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of the republican financiering during this biennium, besides the immense rakeoff that the treasurer will get, they will remember the days when the fusionists gave them an honest government economically administered.

WHO ARE THE LUNATICS

A Topsy Turvy World Where Madness is Called Reason and Lunatics are the Rulers

"If God wishes to punish a people he deprives their ruler of their common sense."

According to that German proverb God is just now punishing every so-called civilized nation, as the world looks at present like an enormous mad-house, where the greatest maniacs are chosen as rulers, who are torturing and killing men by the thousands, sparing neither helpless old people nor innocent children. Killing men is considered to be the main and highest moral goal of men, and raising and drilling young men for mass murder is the main goal of the government and it is done on scientific principles at enormous expense. About three-fourths of the resources of every nation are squandered for that purpose. Before the German army departed for China, Emperor William gave order to them: "Give no pardon, make no prisoners, use your weapons so that a thousand years hence no Chinaman dares to look askance at a German."

This barbaric, beastly order and principle was adopted by our executive by putting our army under the direction of a German commander in Chief, and as we have found out from the newspapers, which were forbidden to tell the whole truth, that order was literally executed. Peoples of whole towns and villages were with a diabolic lust, tortured to death and killed, fields and forests destroyed and wasted, for getting a hold on the valuable things of that people. The wars in the Transvaal and the Philippine islands are carried on the same principle.

H. L. Squire, secretary of the United States legation in Peking, started for home with a collection of China's art filling several railway cars, consisting largely of porcelain, bronze, and carvings. Watch what our pious Christian missionaries who are preaching the gospel of universal brotherhood and in all men embracing love to the heathens in China under protection of our soldiers, have robbed out of the imperial and other palaces of China. That is our share of Chinese booty and that act degrades us to an international freebooter nation.

Now to say nothing about right and the demoralizing effect which this international free booting must create as diplomats never care for right or moral principles—they act only according to interests—therefore I ask from the economic standpoint, from the standpoint of dollars and cents, if an equivalent for our killed and crippled sons and the millions of dollars of debts with which this country was burdened for that war which millions must be squeezed out of the sweat of the laboring people of this country?

We are destroying homes and families, the solid foundations on which society rests, instead of keeping our mothers at home to educate and bless their beloved children, to decorate and make a paradise of home and instead of sending our children to school we are sending mothers and children into sweat shops and factories, where they have to work for a beggars mite upon which they can neither live nor die.

We are exhausting and wasting our natural resources, fields, forests, mines and torturing and crippling our children, even the child in the mother's womb for producing enormous superfluous of everything that is necessary for the sustenance and comfort of the human race, but we let those who produced that wealth starve and freeze to death, and then we begin war with other nations to urge them to buy our superfluous, although they neither need nor do they wish to have them. In such wars our young men are killed by the thousands or crippled, infected with leprosy and other disgusting diseases and the rest of the people are burdened with enormous debts, whereby not only the living, but even the yet unborn coming generations are fettered and made tributary to our bloated bond holders.

All that is done that some non-producing, insatiable rulers, priests, Poles, Hovans, European Princes and Counts and the gamblers of Wall Street and board of trade, who are gambling on the products of the people, fixing the prices, disposing and selling them without the people's knowledge and consent; may pile up enormous fortunes. With a single trick such gamblers sometimes make a million dollars profit in half an hour, thereby ruining hundreds of honest, industrious families, cheating them out of their

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last cent. For such tricks our statistic, labor and agricultural bureaus provide for the gamblers the necessary information.

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People who are telling the truth are prosecuted and incarcerated for "lese majesty" or contempt of court.

That's called wise statesmanship, and sound political economy, but if that is not genuine lunacy, then I wish that somebody would explain to me what lunacy is.

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The Negro in Florida

The Houston (Tex.) Chronicle says that in proportion to wealth and population Texas is doing more in an educational way for uplifting the negro and fitting him for the duties of citizenship than is being done by any state north of Mason and Dixon's line.

