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dictated in favor of congress. Forms of government in the territories will not be fixed. They will vary with the changing moods of congress.

Part of the reasoning in the majority opinion can be justly described by no other word than demagogism. The attempt to connect the District of Columbia and the territories as subject to the same kind of government is one instance. There is a section in the constitution itself which provides that in the ten miles square constituting the District of Columbia "congress shall exercise exclusive legislation in all cases whatsoever, but there is no mention in the constitution granting such power over the territories. Another is the great stress laid upon Chief Justice Marshall's expression, "the American empire."

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citizen of Porto Rico could not question the validity of a local law, such as, for example, being repugnant to the federal constitution, by prosecuting writ of error to the United States courts.

These decisions have made the question more a political question than ever before. The government of the newly acquired territories is not to be settled by the courts and the constitution, but must be fought out on the hustings. The court could have taken the whole matter out of politics, but it has thrust it into the political arena to be fought out there.

One of the planks in all the next platforms will be devoted to what kind of a government shall there be in the Philippines and Porto Rico. Congress has had a good deal of legislating to do in the past. It will have ten times as much in the future.

Owing to the vast numbers who have been unable to see the British Doctors These Eminent Gentlemen Have Extended the Time for Giving Their Services Free, to All Who Call Before July 10.

Owing to the large number of invalids who have called upon the British Doctors at their office, cor. 11th and N sts., Sheldon block, and who have been unable to see them these eminent gentlemen have, by request, consented to continue giving their services free for three months (medicine excepted) to all who call before July 10.

THE DOCTORS EXTEND THEIR TIME. This Devil's Dance of Capitalism Frightens the Magnates Who Set It in Motion.

Small goes on: "I am not trusting the dust of my library in your faces; but if you heed the symptoms from bank and office, factory and railroad headquarters, and daily press, you have discovered that the very men who have made these combinations are beginning to be frightened at their shadows. These very business men, who claim a monopoly of practical 'horse sense,' have involved themselves and all of us in a grim tragedy. They are asking in a quiet way how it is all going to end. Whether they realize it or not, our vision of freedom is passing into the eclipse of universal corporate compulsion in the interest of capital. The march of human progress is getting reduced in marking time in the lock-step of capital's chain-gang. It would make infinitely more for human weal if every dollar of wealth was cleaned off the earth, if we could have instead of it, industry and homes, and justice and love and faith, than to be led much further into the devil's dance of capitalization."

Editor Independent: Enclosed I send you a newspaper clipping (New York World). I want to ask you if our government has seven hundred and eighty-five millions of gold, and gold certificates. Please explain. We old farmers have no way to find out unless we ask someone that does know and that we have confidence will tell us the truth.

Public Ownership. How the Ownership of the Electric Light Plant in Chariton, Iowa, Resulted.

The following is the report of the city clerk of Chariton, Ia., giving the expenses and income of the city lighting plant. We who live here in Lincoln where the electric lights cost about six times as much and where the arc light over a muddy crossing is always sure to blink out just as one wishes to cross and where some of them do not burn for hours at a time on the darkest nights, read the report and sigh over the thickness of the skulls of the republican majority that has made things as they are.

During the entire period of sixty years this unhappy country has lost all that would have been gained by natural increase and nearly 50 per cent of the parent stock besides. It is as if all the children born since 1841, among a hardy and prolific race, had emigrated and half of those then living had died.

tax the community heavily for years to come. In many cases, in most cases, I fear, these efforts are successful; some of those who are called our best citizens are interested in the perpetration of this injustice; the rest of us sit still and permit the yoke to be bound on our necks. All this is likely to cost us heavily some day if we are sowing the wind, and shall reap the whirlwind.—Rev. Washington Gladden.

No Truth in It. (This statement is going the rounds of the gold standard press and was fully answered in the last week's edition of The Independent. The official statement of the treasury was printed. The bankers are making a store-house of the treasury where they get their gold stored and insured for nothing. It does not belong to the government, but to the bankers.—Ed. Ind.)

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That during the year the cash collections from the light plant have increased \$53.18 and the operating expenses have increased \$626.08 as compared with year ending March 1, 1900. That the increase in the expense was caused by the increase in the price of coal from 95c to \$1.25 per ton. That the above takes no account of street lighting and no charge is made therefor.

Imperialism Makes a Desert of a Fruitful Land.—Men Decay and Barren Plains Remain. The population of Ireland by the recent British census was announced yesterday in London as 4,456,546, being a decrease since the previous census of 5.3 per cent. This represents a continued performance, with little abatement from previous decades, of one of the most moving tragedies of history.

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