NATIONAL STOCK

What is the use of denying: the whole world IS stock gambling. It should not be so, but it is so. Senators and ward politicians, bishops and curates, judges and court criers, lawyers, doctors, tinkers, tailors and newspaper editors and all-round star-gazing moralists, and, and, and—their mothers, wives and sweethearts, and Faro Jim and Race Track Dan and all the gang.

Some believe that the whole world is not stock gambling, but I to whom they all come for a "heart-to-heart" "don't for goodness' sake give us away investment" know that, broadly speaking, all the world IS stock gambling. And why not? The age is a dollar age, a give-me-case-and-comfort-and-luxury-and-give-it-to-me-quick age, and the only respectable short cut to quick and easy money is a stock gamble.

The bishop would not game in stocks or in anything else, but his boy IS at college and his daughter MUST be brought up, and while he and his good wife have all and more to supply their individual wants it is their duty "to invest their little fortune to the best advantage." Red Mike is "dead on to how the trick was turned that shot Morgan and his pals to the top of life's ladder and it is good enough for his swag all right, all right." From the indolent rooster on the top round to the one glued to the rung in the mud and all the in-betweens, they are all gambling in stocks. Few call their act gambling, but to us who have the hopper end of the business, to us who look at the hopper's contents with unshaded glasses, we know all the "investments," "speculations," "fliers" and "business ventures" bear the same tag—"stock gambling," "something for nothing." When the Philadelphia High Church public purist was confidently told that Harriman was to jump the Union Pacific dividend to 10 per cent. overnight and he purchased 5000 shares at 150 with his earthly all, \$50,000, as margin; and when Union Pacific jumped to 196, and his \$50,000 turned into \$230,000, he knew he had only been investing. But when Union Pacific afterwards dropped like a bolt from the blu

3rd—The amount of deposited money in the banks and trust companies of America which subsist directly and indirectly on the business of stock gambling and which represents the capital and savings of the American people, is far greater in amount than that employed in all other business.

4th—The amount of money taken each year for the living expenses of these directly and indirectly engaged in the business of stock gambling, not a man of whom is a legitimate producer of anything of value to his fellows, is far greater than that taken by those engaged in managing any 10 lines of legitimate business.

5th—The destroying-value and destroying-energy effect on all legitimate business of the American people by the rise and fall of the price value of the \$70,000,000,000 of paper tokens of wealth produced through the agency of stock gambling has been far greater during the past 40 years than that produced by all the earthquakes, floods, fires, famines, wars and labor unions.

5th—The effect, the bad effect, the heart-depressing, soul-crushing, hope-destroying, energy-numbing effect on the American people by the accumulation of monstrously mammoth private fortunes through the agency of stock gambling during the past quarter of a century is far greater than the ill effects of all the socialistic, anarchistic, laboristic and professional thievistic preachings and practices of the past 200 years.

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All the world IS stock gambling. If the American world continues to stock gamble during the coming 10 years on the increasing ratio of the past 25, it is inevitable that the name "American" will hold but the same relation to human freedom as the name Darwin does to man, as much, no more.

No question, no combined 100 questions which will be asked during the coming 10 years will carry the same vital import to the American people as the one, "How can stock sambling as at present conducted be stopped?"

There is but one way to stop stock gambling as at present conducted. And it is obvious to all students of affairs that there is but one way possible, for all other ways have been tried, and have failed, absolutely falled. Fearless President Roosevelt's efforts, the efforts of Congresses, State Legislatures, the courts, the press, the labor unions, the politicians—and the muckrakers—have absolutely failed. The recent past shows conclusively that in spite of the earnest efforts of these classes stock gambling has not been crushed, but on the contrary that it has flourished until to-day it is being carried on upon a 1000 per cent. bigger basis than it was 25 years ago, and for evidence I point to the late October panic, where quicker, mightier and more dastardly brazen tricks were pulled off with a 1000 per cent. greater profit in money and "glory" than ever before.

The only way possible to stop stock gambling is "Na-tional Stock." lst—Because "National Stock" is already since its recent launching an assured success. It is now assured that the American people and Europeans will buy from its treasury unlimited amounts of its unlimited possessions of "National Stock" until and—"National Stock" will be possessed of at least as much cash for all practical stock market purposes as the System.

System.

3rd—With this cash and its knowledge of the stock gambling game, and its machinery for harnessing this game, which knowledge and machinery is as great as the System's, it will be as able to dominate the price of the \$70,000,000,000 of stocks and bonds as the System.

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4th—From the fact that it will never bring this cash, knowledge and machinery into play but on the RIGHT side of the stock gambling game, and then only when the System is already engaged on the WRONG side of the stock gambling game, it must inevitably have the System beaten to a shredded frazzle every time it opposes them.

