is not a man, woman or child on earth, but what would despise him and hate him with the hatred of hell; then can we possibly believe that God Almighty, whom we are taught is the quintessence of love, mercy and compassion, would be guilty of doing what we would dam a human being for doing? If he is that kind of a God, then it is probable that he is guilty of paralyzing our left side, but if he is a God with even the principle of an earthly degenerate, he is not guilty of such a cowardly, dirty, despicable act.

We have had quite a number of men and women, both of the Roman Catholic and Protestant churches, tell us that they were praying for us, and praying God that we might recover from our illness. We have the kindest feelings toward those who have informed us that they were asking God in their supplications to restore us to health, as we believe them true friends; however, IF GOD ALMIGHTY NEVER CHANGES, AS WE ARE TAUGHT, and if He did directly cause us to be paralyzed, then we would like to know how poor, insignificant men and women can PERSUADE HIM TO CHANGE HIS MIND, and give us health again; for if He is an unchangeable God, and ALL OUR CHURCHES TEACH THIS, then undoubtedly, a bunch of men and women cannot change Him by prayer; but if they can cause Him to change His mind, in regard to our stroke of paralysis, by praying to Him, then it is my sincere opinion that He should have consulted these church members and obtained their consent before He paralyzed our left side, which would have saved us a darned big scare, and a healthy doctor bill.—What dirty things are laid at the door of God Almighty, by those who claim to be His children!

We know full well that somewhere in our past, we have transgressed some law of nature, and that stroke of paralysis on the 27th day of last August was PAY-DAY for that violation, and God Almighty had no more to do with that stroke of paralysis than the individual did who lives ten thousand miles away, and never heard of God; and those who are laughing in their sleeve because of their belief that God Almighty punched us in the left side, can just rub that grin off of their "mugs," as He's not guilty of such littleness.

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Why we are so anxious that each reader of "The Arkansas Baptist" should peruse the pages of this book, is because we know that they will either become Socialists or have sense enough to undertake to learn what Socialism means, and how the Rev. C. R. Powell misrepresented it and villified his poor old father.—"The Arkansas Baptist," we have found out, are not wanting their readers to read this debate, as they realize what an holy ass Powell made of himself, and are afraid for the readers of "The Arkansas Baptist" to peruse its pages, so we are anxious to have this Maple-Powell Debate placed in the hands of **EACH SUBSCRIBER**, and are willing to bear the expense of placing it in their hands **ABSOLUTELY FREE**.

RIGHT.

BY TRUMAN FREELAND.

The Hindu mother kissed her child
As sacred monsters came in sight,
Then tossed it to the crocodile,
Because she thought 'twas right.

The Christian points you to the cross,
And, though you hold her sight,
He informs you that you're lost,
Because he thinks it's right.

Savage nations wade in gore;
Their rule is one of might;
Civilized nations also war,
Because they think it's right.

The heretic was born to die,
The witch was hung by night,
And all because of zealous faith,
Believed the deed was right.

Cold-blooded murder is permitted
When the sheriff takes a life;
And yet by law it is admitted
The deed is just and right.

Our **EDUCATION** is our guide;
We follow in its light
In attempting to decide
As to what is wrong or right.

Let the light of **REASON** shine
On education day and night,
Delving deep in reason's mine
Will unearth the **REAL RIGHT**.

REMEMBER!

That in writing the editor of this Journal **PERSONAL** letters, to always address them to **NASHVILLE, TENN.**, as he lives on his little "patch" at that point. But all letters pertaining to either **SUBSCRIPTIONS** or **ADVERTISING** must be addressed to the **ST. LOUIS OFFICE**. However all letters of a **PERSONAL** nature should be forwarded to him at **NASHVILLE, TENN.**, to insure prompt attention.

PHILIP WAGNER,
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Voice (in the audience)—One moment, please: Are you married?

Homely Lecturer (irritably)—Yes, sir; I am.

Voice—Is your wife happy?

Lecturer (proudly and indignantly)—Yes, sir; she is.

Voice—Then, sir, you're a liar.—
Ex.

Read pages **TWELVE** and **THIRTEEN** of this issue and learn how to obtain a copy of the great **MAPLE-POWELL** debate **ABSOLUTELY FREE**.

"CHOLLY" MUST BE SMELLING BAD.

The Rev. Charles Robert Powell, with whom the Editor of this Journal locked horns at Argenta, Ark., on the 15th and 16th of last June in a debate on the subject of Socialism, and who is better known as "Cholley," the "CHURN-HEAD," must be smelling very badly in the nostrils of the Arkansas Baptist, which "Cholley" once edited, but whose editorship he resigned in order to get his claws on a salary of **ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS PER MONTH AND EXPENSES**, from the Anti-Saloon League of the State of Arkansas, as the Rev. Ben M. Bogard, who is now acting as Editor of that Journal while "Cholley" "bilks" the Anti-Saloon League, uttered the following editorial on the first page of the Arkansas Baptist in its issue of Oct. 6th, 1909. The editorial follows:

"Dick Maple persists in publishing in his Rip-Saw that Bro. Powell 'Owns and controls' the Arkansas Baptist, and therefore dictates what goes into it. This continued repetition of this falsehood demands a denial on our part. Powell does not own a majority of the Arkansas Baptist stock, and never did. He does **NOT** DICTATE, OR EVEN SUGGEST, WHAT GOES INTO THE ARKANSAS BAPTIST. He is not even a director of the Company, and has nothing whatever to do with the business or editorial management of the paper. He does not get one cent in salary, or in dividends, or commissions from the Company. Now, what is the use in continuing to publish such a falsehood? If anybody told Maple such stuff, they told a falsehood, and if he was not told such stuff, then he made the lie and told it."

Now we do not know whether "Cholley" lied to us or not when he said that he **OWNED THE CONTROLLING INTEREST IN THE ARKANSAS BAPTIST**, but we **DO KNOW** that "Cholley" told the editor of this Journal that **HE DID**, and he gave us this information in the new Capitol Hotel of Little Rock, Ark., and I have a witness who sat by and heard "Cholley" make this statement. Now, "Cholley" either lied when he gave us this information or the Rev. Ben M. Bogard lied in his editorial. Now, which it was we are not going to attempt to say.

Now, the fact of the matter is, in our estimation, that "Cholley" has got to smelling badly in the nostrils of the Arkansas Baptist, and they are trying to eliminate the "stink" by giving information out to their readers that "Cholley" has not got his shovel very deep in its affairs. We were quite sure that as soon as the inhabitants of the State of Arkansas, and more especially the subscribers of the Arkansas Baptist, read the debate and learned what a simlin-headed sucker "Cholley" was, and what an ass he made of himself on the 15th and 16th of June at Argenta, Arkansas, that their subscription list would begin to draw up like a wet rawhide strap in a hot sun.

"Cholley" has never denied that he declared to the editor of this Journal that he held the controlling interest in the Arkansas Baptist, nor we do not believe that he will, as he knows that he told us this, and he also knows that a gentleman was sitting by who heard him make this statement; but we do not blame Ben M. Bogard for wanting the readers of the Arkansas Baptist to believe that "Cholley" is a small "potater" in the affairs of that Journal, as Bogard sees the "hand writing on the wall," and he knows that to permit "Cholley" to beat the bass drum or play the leading fiddle in that institution would mean a weeping farewell to his subscribers, as there is not a Baptist of any single brand of Baptists in the whole State of Arkansas but that would think more of themselves than to patronize an individual, or his newspaper, who would declare before an audience of a thousand people that he believed **THAT HIS DEAR OLD FATHER WAS ON HIS ROAD TO HELL, AND FURTHER DECLARE THAT HE WOULD NOT RAISE HIS HAND TO SAVE HIM FROM THAT AWFUL AND TERRIBLE FATE**.—Now, the Rip-Saw does not know whether the man that wrote the editorial lied or not, or whether Charles Robert Powell lied to us, but we **DO KNOW** that one or the other has lied, **AND LIED LIKE HELL—AMEN**.

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From thy polluted hands we collect thousands each year to build churches, and then "license" thee to destroy their effects.

For the sake of "revenue," we collect from thy filthy talons thousands each year to build almshouses, and then "license" thee to fill them with our own flesh and blood—from thy putrid coffers we accept "revenue" to build insane asylums, and then "license" thee to make maniacs of our boys and girls—for the sake of "revenue" to build school houses, we grant thee "license" to make ignoramuses of our children.

Almighty and Most Supreme "Booze" we know that thou art a Master, who not only destroys man's happiness in this world, but eternally damns him in the next; but for the sake of "revenue" we feed into thy open jaws the souls of our off-spring.—We must have "revenue" to hire chaplains to preach and pray on our battle-ships, in our army, and in our charitable institutions; therefore, Oh King of Despair! we accept from thy hands the "revenue" which enables us to hire these chaplains.

