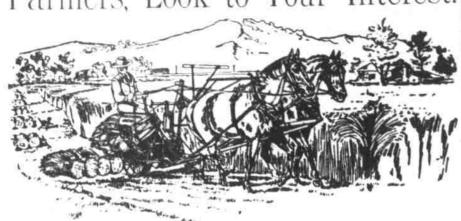
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ext: "And Speaking the truth in his heart.

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one that didn't fight liquor, card playthat believed in or gave card parties, absolute supremacy in your hearts. indulged in punch slinging, went to the And yet you have professed to have theatre or dancing parties, or engaged turned the whole thing over to Him! in or encouraged any phase or form of deviltry that is cursing the church got to turn loose, laying everything on today. I have never seen a second the altar, and sweep out into the ocean home responsibilities.

hold the meeting. God don't honor fullness and lay in some form of worldliness.

ing folks may have had the first bless- and like a sheen of glory will canopy ing when they commenced the fight, with it, light and peace and triumph but have fought and fought until they my dying hour. Thank God, there is have lost the first blessing.

water enough in the River of Life to You have got to have a clean heart if cleanse every heart from all sin. you wish to have a clean life, and God desires both; and yet some of your wordly gang in the church are whining 'I just cant live without sin; I just have to sin every day; I am just a poorhuman nature is so frail that I just cant live without sin." Well, now, just tell A man quent to be made to what sin is that you are compelled to commit every day? Just sit down and write it out on a piece of paper and look at it, and see which of the commandments you have got to break every day of your life. What sin or sins have you got to commit every day of your life. What a lib. I on your Saviour! What a slander on the atoning blood of the Lamb! For what was the Lambslain? Why did the crimson tide flow from the side of Divine Innocence if it was not to cleanse us from all sin? Where sin abounded did not grace much more abound? No. brother, sister, thank God it is false when you say you have got to sin; you sin because you want to sin, and you

Let's suppose a case: Here is a man but retains the key to one room. The cock's cash Store.

buyersays: "Well, hello, friend, didn't you say there were ten rooms in that Extracts from a Sermon Preached in house? Why dont you give me the key the Frst Presbyterian Church, Nash- to the tenth room? "Oh," says the other, "I've got snakes and lions locked up in that room, and I don't propose to turn that over to you." "Well, but didn't I buy the whole house; and didn't you deed it to me, and pledge yourself in the deed to deliver the same and to forever warrant and defend the title to the same to me; and do you suppose I am going to move my family into that house, one room of which is Thank God that it is our privilege, tilled with snakes and lions to endanger my family and the lives of my children? obtain it. I don't care what you call Now, brethren, you know that you would break up the whole transaction sandth blessing, it cleans out and then on the spot. There ain't a man in cleans up-purifies the heart, cleans up christendom who would stand any such a piece of fraud as that, and you know that profess to make a full consecration men. I welcome it under any name, and with a heart thoroughly empteid to and have prefound contempt for the invite the Lord to enter and take full possession in all His cleansing power, who possess it, or the great grace which and you know there is a nook or corner in your heart where you won't let him You may say what you please about enter, and which he has never entered the holiness people, but I want to say because there is that sequestered nook this: I have never seen a holiness man of your nature, you are nursing the that wasn't a prohibitionist from his hissing serpents of envy and jealousy. hat to his heels. I have never seen one Roaming around in that dark region who didn't vote for prohibition always are the snakes and lions of hate, malice and everywhere. I have never seen and spite. You know as well as you friends are men like Senator Hanna, know you are living that there are ing and every phase and form of world-tempers, carnal passions and a thousand liness in the church. I have never things unexpelled from your nature seen a second blessing man or woman which keep your Lord from a full and

Oh, brethern and sisters, you have

blessing man or woman that wouldn't of God's infinite love. Thank God that pray anywhere and everywhere when I ever did that. Some of the sweetest called on, and that wasn't ready to memories of my life and the profound stand up and testify for the Lord when- est experience of my Christian career ever opportunity offered. I never saw are connected with these holmess bretha second blessing person in my life, ren. Never shall I forget an associaman or woman, at the head of the tion with a holiness preacher down in a family, that didn't get down night and Georgia town a few years ago. That morning and pray for the children in brother had preached this great blessing that home and for God's guiding hand with all the earnestness of his soul. The in all things pertaining to their sacred tidal wave of salvation was aweeping over the people. He was urging a full saw a preacher in my life that was all to God, and that accompanying fighting the holiness crowd that wasn't supreme act of faith which procures the a dead dog in his pulpit—can't bite. downpour of the Spirit in all his fullany such a preacher. You never see blessing? I said, "Brother P., everyfar enough you will find him wrong in do for me is not worth more than a nis life or rotten in his character. I will nickel. I would not give a nickle for deplete the Treasury. tell you another thing: Whenever you anything under the burning sun that I hear one of the sisters in church just wouldn't turn loose in a second that pitching into these "second blessing stands between me and God's fullness." fanatics," as she calls them, you may Brother P. said, "Then, Sam, you are set it down she is one of them old gals just within one nickle of the blessing." that either has a punch bowl in her I replied, "Well, a nickel shan't split house, or she slips across to her neigh such an important matter." When I bors and just "takes a little", or leads got to the church at the next service the meeting had commenced, and this Sometimes folks have said that I "fit" brother was praying as I entered the the second blessing people. I want to church and knelt down, and he truly say here and now, it is not true. I had hold of the horns of the altar. never do any such a thing. I don't Such praying I never heard since I was fight 'em; I just trim them up some born into the world. The very windows times like I do all other gangs, and they of heaven seemed open. I felt the need trimming just like the balance of very presence of my God; heaven and you folks need trimming; and you will earth came together. It was a time of find that all the fellows that have got heart-searching, heart-surrendering and blessing don't mind the trimming heart-filling. At that meeting, in that The Second blessing people are right in solemn and never-to-be-forgotten hour, heart: some of them are wrong in the I turned loose the willows that overhead. There are black sheep in that hung the banks, and swept out into the flock as well as in your flock. Some very midst of the ocean of God's infinite second blessing people, so called, haven't love; and the joy of that moment lingers got the right spirit, and maybe don't sweetly and ineffaceably today. It's live right. I can say this-such folks memory and power have swept over the haven't got the second blessing, and it lapse of years, and it has been my they ever had it they have lost it. And solace in a thousand sorrows, my I can say that some of the crowd that strength in a thousand struggles, my is everlasting fighting the second bless star of hope through a thousand nights,

