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### Agreed With the Sentiment.

Now that "Uncle Joe" Cannon is so much in evidence as a leading candidate for the speakership they are digging up stories about the Danville statesman. Among others is that of how he arose in his place in congress on one occasion to make an extended speech. He began in this rather sententious fashion: "Mr. Speaker, I have lived long enough—" "Hear, hear," yelled a wicked Democrat, and such a storm of laughter broke out that Mr. Cannon was forced to take his seat.

### Strike on a Church.

The Grace Presbyterian church, the fashionable church, of Oswego, N. Y., has been placed on the unfair list of the labor organizations of that city. Two years ago, when the interior of the edifice needed redecorating, the trustees felt that they wanted something beyond the skill of the local decorators, so they let the contract to a contractor of an adjoining city. They did the same last spring, when the church needed a new curbing and sidewalk. But when a leak developed in the roof recently the local dealers in metal roofing were applied to, but they refused to take the contract because the church has been placed on the unfair list.

### Fifty Dollars to Sit Down.

Carmel, Ind., Dec. 15th.—Mr. Joseph L. Duffy relates an experience that has aroused considerable interest in this locality. It is best given in his own words:

"When I was working in the fields," says Mr. Duffy, "I would be ready to quit, but I could not get to the house I was so weak. It was worth fifty dollars to get to sit down.

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Dodd's Kidney Pills have effected quite a number of other cures here and it seems safe to say they are an effective and permanent cure for all diseases arising from the Kidneys.

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Since ascending the throne vacated by the assassination of his predecessor, six years ago, Nassred Din, the Shah of Persia, has shown himself to be a man of progressive ideas. He has greatly reduced taxation, organized a postal customs service, built a university and several schools, equipped telegraph lines, and, more important still, has made it possible for his subjects to obtain justice in the courts. He shows no taint of cruelty which so often characterizes Oriental rulers, and altogether has won from his people a measure of personal loyalty and affection never accorded to any of his predecessors on the throne.


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## FREE WINDOW GLASS

**LABOR JOURNAL ADVOCATES REMOVAL OF TARIFF.**

**Assertion Made That the Present Trust and Blowers' Organization Are Working Together to Fleece the Public—Evils of Protection Shown.**

Owing to a fight to a finish between the two factions of the Knights of Labor some important disclosures as to the evils of protection on window glass are being made. The worst that the "wicked Democrats" have ever charged against the high protection on window glass is now repeated editorially in the K. of L. Journal just out.

Window glass that sold for $1.10 to $1.40 per box, in July, 1895, sold for $4.80, in April, 1901. The trust, taking advantage of the tariff duties averaging about 100 per cent and of the strike in Belgium which raised the price of foreign glass, put up prices here, since 1897, to exorbitant figures. The window glass blowers have one of the strongest labor organizations in this country. The fact that every man who blows glass must belong to it, with severe apprenticeship rules and the extreme cost of initiation for foreign blowers, keep the number of blowers much below the number required to man the furnaces.

High prices and exorbitant profits and the impossibility of manufacturing glass without blowers (blowing machines are just being introduced) have enabled the blowers to control the situation somewhat. As a result they have been building co-operative or independent plants, until nearly one-third of our window glass is now made by "independents." These "independents" have all along been in alliance with the trust in fixing prices and in shutting down factories to restrict production. In fact the blowers have often asked the trust to put prices still higher. The compact alliance between the two ends of the trust is evident from the fact that the blowers' organization (L. A. 300) owns stock in the trust and its head, Simon Burns, is a director of the trust—the American Window Glass Company.

In the split which occurred at the annual meeting of the K. of L. in November one faction, led by L. A. 300, elected Simon Burns Grand Master Workman of the K. of L. and the other faction elected John W. Hays to this position. Mr. Hays has been the secretary-treasurer and the acting head of the K. of L., as well as the editor of their journal. It is Mr. Hays, therefore, who has prepared a bill to put window glass on the free list, which he prints in the Journal, and which he says will be introduced in Congress this winter, and who has written a long editorial on the iniquitous window glass tariff from which the following are extracts:

"The Knights of Labor, as an organization, must not be held responsible for the growth of the system that has culminated in a partnership between one of the assemblies and the Window Glass trust, which has resulted in curtailing production and thereby reducing the amount of labor employed in the industry.