Almighty and Most Supreme "Booze," we recognize the fact that thou hast caused more woe and misery in this country, than any pestilence that ever devastated any land, but, for the sake of securing "revenue" to hire policemen, who would not be needed, were it not for the hell which thou causest men to raise, we accept a fee from thee and permit thee to march up and down the length and breadth of this land, turning happy homes into hells, and making fiends of men, and prostitutes of women.

We realize, Oh King "Booze," that wherever thou raisest thy unholy head, that immorality, licentiousness and ungodliness prevails, but for the sake of "revenue" we grant thee "license" to turn God's footstool into a seething caldron of desolation—we go to church two or three times on Sunday and make an ass of ourselves, and insult God by our hypocritical pretensions, but it is for thy sake, Oh King "Booze" that we do this, for we must have "revenue."

We realize, Oh King of desolation, that were we men made of the right kind of stuff, that no man would dare insult our wives and babies by asking to be granted a license which would enable him to

make tramps of our boys, harlots of our daughters, and place the stamp of poverty upon the brow of our wives; but thou wieldest an influence over us which maketh us appear to man as though we opposeth thee, but we being men who have politics instead of principle, we bow to thee, Oh Almighty King, and while we pray on Sunday for thy destruction, we work six days each week to enable thee to retain thy filthy grasp upon the throats of humanity—Oh King, thou knowest that so long as a man has politics instead of principle, that he beeth a prattling hypocrite, and a damphool in general.

We weep and gnash our teeth when our boys come reeling home with their hides full of thy vile stuff, and when our daughters are led astray by the glitter of thy deceitful eye, but Oh Almighty King, thou knowest that we must have "revenue;" therefore, we continue year in and year out, to feed our own flesh and blood into thy roaring furnace of destruction.

We realize that both the Republican and Democratic parties are rum-soaked and rum damned, and that the leaders of each of these parties yearly receive a "rake-off" from thy coffers, but, Oh, Almighty King, thou art such a beautiful "revenue raiser," that we prefer to see our sons become drunkards, our daughters prostitutes, and our wives beggars, rather than forsake that political party which has been turned over to thy retinue of hellians.

We realize that when we sing such songs as, "Come to Jesus," that the Lord of Hosts should strangle us with its melody, as we realize that a Judas is a Saint compared to us. We realize that did the Lord of Hosts dish out to us the justice which we so richly deserve, that he would paralyze our tongues when we "pray" to Him, and "bray" to thee, Oh King "Booze."

We realize, Oh Mighty Destroyer of mankind, that any one who claims to be a Christian, and does not vote to destroy and obliterate thy reign, is the vilest hypocrite this side of Hell; but, Oh Mighty King, rather than have a few cents added to our tax list, we prefer to build our churches, erect our school houses, hire our policemen, and employ or chaplains from the "revenue" raised by "licensing" thee to devastate the land, making gamblers and whoremongers of our sons, strumpets of our daughters and beggars of our wives.

We realize, Oh King, "Booze" that by permitting thee to reign, that we are trading human souls for "revenue," but business is business," and to hell with principle.

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The soil of Spain has been, and is being soaked with the best blood of that nation, and whenever a hero fell, the hierarchy of the Roman Catholic Church has been found to be a willing tool to the murder.

The father of the present "runty" degenerate, KING ALFONSO, was a polluted, depraved, dirty whoremaster, and the son of that father, Alfonso, is both an imbecile and coward by nature, who is afraid to demand that the Pope of Rome remove the club of superstition from over his ignorant "pate," and is not only a tool for the Pope of Rome, but for those who live off of the toil and sweat of the inhabitants of that Roman cursed country.

On the 13th day of October last, Prof. Francisco Ferrer, of Barcelona, Spain, who has done more to lift up his fallen and ignorant comrades than any one else in Spain, and to arouse them to their awful condition, was, by the cunning of the Roman Catholic Church, and the ignorance of King Alfonso, shot to death like a cur dog for opposing the paganistic doctrines of the Roman Catholic Church. It was he who established in Spain the public-school system which taught what our children of America are taught in our public schools, and denounced the parochial schools, which are under the ignorant and damnable control of the Roman Catholic Church.

Within eight short years Prof. Francisco Ferrer grew to be a menace to the Roman Catholic Church, and that Church decreed that he should die like a traitor, and that sniffing, damnable little catspaw, King Alfonso, permitted that agitator of FREEDOM to be marched down into the traitors' ditch and shot to death, for no other reason than because his heart went out to his ignorant and deluded countrymen, which the Roman Catholic Church has taught for centuries and made believe that to disobey a single hellish demand of hers meant a never-ending stretch of torment in a burning, seething hell, which no one, either of the Roman Catholic or Protestant Churches teach, unless they desire to control them by and through ABSOLUTE IGNORANCE.

Prof. Francisco Ferrer stood for the principles which made America glitter like a precious gem in the

constellation of other nations during the revolution of American patriots. The day is not far distant when the 13th of October last will be celebrated by every patriot of every nation on earth, to commemorate the death of that noble son; neither is the day far distant when that "abortion," known as King Alfonso of Spain, will be despised by an outraged people. AND MAY GOD SPEED THE DAY.

Prof. Ferrer's murder has stirred all Europe, but not a single preacher of any Protestant denomination in all America has raised their voice against this Romish murder of one of the greatest patriots the world has ever known, which brands the hierarchy of Protestantism as damnable and cowardly curs as ever disgraced the name of America.

Not a sigh, not a moan, nor a whisper of anguish has escaped the lips of any American on account of Prof. Ferrer's murder, but from the lips of the thousands who march under the banner of SOCIALISM.—Don't talk to me of your Washington, nor of your Lincoln until you can mourn at the awful death of Prof. Francisco Ferrer; for to pretend to worship a Washington or a Lincoln and not shed a tear at the murder of Prof. Ferrer, brands those who pretend to love freedom as chattering idiots and hypocrites.

Prof. Ferrer, of Spain, established what is known in that nation as "Modern Schools," but which is known in America as Public Schools, and this modern school system of Spain taught absolute freedom for the masses, and inspired the youth of Spain to wrench their liberty from the talons of the Roman Catholic Church; and for thus teaching he was marched down to the ditch of traitors and shot to death like a dog, and the order to shoot was inspired by the Roman

Catholic Church, as that church knows that to teach PATRIOTISM, FREEDOM and LIBERTY means the destruction of their idiotic and hellish creed; therefore, the Monks, the Priests, the Cardinals and that old fossilic "fake" of the vatican, set about to MURDER the greatest patriot Spain has ever known; but bear in mind, ye men of America, these red-handed wretches will live to regret that murder.

Hand America over to the Roman Catholic Church, or the various Protestant Churches of this land, and give them absolute sway in the control of the affairs of America as has the Roman Catholic Church of Spain, and every individual who raise their voice against their tyrannical tread will be treated in the same manner as Prof. Ferrer of Spain has been treated, AND I SAY THIS WITHOUT AN APOLOGY TO ANYONE, as there is no ignorance so complete and so dense as that taught by the orthodox churches of the world; for as long as I permit a set of SOFT-HANDED PARASITES to make me believe that they have the power to damn my soul throughout eternity, just so long that coterie of incubusses and holy mendicant grafters will make me obey them and become their servants.

Remember, Mr. Reader, that our American Public School System is on trial, and unless those who murdered Prof. Francisco Ferrer of Spain is rebuked and punished, it will not be long until those of America who uphold our public school system will meet the same fate as Prof. Ferrer has met in Spain—DAMN A PATRIOT WHO WILL NOT PROTEST AGAINST THE MURDER OF A PATRIOT LIKE FERRER.

Just before the Spanish soldiers shot the life out of Prof. Ferrer, he exclaimed: "LONG LIVE THE MODERN SCHOOLS!"—Did any man ever die with a more glorious prayer upon his lips? NEVER! NEVER! NEVER!—Then, comrades, our duty is to see to it that those who murdered Prof. Ferrer shall murder no other patriot.

