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THE GOVERNMENT'S FIAT MONEY.

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It is not my purpose to advocate "flat" money, but to call attention to the ignorance, or the stupidity, of those who not only deny the right of the government to issue money upon its flat, but seem to think there is no such money now in circulation. In looking over the latest statement of the treasury department I find that nearly onefourth of the money of the country is the government's flat, and that the only security behind it is the moral sense of the people of the United States, or, in other words, their inclination and ability to make it "dollars" in fact. According to the exhibit referred to there are about \$1,740,000,000 of various kinds of money in circulation in the United States, including what is held in the banks. This money is distributed substantially as follows among nine different classes or kinds: Of gold coin there are about \$527,000,000; of silver dollars there are some \$56,000,000, and \$61,000,000 in subsidiary silver coin, making a total of about \$644.000,000 in actual coin. There are \$77,000,000 of gold certificates and \$330,000,000 of silver certificates, which are really coin, since they represent coin in the treasury and are payable therein. These items make a grand total of \$1,051,-000,000 of coin in use. There are also \$193,000,000 of on ational bank notes in circulation. This leaves quite \$495,000,000, in pure, simple and umistakable so-called "flat," money which is just as desirable to have "in the house," as Mrs. Toodles would say as gold. as Mrs. Toodles would say, as gold, bank notes or silver certificates. These 495,000,000 of government paper dollars are made up of old greenbacks, the new treasury notes of 1890 and currency certificates issued against the old legal tenders. But what I am trying to get at is a defense of the advocates of the economic principle that the circulating paper currency of the country should be issued upon the government's flat, and to show by the treasury depart-ment that the government is already in the flat money business pretty extensively—if one-quarter of the entire money of the country is enough to justify one in saying that of the government. As a purely economic proposition, however, it is doubtful if as much good as harm would come of a policy that would give into the hands of the general government the sole authority to expand and contract the circulating medium of the country. Trade and commerce should regulate

FREIGHT RATES AND FARM PRODUCTS. Much good to trade and commerce is expected to come of the conference between the traffic managers of the railways and the Interstate Commerce commission. It is their purpose to agree upon a more uniform classification, and also come to a better understanding as to how the tendency to horizontal lowering of freight rates should be The opinion is that reductions in the cost of marketing farm products have not been too rapid or too sweeping; that the difference between the price of products of the soil at first hands and the price at the consumer's door should be kept at the minimum. and that rates should always be made with that purpose in view. In other words, the sentiment is that while the railroads should be compensated on a basis that would insure reasonable profits to them, farm products should be put to the lowest possible expense in reaching the markets of the country, and high class goods be taxed more in proportion to their ability to pay. The plan is to give the farmer the benefit of the lowest rates that possibly can be made—so low indeed that were there no classes of goods that are able to pay higher charges the roads could not be operated at all, and make up the difference by making higher rates on dry goods and similar classes, and on what are called luxuries, of all kinds. Undoubtedly this is the proper solution of the railway rate problem, for it will equalize the cost to commerce of main-taining the common carriers of the country on a basis that will give the products of the soil advantages which they are entitled to as a common-sense proposition. It is expected that state legislatures will take up the question of regulating traffic tariffs on these lines and thus bring about more harmonious relations between the public and the railways.

that, and not professional politicians.

WHAT FARMERS WANT.

What the agricultural communities more especially want, and want right away, is a lot of anti-trust and anti-option legislation. I have been observing the drift of the sentiment of consolidated capital in building up colossal industrial concerns and also of what solidated capital in building up colossal industrial concerns, and also of what are called option dealers in grain and provisions. With scarcely a single exception their methods and purpose are those of the robber. The first named almost invariably forms a trust with his competitor so as to destroy competition and thus put wheels in motion tition and thus put wheels in motion that will grind the last dollar out of the consumer. The option dealer is a professional liar, and when two or more are scheming to advance prices of the necessaries of life they are a syndicate of liars. Legislation for the suppresof liars. Legislation for the suppression of both have been attempted by congress and by several of the states, but somehow these leeches seem to be able to use money in a way that it has all the power of an Oriental hypnotizer and thus defeat all efforts at their suppression. But what is wanted just now is a powerful influence brought now is a powerful influence brought upon congress to quickly put the Hatch bill, or some equally good measure, through both houses. The cry is already going up from grain gambling pits and trust counting rooms that the Hatch bill and all other such measures are inimical to business interests, but it is the old song of these robbers and it sings a lie from start to finish. Let us have the Hatch bill, or something equally as good. The Hatch bill does not say there shall be no trading in options and futures, but it requires the

ment day instead of delivering the goods as is now the custom. The bill provides that all agreements between future and option dealers shall be in writing, and evidence shall be produced that the seller is the actual owner of the thing sold. Moreover the seller shall say who is the custodian of the articles and shall identify them and his right to sell them by producing ware-house receipts and such other evidence as may be required to establish owner-ship. If this bill becomes a law there ship. If this bill becomes a law there will be no more buying and selling of grain and provisions except when the actual article is owned by the seller and delivered to the buyer at maturity of the contract. There is a burning need for this kind of a law.

