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DEMOCRATIC DESTRUCTION.

"Ninety nine percent of human animals need a Boss," said a aged Catholic Priest. Few know much about other peoples; but it's not very much discredit to suggest this might be 999% in these USA.

A Street Faker held up cards to bright night lamp, "I don't say you will see the naked Cleopatria flirting with Mark Anthony. I don't say so. I don't see her. All I say is, you might see her." And he'd sell the Mugs a pack of 15¢ playing cards for \$1.00 only. Another would sell 'em 10¢ "orioid gold" rings for \$1.00, "Can't guarantee pure gold, but might be." Another Mountebank sold 'em rotgut whisky and water, something in to make taste bitter, "Cures All Human Ills"! "Only one ~~size~~ small dollar!"

These are recollections of boyhood. Older, and interested in politice, fake's and Patent Medicine Cure Alls largely confined in Drug Stores and Newspaper Ads, yet the Sucker Voters would grab any glittering bait a Big Mouth Political Mountebank sold with his mob charming oratory.

And in these 1930-40-s, the "Biggest lot of Suckers on the Face of Earth", as the English jeer us, still grab at the glittering bait.

Literally, there is no such thing as "Democracy" as the word is mis-used in political slogans. "Ninety Nine percent of Human Animals" still "Need a BOSS." And Political Booses of a sort is what they always have had, and are still getting.

It is but necessary to look at newspapers to prove the fact. Or note the crowds on any city or country town street, and the physical maintained in general about such towns and cities to prove the fact. And these the "People" inspired by these Political Mountebanks to give their lives and wealth to "Save the World for Democracy!" And telling all rest of World how to run their affairs, but don't know enough to attend to domestic needs right under their nose. Boobs, ~~and~~ Self Seekers are "elected" to public office; then all these towns and Cities must support a Chamber of Commerce and a City Manager to get anything done in efficient & manner, if at all.

To note but one item of inanity :

In 1913, before City Managers and Chambers of Commerce much used, the total of all taxes, hamlet to Nation, was less than 4-billion dollars. Though population had increased only about 10%, taxes were doubled in Gay 1920-s; nobody knows and so much evaded by making new debts, but quite sure doubled again at least in 1930-40-s ; no reckoning of War costs and expenses, nor interest on new debts in either period.

Humans still need a Boss. But can't or don't pick their own.

Too many folks avoid even voting, too many are utterly indifferent to public affairs. Too many are heedless, careless , self-seeking to some degree; and in all communities the percentage % of self-seeks after some personal gain, the crooked and vicious and criminal elements obvious; and too much voting for the "Good Fellow."

All human affairs above the trivial must be directed and managed by fully experienced, capable and honest men to get the best results.

The current cry is for Socialism or Communism. But herein again---- make a note of it---- fully experienced, capable, practical and honest men must Boss, direct and manage; otherwise, the natural resources will be depleted and the Community in the boneyard.

The worst of our current evils is Strikes, an activity of disorder and property destruction condoned and sanctioned by the Federal Government. Yet the public needs things that can't be bought; no chance for them to be made by a law violating mob. This examples your "elected" Officials. And once again, no chance of getting indispensable Industry at work producing these public necessities, without adequate Experience, capability and honesty in management.

- Z.B.Cutler, Ionia, Mich.

Porter Bass, you will recall a national holocaust by locking up all the money. Plenty money now, but can't buy anything or get anything done.