And now that "National Stock" has been successfully launched, now that its pamphiets, reward blanks and orders for stock are rolling up an astounding success, and now that it is patent to all that "National Stock," in spite of the gigantic efforts of the System through its banks, trust companies, subsidized brokers and Stock Exchange officials and that portion of the press which is in its hire, has swept everything before it until at present its fast increasing success is holding the attention of the whole thinking world, it is meet that I should close the first chapter of its history and go to the second.

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I can now say to the world what I could not say at its launching without the danger of dampening the ardor of the scores of thousands whose only enlisting motive was

"National Stock's" foundation motive is to destroy stock gambling.

"National Stock" will destroy stock gambling as at present conducted, because it will first make so much money by making at will the price of the \$70,000,000,000 of stocks and bonds on the Stock Exchanges, that the whole world will buy "National Stock" which in turn will give "National Stock" such additional power that it will either

1st—Absolutely crush and destroy the System, or
2nd—Compel the System to abandon its present methods of doing business, in which event "National Stock" will go out of its present business by merging itself into my final Remedy, and at this merging it will return to all owners of

"National Stock" their original investment plus the enormous accumulated profits.

In other words (I call the attention of my most victous critics to this most vital part of my plan) I knew before launching "National Stock" that if it once got the hold of the people it already has secured that it would quickly compel the System to abandon the methods by which the System has been crushing the American people and adopt those employed by "National Stock," which acknowledgment of "National Stock" in itself bring into full play my final Remedy. It was for this great end more than the profit to investors in "National Stock" that I toiled and schemed for 20 years to successfully launch my plan, because when once all the world realizes what has now become visible to wall Street—that "National Stock" has the System on the run—the realization will in itself fully bloom my final Remedy, and my work will have been finished and the American people will have come into their own.

Since the launching of "National Stock" the common rallying ground of my critics has been "How can he be sure of success when he enters the market against the System? The answer should now be clearly visible even to ordinary minds. Even if "National Stock" and the System were equal in cash, market knowledge and market machinery, the System would go down before "National Stock" in every deal because "National Stock" will never enter the stock market to oppose the System, but in cases where the System is engaged in one of its robbery-of-the-people campaigns—that is, when the System has bid up stocks by dishonest methods to an artificial height for the purpose of unloading upon the people, "National Stock," with its newspaper advertising broadsides, will scream the dishonesty so fiercely and so shrilly as to produce a stock market panie, and in the inevitable tumble it will make the millions the System losses. On the other hand, when the System has dishonestly depreciated stocks to shake out the public, as in the October panie, "National Stock" in its

ard Oil, Morgan et al. resemble a cat-o'-nine-tail dike in the course of a Niagara.

The System can never corner or "panic-strike" "National Stock" in its market operations, because "National Stock's" operations will never be based upon a dishonest or artificial basis. And why should they be, when the System will supply it with all the opportunities it requires, or (and here is the very nubbing of "National Stock's" reason for existence) the System will reform its methods and—"National Stock" will have most gloriously fulfilled its mission

I will illustrate the tremendous power of "National Stock" to make money and at the same time to crush the System.

AMERICAN

The American Smelting Trust is probably the richest corporation in all the world in its future possibilities for money making for its stockholders.

Ist—It has great smelting plants scattered throughout the United States, Canada, Mexico. When business is good it has the products of the richest of the continent's mines brought to its doors, and it coins money for its stockholders. When business is poor it takes out of the ground from its own mines their enormous wealth, and—coins money for its stockholders.

2nd—Through its extraordinary opportunities for insight into the best mines on the continent it has been able to buy the very richest of them all and at bedrock prices, at bedrock prices because it deals direct with the miners, and also because of this it has been able to get togetfier a band of cess, tremendous suicess. It should be borne in mind that will always have the best mining properties in the United States, Canada and Mexico.

3rd—The business is in the hands of seven young, honest, able men, the Gurgenheim brothers, who inherited the business from their father, who laid the foundations for its

past few weeks Wall Street has gazed open-mouthed at the conflict which has waged around Smelters, which soon beenormous success. These men are brainy enough to know that they can get more of what is of value to humans out of their business by playing honest and fair with the public than by doing otherwise.

4th—The Guggenheims from inheritance and environment and business association trained with the System forces. They would shudder at the idea of defying the System by affiliating with "National Stock." Therefore "National Stock," which has no likes or dislikes, but exists only for the purpose of accomplishing its great end in any legal and honest way, determined to connect up with American Smelters without the by-your-leave of the Guggenheims.