ABOUT TRAMPS. One of the curses that will follow inthe wake of the panic, and which will be expressed in the most aggravating degree in the rural districts, is the large accession to the army of tramps—a class of human beings who toil not, neither do they spin anything but the most preposterous lies. That the farm communities of the west will have more of this element to deal with this year than ever before there is not the shadow of a doubt, for so many naturally worthless fellows have had an opportunity this winter to taste for the first time to them the sweets of idleness at the expense of public and private charities, and that way of existing so becomes them they will take to the road as soon as the weather will permit of anything like a comfortable night's lodging under trees and in barns. It has been suggested that the rural districts organize at once, and every farmer agree to give food to no tramp until he has done enough work to pay for it, and the suggestion is an excellent one, as experience in some localities shows. But the agreement to adopt that kind of a policy must be of the iron-clad kind to make it effectual. But aside from dis-couraging willful idleness, farmers should not lose sight of the fact that a born tramp is also a born anarchist, and if there is a class of people on this earth that have no conception of the meaning of honest labor or of gratitude it is the anarchist-or professional tramp, which is the same thing. Now I am not an alarmist, but I have reason to conclude from the character and conversation of very many soup house pa-trons in the several cities I have visited this winter, that no such a swarm of worthless creatures has ever been seen in the west as will be "doing the road" this year, and I am persuaded that protection to the farmer lies in applying the heroic remedy promptly and with

A GREAT ENTERPRISE.

The survey of the proposed International railway through Mexico and South America has been finished by United States Engineer Shunk, after eight months' hard labor. His esti-mate is that the cost for building roadbeds and bridges will be not far from \$22,000,000, and will require ten years' work. The International commission has the report, and it is understood the work of construction will be begun in the near future. It is hard for the mind to comprehend what such a stupendous enterprise means to the commerce of this continent. Just Just think of one taking a Pull-man car at any railway station in North America and journeying with-out change of cars to the remotest railway station in South America! Almost from the north pole to the south pole in a "palace on wheels" at a speed of thirty or forty miles an hour. But that is just what any of my readers may do before 1910. Verily the nineteenth cenbefore 1910. Verily the nineteenth cen-tury, the last quarter of it especially, has more great things for advancing humanity crowded into it than any other one or fifty similar periods in the history of the world.

WITS AT WORK.

"Do you think practice always makes perfect?" "No; it hasn't made anything but a row ever since that idiot upstairs commenced with his flute."

Little Johnny-Papa, did you ever make a snow man in the winter? Wise Father-No, my son, but I have helped to make a great big ice man in the summer.

Artist-I painted this picture, sir, to keep the wolf from the door. Dealer, after inspecting it—Well, hang it on the knob where the wolf can see it, and he'll skip quick enough.

Shoe Merchant, measuring her foot -Size two will just about fit you, I think, little girl. Little Girl, doing her own shopping-O, dear, no! That's too large. I can wear half-past one.

"What were you doing so long in the store?" "There was an Italian at the counter, and I became so much interested in his appearance that I stood there and watched until I saw the dago buy."

"I think I did a good job when I put up those strawberries," said Mrs. Snaggs, complacently, as her husband helped himself to the preserves a third time. "Yes," replied he, "they are very good for a put-up job." Carruthers—I hear you are engaged

to one of the Rathburne twins. How do you distinguish her from her sister? Waite-O, prior to the wedding I haven't regarded it as material, and when the time comes I presume she will know the difference.

Mr. Wickwire-You ought to be ashamed of the way you encourage that Mrs. Garsup to keep calling here. Do you really enjoy hearing your neighbors talked about? Mrs. Wickwire-No, I can't say that I do. But as long as I keep her here I know she is not talking about me.

The German professor of music to be met with in English drawing-rooms is an entertaining old gentleman. To him recently a lady said, when one of his compositions had just been rendered by one of the guests: "How did you like the rendering of your song, professor?" "Vas dot my song?" re-plied the professor. "I did not know

FRESH FRAGMENTS.

Football was a crime in England during the reign of Henry VIII.

Application was made at the New York postoffice the other day for mourning stamps, and the applicant TREEs and PADS prevents sero actual delivery of the thing sold, and prohibits the settlement by what are he was told that the government did not keep any in stock.

The Medical Times some time ago gave this antidote for a black eye: There is nothing to compare with a tincture of strong infusion of capsicun annum, mixed with an equal bulk of muchage or gum arabic, and with the addition of a few drops of glyereine. This should be painted all over the bruised surface with a camel's hair pencil and allowed to dry on, a second or cil and allowed to dry on, a second or third coating being applied as soon as the first is dry. If done as soon as the injury is inflicted the treatment will invariably prevent the blackening of the abused tissue. The same remedy has no equal in rheumatic, sore or stiff

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