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Classes and Castes Everywhere. ||

Walter Thomas Mills, in the Metropolitan Temple, San Francisco, said recently:

"It has been charged that the Socialists are stirring up class hatred, and teaching men to hold each other in contempt; but the fact is that the Socialists are in no way responsible for the present class war, and are the only ones who are trying to see a safe and humane ending of the struggle between the economic classes. Those who glance at the historic background of the present strife will as soon blame Lincoln for the Civil War as blame the Socialists for the class struggle.

"The study of the castes of the distant East, and of the classes of barbarous Europe, has revealed the same groups in both places—the owners, the fighters, the traders and the workers. In the East, the master groups have so completely conquered the dependent groups that centuries ago the struggle ceased, and everyone is born into his caste, above which he cannot rise, and below which he cannot fall. Personal responsibilities for the higher caste, and personal ambition for the lower ones, ceased with the ending of the struggle, and social and civil stagnation has been the result. Let the economic classes remain in the country, and let the struggle cease, and the irresponsible arrogance on the one hand, and the hopeless monotony of inferiority and dependence on the other, which is everywhere characteristic of the castes, will speedily follow here, as the same cause has already produced the same result in the Orient.

"But the struggle will not cease. Soldiers and slaves divided the whole Western world of Europe and Asia for four thousand years; but the slaves never ceased to struggle against their bondage, and the castes never came. For a thousand years in Europe lords and their retainers in the castles and serfs in the hovels made up the economic classes; but the serfs never admitted that they were born to be serfs—never surrendered to the claim that they had no share in the life of a full, free manhood, and the castes never came.

"At the beginning of the wage system, the class struggle which occupied the attention of the historians of that period was the strife between the old feudal landlords and the manufacturers and merchants. It was war between the towns and the castles. The French Revolution marked the end of the power of the castle, and the triumph of the trades and manufacturers, as the new ruling power of the world. The old had stood for the divine right of kings; the new contended for the sacred obligation of contracts.

"The constitution of the United States marks the disappearance of the old in forbidding the Government even to grant a title of nobility, and the same section marks the dominance of the new by providing that no State enact any law impairing the obligation of contracts. But the new system has drawn new lines. The long line of helplessly exploited through slavery and serfdom, but who have never consented, and never will consent, to the exploitation, are made as helplessly the victims of exploitation under capitalism as was ever true of serfdom or of slavery.

"Not to struggle means that the workers are to fall to the bottom, and

in the end be bound there by lines of caste, above which they may never rise. To struggle can only result in the overthrow of the master class, and so end the class struggle with the disappearance of all classes. Socialism will end the class struggle by removing the economic inequality of opportunity which has created the classes, which can never disappear, and will never cease to struggle so long as economic inequality of opportunity shall last.

"Socialists are in this class war not from choice. They will cease the warfare the moment the other side will yield their defence of the inequality of opportunity. Whoever will do that belongs in our ranks, and can find standing room nowhere else. Fall in line! Make the battle hot if you would make it short!"

The Only Remedy.

In the investigation of the bribery of the city council in St. Louis by the street car company in connection with franchises, the president of the railway admitted on oath that he borrowed \$145,000 from the German Savings Bank to buy the votes of the councilmen, and that the street car company paid the interest, the notes not having yet been paid off. Several fellows connected with the rascality have jumped bail and left for parts unknown. With that amount of money for bribing, it is little wonder that the character of men who follow politics for a living do the bidding of the bribers; and, with the ability which the owners of franchises have for robbing the people, it is little wonder that they will use such large amounts to bribe. Now there must be a remedy for such conditions. It is of little use to denounce and hold up our hands in horror. That does not cure the crime nor prevent others. The remedy lies in having the city own the street car system; then there would have been nobody gain enough by bribery to spend either time or money to do it. The city would not bribe the council to build or not build street railway extensions. And to get at the public ownership, and take away from such politicians the opportunity to take corrupt money, the people should have the initiative and referendum in the matter. Even had that been in force, there would have been no bribery; for, after the council had passed the corrupt law, there would have been enough people opposed to it to agitate for a referendum of the subject to the people, and they would have done as they did in Chicago—voted for public ownership, not for the extension of the privilege of franchise to a corporation. By the way, with this admission of the president of the road that he got the franchise by bribery, why does that not nullify the franchise? Why are not stolen goods returned to the owner when found and proven? Funny, is n't it?—*Appeal to Reason.*

Born Tired.

Did you ever hear any one say he or she was born tired; and then did those who heard the remark laugh at such a funny saying? Almost every one has heard this expression, made in fun, or flung in anger at some member of the human family. But few have asked if it be true. And yet nothing was ever more true than there are thousands of people who are born tired. Their mothers, who bore them, have had to work like galley slaves. From early morn to late at night the future mothers have to toil, with scarcely any time for recreation, and of course their children are born tired. This applies to women in every walk of life. The workers have to slave in order to get food and clothes, while the idlers have to wear their lives out in vain search for pleasure. I say vain, because no one can find pleasure who lives off the ill-paid labor of his fellow men.—*Wayland.*

Mayor Jones, of Toledo, in a recent address, said: "In Toledo I can secure any of you ladies present a first-class baby girl or baby boy, of any color you may desire—white, black, or yellow—simply by the asking; but if you want a second-class pup, you will have to pay from \$5 to \$50 for it."

A Japanese statesman, upon being asked to explain how it is that Japan, with practically the same poor laws as Great Britain, has only 24,000 paupers, while Great Britain has 100,000, replied: "The Japanese drink tea; the British drink alcohol."