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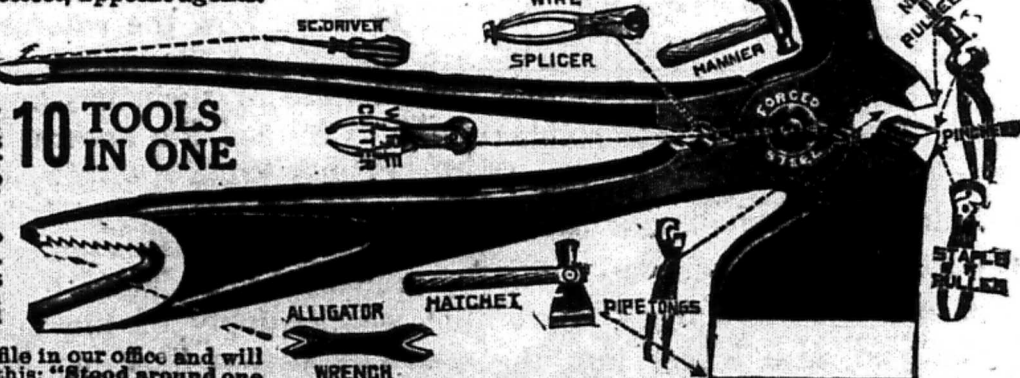
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MOBS

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The RIP-SAW firmly believes that there is always a reason for everything; therefore, we believe that there is a reason for the frequency of mobs in this country.

The RIP-SAW does not believe in mobs nor in mob law; neither does it believe that we would have this spirit of unrest were it not for the favoritism shown in the enactment and execution of our laws.

Do we believe that all of those who participate in "mobs" are anarchists? Nay, verily, as we believe that those who take the law into their own hands are as honest in their convictions as those who stand by and denounce them as anarchists, and we also believe that those who are the loudest in their condemnation of those who make up the "mobs" are the identical ones who are to blame for the spirit of "mobbery" being rampant in this country.

What is it that causes the man or woman to permit the "mob spirit" to take hold of their very souls? Ah, it is a feeling of uncertainty relative to having a law righteously applied to an individual or a combination of individuals who have broken a statutory law of the land or transgressed a recognized law of God.

We want to ask the fathers and mothers of this land what kind of a feeling they would have in their hearts toward a man who controlled the only water supply in their section and who for individual gain would build a stone wall about that water supply and refuse to permit your famishing babies to cool their parched tongues unless you paid a price for that water which was beyond your power to pay, and at the same time furnish food and clothes to keep those babies comfortable? Do you suppose that you would quietly sit down and watch your babies perish for the want of that which none but God Almighty created? No, no; you would feel that the crime justified you in forming a combination with the parents of other famishing children in your locality to break down and destroy

that wall and force that individual who was depriving you and your children of an actual necessity of life, and take by main force that which the laws of the land says belongs to the fiend who forbid you and your babies to quench your thirst unless you paid a tribute which would bring want and misery to your door?

Do you suppose that after you and your neighbors had destroyed the property of this human fiend that there could be a jury found that would convict you for disobeying the statutory law of the land pertaining to "personal property"? —NEVER!

Do you suppose that God Almighty himself would hold you and your neighbors responsible for the act that you performed, although there was not a written law upon our statute books but what would condemn the act? —NEVER.

This act of yours would be an act that would come under the head of "mob law," but no philosopher could convince the world that you had committed a sin, as "self-preservation is the first law of nature."

We want to ask our readers whom shall we hold responsible for the human family's existence? Ah, there is not a man, woman or child but what will answer, GOD. Well, if God is responsible for the existence of the human family, then we want to ask if you suppose that a JUST GOD, such as we have been taught that our God is, would cause one of his children to be born into this world and then fail to provide a bounteous plenty to sustain that individual during its probationary stay on earth? —You answer, "Most assuredly, NO."

We want to ask our readers a question that every child over 5 years of age can answer: Who made the earth and the fullness thereof? Your answer is, "God."

Your answers have all been answered correctly. Then we would like to know how the voter can figure out why a "human hog" or a combination of such, has any more right to control the anthracite hills in Pennsylvania which contain about all the anthracite coal found in America, than the same species of human beasts have to control the water supply of the universe? —You answer that they have not any more moral right, and the legal right which they have been granted was given them by "grafters" who style themselves "honorable men" and "statesmen," but who are noth-

ing more nor less than robbers and thieves, sailing under the misnomer of "officials."

We want to ask you, Mr. Voter, who placed the anthracite coal in the mountains of Pennsylvania? You answer, "God." —We want to ask you, Mr. Voter, if God Almighty did not have a reason for placing that coal in those mountains? You answer, "He did." —We want to ask you if God Almighty is a partial God? Your answer is, "He is not." —We want to ask you if God Almighty is not an impartial God? You answer, "He is."

All your answers are correct, according to the best reasoning of the wisest men of the universe and according to the teachings of the Bible.

Now, if such is the case, then can a law which has been enacted by "grafters" and which is diametrically opposed to every law that God Almighty ever promulgated and Jesus Christ practiced, be respected by a man or woman who tries to follow the teachings of their Master and obey his commands? Ah, no; as no man or woman who believes in a just God can believe that that God ever filled the hills of Pennsylvania with coal and then would sanction the acts of the anthracite coal barons of the East who force widows and orphans to freeze or pay an exorbitant price for that which God gave to his children.

Am I, or you, and our neighbors the children of God? And, if we are, do you suppose that he intended for that coal in the hills of Pennsylvania to make millionaires while millions of wives, mothers and children freeze in huts and hovels on account of not having the money to pay a few "hellians" an artificial price for that which God himself created? And do you believe that God Almighty would hold you and me and our neighbors responsible for demanding in a peaceable manner first, but by physical force next, that which rightly belongs to the human family? If God is an impartial God he would not; and if God is God he would not; and if the Bible is true he would not.

Man can not enact a law that will cancel a divine law, and since such is the case, then shall the human family be compelled to resort to what the "plutocrats" of this country are pleased to call "mob law" to get justice, but which in reality is only the hosts of Jehovah trying to re-establish the laws of God, which have been suspended for the benefit of thieves and robbers?

Give the RIP-SAW a rational reason why that which God has created should be confiscated and sold for personal gain, and we will turn our backs upon the teachings of God and close the Bible forever and declare to our readers that the cunning and the greed of man is the law of the universe, and that "might makes right"; but until you convince us that God is a "fake" you will never make us believe that a few human devils who,

by the power of political "pulls" and the enactment of unjust laws which have enabled them to control that which the human family MUST have for its commonest comforts, has any right to force my wife and babies to go hungry and cold, because of the lack of money to pay an unreasonable price for that which these heartless villains desire to sell, in order that they and their offspring may dress in purple and fine linen and live in profligate elegance, while me and my babies go hungry, cold and halfclad.

When you convince us that God Almighty created the oil in the bowels of the earth especially for John D. Rockefeller, then you will make an atheist and a disbeliever of us, and we will teach our children that God is the arch enemy of the human family and the father of their miseries.

When you convince us that the streets of our cities were intended by God when he made this old earth, to belong to a corporation of a few greedy hounds to operate street cars upon, which the public must use and which should belong to the public, then we will have no more respect for God than we have for the devil.

When you convince us that the railroads rightfully and righteously belong to the Goulds, the Rockefellers, the Belmonts, the Hills and the Morgans, which must carry the products of my labor to the markets of the earth, instead of the same belonging to the public, which must use them, then you will convince us that God IS a repsecter of persons, and that he can be bought for a price.

When you convince the RIP-SAW that the coal and oil in the bowels of the earth belong to the Baers and the Rockefellers by divine right, and that the right to operate our public franchises belongs to the men who have political pulls, then you will make us believe in the Republican and Democratic parties of today. But until you hush forever the melodious refrain of justice and strangle every hope of the true Christian and obliterate the path that was trodden by Christ and his apostles, just that long the RIP-SAW will remain a Socialist.

The RIP-SAW does not believe in "mobs" nor "mob law," but we believe in EQUALITY, by peaceable means first, if possible; but we believe in EQUALITY, if American manhood must be substituted as a physical force to gain that end. —Dam a hog, wherever found, unless he "grunts," wears bristles and curls his tail; and you, my dear reader, as vehemently dam the same principles as we; but still you declare yourself a Republican or Democrat, and have a string of fits when you are urged to join the ranks of the Socialist party, which is endeavoring to tear the grasp of greed from the throat of toil.

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(Signed) N. McQUEEN,
President Hastings Banking Co., Hastings, Fla.

