

PAPERS.

THE MAJESTY OF LAW.

The majesty of nature's law Is something to revere, It strikes the moral mind with awe And mystifies the seer.

Passing Thoughts on Current Topics.

The season of caution is past, when we are in the midst of evil.—Horace. The yeast of political corruption is still working and the mills of injustice continue to grind notwithstanding the thousand and one resolutions and protests hurled against them from numerous sources.

than in the thick of war because the man who deliberately hands over his brethren to perpetual wage-slavery is worse than a half-frightened general on the battlefield who, under the impulse of the moment, commits treason.

Natural Law.

BY JAMES T. R. GREEN

When the political prostitutes have burned up your "greenbacks," issued hundreds of millions of bonds, flooded the country with wild cat national bank notes, brought on a season of interest bearing prosperity causing wholesale indifference on the part of shallow and selfish reformers; when you observe that every effort of reformers to reform others is met by a distinct refusal to be reformed; that every such refusal ends in another church of reform, while the rascals remain united in the only true and original church of the devil-legislation;—when you observe all these things, as you assuredly will, it may occur to you to ask what God Almighty is doing all this time.

GOVERNOR ALTGELD ON PARDONS.

John P. Altgeld, governor of Illinois, is in many regards the noblest character in American politics. He is absolutely above all subterfuge. He scorns duplicity, dodging, hedging, prevarication and every vulgar deceit prevalent in the country.

BUILDING THE TEMPLE OF LIBERTY.

Rev. C. A. Vincent writes of the labor problem as it now appears in connection with the history of liberty. Referring to the building of a church edifice he tells how varied the materials and workmen employed to accomplish the undertaking.

THE CRIMINAL CLASS.

Discussions relating to crime, criminals and the criminal class, or classes, are constantly going forward, and the conclusion seems to be, that in so far as crime relates to property, the criminals are burglars, foot pads, train robbers, sneak thieves and shop lifters, that these constitute the criminal classes.

THE DEBS OVAATION.

The majesty of the demonstration in honor of E. V. Debs, at Chicago, Nov. 22, 1895, continues to be the theme of many writers. Referring to the ovation, the *Twentieth Century* says: There are instances recorded in history when the hearts of the multitude have been swept by some great emotion which impelled them in an instant to do and dare what years of reasoning could not accomplish.

Table with 2 columns: Year, Amount. Data points: 1884 (\$22,154,000), 1885 (\$3,575,000), 1886 (\$3,780,000), 1887 (\$4,550,000), 1888 (\$2,240,000), 1889 (\$8,000,000), 1890 (\$8,222,916), 1891 (\$19,720,249), 1892 (\$8,837,547), 1893 (\$19,929,632), 1894 (\$25,231,012), Total (\$126,648,356).

It is not to be presumed that during the same period all the lower order of thieves secured one tenth of the sum named.

THE A, B, C OF IT.

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A. R. U. NOTES. The passport for the quarter ending April 30th has been mailed to all unions in good standing.

NON-UNION MEN AND "SCABS."

The Kansas City Labor Record says: "Union men should make a distinction between a non-union man and a scab."

IRELAND VS. THE UNITED STATES.

We shed tears over Ireland's woes as if our eyes were water plugs, and yet the poor in Ireland have in some instances a better show for their potatoes than we of this land of millionaires and tramps.

The Coast Seaman's Journal states that "Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt wears a solitaire diamond ring for which she paid \$45,000."

WARNING TO MONOPOLY.

The Evening News of Toledo, O., is one of the papers which can not be bought or intimidated. It stands sentinel over the people's rights and liberties...

RAILROADING TO THE STARS.

A writer desiring to furnish his readers with some sort of an idea of time and distance supposes that Cal. Brice, C. P. Huntington and Cornelius Vanderbilt propose to build a railway to Centauri...

TRUSTS.

The National Watchman, sets forth the curse of trusts in the United States, but it does not mention all of them, only those which exercise the greatest power...

BECAUSE.

One or the other of the old parties are in power because workmen vote that sort of a ticket. Rockefeller is two hundred times a millionaire because, next to the sun, he claims to be the light of the world.

WHAT OTHERS SAY.

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