The Chronicle may be correct, but we doubt it. Very few southern states have neglected the negro's education since emancipated from slavery. Florida's part has been a most conspicuous one in this respect. When in the depths of poverty, the result of a long and devastating war and the plundering of imported politicians, she set on foot a plan for educating the negro race and during the past few years has steadily maintained the free school system, and the negro's chance for education in Florida are the equal of the whites. The negro also has his own colleges and seminaries in this state. Florida has done her full share in this respect, but it has not been appreciated by the beneficiaries to the extent it deserved.

The fact that the negro has all of the rights of the white man in Florida both in courts and in business, and the best of all, we jog along without clashing. Today in this city can be seen hundreds of negroes at work on buildings with white men all at the same wages. Many of the negroes are contractors for large buildings. Florida is not only the equal of Texas in an educational point of view, but her superior in providing means for the support of the negro.

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Father Murphy Wins Out

Bishop Bonacum has filed a dismissal of his suit in the district court of Seward county against Father Murphy. The suit was instituted for the purpose of ousting Father Murphy from the church property at Seward. During the pendency of the case Father Murphy was excommunicated and the bishop announced that the case was closed forever. Father Murphy has continued in charge of the church.

Bishop Bonacum, in reply to questions, said that he was not at liberty to give his reasons for dismissing the action. He declined to say whether a new action would be commenced, but said the future would show why he had had a dismissal.

Father Murphy continues to receive the faithful and loyal support of his whole congregation. No pastor in the state is doing more effectual work than Father Murphy, notwithstanding Bishop Bonacum's excommunication document.

"HUMAN FLY'S" NEW JOB

Will Erect Flagstaff on Tower of National Postoffice.

WORLD'S CHAMPION CLIMBER.

Southerland Does Not Use Ropes or Scaffolds, but Walks Up on the Outside Wall—Contemplates Walking Up the Washington Monument.

Some of His Feats.

F. S. Southerland, the champion climber of the world, who is known throughout the United States and in Europe as the "Human Fly," was in consultation recently with Chief Clerk Taylor of the postoffice department at Washington and a number of other government officials. For some time the question has been seriously considered of erecting a fifty foot flagstaff on the main tower of the postoffice building and transferring to this pole the time ball that now falls at exactly noon each day from the staff on the state, war and navy building, announcing to the country the official time by the meridian at Washington. The ball at the war department staff can be seen only a comparatively short distance away, as the structure is not particularly high and has no central tower. Were the ball erected on the postoffice building, however, it would be over 400 feet from the ground and, being centrally located, could be seen from all parts of the city and even from the Soldiers' Home heights on the north and the "basin" or harbor of the Potomac on the south.

The erection of the staff and ball, however, appeared to be a very difficult job, and those steeple climbers who were consulted on the subject expressed the opinion that it would be necessary to erect a scaffolding from the base of the tower to its apex, as the sides of the tower rise almost perpendicularly for seventy-five or a hundred feet. The project had nearly been abandoned because of the vast amount of work and trouble entailed and the comparative unimportance of the transfer of the time ball when one of the officials heard of Southerland and sent for him to ask his opinion as to the practicability of the move, says the New York Sun. He laughed when told what was desired.

"Easy," he said. "Why, it's not worth while talking about. Tell me what you want me to do and when you want me to do it."

Mr. Taylor asked the "Human Fly" whether he intended to use a scaffolding or ropes and if ropes how he intended to get them to the top of the tower. Southerland, who is built like a gladiator, laughed in a deep chested basso and waved his hand scornfully. "Ropes, scaffolds—I don't use them. They are for amateurs. I walk up. That is where I got the name of the 'Human Fly.'"

"But, my dear man," said the chief clerk despairingly, "you might as well try to walk up the wall of this room."

"That's easy, too," said the "Human Fly."