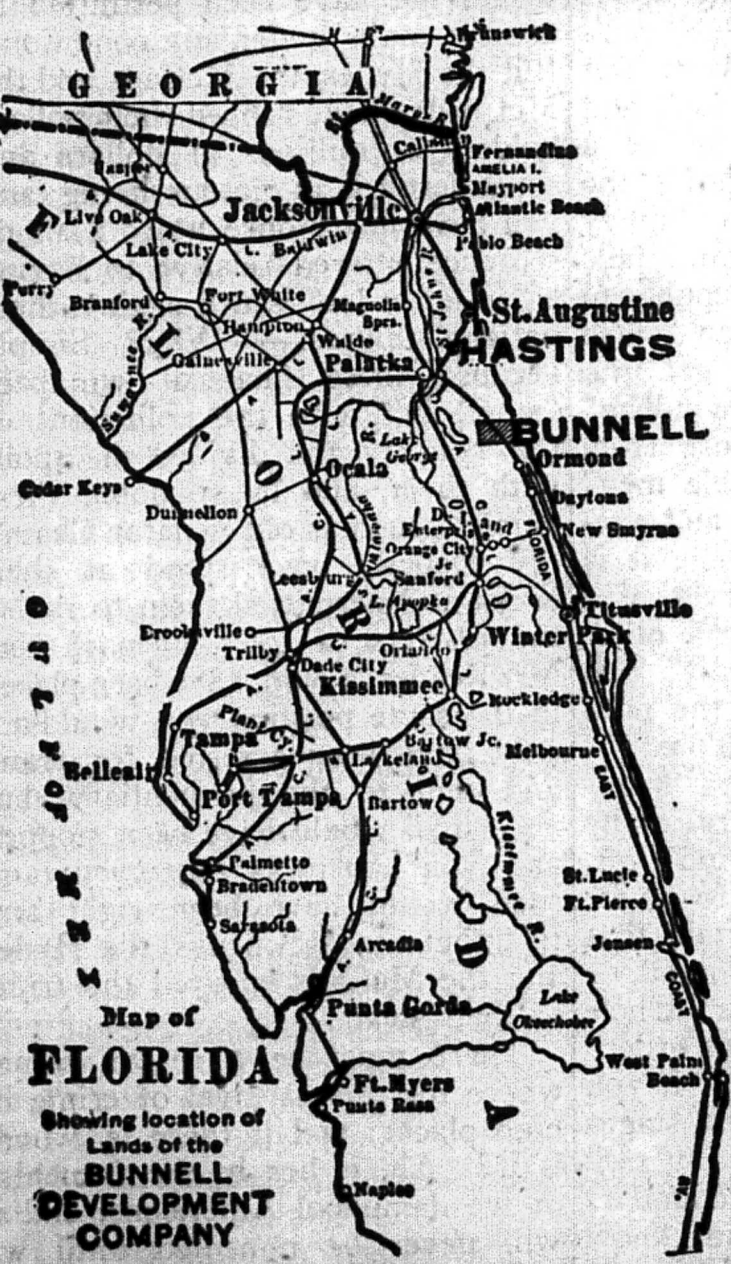
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There are many brands of "financial wind," and there are many ways of working this "wind" off, if you know exactly how to do it; but you must be dead certain that you are right before you proceed, or else you will find that your "Uncle Samuel" will issue a "fraud order" against your "schemes"; but if you can wiggle through the first stages of your "wind game" and can pick up a few hundred thousand dollars and then let your politicians know that you are ready and willing to divide liberally from the result of your thievery, you will not run much risk of having your game interfered with.

About how long, Mr. Reader, do you suppose that you or one of your neighbors could run a game such as the political thieves of this country have run, and use the mails exclusively to have done it with? Ah, bless your souls, before you would have gotten the game under good headway you would have had a "fraud order" issued against you—that is, unless you would have followed the same plan that these political thieves have followed—

"divvy up" with the BIG-RICH and the Republican and Democratic parties in general.

It is a notorious fact and known from one end of this earth to the other, that the insurance business of this country has been and is conducted by mail, and without the postoffice department they could not continue their business; and it is also a notorious fact that some of the biggest insurance companies of this country have slugged and sandbagged their patrons and have robbed them of millions; but still these insurance companies are permitted to use the mails of the United States, and you have never at any time heard one threat of these companies being barred from the United States mails, when, if you, Mr. Reader, or your neighbor would undertake to work such a "skin game" as these insurance companies have worked you would have been arrested for "fraud," and would not have been permitted to use the mails under any conditions. But the Hydes, the McCalls and the McCurdys have robbed their policyholders of millions of dollars and squandered it in riotous living, and you have never once heard a single sentence uttered relative to having a "fraud order" issued against these national thieves.—Why? Simply because these financial windbags "stood in" with the politicians of this country and divided the spoils with them, and by so doing these officials, such as old Senator Chauncey Depew, have stood at their backs and permitted them to ravish the pockets of toil; when if you, Mr. Reader, would have been placed in the same position you would not only have been arrested for fraud and sent to the penitentiary, but your mail would have been stopped and your business destroyed, and such would have been right and just; but the McCurdys, the Hydes and the McCalls enjoyed the fruits of their steal.

There must be a reason somewhere for this carnival of crime in high places; and if there is, where is it? Ah, it lies in the franchise of we damphool Americans, and it will never be remedied until we have intelligent heads, pure hearts and clean hands to cast our ballots, which in the future will elect the men who are to enact and execute our laws; and these clear heads, pure hearts and clean hands can never be owned by a set of men who wear the badge of political slavery upon their bosom; for if you are an uncompromising, blind Republican or Democrat you are one of the men who are to blame for this carnival of crime among the officials of this country; for just as long as they can keep you in the trenches of political prejudice with the scorpion lash of ignorance and oppression, just that long you

will continue to permit them to rob you and your families and go unpunished of their crimes, as there is no honest and sincere man who aspires to official preferment that will ask you to vote for him or any other man simply because he is a Republican or Democrat; as an honest, true, clean, pure, patriotic American citizen would not ask you, Mr. Reader, to vote for him or any other man unless those he asked you to vote for represented the pure principles of unadulterated patriotism, which means SOCIALISM.

Mr. Voter, when you sell your hogs you cuss because the price is low, and when you buy your meat in the spring you cuss because the price is high; when you sell your wheat in the fall you dam because the price is low, but when you buy your flour in the spring you rave because it is high; when you sell your wool in the spring you tear your hair because you get nothing for it, but when winter comes and you go to buy woolen goods you dam the universe because the price is high.—Now, what is the reason for such a difference in prices in such a short length of time? Ah, simply because you permit thieves and rogues to both make and execute your laws, and place tariff burdens upon your backs, which create millionaires to control your markets, who brazenly tell you what they will give you for your wheat, your hogs, your wool and your cattle, and as soon as they come into possession of your produce they tell you to go to the dickens if you don't want to pay the price for the manufactured products.

In this country it is altogether who owns an article as to what the price will be. If the farmer owns it he sells it for what the millionaires offer him; but if the millionaires own it the farmer pays them what the millionaires tell him he must pay; and the millionaires are men who do not weave, who do not produce, who do not build and who do not labor, and live only by "pulls" and pushes which they enjoy by buying and bribing thievish politicians, who are elected by men who haven't got sense enough to be anything but a Republican or Democrat, and who are so politically blind that they can not or will not protect themselves, their wives and babies by their ballots.

It is just simply a case of "financial wind" that makes millionaires of the few and paupers of the many, and just as long as the voters of this country will permit our "political wind merchants" to keep them in the political ruts of blind slavery, just that long the toilers of this country will be compelled to eat the crusts, while those who live off their toil enjoy the heart of the loaf.

It does seem to the RIP-SAW as though the voters of this country would some time wake up and realize that if there is a God, and if that God is a just God, that the financial slave masters of this country are hellians and agents of the devil; and if they are, then why

should you do their bidding? For if God is "just," he must believe in equality, and if such is the case and the voters of this country have a lick of sense they undoubtedly can not see any equality existing between their poverty-stricken families and the bloated bondholders who grow financially fat off their toil.

Ninety-nine per cent of the speeches delivered during our political campaigns, either by Republican or Democratic orators, are paid for at so much per speech by the campaign managers of both of our old parties.—Now, where does the funds come from to pay these political "spellbinders" who infest every precinct in the United States during our political campaigns? Ah, they are paid by the Republican and Democratic national committees.—Well, where does these national committees get their money to pay the millions that are spent during each political campaign? Well, they get their money from such men as the Belmonts, the Morgans, the Fricks, the Carnegies, the Rockefellers and the millionaires in general who hire you and your boys to work in their shops and mines, and your wives and daughters to wash their dirty duds.

How can they afford to pay these millions unless they get their money back somewhere? They can't do it. Then, if they are going to get their money back, how are they going to get it? Ah, by getting you durned fools to elect the men they want elected, so that these men can make laws to rob you poor devils who elect them and continually keep you and your boys working for them at starvation wages and your wives and daughters washing their dirty duds and doing their drudgery, while these millionaires and their boys spend their money in having one devil of a big time, and their wives and daughters lounge about in idle elegance and refuse to associate with the female members of your families, because they are compelled to toil for their daily bread.

Now, it does seem to the RIP-SAW that from this time forward the best thing for the voters to do is use their own heads, and do their own thinking; and if you will only spend fifteen minutes every day with your "think tank," by the time the next election rolls around you will have sense enough to vote for MEN, and not political pirates.

