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Mr. W. A. Self, of Hickory, who has been making addresses to the Alliance since he appeared in the Mercury last week, is sufficiently democratic to satisfy anybody who does not believe that the American people should be the slaves of the money power.

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If you want to whip an enemy, it is not a good plan to furnish him ammunition to do with, and it is not a good plan for Populists to support a Democratic county paper "just to get the county news" when it is possible to have a local paper of their own.

If a government issues a debt and with a certain amount of money in circulation, and then contracted the money volume before the debt was paid, it is the most heinous crime that a government could commit against the people.—Abraham Lincoln.

My friends, unless our children have more patience and courage than saved this country from slavery, republican institutions will go down before moneyed corporations. Rich men die, but banks and corporations are immortal. They are never afflicted with disease. In the long run they are bound to win with legislatures.—Wendell Phillips.

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WHO ARE THE ANARCHISTS?

Read the Parallel Below—Let What Is Said by Men Who Have Made History be Noted—Let what is being Said by Goldbug and the Money Power be Considered—It is Time to Awake! None but Fools will Close Their Ears and Eyes to Facts—Let the Independent Spirit of 1776 Crush the Accursed Assassins of Liberty.

Now and then some contemptible hireling of plutocracy, or some pitiful and detestable gander-headed, party-blinded fool limbers up his parrot-like tongue, and screeches "anarchist" at the honest people of the country who are trying to restore and maintain "a government of the people by the people for the people."

It is sometimes interesting, however, to note comparisons, and below we present a few of many that might be offered. On the one hand there are expressions in the nature of prophecy. On the other there are evidences of fulfillment—all going to show that the present course of government is leading to desperation and ruin.

Who are the anarchists (quoted below) Read the fearfully significant parallel and let us have your opinion.

I believe that banking institutions are more dangerous to our liberties than standing armies. Already they have raised up a money aristocracy which has set the government at defiance.

The time is near when they (the banks) will feel compelled to act strongly. Meanwhile a very good thing has been done. The machinery that has set the government at defiance, the financial corporations of the East can act together on a single side.

The capitalists have bought and are buying largely the associated press, and are controlling the avenues of intelligence.—William Windom (rep.).

If it is possible to inaugurate a greater system of robbery of the people's money (than the State banks), that system has been inaugurated in the present system of national banks.

The power that controls the issue and volume of the currency is absolute over the business and finance of the country.—J. A. Garfield.

There never has been devised by man a plan more specious by which labor could be robbed of the fruits of toil, than the banking system.

Place the money power in the hands of a combination of a few individuals and they, by expanding or contracting the currency, may raise or sink prices at pleasure, and by purchasing when at the greatest depression, and selling when at the greatest elevation, may govern the whole property and industry of the country.

"I see in the near future a crisis approaching that unnerves me and causes me to tremble for the safety of my country. As a result of the war, corporations have been enthroned and an era of corruption in high places will follow, and the money power of the country will work upon the prejudice of the people until all wealth is aggregated in a few hands and the republic is destroyed. I feel as this moment more anxiety for the safety of the country than ever before, even in the midst of war."—Abraham Lincoln.

"The American laborer must make up his mind henceforth not to be so much better off than the European laborer. Men must be contented to work for less wages. In this way the workingman will be nearer to that station of the ladder to which it has pleased God to call him."—New York Times.

"The best meal to give a tramp is a leaden one."—New York Herald (Ind.).

"The old English system of imprisonment for debt would be preferable to our present bankrupt law."—Chicago Times (dem.).

"Hand grenades should be thrown among those who are striving to obtain higher wages, as by such treatment they would be taught a valuable lesson."—Chicago Times (dem.).

"I say, come on with your schemes of taxation, and graduated income tax, and irredeemable currency, and universal suffrage, and, to you who are sufficiently frank to proclaim the doctrine of the rigidity of the money supply, rather than allow these things, we will have one of our desperate civil wars.—Rev. Joseph Cook, of Boston; hired church tool of monopoly and plutocracy.

"There seems to be but one remedy and that is to change ownership of land owners on one hand, and of tenant farmers on the other something similar to what has existed in the old countries of Europe."—New York Times (Ind.).

"I do not care a day enough to buy bread? Water costs nothing, and a man who cannot live on bread is not to live. A family may live, laugh, love and be happy that eats bread in the morning with good water, and water and good bread at noon, and water and bread at night.—Rev. Henry Ward Beecher; \$10,000 preacher.

Sick of Old Partyism.

(Continued From First Page.) positive proof that their motive was not love for our cause, or an effort to relieve our distress, in the fact that they do not disband and unite with us. Therefore they have no claim on our gratitude, but rather should they feel grateful to us for giving them both prestige and a chance before the law!

With this claim upon them, coupled with their hatred for the Democratic party, I cannot doubt that as an independent party we would get large recruits from their ranks when they see that they can not carry the State themselves. If ours is truly a party of reform, it can hardly accomplish its aims by pursuing a course that gives prestige and encouragement to a party or parties which we claim to be corrupt.

Should we fuse, we not only may not get further recruits from the Democratic party, but many who could understand our object before, may not be able to see it now, and like a dog that returns to his vomit, go back to their own party.

It must be remembered moreover, that by fusing we do not get a single vote from the Republican party for either side, but simply a half vote from each Republican party, none being only, leaving intact their organization for future operations against us.

There is a large element, mostly in the north and west, but many in the State, who feel nothing for the underlying principles of non-union, but always vote with the strongest party. They seem to want their votes to count, even if they count for evil.

As the county surveyer of this county I have a splendid opportunity to feel of the public pulse and watch the signs in the political Zodiac, and to see the people, regardless of race, color or religion, and tired of old partyism.

I was dividing lands for a Democratic family a short time ago and a neighbor, also a Democrat, knowing that I was a Democrat, called at night to sit and chat with me. Of course, conversation was in part political. One of them attempted to defend their party, nor did they say one word against our principles, but continually thrust at me our relation to the Republican party.

Our friend, who was nothing but a Republican, Mr. Barbour, said, 'no, John, I am a Populist.' He said, 'no, nothing but a Republican.' I said, well, if you will persist in calling me a Republican, it can be no reflection on me as long as you are a Democrat.

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