

What advantage let me ask, has your country or system of Government to offer us to counterbalance all these weighty considerations and objections?

It is well known, that in the cities of the United States, full fifty per cent. are refugees from Europe or their descendants, who immigrated there because it was necessary for them to leave the countries whence they came, and they had nowhere else to go. In searching for a country where they might have "Liberty" they reached a country where they found *License*, where the best people are not politicians, but in which the politicians are the worst, the most mendacious, unscrupulous and jacobinical demagogues, who are always hunting for trouble, and making it sure.

Your population, once wise, law abiding, God fearing, patriotic and virtuous—by reason of importations of the recrement of other countries has got beyond the control of your own laws—so that in places, the very preaching of the Gospel has become an offence. Men are not only so much beyond the restraints of law, morality and religion that the desecration of the Lord's Day, once hallowed and kept as a day of rest, has, under the sanction of use and abuse, become the rule and not the exception, in your "Athens of America," with all its hallowed memories of the past, and its boasted learning and refinement of manners, and the law imprisons those who protest against it. A case occurred not long ago where, in Boston, for the public preaching of the Gospel of the Lord Jesus, in an open park, a minister of that Gospel, was fined and imprisoned because he did not first obtain a so-called "permit" from the Chairman of the Park Committee, and that same Chairman was "an alien" and a liquor seller.

There are "Americans" and *Americans* and it requires two entirely different kinds of men to represent them both. As we find them in the United States, one of them *are to the manor born* and are like ourselves wherever we meet them: their traditions, their aspirations, their instincts and proclivities are Anglo Saxon, and—if you please, Anglo American—but the others are aliens, in blood, in instincts, in *everything*. They are "Bohemians," "Dogans," "Anarchists," "Polaeks," "Milesians" and "Hungarians," made Americans as some men are made gentlemen, by act of Parliament! which no law can reach and no law of naturalization or oath of citizenship will ever bind in fealty to the sovereignty that our national sceptre had once over your people. They have no traditions of their own to care about, and they and theirs will