

**ASQUITH'S SALE  
GOD IS MONEY;  
SHARP LINE-UP**

**New British Cabinet Is  
Analyzed by Daily  
Socialist Corre-  
spondent**

BY S. G. HOBSON.  
(Special London Correspondence.)  
London, April 29.—The appointment of Asquith as prime minister brings to the front a man who will voice the sentiments of the real Liberal party. Just as the American Socialist has the Democrat always on his flank, so in Great Britain the Socialists are hampered in their growth by the Liberal party, which claims to give practical effect to the demands of the worker.

Under Campbell-Bannerman this illusion was fairly well maintained. The ex-prime minister was a Liberal of the John Stuart Mill type—a democrat in all things save economics. He genuinely disliked the house of lords, and would like to have curtailed its powers; he equally disliked the squire and parson and was not devoid of ideals. Although enormously rich, his sympathies were with the poor, and he played a straight game in regard to the South African war.

**Only God Is Property**

Asquith, the new prime minister, is the very antithesis of all this. He has no enthusiasms, no ideals, no sympathies. His only god is property. He regards property with the eye of a lawyer.

**Lloyd George's Career**

The career of Lloyd George is a typical example of how the trading classes capture the revolve. Lloyd George was a young Welsh solicitor who was caught up in the late agitation and early nihilism with a new social enthusiasm. It terminated with it was a strong Welsh nationalism, which, in its turn, was informed by an aggressive nonconformity that remembered the oppressions of the church.

**John Burns a Failure**

John Burns remains where he was, at the head of the local government board. His wings have been clipped, his teeth drawn, and he is now harmless as a sucking dove. He still cuts fierce capers on the platform and in private conversation kills all prominent Socialists with his tongue. But he is regarded with contempt by the board, and his administration has proved an abject failure.

**Tariff Reform Dead**

All appearances to the contrary notwithstanding, I do not think there is any real likelihood of Great Britain changing its financial system. Even if Balfour were to be returned tomorrow,

**Y. M. C. A. DRAWS A TERRIFIC  
INDICTMENT OF CAPITALISM**

Against the Chicago Y. M. C. A. is appealing to the great capitalists to give money to repair the ruin which is wrought on boyhood and young manhood by the grinding factory system which puts life into the mill of business and grinds humanity into muck of dollars, with which luxury is purchased.

**TRIBUNE SEEKS  
A JOB FOR ONE  
Out of City's Idle Paper  
Finds Man Who Is  
in Need of Help**

The Chicago Tribune has discovered that the panic is still on. After the Daily Socialist has repeatedly proved that there are thousands of men—able, temperate, competent workers—who are out of work and starving, the Tribune,

**ENGLAND'S FIRST SKYSCRAPER  
TO BE 300 FEET IN HEIGHT**

Liverpool, May 1.—The corporation has authorized the construction of an office building 300 feet high opposite Prince's landing stage, on the bank of the Mersey. It will be the first skyscraper ever built in England.

**PASTORS MEET  
FOR SOCIALISM**

(Special to the Daily Socialist.)  
New York, May 1.—A call has been issued by the Christian Socialist Fellowship for a national convention in New York City on Friday, May 28, and lasting for three days. The business of the convention will be transacted principally at the chapel house of the Church of the Ascension, 12 West 47th street, and there will be functions in other places including a "Collectivist banquet" at 14 Park place on Friday evening.

**Spalding Is President**

The president of the Christian Socialist Fellowship is Bishop Spalding of Utah, and is playing the part of the vicar president, most of whom are clergymen of different denominations.

**Markham Will Preside**

A mass meeting will be held on Sunday afternoon, May 30, in Carnegie Music Hall, at which Post Edwin Markham will preside, and a discussion will take place on the "Fundamentals of Socialism." The principal speakers will be the Rev. Charles Vail and the Rev. R. E. Carr.

**RECEIVER IS APPOINTED  
FOR STAR LEAGUE PAPERS**

Indianapolis, Ind., May 1.—The Indianapolis Star, Muncie Star, and Terre Haute Star, constituting the Star League of newspapers, passed into the hands of a receiver today on complaint of Daniel G. Reid of New York, who alleges that the three papers are indebted to him in the sum of \$221,307 and that there is a mortgage indebtedness of \$500,000 which may be subject to foreclosure in July.

**MUNICH SURGEON CAN  
LOOK INTO THE STOMACH**

Munich, May 1.—The problem of direct observation of the interior of the human stomach during life has been solved by Dr. Riehl, according to a medical weekly. The method employed includes the passing of a double tube through the esophagus to the stomach, the inner tube being fitted with a small electric bulb.