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got to wishing for a little baby brother would generally rather have a dog afer they see it. When you catch a girl playing the rose on the side yard, she always acts

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MCKINLEY'S COLONIAL BLUN-DERS.

In a spirited colloquy with Senator Spooner the other day on the Senator floor, Eugene B. Hale, of Maine, intimated that he had serious doubt whether or not the United States government intended to carry out the solemn promises by Congress of ultimate independence to Cuba. It is not pleasant to see leading statesmen so pessimistic as to our national good faith. Certain it is, the spirit of imperialism has taken hold of the United States, the idea seeming to be that in order to extend our trade we must get and hold all the colonies we can. Why we could not exercise a benevolent protectorate over all the new possessions that have fallen it; and yet there are lots of you folks into our bands, just as we are presumed to do in Cuba, does not seem to be seriously considered.

> The country is so far committed to imperialism, however, that we never expect to see a different policy. But If we are to one thing is certain. acquire colonies, we must give them good government, else we will alienate hem and bring discredit upon ourselves.

There is no doubt that Mr. McKinley s a good man and means well. But he is in the hands of his friends and his who have political henchmen to reward. When, therefore, a number of the islands of the sea fell into our hands as the spoils of war, there came with them a large amount of patronage. They require governors general and governors, postoffice officials, customs officers, etc. etc. The present administration has fallen into the error of appointing small

politicians-men who demand office ecause of dirty work in elections—to these important colonial positions. Rathbone, for instance, in Cuba, is one of Mark Hanna's election managers. The result has been the serious thefts of postal funds in Cuba by American officials. The Philadelphia Times, in

discussing this matter, says: The President cannot be excused on the ground that he was imposed upon in the appointment of officials for Cuba who seem to have run riot in debauch-I well tell you another thing: I never and uncomproneising consecration of cry and t cft. That was the beginning of his colonial policy, and when he hearkened to political leaders who pressed political henchmen upon him You may watch it. Every little preach ness. We were walking alone after one for these most responsible positions, he er that you hear fighting the holiness of the services had closed, and turning people is a fellow that hasn't had a to me he said, "Sam, why in the world." No man revival or a conversion in his ministry brother, don't you turn loose every- who was urged on political grounds for for years, unless he got somebody else thing that lies between you and God's any position in Cuba should have been solely because the President did not a man in the pulpit who tights the boli- thing that stands between me and my thus perform his duty that we have Discases ness people, but what if you search him tood and the uttermost which he can now a floodfide of scandals to shame the nation and enormous embezzlements to

There can be no temporizing with thieves and speculators who seem to have largely taken possession of Cuba. They must not only be summarily dismissed and brought to justice at any cost, but politicial appointments for such positions must be absolutely ended now and forever. The politician who would seek reward for political services in colonial appointment, might be safely assumed to be a reckless peculator of one in search of plunder; and it is one of the indelible stains upon the administration that a number of the first officials appointed by the President to colonial service in Cuba have made panish theft comparatively respectable

If the President would command the confidence of the country in his colonial policy, the mere politician must be entirely eliminated from the colonial service. * * * Not only should these appointments be made on the strictest ines outside of mere political prefer ment, but there should be an entire absence of favoritism to any of the swarms of speculators which seek to possess valuable franchises in Cuba and in our Nurseries, Spanish possessions. The country can stand embazzlements and debauchery to some extent in our political appoint ments at home, but it cannot and will not tolerate incompetent or dishonest officials in our colonial policy.

This is a true bill. President Mc Kinley must take his share of the blunders and scandals of the beginning of our colonial policy. The people, already disgusted over his backdown in the Porto Rican tariff matter, are watching closely to see what he will do to bring the Cuban postal thieves to justice. It he succeeds he will be doing well, but it will take nerve. It is said that Rathbone who secured Mark Hanna's re-election to the Senate, has threatened, if he is punished, to "give away" the true inwardness of Hanna's election, and that Hanna cannot afford to let him be punished.

All these things are water on the Democratic wheel. If the Democratic party managers rise equal to the occa- Small Pruit, Nut Bearing Trees, Etc sion, by adopting a platform that the people have confidence in, they can give the R publicans the fight of their lives in the presidential election.

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