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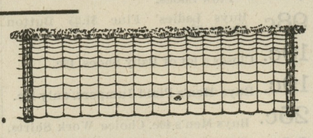

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How He is Interested in Free Coinage of Silver.

The farming element is the backbone of every civilized nation except Great Britain, whose tillable area is limited and worth more for "game preserves" for the nobility." The condition of the farmers of the whole civilized world has been gradually growing worse for years back, and although it has been noticed by a few that the price of silver and the price of farm products rise or fall together, few understand why this is so. The answer to this question is the philosophy of the silver question and tells the whole secret.

It is this: The United States demonetized silver on February 19th, 1873. Germany followed July 9th, 1873, and so quickly as 1874 the effect upon silver was so great that France, Italy, Belgium, Switzerland and Greece were obliged to restrict its coinage. Holland did the same in 1875 and Russia in 1876; and in 1878 Austria ahd Spain did the same. The effect of such a rejection of silver could not be otherwise than to decrease its value, and increase the value of gold, until now silver is worth only about one-half what it was worth in 1873, compared with gold.

But what has this to do with the prices of wheat, oats, corn, rice, petroleum and cotton?

Much every way. Farm products are the chief articles of export of these United States; the basis therefore of our national prosperity. Our purchasers are the gold standard countries—Great Britain, Germany and France. Our competitors are silver standard countries—Russia, India and Argentina. The gold countries take their gold and exchange it for silver—one gold dollar for two silver dollars — then buy cotton, wheat and oil, etc., from the silver countries for about half the price they would pay if gold and silver were on a parity.

The United States is the only nation (except Canada,) which produces wheat and general farm products extensively for export that is not on a silver basis; and hence the producers here suffer more than elsewhere, although the farmers of Great Britain, France and Germany are complaining bitterly and applying for tariff protection and getting it. But no protection can be given to American farmers who produce vastly more than sufficient for home consumption. As a consequence of being obliged to purchase their supplies on a gold basis and being obliged to sell their farm produce in competition with silver countries on the silver basis, the farmers of the whole civilized world are suffering.

The effect upon the people of the United States is most serious because from 75 to 85 per cent. of United States exports annually are farm products. The exports of farm products from the United States are $750,000,000 in gold; but in silver, at the present price, it would show nearly double this sum, and nearly the double of it if silver and gold were interchangeable the world over at the rate of 16 to 1. The present gold standard benefits only the money-lenders, althogether a numerically small and constantly decreasing class. Silver and gold together constitute the money favorable to the interests of the masses in every land.

Great Britain was the mother of the gold standard and has finally brought other nations to her side. She foresaw that if the food-producing nations (except the United States) were on the silver basis, the appreciation of gold would give her workmen cheaper bread and that as she is a money-lending nation, it would also increase her revenues and wealth. She could not manage the matter alone, but as soon as the United States joined her the victory was won, and the other nations of Europe were forced to the gold standard.

The fall in the price of silver the world over was somewhat retarded by the heavy silver purchases by the United States Government up to 1893. To hasten the fall of the value of silver the mints of British India—a silver standard country—were closed to its coinage under pretense that by and by India would be brought to a gold basis—the very thing that Great Britain would never permit.

All can see that a gold standard benefits England's money lender and indirectly the whole nation, because their exports do not consist of farm products sold in competition at silver prices.

But for the some reasons the gold standand is almost unendurable to Europe generally and absolutely suicidal to the interests of the United States, the chief producer and exporter of farm products, which although the richest nation in the world is the chief borrower, because of her greater extent and progressive conditions.

The prices of wheat, oats, cotton, oil, etc., are not only affected by supply and demand, but also by the value of silver; for which these commodities can be bought in other countries.

The merchandise exports of the U. S. for 1895 amounted to $920,896,655 in gold, but almost all of it was sold on a silver basis of value, because it could only be sold in competition with silver standard countries. If silver had been on 16 to 1 parity with gold the same exports would have brought nearly twice as much money to the country with all that this would have meant of prosperity and cancellation of debts and mortgages, new business, new railroads, etc.

Even where the philosophy of the matter is not understood, people are awakening to the general facts, and a change on the subject for the United States seems probable; and if for the United States, then for the world; for the attitude of the United States as the chief producer and exporter of staples, as well as the chief consumer and importer of luxuries would practically control the world for bi-metallism; as its action in demonetizing silver in 1873 under British guidance forced the civilized world to the Gold-standard. Russia and India, our chief competitors in cotton, wheat, oil, rice, etc., both together export not more than one-half as much as the United States.

Bankers and other gold-standard people instead of studying the subject are stirring up strife which surely will react to their own injury before long, by calling the intelligent farmers and mechanics fools and Anarchists. If the intelligent, law-abiding voters of this free land are to be thus traduced for attempting to right a great wrong in the legal and con stitutional manner, utterly at variance with anarchy, let millionaires remember that when the real law-defying Anarchists arise they may much need these honest voters to protect their wealth; and it would be far better for them to have them friends by treating them, their argument and their votes with respect, than to have them enemies because of vituperation added to dishonest single gold-standard money.

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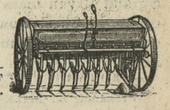

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