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How Much Longer Will Americans Tolerate such Damnable Robbery ?

The shameless, unscrupulous tool of Rockefeller and his cohorts, Senator Aldrich, aided and abetted it seems by our President, now purpose and are strenuousley advocating the establishment of a "Central Bank.' It is the latest and the most reprehensible move on the part of the Money Power that has fastened its fangs in the unwilling and helpless throats of the American people. And what a pity it is that a valient Andrew Jackson is not now occupying the White House to grapple with and throttle the threatened monster in the very toils of its birth!

It is impossible to satisfy the greed of these modern buconeers. Every concession granted them calls for greater sacrifice on the part of the people. The first thing was the striking down of the green-back in the time of the country's greatest need. Then came the demand that the debt of war, secured by loans from those same green backs, must be settled with gold Next the people were fooled into voting the death of silver thereby doubling the wealth of every creditor and doubling the debts of all who owed a dollar!

Not satisfied, with brazen affrontery and unconcerned as to the temper or attitude of a long-suffering people, these devils incarnate demand the establishment of a Central Bank to complete the enslavement of the American people, and by devices unknown secured the help of our simple minded President in their designs.

In this matter President Taft's reliance upon Aldrich is almost childish He has expressed a profound faith in the wisdom of the Rhode Island Senator, and yet it is notorious that no man in public life is more a creature of the trusts and other great corporations than that same Aldrich The very fact that Aldrich favors or advocates anything of a public nature is enough to put it under suspicion.

The people, however, should never consent to the establishment of a Central Bank. The small bankers for their own preservation also should fight this thing to the bitter end. We all know the power of money in unscrupulous and greedy hands. Such an institution would offer too great a temptation and prize for such high finance as has been shown in the manipulation and control of the great insurance companies by unscrupulous Wall Street Schemers. Back of the whole movement is the plotting of such men to get control of hundreds of millions of public money.

Let the government be sensible and act as its own banker.

Instead of placing more power and opportunity for plundering in the hands of Rockefeller, Morgan and other "high financiers," the time is now here for the American people to rise in their wrath and indignation and put a stop to this thing once and forever! That should be their one issue, and by the power of their vote they can stop it!

It will not do to say it cannot be stopped for it can! Society steps in and stays the hand of the murderer, thief and criminal of low degree.

What then is to hinder stopping these pirates of "business" from further pursueing their calling, and compelling them to make complete restitution to the American people the plunder they have gathered unmolested and unafraid all these years?

The public prints are full of these robber acts, and only a few have the temerity to expose the prepetrators and call for Justice. There is need for the immediate universal and determined action of the people to stamp out this iniquity. These robbers are united. There is no doubt about it, and the people should also unite in opposition. For instance, so close have become the alliance and amalgamation of leading financial interests in Wall Street during the last three months that almost the absolute control of the country's financial affairs is now centralized in the hands of a few men, who are acting in concert. A money trust has come into existence, with J. P. Morgan at its head, the most gigantic combination of capital in the world.

There is no concrete definite organization to this latest trust; no legal incorporation, no elected officers, no elected directors, no list of stockholders. To use the descriptive phrase of the financial world, it is simply a "community of interest."

Representative members of this community of interest, men who would be directors of an incorporated company, are: J. Pierpont Morgan, private banker, its unquestionable leader, George F. Baker chairman of the board of directors of the First National Bank, James Stillman chairman of the board of directors of the National City Bank; William Rockerfeller vice-president of the Standard Oil Company; Henry C. Frick, capitalist; William K. Vanderbilt, as representative of his family interest.

It would be impossible to figure the total of direct and indirect capital now centralized in this money trust. To begin with, the banking firm of J. Pierpont Mrogan & Co., being a private co-partnership, makes no public reports, yet current report places its deposits at $160,000,000 which its directors can utilize to advantage in financial operations. The assets of the three insurance companies controlled by the group invested largely in bonds of railroad and industrial companies, aggregate considerably more than $1,000,000,000

Here are some of the things the trust could do:

It could call $200,000,000 of loans over night and ruin any adversary.

It could, reduce credits to such a degree as to cause extreme money stringency and great commercial distress.

It could tie up the cash holding of New York banks by demanding certification of checks of enormous amounts.

It could deplete bank reserves in New York by causing shipments of cash to any part of the country.

It could make money rate of interest almost as it chose, from 2 per cent to 100 per cent on all loans

It could cripple the financial operations of the Government by refusing to purchase any bond issue.

It could dictate the financial operations of the great railway systems and expanding industrial concerns.

It could, and does dictate terms and actions of every company promotion that is important enough to be financed in Wall Street.

The above statement of fact should convince YOU that your condition is no different from that of the slaves whose freedom cost this nation so much blood and treasure. They labored for their masters it is true, but they had care and attention. You slave for your masters, of the Money Power, and when you have finished you can starve for all they care

Thank God, a change is coming, though like the song of Nicodemus the slave, "It has been, long, long, on de way."

The Oregonian says the high cost of living is due to the fact that the American people are living high, and that if they would go back to the ways of their fathers who smashed ice in the wash dish, and when a dozen or more used the same towel, there would not be so much complaint. That surely is very good argument, for a wooden-headed partizan. But the American people of today are not so blind as they once were and do not put any confidence in any such balderdash, even though it is promulgated by so eminent authority as the Portland Oregonian.

American Farmers Secured Some Very Big Crops During 1908

Most prosperous of all years is the place to which 1909 is entitled in agriculture, declares Secretary of Agriculture Wilson in his thirteenth annual report just received by the Examiner. The value of farm products is so incomprehensibly large that it has become merely a row of figures. For this year it is $8,560,000,000 a gain of $863,000,000 over 1908. The value of the products are nearly doubled in ten years.