To that end, while Wall Street wined and dined and carded and mirrored itself into its habitual state of "public-be-damnedness." "we - are-the-whole - shooting-matchness." "National Stock" burned the midnight kerosene digging out the facts and formulating plans which when laid before him looked so good to one of the Rockefellers that he boarded

SMELTERS

the American Smelters express with the determination to go through with it to fissiplainly evident destination—success, remendous success. It should be borne in mind that there is always some powerful member of the Rockefeller band ready to board any Dollar enterprise which assures him big profits for his capital.

It should also be borne in mind that "National Stock" cares not a finger snap who its fellow-passengers are in its market voyages provided it is sure of the honesty of the voyage and the profits to be made from the trip.

The result: With Smelters selling at 57 I began an advertising campaign for its purchase, and it quickly mounted to 70, where its quick rise and my advertising arrested the attention of two bold System plungers, who concluded that it had risen solely because of my work and not because of the unlimited buying of a Rockefeller. These plungers laid out a campaign to sell Smelters short. They were encouraged by certain powerful System men who may or may not have been in league with the bull end of the campaign—but this is a story for a future advertisement. During the came evident to all, but which divided itself to Wall Street

as the System on one side and "National Stock" on the other. The short sellers have sold and sold and sold until at present time they are probably short more stock than has ever been shorted since short selling was invented. The paper losses to the two Sysem plungers are enormous, for Smelters is now close to 100, but worse than their present paper losses is the fact that they know now that they can never buy back what they have sold without running the price of Smelters into the clouds. In the meantime the System men who have encouraged them into slipping the noose over their heads have consoled them and loaned them great blocks of Smelters stock against the day of their final rounding up. In the first sign of their becoming panic-stricken and attempting jumped so quickly and to such heights as to drive another large nail in the coffin of the stock gambling game, while Wall Street is frenziedly guessing why American Smelters is acting so mysteriously.

The following is a morsel of reflection fodder for the shorts on Smelters. This one advertisement which goes all over the world and which will be read by probably 50,000,000 people will probably create over 10,000 new buyers for Smelters. If they average 50 shares each their buying alone will cause the stock to advance \$30 to \$50 and the rise because of this buying should so panic strike evitable it will sell at—it sold last year at 175. Also by way of comfort to the shorts. If this advertisement does not produce the full effect it will be repeated until it does, for I have decided that one of been able to secure for it by their combined ten years' efforts—already I have probably more than doubled the number of its stockholders.

TO GAMBLERS

I ask again, as I did in my first advertisement, can any stock gambler intelligently answer this question,—'Vhy should he buy 1000 shares of System stock, say Union Pacific, selling at 165, and put up \$15,000 margin, which will be lost in any of its numerous 15-point drops—why should he do this for the chance to

Boston, September 9, 1908.

secure a 10-point profit, or \$10,000, when with the same margin he can buy 30,000 shares of "National Stock" at say \$2, which in a short time will sell at say \$4, and thereby pay him \$60,000 profit, and at no time during the operation could he in all probability lose his margin of \$15,000, or 25 per cent. on the price of "Na-

tional Stock." In the first section of my campaign I did not encourage margin buying of "National Stock" even by stockgamblers, but so great has become the demand from this class that I now advise all stock gamblers-bear in mind, I say stock gamblers only; that is, those who insist upon gambling upon margin in the

System's stocks-to buy "National Stock" in preference to any System stock, even Smelters, and I refer all such buyers to the advertisement of C. C. Clapp & Co., with whom "National Stock" has entered into arrangements for the handling of this branch of "National Stock's"

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door of Toronto of deriving an immense revenue from silver, if the people of Toronto and the hanks of Toronto take the proposition are still Canadian, and any of the proposition are still Canadian, and any of the proposition are still Canadian, and any man who has money to invest should go and see Cobalt, and any man who wishes to speculate in the sense of taking a chance on a mining proposition, of going into the camp and watching its growth, either getting hold of a property or buying shares in a proporty-rive, especially in its early stages, ought porty-mitty. Cobait and he will find his opporty-rive, capecially in its early stages, ought and what we are now beginning to have in Toronto, "A Toronto Curb," and what we are now beginning to have in Toronto, "A Toronto Curb," that is, brokers who sell stocks, and especially mining stocks, whose value has not been fully decided. But as a matter of fact it is the New York curb, the Boston curb, and the Canadian curb that will find a proposition. The Bost of the money to develop Copper properties all over the advisorable in the consolidated La Rose that is attracting so the find the property and to block out the consolidated La Rose that is attracting so the find the property and to block out the consolidated La Rose that is attracting so the find the property of the property and to block out the consolidated La Rose that is attracting so the find the property of the property and to block out the consolidated La Rose that is attracting so the find the property of the property and to block out the consolidated La Rose that is attracting so the find the property of the prope

by paying four times what they could have had it for, not so very long ago; and there is a story that the biggest mine in British Columbia, with the best outlook, passed out of Canadian hands not so very long ago because a Canadian bank interested in it didn't care to increase the company's limit.