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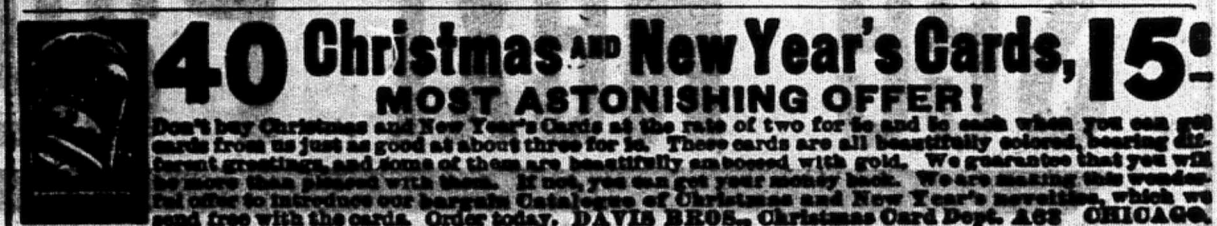
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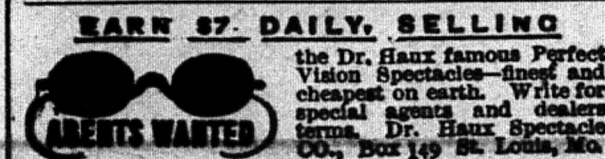
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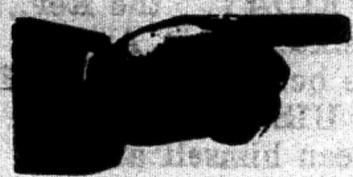
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That debate is over. The crowd was immense. The ovation to Col. Maple in the Rev. Powell's own town is past description. Men cheered, women wept and children screamed. you just can't describe it. Men and women from all over the United States were there. Col. Maple was at his best, and the victory was complete. Powell, a weak, stammering, floundering egotist.

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AH THERE, "CHOLLEY!"

"CHOLLEY"—THE RIGHT REVEREND "CHOLLEY" POWELL, we mean, and "HIS MAN FRIDAY," the Rev. Ben M. Bogard, during their fireworks exhibition before their audience on the nights of June fifteenth and sixteenth, at Argenta, Arkansas, made quite a wonderful howl about being anxious for EVERYBODY to buy a copy of the debate between "CHOLLEY" and Col. Maple, after it was put in print, and "CHOLLEY" uttered a few loud howls in the columns of HIS PAPER, "The Arkansas Baptist," before the debate was printed, about wanting HIS READERS to peruse the debate between himself and the editor of the RIP-SAW.—But as soon as the debate was out, and ready for distribution, and as soon as LITTLE "CHOLLEY" got his optics glued to its pages, he woke up to the fact that he had made a well-developed ass of himself, and subsided at once, about wanting the readers of HIS JOURNAL, "The Arkansas Baptist," to read the debate; as he knew that if HIS READERS read the debate that it would either make Socialists of them, or disgust them with his small and idiotic chatter.—So "CHOLLEY" closed up like a dyspeptic clam.—THE NATIONAL RIP-SAW agreed to furnish LITTLE "CHOLLEY" the debate at EXACTLY what it cost them to get it out, as we were anxious to have a copy of this debate placed in the hands of all of "CHOLLEY'S" readers; therefore, we agreed to furnish the debate to him at EXACTLY what it cost the RIP-SAW to get it out.—Well, about how many copies do you suppose "CHOLLEY" disposed of to the readers of HIS PAPER, "The Arkansas Baptist?"—Well, here's the amount that "CHOLLEY" has ordered, and the chances are that he has half of them in his office yet, as he hasn't made but one order, and that order consisted of less than seven hundred copies, and, perhaps, if the truth was known, five hundred of those copies are still in "CHOLLEY'S" office.—The RIP-SAW has printed and disposed of TENS OF THOUSANDS of copies of this debate between LITTLE "CHOLLEY" and Col. Maple, and has issued editions of TEN THOUSAND AFTER TEN THOUSAND, and still the demand is as insistent as ever.—"CHOLLEY," you know, was cunning enough not to want the readers of HIS PAPER, "The Arkansas Baptist," to read this debate, so he quietly tucked his little tail between his legs, and curled up upon the job.—"CHOLLEY" was very loud-mouthed in accusing his poor, old, stooped-shouldered, gray-headed Father of being on his road to hell, because he was a Socialist, but the "LITTLE THING" was afraid for the readers of HIS PAPER, "The Arkansas Baptist," to understand just how SMALL it made him look before he got through with that terrible, heartless and damnable accusation.—No, no, LITTLE "CHOLLEY" don't want the readers of "The Arkansas Baptist" to read the debate between himself and Col. Maple, as he knows that every sincere man and woman who reads it, gets chilly under the collar, and invariably hates the "CONTROLLER" of "The Arkansas Baptist" for the hellish and damnable things he said about his poor, old Father.—Day after day, the RIP-SAW has disposed of MORE COPIES of this Maple-Powell debate than LITTLE "CHOLLEY" has disposed of in the past five months.—"CHOLLEY" has a reason for doing no more with this debate than he has done, as he knows what it means to have HIS READERS peruse its pages.—Ah, there, "CHOLLEY!" we don't blame you for crawling in to your little hole; but, "Sonny," you can't take that hole in with you, and if you could, you would so befoul it that it would stink you out.

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If a fellow passes your house with a gun on his shoulder and you ask him where he has been, and he tells you that he has been bear hunting, and further tells you that he "got" a bear, and he shows you the bear, you know that he got it; but the fellow that comes along shouting "hallelujah," and says I've "got religion," but can't show you any signs of his "catch," you at once begin to wonder if he hasn't lied to you.

Now, the RIP-SAW wouldn't think much of a case of mumps that didn't make a fellow's jaws swell up, and you would have devilish hard work in convincing your neighbors that you had the mumps unless they could see some signs of it; but it seems to be the easiest trick in the world to "jine" some church and make your neighbors believe that you really "caught" a dose of old-fashioned religion; and the funny part of the proposition is that you don't have to show any signs of the "catch" in your daily life.

What would you think of one of your neighbors who would tell you that he had the finest driving horse in the world, and go into raptures in describing that horse, and you never saw him driving it, and when you went over to his house and asked him to show you that horse, he would hop up in his horseless buggy and pretend to drive and whip the air and holler: "See him go!"—Wouldn't you think that he was as crazy as a lunatic, or else took you to be?—Most assuredly you would. Then, what must you think of the man who tells you that he is a Christian, and will go to church and "speil off" a great, long "rigamarole" about what the Good Lord has done for him, when you know that that fellow had "done" everybody he ever got his fingers on; and what must the children of this country think of that kind of a brand of religion?

The RIP-SAW would not give a snap for a case of "itch" that did not make it scratch, and it would not give a darn for a "case" of religion that won't soften the heart and relax the purse string, and take the thief out of a man; as you might as well steal your neighbor's horse, or rob his henroost, as to lie to him in order to get what he's got for less than it is worth.

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It's true that when we got out and played "black man," "town ball" or "hound and fox" and ran a little, we would heat up and stink like a den of polecats, but we thought the more this "hoodoo bag" stunk the more certain we were not to get the disease.

The RIP-SAW as firmly believes in a God as it is possible for any individual to believe, as this old sun and moon of ours haven't been rolling across the heavens for these many, many centuries by chance; nor the seasons haven't come and gone with exact precision for these centuries by chance; nor the flowers bloomed, nor the rains fallen in due season by chance, nor mankind has not been fed by the hand of chance since Adam tread the grassy walks of the Garden of Eden. Therefore, we are compelled to believe in a God, as the lightning's flash, the thunder's roar and the madness of the cyclone all proclaim a God; but all of these marvelous workings of a most marvelous God proclaim an intelligent God, and one who would have his children serve him seven days in the week and be merciful to their fellowman seven days in the week instead of one.

There are many who "get religion" who do business upon the same plan that the old darkey did. This old colored "brother" was very unscrupulous about where he picked up his pennies, dimes and nickels, but he had learned that he could pick them up with greater ease by "getting religion," so he "got it"; but he got it just about like two-thirds of the rest of us get it—for the benefit of "Sambo."

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his breast, raised his eyes heavenward, and exclaimed: "For de Lawd's sake, let's all be honest." "Sambo" was doing business at that particular time on the same principle that the majority of us are doing business to-day—we want everybody to be honest when it comes to dealing with us, but we don't give a continental dam about our own honesty when we're trying to "do" our "dearly beloved."