He quickly opened a valise, donned an odd looking pair of shoes and a still more peculiar looking pair of gloves and, stepping to a side of the room clear of furniture, calmly walked up the wall until his head touched the ceiling with as much ease and facility as if he were climbing a ladder. When he came down and had removed his suction shoes and gloves, he was asked no more questions as to how he proposed to get the slender shaft and time ball on the top of the tower. The chief clerk will lay the matter of the erection of the pole and ball before the postmaster general, and Southerland will probably do his sensational climb some time in the near future.

While in Washington Southerland contemplates asking the proper authorities for permission to walk up the Washington monument—on the outside. As the shaft is 555 feet high and its sides are perpendicular Southerland was laughed at when he mentioned the matter. He promptly resented the implied disbelief and offered to blindfold Mr. Dawson, the postmaster general's private secretary, equip him with the suction shoes and gloves and send him up outside of the Washington monument for a hundred feet or so.

"You could not climb to the top," he said, "because you are not strong enough and are not used to the work. And I would have to blindfold you, or you'd get dizzy. But you couldn't fall if you tried."

Mr. Dawson, however, has declined the honor.

The "Human Fly" is perhaps as well known in Europe than in the United States. It was he who put up the pole and halyards and raised the American flag on the Eiffel tower in Paris, worked on the spires of the cathedral in Cologne, Germany, and climbed up the outside of the chemical stack in Glasgow, Scotland, one of the tallest chimneys in the world. He has climbed the steeples of St. Patrick's cathedral and Trinity church in New York and St. Paul's in London, climbed the national liberty pole on the Highlands of Navesink, N. J.; climbed the staff on The World building, New York; the city hall of Philadelphia, the courthouse towers at San Bernardino and Los Angeles, Cal.; Siegel-Coopers' poles and stacks in Chicago, etc.

Southerland said that he had had many falls and that once he dropped a distance of over 200 feet.

"How long did that lay you up?" asked Mr. Taylor.

"Oh, I was out in a couple of days," said the "Human Fly."

Southerland's business card, which gives his permanent address in care of L. Z. Letter, Chicago, contains the significant statement, "I assume all risks."

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Simply the part described above. The trouble and the remedy both lie in the ballot. The laborer can continue this condition of things or he can better it as he chooses. He outnumbers his opponents ten to one. What he wants and what he must have is courage to continue the fight to a successful end. He cannot expect to win such a fight in a few years. He must be resolved to go through hardships and privations, and trials even greater than those which he now endures. He must be filled with the same ardor and spirit which characterized our grandfathers in the time of the revolution. Reverses and hardships must not discourage him. He can and will see to it that he receives his just share of his earnings. It has been proven by eminent statisticians that at present the laborer's share is about

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58, 60 and 70 inch half bleached damask worth 37, 40 and 45c, all in one lot at..... 29c

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New taffeta silk or velvet skirts, prices range from \$20 down to..... \$7.50

New long cloaks from \$25 down to..... \$7.50

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But Where is the Share That Working Men Should Have in It—The Rich prosper, but How About the Poor

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How inspiring it is to stop our incessantly toll long enough to yell that magic word, "prosperity!" It seems to be natural yet for a number of the American people to indulge in illusions. They are apt to shut their eyes against painful truth and listen to the song of the siren, while she saps them of their substance. They are disposed to be of those who have eyes, see not, and having ears, hear not the things that most nearly concern their temporal welfare.

Experience is said to be a good teacher, and three more years of schooling in addition to the last five will probably be sufficient to teach us our lesson. There is no better way of judging the future than by the past, and judging by the past what can be expected of the republican party as long as it continues in the power of the trusts. Nothing, but the same old kind of prosperity described above, the kind that when the poor man looks upon it makes him more exasperated than a man who has just negotiated the purchase of a gold brick. If that is the only variety of prosperity they have to offer the people would be much better off without it.

The republican party is composed of a lot of "infant industries." It has to have a high tariff to protect them, and special legislation to bring them prosperity. It is the tariff and legislation that brings prosperity such as described above to the people. It would be a fine thing if they would pass a law limiting this particular brand of prosperity to those who vote for it.