"At no time during the last twenty years has a tariff been necessary to preserve this industry from destruction. It has been a growing evil and is now an unmitigated curse to all in this country, except a few manufacturers and a few of the workingmen in partnership with the blood-sucking trust.

"Because we have the cheapest and best silica, coal, gas and lumber in the world, we should naturally produce the best and cheapest glass. Had window glass been on the free list when natural gas came as a godsend, in the eighties, we would, in the opinion of the workers themselves, as expressed in their organs a few years ago, have soon dominated the world's markets. But with protection duties averaging about 100 per cent on window glass, the manufacturers, not being compelled to compete with modern factories and methods, took things easy and made no attempt to take advantage of their unrivaled opportunities. They continued to use antiquated pots long after they had been discarded in Belgium. Even now only about half of the glass made here is made in the tank furnaces. It is only in the last few years that the American glass has approached in quality the foreign glass. High protection has produced the same corrupting effects upon the labor end as upon the manufacturers' end of the trust. The workers have been satisfied with mediocre skill and high wages for six or eight months of the year, and only too willing to remain idle the remaining four or six months. The best and most highly skilled of the blowers are the imported Belgians. But L. A. 300—the labor end of the trust, has made it next to impossible to recruit our skilled labor ranks from foreigners. By its agreement with the manufacturers only members of L. A. 300 can blow glass. A foreigner can get into L. A. 300 only on payment of several hundred dollars initiation. Owing to this heavy tax and to iron-clad apprenticeship rules, there are only about 2,400 blowers in this country with which to man the 3,300 or more pots—including the tank capacity. Thus the labor trust is able to dictate terms to the manufacturers' trust and to combine its so-called "independent" factories with those of the manufacturers, and even to take stock in the big trust and to be represented in its board of directors.

"Plainly the manufacturers and window glass blowers are in an allied trust to monopolize the industry, and to rob the American people. They hold up the consumer and compel him to pay two prices for glass. Their instrument of extortion is the high tariff on window glass.

"Not only would the consumers save some $8,000,000 or $9,000,000 a year on the 5,000,000 or 6,000,000 boxes of glass imported but the effect of free glass upon both the manufacturers and workers would be wholesome and beneficial. Instead of constantly bickering with each other over wage scales, price lists, times of shutting down and opening, combinations to fleece the public, to unsettle dealers and builders, and of agreements to keep the industry in a backward state of development, free glass, by compelling competition and attention to legitimate details of the industry, would soon result in a healthy condition for all concerned. Our window glass would soon be going to all parts of the world, as most of our other manufactured goods are now doing. In no industry, perhaps, are the advantages more strongly in favor of this as against any other country.

"The tariff is certainly blocking the wheels of progress in this industry. Take it off. Give the people good glass at $1.50 to $2 per box instead of compelling them to pay $3 to $4 for poor or ordinary glass. Stop the importation of 500,000 to 700,000 boxes a year, and not only make all of our own glass, but make glass for the whole world. If a few blowers get lower wages, after breaking their unholy alliance with the trust, which monopolizes the industry and locks it up from the people, others will get better wages and steadier employment in the enlarged industry, which would soon be born.

"The United States, by putting window glass on the free list, would dissolve its partnership with this greedy monopoly of manufacturers and blowers, who are a detriment to the industry and a curse to the country."

### NO TARIFF REFORM.

**The Trusts Still in the Saddle Riding the Republican Party to Its Undoing.**

It is practically settled that there will be no tariff tinkering by the present Congress. The organization of the present representatives of the people is in the hands of the protectionists who are of the Hanna "stand pat" stripe. The trusts are therefore secure in their extortion, at least until 1904, and can continue to sell their products to foreigners for from 20 to 50 per cent less than they compel the people of the United States to pay. How long the voters will continue to condone this discrimination against themselves is a question that is postponed for two more years. At the presidential election in 1904 they will have another opportunity to decide the question and with further enlightenment they may reverse their decision of this year.

The trust question and reciprocity are forced to the front by the President in his annual message to Congress with the evident intention of inspiring the people with hope of relief and relieving the Republican party of the more important tariff question on which it is so sorely divided.

As the President has not, by any means, exhausted the power to punish bad trusts which the law already gives him, especially the criminal section of the Sherman law, which he has never invoked, it is hardly fair to shoulder upon Congress all the ills that the trusts have brought upon us.

As the trusts and corporations are quite willing to have members of Congress, knowing that they have a friendly majority which will manage, at least, to do nothing to seriously cripple them, the outlook for the people is dark indeed.