"Getting religion" is just exactly like getting anything else—if you've got it you know you've got it, and most everybody else knows it, too; and if it was as good a thing as our church members tell us it is, the RIP-SAW would be so tickled over a "dose" of it that everybody in ten miles around would know we had it. But we've got no desire to catch the brand that only shows on the church record, or only crops out on Sundays.

"Catching religion" is a good deal like catching the smallpox: it will leave its marks, and your neighbors will know it from the marks it leaves on your daily actions; but the kind that will permit a fellow to serve the Devil six days and twenty-three hours each week and will take him to heaven by just giving one hour to the Lord on Sunday is not the kind that we're looking for, as the reward a fellow receives is generally equivalent to what he deserves; and if a fellow can go to heaven and serve the devil six days and twenty-three hours in each week and the Lord only one, we would imagine that heaven would be sorter of a loafing-place for "con men."

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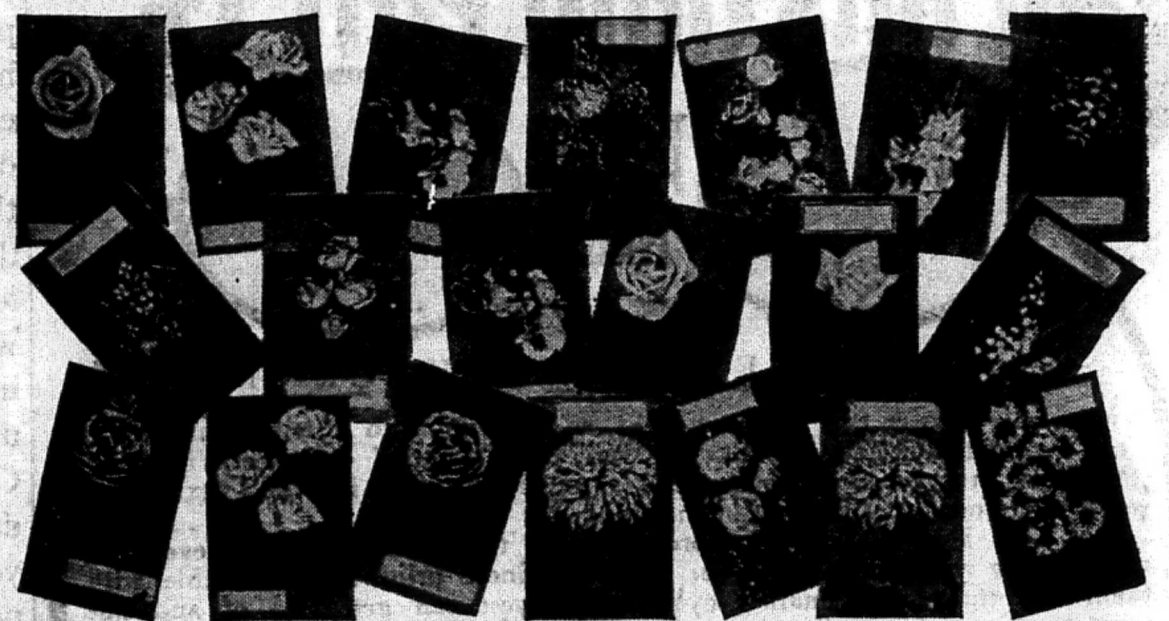
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"My Dear Old Comrade":

COMMERCE, TEX., OCT. 8TH, 1909.

"I have just finished reading your debate with Powell. CONGRATULATIONS TO YOU.

"I note that on page 75 he boasts of his knowledge of the scriptures, saying: 'YOU HAD BETTER BE CAREFUL HOW YOU STRIKE A PREACHER WHEN YOU GET TO THE SCRIPTURES. HE MAY NOT KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT GREED AND GRAFT, AND VERY LITTLE ABOUT ECONOMICS, AND LESS ABOUT MONEY AND BUSINESS, BUT WHEN YOU GET HIM TO THE SCRIPTURES, HE WILL TELL YOU WHAT THEY SAY, OR MAKE A MIGHTY GOOD STAGGER IN THAT DIRECTION.'

"But in less than one minute Mr. Powell made a very poor 'stagger in that direction.' In his effort to prove the devil a truthful fellow, he says: 'HE CAME TO CHRIST AND SAID: MAN SHALL NOT LIVE BY BREAD ALONE. IS THAT THE TRUTH?'

"Yes, it's the truth; but it was not the Devil who said it, but Christ himself. See Matt. 4: 4 and Luke 4: 4. So it seems that Mr. Powell would put the language of Jesus Christ into the mouth of the Devil in order to win his point. POOR FELLOW!"

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Now, if Jesus Christ was right in this declaration, then we must believe and know that our children

who die in infancy and who cannot sin on the account of not being responsible for their actions, go direct to heaven; and if such is the case, then such children must be as pure as angels, with the exception, however, of still being "in the flesh."

Now, if our children are born pure, and such they must be, or Jesus Christ would not have made the declaration that he did in regard to them, then should not we endeavor to keep them as pure as possible?

Now, in order to preserve their purity, and rear them in an atmosphere of sobriety, virtue, morality, honesty and righteousness, the parents of this country should endeavor to crush and annihilate everything that contaminates. Do we do this? We'll see. Have you a saloon in your village? If you have, who is to blame for the saloon being there? Do you not have more men and women who claim to be Christians in your village than you do who claim to be "drinkers"? If you have, then who is the more powerful, the Christians or the devil, and if the devil has more say-so in your village or neighborhood than those who claim to be Christians, who are you going to blame for this "pull" which the devil has in your section? Will you blame God and accuse him of giving the devil more power than he has, or will you confess that the majority of those who claim to be Christians are just simply one-sided, lying hypocrites? Now, it has got to be one of the two propositions, so you

might as well find out who is to blame for this state of affairs in your section first as last, for if God is to blame you just might as well quit pretending to serve him and wipe that hypocritical "grin" from your face and give your chin a "hunch" and shorten your face and take "pot luck" with the rest of the rabble; for if you are going to permit the devil to run the affairs of your town or neighborhood you cannot reasonably expect to meet your children in glory, and there is no father or mother who are really true Christians but what will make an awful fight to take their children to heaven with them.—Now, don't this talk sound like "horse sense?" And if it is rational talk, then how are you going to figure out how it comes that you have the saloon in your town, if you have more church members than you have those who are not, unless these church members are a set of howling hellians?

Can you show us a Christian who does not believe, or at least claims to believe, in the efficacy of prayer? No, sir, you couldn't do it if you were to sit up six weeks in your endeavor to do so.

If you believe in the efficacy of prayer, you must believe that God will answer prayer, and if you believe that God will answer the prayers of the righteous, then you must believe that he will fight the battles of his children.—Do you believe that? You answer yes.—Then how does it come that the devil is winning all of the victories in your section?—Is it God's fault or is it because he knows that those who claim to be his children are a set of pusillanimous liars?—Now, which do you suppose it is?

