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Light Railways For South Africa.

This class of railway has been tried in several of the minor Native States in India, and has proved most useful; while the East Coast Railway from Beira has turned out of almost inestimable value—so much so, that steps have been taken for its extension. In the Cape Colony also there are many lines that might be started with the greatest advantage. That long-projected line running across the Karoo from Beaufort West to King William's Town, tapping a most important district, might be made at once; and also one that would bring the fertile district of Oudtshoorn more into touch with its markets. But it is not only to direct results that we look in advocating the adoption of light railways, but also to the indirect. It has been found in America that the railway is a great civiliser, and a most important aid to settling new territory. And if the introduction of these lines should tend to destroy the restless, nomadic spirit of many of the farmers—a restlessness which at present breaks forth into a desire for transport riding and going *op togt*—it will prove a boon by no means to be despised. This is a matter well worthy the consideration of the various Farmers' Associations throughout the country. But, alas! *cacoethes loquendi* (the insane desire for stump oratory) has seized them, and the Farmers' Associations are fast changing to political clubs. Now, while there is much that requires consideration in this way of politics, while the advocacy of Scab Acts, Branding Laws, Dog Taxes, and suchlike are of great importance, it is still more important that the farmer should have the easiest and most speedy access to their markets, and so be able to dispose of their produce at a profit. Some, indeed, have already learnt by bitter experience that the real obstacle to the use of Colonial-grown corn is to be found in the excessive rates of transport on the government railways. Farmers can now sell their wheat at fifteen shillings a bag, while it does not cost them more than about five shillings to grow it. The United States, Canada, India, and Australia have all managed to solve this question. They can transport their wheat within their own territories and by sea, and yet undersell the Cape farmer in his own market. Now there is this movement to introduce light railways. But whether it is front want of capital, or from want of energy the colonial farmers seem inclined to sit still with open mouths and shut eyes, waiting for the good things a grandmotherly government will give them; while they fail to see that by taking a little trouble and organising themselves, they might acquire not only competence, but wealth. For, after all, as we have frequently insisted, the farmers are the backbone of the country. But at present it seems to be suffering from a creeping paralysis that comes from spinal complaint, and no surgeon will undertake a cure.

Here, indeed, is the proper field for the display of the latent energies and capabilities of the Farmers' Associations; if they would but institute an inquiry into the working of agricultural organizations at home. For that man, or body, would deserve well of the South African Commonwealth who, by introducing the principle of co-operation, would so bring it about that the vast farms of the country might supply food for the toilers who are there already, and so brighten the prospects of those who are anxious to come. But, even on many of the farms, the bill of fare is everlastingly bread and meat, varied occasionally with bad butter, or the soft fat rendered down from Afrikaner sheep's tails, while pumpkins and mealies are the only vegetables. Yet careful systematic farming, and improved means of transport, should speedily change all that. There can be no doubt that if proper methods were adopted the colony should be able to produce bread stuffs, meat, vegetables, butter, cheese, eggs, more than sufficient for its own consumption, good, and at reasonable rates to the consumer, while yielding a substantial profit to the producer. Colonial life is too much on the lines of "always a famine or a feast," and careful organization and friendly co-operation of the farmers themselves would do far more to develop the country and encourage farming than all the protective legislation that could be passed in twenty sessions. For it should be borne in mind that protective tariffs are only suited to countries that have extensive waterways, where freight charges are consequently small. The question of agricultural banks is one, too, that is worthy of consideration, for undoubtedly one of the causes of the paralysis of the colonial farmer is the need of capital, which has led up to that pernicious system of mortgaging farms which universally prevails.—South Africa.

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Should Insane Criminals be Executed?

Great astonishment has been caused in France by an article written by the well-known philanthropist and eminent physician, G. Darenberg, which has appeared in the Journal des Debats. He says:—"A criminally insane person is like a wild animal, and should be destroyed. The case of a copying clerk whom I knew in my youth will best illustrate this. The man had been in an insane asylum because he had, without the slightest reason or provocation, killed a neighbour in cold blood. His subsequent behaviour in the asylum caused the guardians to think that he had recovered from his dangerous madness, and he was liberated. One day my father entrusted this man with a valuable medical manuscript, which had been lent by the Munich library. The clerk was to copy it, and we accompanied him to his own door in the Rue St. Jacques. We had hardly left him when we heard a noise, and, upon returning, we found a dead man on the pavement, and the clerk in the hands of the police. Looking for the manuscript, we found it on a stone, where the clerk had placed it before he stabbed a harmless passer-by to death. Of course he was again sent to the asylum, where, about ten years ago, he killed the director. I do not know whether he is still alive, but there can be no doubt that such people should be put out of the world. Formerly such people were chained, but our super-humanitarian principles nowadays prohibit this, although it would be quite rational. What, then, can be done except a revival of capital punishment? Insanity is, no doubt, very interesting, but its phases should only be studied where it can be rendered harmless."

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The New Liquor Law in Russia.

The Russian Government has determined to assume control of the liquor traffic of the country and to diminish drunkenness without affecting the amount of revenue annually obtainable from that source. On July 1, 1896 Government monopoly will be established in eight provinces; in July 1897 the system will be extended to seven other provinces, and by January 1, 1898, the rest of the territory is to be brought under the reform. Private saloons are to be abolished, and the opening of distilleries regulated by the ministers of finance and agriculture. The Moscow Viedomosti remarks:—"The object of government monopoly of the sale of liquor is principally to do away with the abuses of liquor dealers who take advantage of the disposition to drunkenness. To say nothing of the fact that the liquor-dealers are generally also usurers, who manage to enslave the population, they try to encourage drunkenness, and to make the saloon a necessity for the people. They gladly deal on a credit basis and take all kinds of household goods as security. The law, to be sure, prohibits this, but it is notorious that the saloon keepers obtain most of their incomes by evading the legal restraints. Government sale on the other hand, aims at the substitution for drunkenness of a normal consumption of liquor. Equally important is the influence of Government monopoly upon the improvement of the quality of the liquor manufactured. Over production is one of the greatest evils of capitalistic industry. The chief difficulty is in determining the amount of a given product necessary for consumption, and justly distributing it among the competing manufacturers. The liquor monopoly makes the Government the master of the market. Henceforth prices of spirits will be determined, not by the competition of the distillers, but by a just estimate of the labor and risk incurred in production. The Government becomes interested in establishing a normal course, and averting the crisis due to unregulated production. The Government will have all the means, not indeed of abolishing drunkenness as a national evil, but of diminishing it and mitigating its worst features."

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