By the time the national election takes place the voters will have further proof that no relief can be expected from the trusts and corporation-controlled party which they have intrusted with power and they will be more than willing to give the Democratic party an opportunity to inforce the criminal section of the Sherman law, to amend the interstate commerce law to prevent discrimination, and to reform the tariff law by placing trust productions on the free list.

### Reciprocity Treaty in Trouble.

It has often been exemplified that reciprocity treaties have rough shrift in the senate. The latest example is the proposed treaty with Newfoundland, which has been framed recently, and which will be submitted to the senate probably at the beginning of the session.

At first the Massachusetts people began to protest because of the Gloucester fishermen, and the opposition of the two senators from the old Bay State seemed assured. Now the Maine people have joined in the opposition because terms of the treaty would affect injuriously the fishing industry along the shores of the Pine Tree State, and the two Maine senators are ready to fight it. With that opposition at a short session of Congress it is regarded as impossible to secure a ratification of the treaty.—Washington Post.

### Forgetting Ante-Election Pledges.

If the Inter Ocean speaks by authority when it makes the announcement that the election of Mr. Cannon to the speakership would be a pledge to the country that the tariff will be "let alone" a sharp issue will be presented to western congressmen of the Republican persuasion.

Almost without exception these men were elected on their statement to their constituents that they would favor changes in the tariff where there was excessive protection under the present rates.

If, as alleged by the Inter Ocean, Mr. Cannon is in declared oposition to this view, and is still made speaker by the votes of the representatives of the Middle West, there will be a heavy score to be settled later.—Chicago Record-Herald.

### President Upholds Addicks.

President Roosevelt has changed sides in the Delaware fight by the appointment of Byrne, an Addicks man, as United States district attorney. This is an entire reversal of the supposed high ideals of the Roosevelt administration and is an endorsement of the rotten politics for which Addicks is noted.

### A Bridegroom's Honeymoon.

In Pennsylvania an old couple, aged seventy-six and sixty respectively, have just been married at Altoona. The happy bridegroom spent the honeymoon in building a mausoleum for himself and his bride.

Ills and pills. We take one and then the other. That's life.

### ON A BLOCKADE RUNNER.

**Sir William Allan's Experience in the Civil War.**

When fortunes were being made by British merchantmen running the blockade of Southern ports during the American Civil War, Sir William Allan, who had served in the engineering department of the British navy, signed as chief engineer on a merchant steamer. London M.A.P. repeats a personal reminiscence of Sir William, which gives a good glimpse of those exciting times.

After a successful run into the Savannah river, the blockade-runner tried a second time, and met with disaster. One dark night, she was stealing, with all lights masked, into Savannah, and ran plump into the arms of a Federal cruiser that was waiting for her in the darkness.

"Stop your engines or we shall sink you!" was the summons from the cruiser, which had suddenly unshrouded her lights and thrust out her guns close alongside.

"I stopped the engines," related Sir William, "and began to blow off steam. A boat from the Federal ship had come alongside, and suddenly an officer rushed into my engine room and put a revolver to my head. He was in a rage, and told me I had opened the valves and was trying to sink the steamer. I must close them at once.

I asked him who he was, and he answered:

"'I'm the engineer of the steamer that has taken you.'

"'I can't believe you are the engineer,' I said, 'or you would have a spanner or an oil-can in your fist, instead of fooling about with a pistol, and you would know that I am only blowing off a bit of steam.'"

At this cool reply the officer dropped his pistol, and the two were soon good friends.

### THE INFLUENCE OF HEREDITY

**Lilias Haggard, Aged Nine, Is Now in Literature.**

Admirers of Rider Haggard's writings will doubtless be interested in knowing that his youngest daughter, 9-year-old Lilias, who striking resembles her father, already has developed a taste for writing. She has recently completed a romance in which most of the characters come to fearful ends. In this, her first attempt, she shows the influence of her father's weird romances, says the Philadelphia Inquirer.

The Haggard family formed an interesting picture at an "at home" given by them recently at the Hall, Ditchingham, England. Mrs. Haggard, handsomely gowned; her eldest daughter, in white silk, embroidered with silver; the second daughter, Dollie, who will soon be presented; the little Lilias, and the writer himself formed the home party. One of the guests was a brother of Mrs. Haggard, who is Consul in New Caledonia, and the original of Captain Good, in "King Solomon's Mines."