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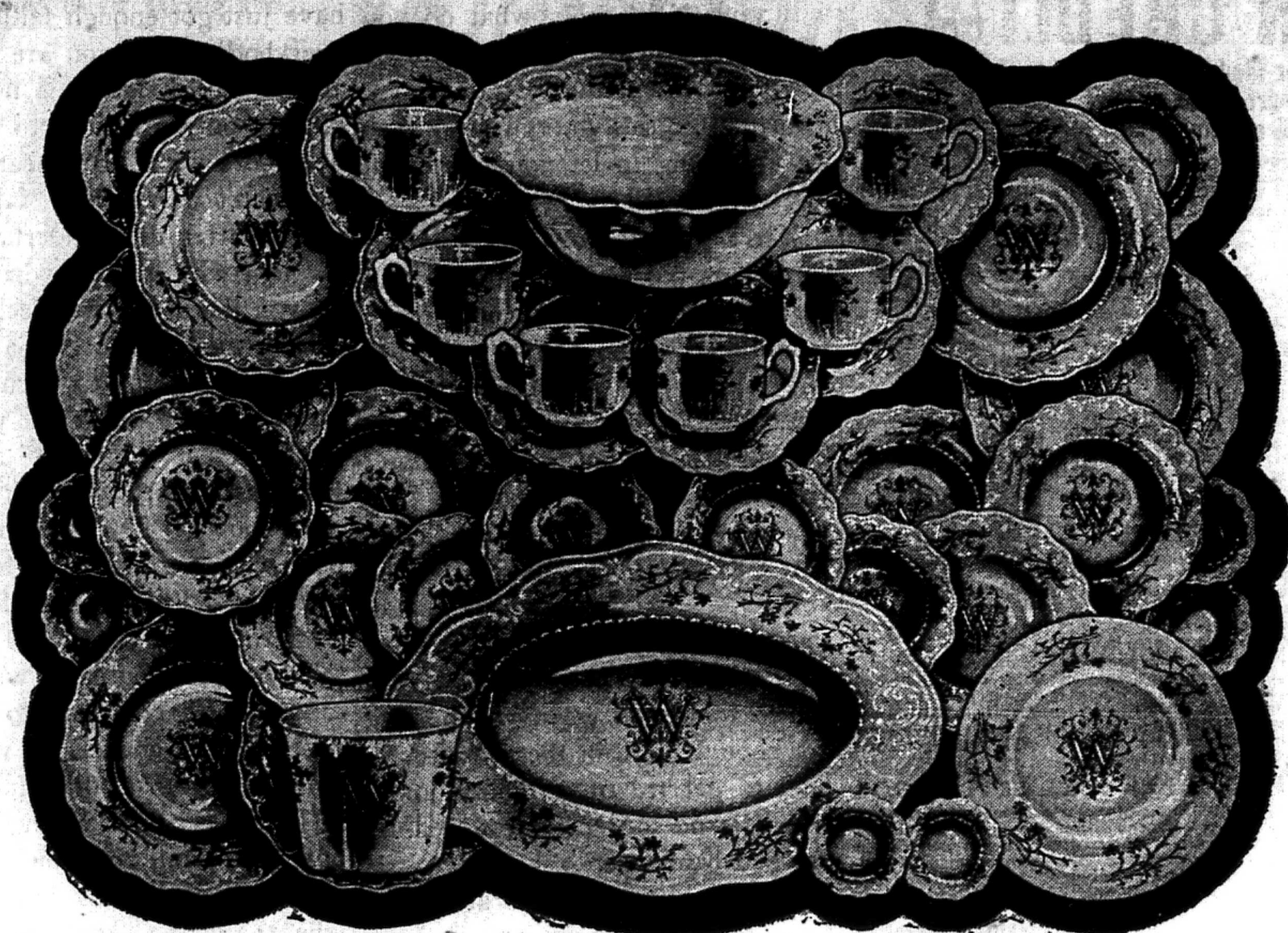
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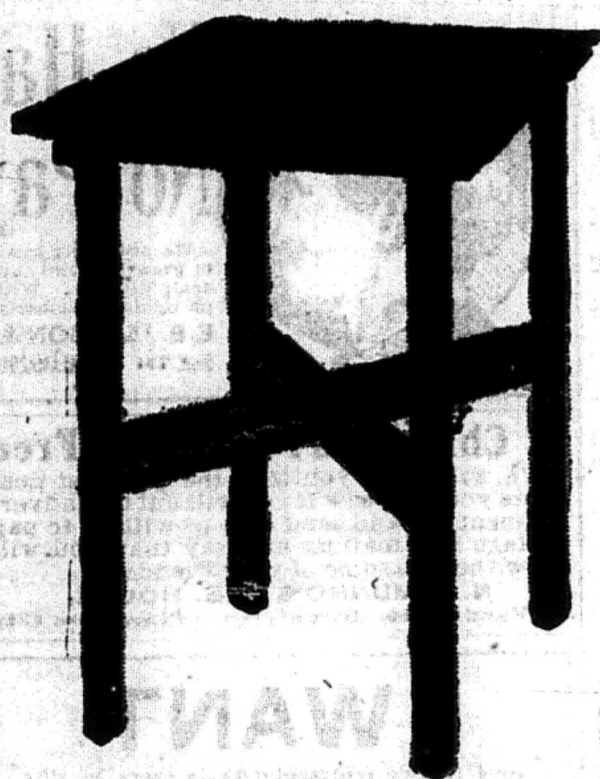
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Don't the Bible teach that if Christians possess faith the size of mustard seed that they can remove mountains? About how large do you think your faith is, when you can't remove a 140-pound saloon-keeper from your midst? Don't you think that a mustard seed would look like "Pike's Peak" compared to your little speck of faith?

Now, if you folks expect to get to heaven on your faith, you must figure that it will be a devilish easy job to fool God, when you haven't got enough faith in the promises of God to get rid of a "booze joint" which is no larger than a well-developed henhouse.

Would you hypocritical Christians, who haven't got enough faith to get rid of a saloon which is run right under the noses of your children, and which is making drunkards and gamblers of your boys and harlots of your daughters, undertake to start a business on a capital no larger than your faith in God's promises? If you did, you wouldn't have money enough to paint your sign across the front end of your building. But still you expect that little "gob" of faith to buy you a ticket to run your canoe

smack into the portals of heaven.

The fact of the matter is, you have just got enough faith to make everybody know you are a "fake," and a "fakish faith" is no faith at all, but only practiced to fool your neighbors with. But bear in mind you can't carry that "fake" on a minute after the undertaker gets through with his screwdriver. How do you think you will feel in about fifteen minutes after Saint Peter marches you up to turn in your capital stock? How do you think you will feel "fumbling" around in your vest pocket and can't find anything but a "pewter penny," and that with a good large hole in it, and realize that you undertook to do business for your Lord and Master down here on earth with such a capital as that? What do you suppose that the good Lord will say to you about your "fakish faith?" The RIP-SAW don't believe that he will even smile at you, but will touch a mysterious button somewhere, and the "goat gate" will fly open and Mr. Devil will order another carload of brimstone.

Until our preachers practice what they preach and show their faith by their works, they have no right to get their "backs up" when the rabble "snigger" at them; for as long as the devil drives their "gospel carts" and they trot along behind yelping like little curs, you can't ever make the "other fellow" believe much in their "faith machine" until they learn how to operate it themselves.



There is an old saying, which is as old as the intellect of man, "that all questions have two sides."

When we hear but one side we can only judge of that side, and when the party who tells his story is inclined to be biased in relating same, it is indeed very difficult for the reader or listener to arrive at a rational conclusion, especially if the one who relates or writes the story has an individual interest or a hired interest in that of which he speaks or writes; as it is a well-known fact that a large majority of men and women with an individual or hired interest, which is one and the same, has the faculty for truth-telling benumbed.

This is an assertion which pains our hearts to make, but it is true nevertheless; and it is sad indeed when man, who is made in the image of God, will misrepresent the

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We make the assertion that a large per cent of our metropolitan newspapers are either owned outright by the moneyed interests of this country, or else they are controlled by being hired to do plutocracy's bidding. If such is the case, then can the readers of these journals expect to find in their columns a light but what will help the interests of the money plutocracy of this country?

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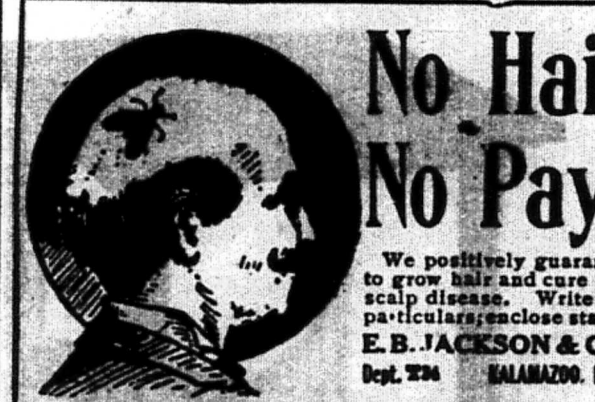
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Now, if what we have stated is true, and if the public press has become subsidized by the plutocrats of this country, and if the pulpits of this country are filled with Judas Iscariots, and if our officials are controlled by the moneyed aristocracy of this country, then how shall the man who has to spend ten or twelve hours per day in the battle for bread for his loved ones ever learn of "the other side," which plutocracy does not represent, unless it be told by some one who close their eyes to everything but justice and hews to the line regardless of where the chips may fall?

Can you reasonably expect one of our metropolitan newspapers whose dinner pail depends upon the hand of plutocracy to fill, to tell you the truth in regard to THE OTHER SIDE?

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If you expect this gang of "double dealers" to work for the interest of that man who earns his bread in the sweat of his face your confidence can be equaled only by your ignorance.

The RIP-SAW does not claim to be angelic by any manner of means, but we do claim to describe things

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We know and realize that the man who paints with the brush of popularity and who uses bright colors, gets bigger returns for his investment than the man who goes against the current of public opinion, but whenever the RIP-SAW is compelled to give its readers a second-hand dose, born of the spirit of greed and avarice and paid for out of the coffers of our American plutocrats, we will then sink to the level of thief and spike the black flag of piracy to our mast, and thereafter boldly declare ourselves the assassin of justice; as we propose to be either the master of a righteous newspaper, believing what we say, and saying what we believe, or else become a rogue on general principles and openly declare ourselves as such, as we think more of a thief than we do of a hypocrite; and the readers of the RIP-SAW will never live to see the day when they can trace the shadow of hypocrisy to our columns.