We know there is prosperity in the country of the right sort and lot of it. Likewise there is a good deal of water in the river, but it is not much use to the trawler on the Sahara desert. If the laws of gravitation could be changed in some ways so as to pour the Atlantic ocean into it, the great Sahara might be made to blossom as the rose. And likewise, before the tide of prosperity can be turned toward the laboring man where it rightly belongs and where it is needed, the principles of the republican party will have to be changed, or the party will have to be ousted for good and forever.

Carrying the "parable" a little further, the republicans have a way of sprinkling a little water over the

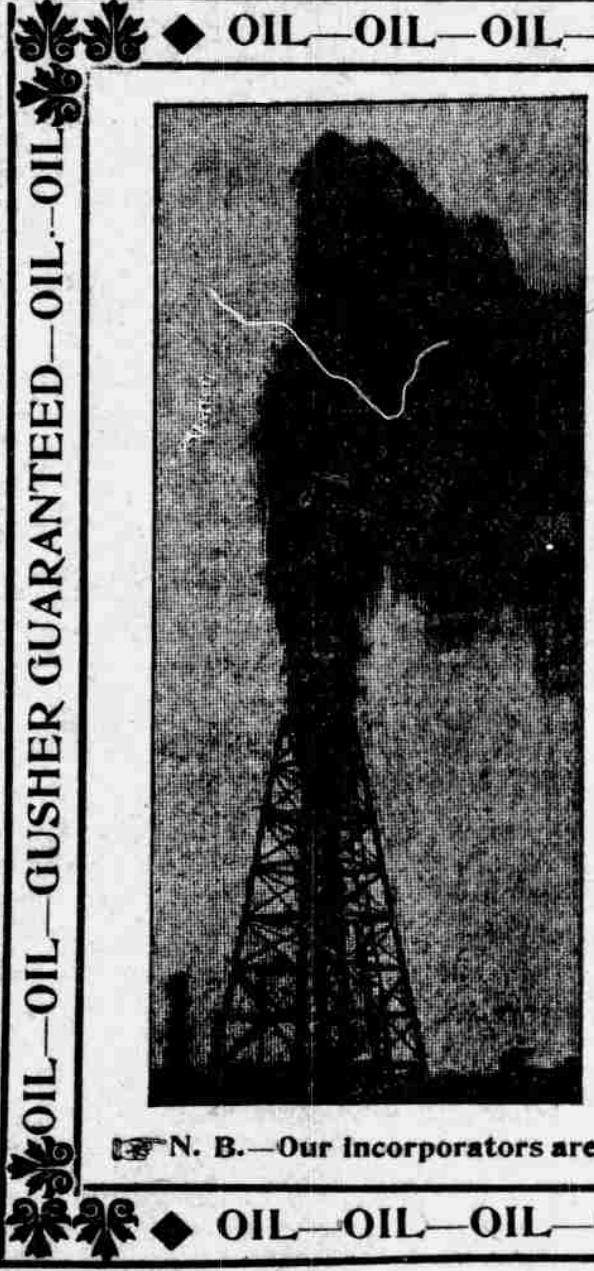
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\$5,000 per year. And what is considered his just share in the present day, barely enough to pay rent on a miserable cottage owned by somebody else, and buy a meager amount of trust beridden necessities. His children and wife must needs work as hard as he to keep the wolf from the door. Why this is a free country and we recognize no classes. Every man is as good as his neighbor in the eyes of the law, we are thankful for that. We are glad that the law deals equally with all in civil affairs. But commercially our laws are not good, they reek with favoritism, and consequent unfairness. Shall we be censured for calling attention to this fact? Can it be wrong to expose a wrong? Call it stirring up class hatred, call it anything, it matters not. So long as this condition exists, so long as we are provided with the present quality of prosperity, there will be poverty and crime and dissatisfaction. And as long as we have these men will be found to decry such conditions and urge the people through the medium of a free press and free speech to act in the behalf of themselves, their wives and their children.

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