

happy, but the contrary is true. There are four ducks and two drakes and they are all kept in a turmoil, because one drake persists in chasing the other. So far as I know they have never fought it out, but one is aggressive and belligerent by nature and the other more timid. Round and round the pen they go and half the time the females are equally disturbed. Shelter, food and drink are provided, they each have all they want, but they are neither quiet nor happy.

No money based on any value ever yet used would be issued, by technocrats, but necessarily there would have to be a token of exchange of some sort so it would probably be based on horse power. The presumption being that the production of horse power is constant and unvarying. Any man, however, who has ever used a team knows that the product of horse power in the field may depend on dampness or aridity, the degree of sharpness of a plow, or mowing machine. *Horse power, at times, may depend* ~~or perhaps~~ upon flood, ice or other conditions effecting water power. The energy of horse power may be ascertained, but the cost of production of horse power is a variable matter and always will be.

Recently the most blatant voice raised in the discussion of American ills is that of the Wets. Overlooking the fact that Great Britain, which is wet; Russia which is wet; Germany which is wet; Austria, which is wet; and all of the other wet countries are in a worse state than we are, the wets still proclaim in season and out of season that the opportunity to spend our ~~money~~ ^{money} for booze in an open market is the one thing necessary to bring the return of prosperity. And the people, knowing all of the things that the Wets know, and knowing that their statements are as false as the devil,