We would much rather sing a song of thanksgiving and shout hallelujahs of justice and equality and give praise for the spirit of patriotism and loyalty than to stand upon the watch tower of danger, where the breakers of avarice and greed lash her base with its white-capped waves of despair.

We would a thousand times rather shout a welcome to returning equality through the megaphone of justice than to hang out the red lantern of danger, but until the spirit of old-time patriotism has been wooed back and the spirit of plutocracy crushed never to rise again, the RIP-SAW proposes to thunder forth her warning of the treachery of American plutocracy, and with our face always toward the horizon of equality, we propose to proclaim the iniquitous deeds of "THE OTHER SIDE."

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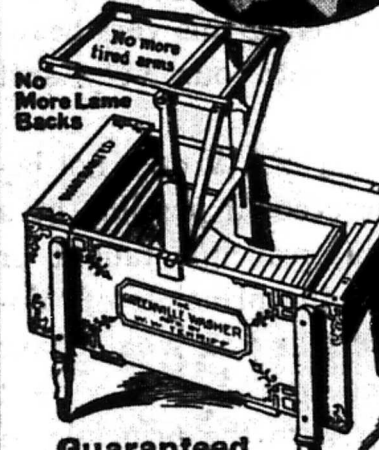
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The MASTER CLASS soon learned that the more they had the Socialist speakers arrested, the larger the crowds grew, and they eventually stopped it; but we are not surprised that they were scared, for when the election was pulled off on the 14th of October, the greatest Socialist vote was cast that was ever polled in the City of Nashville, and when the next election rolls around methinks we will be permitted to use the streets of Nashville without molestation. Just as often as you persecute righteousness just that often righteousness gains an impetus that takes her nearer and nearer to victory.

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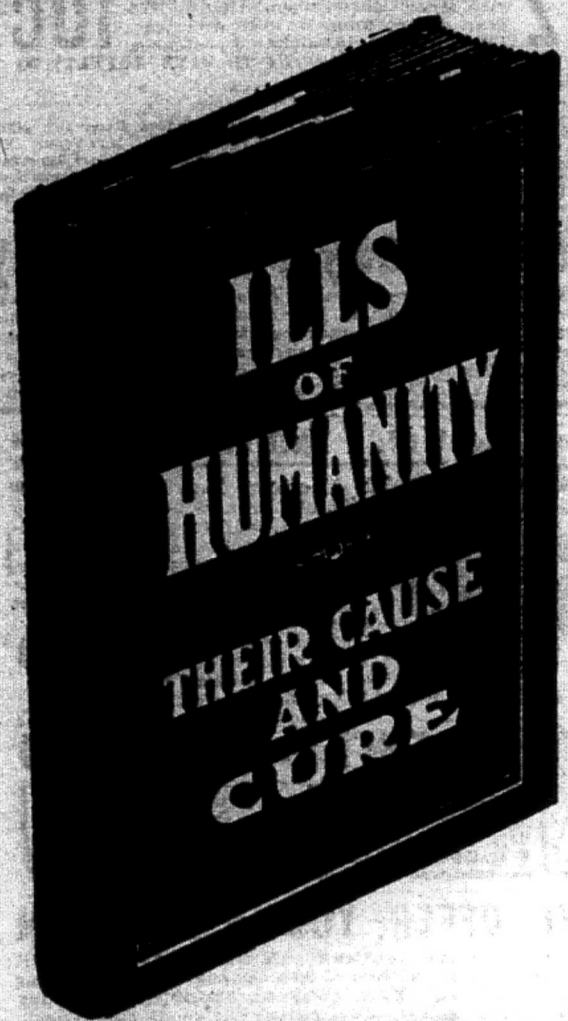
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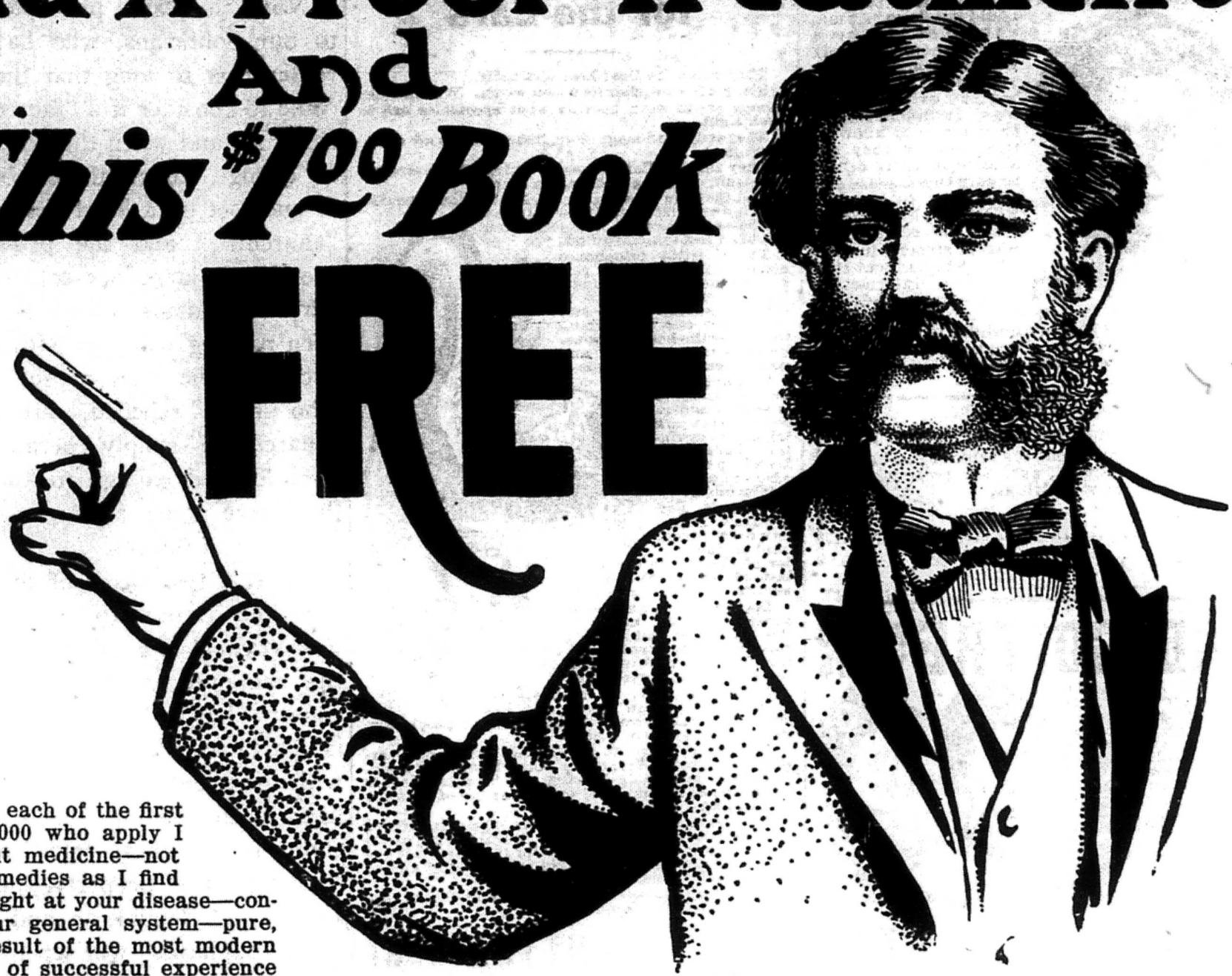
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Now, this same principle applies to our politicians, who have been robbing us so long that they have come to consider it a "sacred right" to do so, and when the voter wants to change things these politicians at once set up a howl that he is an "anarchist," and the probabilities are that a large per cent of those very individuals which they have been robbing will join with them in declaring the man or set of men who have rebelled, are a set of "anarchists," simply because they have learned enough to know that they have some rights as well as our political thieves.

At least two-thirds of those who vote the Democratic and Republican tickets are being robbed by the moneyed aristocracy of this country, but as soon as the Socialist party asks them to join hands with them and stop the rascals who have been wading through their commercial "wheat fields" and destroying their property, just that soon these Republican and Democratic "sapheads" will set up a howl of "anarchy," and they don't seem to realize that they are doing just exactly what the moneyed interests of this country want them to do.

"Brotherly love" is a first-class doctrine when you can get your brother to love with the same degree of love that you yourself exhibit, but it ain't worth a cuss when you have got to do all the loving and the other fellow all the stealing.

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name, but they keep trying to make us fellows who feed and clothe them and their "brats" believe that "what is to be will be," and just as long as they can get us to believe this kind of "dope" just that long they will continue to sit back in the "Amen Corner" of our churches and sing:

"Lord, I care not for riches,
Neither silver nor gold."

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