The novelist, tall, loose-limbed, and with a peculiar swinging gait, looking not unlike one of his own heroes, took his friends through the hothouses to look at the orchids. The love of those flowers with him amounts to a passion. He would rather talk flowers or farming than of literature or art.

### Colorado Celery for the East.

Colorado celery is this year for the first time being shipped East. From an insignificant business of a few years ago it has developed to an enormous industry. Three years ago such a thing as shipping celery to the eastern markets was unheard of. But a few enterprising spirits decided to make the experiment and were amply rewarded for their efforts. The returns were so large that the next year they shipped nearly their entire crop East. Since then the business has developed rapidly, and this year will be the banner season of them all. Nearly twenty-five cars have been shipped, and a conservative estimate for the season would be that not less than forty cars will be shipped altogether. As each carload will easily average 24,000 pounds in weight, it means that fully 960,000 pounds of celery will be used for export trade alone.

### The Father's Hand.

I am a child in the darkness,
A little frightened child,
The winds are moaning about me,
And the storm in my heart is wild.
My fear would increase to terror,
Only, wherever I stand,
It is mine to feel, for my comfort,
The clasp of my Father's hand.

Duty has ordered me forward,
But I am afraid to go,
The work is too great for my doing,
So little I see and know;
And yet I can find my courage
And obey my Lord's command,
And I'm not afraid to go onward
With the clasp of my Father's hand.

It is true that the end is coming,
And my mystery, like a shroud,
Hangs over the parting waters;
I should fear to enter the cloud,
But that this is my happy secret—
As I wait awhile on the strand,
Closer and yet more tender
Grows the clasp of my Father's hand.
—Aarianne Farningham in Christian World.

### Boys Have Suicide Club.

The body of 13-year-old Lloyd Hammell, son of an oyster planter of Absecon, N. J., was found the other night dangling by the neck from a rope thrown over the limb of a tree in the Methodist cemetery. The feet barely touched a tombstone. Upon inquiry it was learned that the lad was a member of a boy's club which met nightly in a corn patch and discussed heroic deeds as portrayed in the blood and thunder novels which they exchanged at their nocturnal gatherings. A search of his school desk discovered several books of wild tales. The boy's teacher said that he had told her that his "time was up on Wednesday." It is suspected that lots were drawn and that the boy was hanged by his playmates. One end of the rope was fastened to a fence ten feet away.

### Our Losses in Spanish War.

The United States employed 274,717 men in the war with Spain. Her total losses were 107 officers and 2,803 men.

God's work must be done in God's way.—Ram's Horn.

### No Disrespect Intended.

That knightly Mississippi gentleman, Colonel Bob Bobo, of Bobo, Miss., who refused to lend his hounds to President Roosevelt recently, explains that he had guests of his own at the time, who, under the laws of Mississippi hospitality, held a first lien on the dogs. The explanation effectually absolves the colonel from the charge of disrespect to the president. It also indicates that if the latter desires the use of the Bobo hounds on the occasion of his next bear hunt he will make his headquarters at the Bobo mansion.—Newark News.

### A Memorial Club House.

The wife of Bishop Potter is about to build a club house in Cannon street, Manhattan, adjoining the Neighborhood house at Cannon and Rivington streets, which she equipped for kindergarten and industrial work. The club house, for men, will be named after Mrs. Potter's son, the late Edward Clark, and will contain a coffee room in the basement, recreation rooms of various character in the four stories and a roof garden.

### Old Enough to Vote.

Colonel Duncan B. Cannon, secretary and treasurer of the Coney Island & Brooklyn Railroad company, is a splendid animal, every inch of his surface in scintillation by a mental battery that never requires re-charging, says Victor Smith in the New York Press. It happened that his place of registration held a German-American interrogator whose knowledge of our language was less profound than his sense of self-importance. After the usual questions he asked: "How mudge you aich?" The colonel, absently thinking his weight had been demanded, replied promptly, "Two hundred and forty!" The German, dropping his pen, raised his eyes back into the top of his head and exclaimed: "Aach! Behute as Gott!" (God forbid!) Then turning to his assistant, he said in a whisper, in German: "A citizen of this country begins to vote at 21; when does he quit—at what age?" "No time limit," said the assistant, explaining the situation. "The gentleman weighs 240 pounds; he is not 240 years old, as you imagine. We don't grow 'em that age here, but if we did we'd vote 'em." Having acknowledged to 54, Colonel Canonn withdrew to let his friends into the laugh.

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