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GLASGOW "BREAKERS" QUIT seven of Them Decline to Work for the C. P. R.

MONTREAL, Sept. 8 .- (Special.)-"Seven of the Scotchmen brought from Glasgow are sleeping in a mission house to-night, having refused to work for the C.P.R. on account of the strike. Nine others are looking out for themselves, and a number more are only working for fear of going hungry on the streets," said Rell Hardy hungry on the streets," said Bell Hardy to The World last night. "Thirty-six strikebreakers brought over from the United States Sunday returned the United States Sunday returned the same day, disgusted with the pay and treatment given. These men expected 43 cents per hour, free tobacco and free board, and called those in the shops a lot of cheap skates. Neither the men who went back nor those who stay are desirable people to have around and the company knows it.

"The men in Montreal are getting little encouragement from the local press, but all they have to do is to press, but all they have to do is to look at the bunch of co-called strike-breakers and no further encouragement is necessary.'

You can painlessly remove any corn, either hard, soft or bleeding, by applying Putnam's Corn Extractor. It never burns, leaves no scar, contains no acids; is harmless because composed only of healing gums and balms. Fifty years in use. Cure guaranteed. Sold by all druggists 25c. bottles. Refuse substitutes.

PUTNAM'S PAINLESS CORN EXTRACTOR

MESABA RANGE AFLAME HIBBING IS SURROUNDED

Grand Marais is Also Threatened, But Citizens Are Fighting Hard to Save Their Homes.

DULUTH, Sept. 8.-Forest fires,

suburb of Hibbing, anad the wind is blowing in our direction. every man we can find is fighting the fire. They have established a pipe line and installed two pumps."

Smoke from the forest fires which surrounded the town make Hibbing so dark that the electric lights have been turned on there in the day to enable

the citizens to see their way about. The smoke is stfling and the heat very HOW TO STOP DIARRHOEA.

It is sure to come with the summer.

oppressive. Unless the wind changes Coleraine and Bovey will be safe. In these towns the schools and business houses are closed an deveryone is pre-

TALKS TOO FREELY. Railway Commissioner's Inspector Gets Into Warm Water.

OTTAWA, Sept. 8 .- (Special.) -There is apparently no truth in rumors afloat in Winnipeg to the effect that J. Clarke of Ottawa, accident inspector of the board of railway commission-ers, has resigned or has been asked to send in his resignation. According which have been raging for several to send in his resignation. According dayas, to-night threaten Hibbing, the largest and most prosperous town on has happened to Clarke beyond a rethe Mesaba range. Every place of quest from the commissioners that he histogram is closed and the most area. out fighting the flames. A telegram from Hibbing says:

"The fire is very near the Great Northern spur on this side of Brooklyn, a suburb of Hibbing, and the communicative to newspapers in regard to condition of the C.P.R.

GRAIN FROM THE WEST.

"The city has available hose out and every man we can find is fighting the fire. They have established a pipe fire and installed two pumps."

G. T. R. Have Handled Four Million Bushels at Depot Harbor.

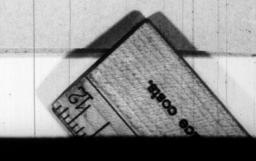
OTTAWA, Sept. 8.—(Specia.)—Although the Grand Trunk Railway has moved the G In response to an appeal the Duluth fire dpartment has gone to the scene, while the Mesaba Raliroad has trains in readiness at Hibbing to take the people away. the officials say, as some delay is necessarily involved in grading of the grain by government inspectors.

Flying Machine a Success.
WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—At Fort
Meyer to-day Orville Wright made the two greatest aeroplane flights ever made publicly in this country when he reached in the air for over eleven minutes on his first flight and for near-No prescription is so swift to relieve and so certain to cure as "Nerviline." In all bowel disorders, cramps, diarrhoea and acute indigestion Polson's Nerviline is unsurpassed. Try a 25c

DON'T WANT THE TANKS.

First Ward Ratepayers Will Tell Counsell So.

Down in the Leslie nursery locality the ratepayers are much incensed over the school state of the city to creck septic that in their midst, and last night and indignation meeting was held in the school of St. Clement's Cruch, and the school of St. Clement's Cruch, an



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