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Pauperism and Murder.

"We are having prosperous times," said a "reform" Republican in the Wisconsin Assembly. "But we shall not always have them. Periods of depression will come. Factories will be closed and workingmen will be without employment. Great crowds of the unemployed, driven by the pangs of hunger, will power you can muster when the day of swarm the streets of our cities and congregate in our industrial centres. When that hour comes, gentlemen, we shall need the strong arm of the military power. We must encourage the militia. He therefore advocated a pension law for the militia.

The capitalist law for insuring peace is an excellent one. First pauperize the workers by the fiercest exploitation that human ingenuity can devise, and then kill them because they cry out in response to the "pangs of hunger." Nothing could be saner, nor more in consonance with the best interests of the race. Any one with half an eye could see that. The loudest mouthed agitator in the land could not more glaringly set forth the reckless and wanton brutality of capitalism than does this murderously-inclined "reform" humbug. In times of prosperity, such as we are now enjoying, industry is speeded up to the limit wealth is produced and poured upon the market; a volume immeasurably in expractically depends upon the purchasing power of the wage of labor, it is a mathematical certainty that it is but a mat-ter of time until the markets of the world become so gorged with products as to compel a curtailment of production. This cannot be effected without throwing men out of work. The throwing of men out of employment only tends to aggravate matters, for the reason that when their wages stop the workers can no longer purchase goods, and thus assist in affording that relief to the situation that is imperative if capitalist production is to go forward smoothly. The climax of capitalist prosperity immediately precedes one of these periods of glut, industrial depression, and suffering among the workers. It could not be otherwise. It is the logical and periodic result of wage slavery and production

result of wage slavery and production for profit. Any one with a mathematical turn of mind can see it at a glance.

The only remedy to be offered by the upholder of capital is to soothe the "pangs of hunger" in the stomachs of the workers during these times of "depression" by a liberal use of the catling pression" by a liberal use of the gatling gun, the sword and the bayonet. They capitalists, will graciously allow them and capitalism. Do you know why?

to again set the wheels of industry in motion for the very sensible and laudable purpose of piling up another surplus of wealth, to be followed once more by industrial depression and the "page of human hunger." This is indeed travelin; the "vicious eircle" with a vengeance.

These capitalist hirelings can be none too speedy with their military preparations. The next period of depression will soon be on, and all the powers the capi-talists can muster will be required to still the "pangs of hunger" that will gnaw at the vitals of millions of workers. It is well that the capitalists are so outspoken as to their purpose. It is well that the workers are thus informed as to what is in store for them in case they do not bear the pangs of starvation with the meekness and docility becoming to well ordered and docile slaves. As long as they know beforehand what is coming to them in case they do not properly comport themselves, it should prove a powerful stimulus to that good behavior on their part upon which alone rests the security and perpetuity of our most glorious civilization.

So long as the wage-slaves insist uponsupporting the rule of capital they ought to take their medicine without a grimace. The masters are always within the rights in skinning them to the quick during times of prosperity, and during hard times murdering them without scruple if they so far forget themselves as to become unruly just because hunger gnaws at their vitals. First pauperize them and then murder them. That seems to be the sort of treatment they like. Being so, give it to them plenty. If they wish to be slaves of the cheapest kind, they should get all that is coming to them. Their every wish in this line should be gratified. Fortunately for this "consumnation devoutly to be wished," the capitalists are too generous to refrain from making due preparations to

carry it out. By all means build up your militia and other instruments of marder, you captains of industry and buccaneers of commerce, against the day when hunger gnaws at the vitals of your brutally exploited slaves. You will need all the reckoning comes, to bolster up your iniquitous scheme of pauperization and murder. - Vancouver, B. C., Western Clarion.

Why ?

In the first half-hour that a coal miner works after he goes down into the death hole he digs out a dollar's worth of coal. Of this value he gets about twenty cents, while the other eighty cents of the dol-lar go to another fellow, a mine owner who is yet safely and pleasantly dreaming of profits on his downy bed. Why should the mine owner who doesn't mine get the eighty cents? Why should he get anything? Why does the miner who digs the coal get only a fifth of what he produces? Why should n't he get all of it? Why should the miners, who are the necessary servants of society, be compelled to live in shacks and labor in of human endurance. A huge volume of constant danger of death, while the mine owners, who are of no use to society, consume the best of everything in enorcess of the purchasing power of the mous quantities? The fellow who owns wages paid to the workers for its pro- the mine no doubt thinks this is a splenduction. As the disposal of this wealth did arrangement, and it is -- for him; but what think you who dig the coal ?-Appeal to Reason.

It is Up to You.

With society heaving with revolution at the bottom and rotten with graft at the top, it is not a question of whether a change is desired, but only a question of what the inevitable change will be. Capital pays its premiums to graft, and every incentive is for the getting of wealth, no matter by what means. Is this a calamity howl? Well, bear in mind that the Socialists who howl about the calamities are not the cause of the calamities. Those who have brought about the present conditions are the same respectable gentlemen and desira-ble citizens who have controlled the cities, counties, states and nations during the development of all this crookedness that now has a firm grip on every public and private corporation. Capitalism is rapidly becoming an impossibility—and what then? It is up to you.—*Ibid*.

Had mankind never developed to the must be forced by the strong arm of the point where one man could produce military power to smother the demands of their stomachs until such time as the duce himself, there would never have surplus wealth they have created has been such a thing as chattel slavery; been in some manner dissipated. Then and for the same reason there would the "law and order" loving pirates, the never have been such a thing as wages

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