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### Why Jails Are.

Jails and prisons are as logical to the capitalist system as are the cages to a menagerie. There are men, as well as beasts, who can't be snubbed with duty done, but insist on saying and doing the things which should be said and done, regardless of consequences. The asses and sheep of the social menagerie can safely be left at large; but the untamed and untamable must be locked up, lest they destroy the privileges of the masters. The mouths of unfettered agitators have by no other means been so effectively closed as by inclosing them within walls of masonry; but this method of tyrants has never been productive of more than temporary results. Shutting the mouth generally has the effect of opening the mind. The man who cannot talk has the more time to think. In the solitude of unjust confinement, more than one victim has found the proper conditions under which to analyze the purpose of the oppressor, and to go forth better prepared to renew the attack on predatory privilege, whether from the rostrum or the scaffold. But the capitalist is short-sighted. He plays his game to win what is in view, and leaves the problems of the future to future solution. Lock up the agitators who interfere with business. Hang a few of them, to impress the fate of the disturber upon the thoughtless; give the capitalist interests present relief, and let the deluge come after we have moved on. Such is the logic of capital, which may seek life for its votaries, but prepares death for their posterity.

Since capital cannot conveniently lock up all its movable possessions, it locks them out and locks in the individual who threatens them; thus separating the capitalist and his from those who might separate him and his. Those who outwardly conform to capitalism, but secretly purloin property, must be disciplined and made to observe the rules of the system as well as the agitator who operates in the open. The petty thief goes to jail as well as the revolutionist, and for the same reason. Both are lacking in respect for property, and the purpose of the jail, under the capitalist system, is to enforce respect for property, for its owners, and for the system by which its owners get it.

The jail is, therefore, an economic institution, and functions in the hands of the ruling class to keep the worker at work with his hands, and prevent him from working his head—particularly his mouth. Strange to say, the working class builds the jails and occupies them—for the reason that the keys are carried by the official representatives of the wealthy ruling class. To be an enemy of property, or of those who own property, is as disgraceful as it once was to be an enemy of the kingdom or of the king. To steal from those who have

already stolen, or to agitate the abolition of capitalist robbery, is as treasonable as it once was to speak aught against the king, or, in later years, to aid the escape of a negro slave.

The Boston Tea Party laid its seditious hands on the source of the king's revenue, which is yet an unpardonable sin. John Brown stole the black slaves who were the property of certain "desirable" citizens. This also is treason, for which the incendiary Kansas agitator went to jail and to execution. It is a fact that, in the real affairs of men, property is the most sacred of all things. It is this fact which condemns capitalism and makes Socialism necessary.

Deep down in human consciousness is the growing conviction that human life deserves more consideration than the property it creates, and that the creator of wealth is of more consequence than the class of individuals who make nothing, but take the most of everything; and the jails and prisons are doing their part toward the dissemination of this revolutionary idea. Together with injunctions and lockouts, militia and manufacturers' associations, they are awakening a class-consciousness that will understand the why and wherefore of these capitalist institutions, and will abolish prisons by abolishing the system which makes them necessary.

Jails are the infallible indicia of the social process. With any approaching change of an established condition, the prisons invariably become populous. Inquisitions mark the passing of every iniquity, whether ecclesiastic, economic or else-kind. Tiberius did not differ essentially from Torquemada, and there is small choice between the methods of Rameses the Great and those of Roosevelt the Grotesque.

During their ascendancy, despotisms have least use for dungeons. Only in the desperation of decadence do they resort largely to jails—pillars always of tyranny's tottering power. Prisons are simply symptomatic—the visible manifestation of a moribund condition—the inevitable effect of a discernible cause.

Thus the present campaign of oppression and suppression which is crowding our prisons with Socialist agitators indicates unerringly the culmination of capitalism. As in nature ripeness is necessarily succeeded by decay, so it is an inexorable law of the social organization that declension follows maturity. This fact is essential to the integrity of the evolutionary purpose.—Francis M. Eastwood.

### The Wastes of Competition.

When the industries are owned by all the people there will not be a dozen small, crude, expensive plants turning out the same product; but instead there will be one scientific, fully-equipped plant doing it for the benefit of all. Labor will not be wasted in duplicating plants, when there are plants in plenty to furnish the product; neither will labor be wasted in having some citizens spending their time in travelling to induce the people to buy of a certain factory, or advertising to induce the people to change the channel of their demands. System will replace industrial anarchy, and peace, plenty and pleasure will smile upon you and upon your children and their children forever. Wake up! The world moves and needs you with it.

One of the tremendous wastes of society, that costs the people hundreds of millions annually, is the vessels of various kinds and character used in getting the products to the people's homes for consumption. Under Socialism, where every home would be built and made convenient for all possible uses, conditions will be made whereby the goods can be delivered in such permanent vessels that none of them would be destroyed, but returned to the source of supply, where they could be thoroughly cleaned and rinsed, as milk cans now are. But where the necessities of the people force them to buy in all kinds of odd amounts, and where they have to live where gathering up is not practicable, all this is wasted and service rendered unnecessarily costly. You will do things right when Socialism is established, and most of the labor in handling goods will be saved.—Appeal to Reason.

If the present policy of capitalist persecution continues, decent men soon will have to go to jail to find congenial companionship.

Even as "the blood of the martyrs is the seed of the church," so are the sufferings of persecuted Socialists the strength and sustenance of our Righteous Revolution.

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