**Water Is Passed by Means of a Sub-  
sidiary Attachment through the outer  
tube, filling the stomach. The light is  
then turned on, permitting the medical  
paper says, the direct observation of  
the movements of the organ.**

The paper regards this as an important advance which will permit of a closer study of cancer of the stomach and other internal maladies.

**His Mind Shriveling**

"His muscles are flabby and his mind is shriveling from disease. He is starved of exercise, books and ethics—all the belongings which the Y. M. C. A. would extend to him. No matter what latent mode of ability are in him or what basic physical strength he possesses, he is hopelessly handicapped. He is being taught how to use and develop the natural resources which he owns."

**How much can you give for the boy  
who plays after dark? How much will  
you invest in a monthly clear game may  
lead to as much as a little fellow. See  
down a career for some time. If you're  
rich, and figure a bit. If you're poor,  
and if you've got as much as you can  
afford to give."**

This new subscriber—go out and get him.

**LABORER TO VISIT HIS RICH  
COUSIN; SEPARATED 44 YEARS**

Pittsfield, Mass., May 1.—Peter Walsh, a laborer, and his rich cousin, Thomas F. Walsh, came over yesterday for a visit. Walsh, who was separated from his cousin for 44 years, visited his cousin in Pittsfield, Mass., where they are now living together.

**THIRTY-THREE TROOPERS DIE  
IN AFRICAN MASSACRE**

Paris, May 1.—A dispatch from Dagann, West Africa, says a detachment of twelve companies of active infantrymen and three European officers was annihilated by natives while on a march to Nouakchott.

**EVERY DAY IS "MOVING DAY"**



**HIS CHILD DEAD;  
HUNGRY; SUICIDE**

Poverty of Family and Debts Made Shopkeeper Despondent.

(Special to the Daily Socialist.)  
Newport News, Va., May 1.—After eking out a meagre existence throughout the winter months, at times having nothing whatever to eat in the house, seeing his lady die less than two weeks

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**TAFT PROFANES  
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Biting Statement in Phelan Matter Made by J. B. Connors.

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OF JEWS AT CINCINNATI**

Cincinnati, Ohio, May 1.—A few minutes before midnight a bomb was exploded in the front door of the Phoenix club, an exclusive Jewish organization, on the southeast corner of Race and Ninth streets.

**SIX BOLD 'BLACKHAND' BANDITS  
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**HOUSE FAVORS BILL FOR  
U. S. TO OWN EMBASSY SITES**

Washington, D. C., May 1.—The house committee on foreign relations yesterday decided to report favorably a bill providing for the purchase abroad of American embassies, legations and consular buildings, and providing that not more than \$1,000,000 shall be appropriated each year for this purpose.

**Arrestment of Taft**

W. H. Taft is famous for the parts he has played in labor disputes. He has always been found on the side of the exploiters of labor. He and Judge Hicks defeated the miners and fire-

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**RANDI'S GAG EXPERI-  
MESSENGER AND ROB CAR**

Pittsburg, Pa., May 1.—After a desperate battle with two men the messenger in charge of the express car on the west bound New York St. Louis express of the Pennsylvania railroad was gagged, tossed into a car, and left while the robbers flew the safe of the car, looted it of four bags of currency and gold and then signaled the engineer to stop.

**NEW ARMORED WARSHIP  
MAKES A RECORD RUN**

Glasgow, May 1.—It is said here that the new armored turbine cruiser Indomitable has beaten all the warship speed records, having made 28 knots for a measured mile on the Clyde and keeping up 28 1/2 knots under continuous steaming.

**REQUEST PLANK  
OF SOCIALISTS**

(Special to the Daily Socialist.)  
Salem, N. Y., May 1.—The Central Labor Council of this city, with the labor unions of the vicinity, have sent the following letter to J. Mahlon Barnes, national secretary of the Socialist party, asking that a plank condemning the contract labor system be placed in the party platform.

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Alexander Schick, the 16-year-old son of Mrs. Jacob Schick, 555 Bernice avenue, has just accomplished the feat. In place of riding comfortably in vestibule cars and stopping at hotels en route, he rode on everything that travels on two tracks, from a section car to the top of a passenger coach, and slept wherever men of the law were not likely to interfere.

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**PAPERS CHIDED  
FOR CONCEALING  
NEWS OF PANIC**

Financial Journals Say  
the Big Dailies Have  
Made Themselves  
Ridiculous

Capitalist papers are no longer able to believe their own falsehoods about the panic conditions of the country. For weeks past they have been attempting to give a good appearance to the situation. Now the financial papers demand that business interests recognize that there is something the matter.

