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But alongside with this
bounteous harvest and sum-
ptuous therewith sprang up
another group the moon shiner
the enthusiast the coal-oil Johnny
the dreamer the philosopher
not able to own a dog tent the
municipal statesman all of
whom had visions. They saw
~~all~~ this reality grow up as in a
night and the time for their
activity had arrived. Our
business men sidestepped and
these good men came forward
with their town boums & mouth
organs to lead us on to glory.

They have had their innings
and the city its experience quite
similar to the South under
carpet bag policy a harvest
of bonds interest taxes & toil
it will outgrow it as they did but
repurgating the bunch & the system