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What do these reports of New England mill operatives starving mean? What right has an American to starve under a protective tariff laid solely for their benefit?

It is only a little while since we were told that everybody in this country who had to work for a living was a good deal better off than people similarly employed in England. The secretary of the Spinners' union at Fall River shows that in the case of the cotton workers this claim is false. In an address to his fellow laborers he says that wages at Fall River have been put down one-half in ten years; that the prices paid there for labor are 20 per cent less than in England, and that only fifty-six hours of work are required each week in England as against sixty-six in this country.

In a recent telegram from Dedham, Mass., to the effect that hundreds of woolen mill operatives there were suffering for the necessaries of life, and that many large families were subsisting on 90 cents a day. The tariff on manufactures of cotton and wool is protective in its character. The jeweled and perfumed lobbyists and stump speakers who are paid to advocate its continuance claim that they labor only for the workingman. The protection feature of the tariff costs the people of this country hundreds of millions a year. Since under it people are either toiling for less money than is paid for similar service in England, or are starving in idleness, what is the object of continuing it? With the exception of a few monopolists, everybody would be better off if it was done away with.—Chicago Herald.

Was Wilkes Booth Shot?

In a letter to the New York World, E. R. Duffy, late Fifth United States cavalry, Second United States cavalry, and Forty-fourth United States V. B. C. says: "Your issue of to-day contains a letter from R. R. James, of 79 West Twelfth street, in regard to the disposal of the body of Wilkes Booth. He says that Booth's body was taken away. I will wager him \$1,000 that he knows nothing whatever about the disposal of Booth's remains. I was doing duty at Washington and attached to the war department and White House guard at the time, and there are only very few men living to-day who know anything about Wilkes Booth. It is only supposed he was shot. Corporal Corbett was promoted for shooting Booth, but he nor nobody else knows whether it was Booth or not. If Booth's remains were buried in the sea why did his relatives make application (and were said to get them) for his remains, to bury them in their family plot? The only evidence to prove where Booth's remains are, or whether he is living or dead, is to be had from his relatives. But they are still upon the subject, and must remain so. I am doubtful if Booth was ever shot.

Lots of Fun.

George Stevens, a Texas gentleman, invited himself to a dance given by a farmer named Shepherd, at Ellis Prairie and to add to the liveliness of the occasion playfully drew his revolver and opened fire on the dancers. They fled, and Shepherd, quietly extinguishing the lights, reached down his shot gun; and when the flash of Stevens' pistol indicated his locality he got the contents of both barrels, and curled up quiet and peaceable.

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G. F. NEWELL.

Dec. 26, 1884.

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