The report says: "Eleven years of agriculture, beginning with a production of $4,447,000,000 and ending with $8,760,000,000! A sum of $70,000,000,000 for the period! It has paid off mortgages, it has established banks, it has made better homes, it has helped to make the farmer a citizen of the world, and it has provided him with means for improving his soil and making it more productive."

The most striking fact in the world's agriculture is the value of the corn crop of 1900, which is about $1,720,000,000. It nearly equals the clothing and personal adornments of 76,000,000 people, according to the census of 1900. This crop exceeds in value the average of the crops of the five preceeding years by 36 per cent

Cotton is now the second crop in value, and this year's cotton crop is easily the most vauable one to the farmer that has been produced.

Third in value is wheat, worth about $727,000,000 at the farm, and this largely exceeds all previous values.

The hay crop is valued at $665,000,000; oats at $400,000,000; potatoes at $1,000,000,000. Beet and cane sugar and molasses and syrup, from farm and factory, will reach the total of about $95,0000,000,. The barley crop is worth $88,000,000, flaxseed $36,000,000 and 1,000,000,000 pounds of rice $25,000,000.

As an instance of how little party lines are esteemed these days, even our Presidents go over to the enemy for men to fill important offices. Taft selected Wickersham a democrat for attorney general and this week elevated Thomas H. Lurton as Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States.

Judge Lurton is a Tennesseean, and was appointed Judge of the Sixth Circiut by President Cleveland on March 27, 1893. He was a democrat in politics at that time. It is not so stated, but probably the new Justice is acceptable to the interests.

Later advices indicate he perfectly caaceptable to the trusts, and he was confirmed in a hurry by our puppet senate

Briton Sees American Women Shaking the Nation's Foundations

It is pretty evdident that the cause of woman's suffrage is waxing stronger, especially in the English-speaking countries. In this connection, according to the San Francisco Bulletin Harold Gorst, a talented Briton who writes and talks of education, lets in a new light on the subject, when he predicts the granting of the ballot to the women of both Great Briton and the United States in the near future, and wonders why girls' colleges are not already giving their students instructions and training in parliamentary law.

"Women," says Mr. Gorst, "will never cease working until they have divested politics of the sham and complications which men have invented to conceal graft and throw dust in the eyes of the public. American men are so overworked, so engrossed in business, that I believe the whole future of America lies in the hands of women, and when women have the franchise they will shake the foundations of government in a way that will be of incalculable good to the country."

Plainly, Mr. Gorst is of the opinion that in the event of his prophecy coming true it will not be necessary to obtain the consent of Mr Aldrich before such a shaking can begin.

It is a little singular and a source of satisfaction as well, that most if not all the real reforms have come from the English colonies of the Southern Hemispere: Proportional representation is a long term, but the people are becoming accustomed to hear it. It is simply justice in representation. In Tasmania where it has been tried out with the greatest satisfaction, it is called the effective ballot. When you cast a vote for a man who is not elected your ballot is largely ineffective. If minority parties are given their just share of voice in the legislature the majority still rules.

The Portland Journal seems to be wise beyond its genneration when it says'

"Great firm this: J. P. Morgan, J. D. Rockefeller, Uncle Sam & Co. Business, plundering the people."

The Portland Labor Press is not so far out of the way when it says:

Freely intrepreted, as the translators of French say, the Oregon Bar Association proposes that all initative propositions be submitted to it until it can rig up some flam-flam on the pepole of Oregon to do away with the initative altogether. Talk about the gall of a book agent, an insurance solicitor or a gold brick artist! The Honorable Bar Association is the limit.

It now appears that that Taft's new assistant secretary of state, Benjamin S Cable, is a leader in the democratic party. What is the matter with Taft, anyhow? Or is it just another cass of trust ownership? It seems to make no diffrence as to political adherence, so long as the man serves his masters "the interests." But, what are YOU, the people, who supply the votes, going to do about the trusts and their spawn?

The Sacrmento Bee voices the sentiment of millions, and especially so as to the people of the West, when it says:

"If things keep on in the way they are pointing, the greatest argument in favor of Theodore Roosevelt for the next President of the United States will be the administration of William H Taft"

The Oregon Agricultural College now has two regiments and two regimental bands.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
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ALL FRUIT TREES MUST BE SPRAYED

To Lake County Orchardists:

Notice is hereby given that fruit growers must make preparations to throughly spray their fruit trees during the year 1910.

A. M. SMITH, Inpsector

Dated, Nov. 4th, 1909 1mo.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATON

In United States Land Office Lakeview, Oregon, Nov. 20th, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that the Northern Pacific Railway Company, whose post-office address is St Paul, Minnesota, has this 20th day of November, 1909, filed in this office its application to select under the provisions of the Act of Congress, approved July 1, 1898, (30 Stat. 597, 620), NW¼NE¼, S½NE¼, N½NW¼, N½SE¼, Section 10, T. 38S., R. 17E., W.M.

Any and all persons claming adversely the lands described, or desiring to object because of the mineral character of the land, or for any other reason, to the disposal to applicant, should file their affidavits of protest in this office on or before the 20th day of January 1910.

ARTHUR W. ORTON Register.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department Of The Interior, U. S. Land Office at Lakeview, Oregon, Nov. 23d, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that John Jacob Van Keuten, of Plush, Oregon, who on April 3d, 1908, made Homestead entry No. 3971, Serial, No. 01549, for lots 1,2,3; SW¼NE¼, Section 4, Township 36S., Range 24E., Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register and Receiver, U. S. Land Office, at Lakeview, Oregon, on the 7th day of January, 1910.

Claimant names as witnesses:

W. E Schuster, of Plush, Oregon
J. A. Morris, of " "
Otto Korbein, of " "
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