**Panic Is World-Wide**

That the panic has now become world-wide is admitted by the financial journals. Reports from London to Bradstreet state that there is a widespread decline in the business of that country and that business in London is virtually at the evaporation point.

**More Cotton Outfitment**

In the textile industry still greater depression of business is reported. Practically all the cotton mills in Fall River have decided to adopt a drastic policy of curtailing production. It is estimated that the output this week has been less than normal by nearly 125,000 pieces.

**Wool Market Dull**

The wool market continues dull and featureless. Prices are weak and dealers have not yet worked off their supplies of raw wools purchased when the market was many points higher than at present.

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STEEL TRUST'S TOILERS IDLE

Pitiful Condition Among Aliens Is Caused by Closing of Plants

BY DVORAK

The pitiful condition of the jobless in South Chicago having been described, it is no more than fair to tell something of the steel corporation, which has done unemployed to anything else. This company operates a giant plant in the town. It is because this particular company has been dealt a severe blow by the panic that the thousands of willing workmen were working in the streets prepared for the time when the plant would be closed.

The Illinois Steel Company has employed between 12,000 and 14,000 people. That was, of course, when the city was in the midst of "unparalleled prosperity," as the capitalist papers were wont to call it. It was at that time that the hardest thing in the world for an employer to do was to secure a "day off."

Now the times have changed in every respect. The 14,000 employees have dwindled down to a mere 2,000 or so, and even these have hardly work enough to keep them alive for they work in shifts. One gang of 2,000 works a couple of weeks and then give way to another. The company has to economize and that is the best way of doing it and cutting the wages at the same time.

Engineers on the Chicago, Lake Shore and Eastern branch, which run through the company's yards, have been forced to leave their positions paying as high as \$12 per month to take jobs of firemen paying \$8.

Business Men Know Now This was a sad blow for the "non-panic" business men and put them into a state of despondency. Now they begin to lay off their employees and the panic in their little, prosperous manufacturing town.

Prints Misleading Article. Some time ago a new trip hammer was installed in the shops of the Willard Sons & Bell Company. It had been placed in the shops when the Calumet came out with a report that they had begun work in full blast again.

Spelling Reform. "What I want to see," said Uncle Eben, "is some kin' o' spellin' reform 'un dese here spella o' weather we's gettin'."—Washington Star.

Police Fight Back Aliens. Early in the morning and late at night the company has to call for police reinforcements. The special police being unable to hold back the hordes of starving aliens who clamor for the chance to work and live.

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JOHNEON BROTHERS 1634 TO 1650 MILWAUKEE AVE. WEST OF ARMITAGE.

SPECIAL WARE IN FOR CONVENTION

Everything in Readiness; Socialist Party Is Out of Debt

Preparations are being rushed for the Socialist convention May 10, and the United Press has agreed to run a wire to the convention hall to facilitate the handling of news.

Total Expenses, \$7,500. "Generally speaking, the locals no longer have the assessments which in their possession, the unused ones having been returned to the respective state secretaries, or should be positively returned on April 30th.

Enemies Would Rejoice. "The entire membership will have cause for rejoicing if this big undertaking is carried to success. The absence of funds to pay the claim of just one delegate would put a handicap upon our campaign at the very start, and be hailed with joy by the enemy."

Taft Profanes Name of Dead. "The undertaker threatened to sue me, and out of what I could make from odd jobs, paid up the bill, \$5 at a time, paying the last of it in February. I'm two months behind in my dues to the Truck Drivers' union."

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TODAY IS LAST DAY FOR MAN CHICAGO SALOONS

BIG 'L' MERGER BEING PLANNED

Samuel Insull at Head of Parties to Unite All Lines. Samuel Insull, president of the Commonwealth Edison Company, is engineering a gigantic plan to consolidate the elevated railroads of Chicago.

TRIBUNE SEEKS JOB FOR ONE. (Continued from Page One.) low contemplated the lake or the river as a means of escape from the wretchedness of his condition, and since he was unable to banish the distressing case from his mind.

He Does I. Unasked. "Unasked, I contributed from my own purse a sum of money toward the purchase of a ticket for a Sunday morning breakfast and bade him take heart and trust to the proverbial cloud with the silver lining.

After a search a reporter for the Tribune found the man described to be Conroy. Conroy was unclean or unwilling on account of pride to plead his case with the eloquence displayed by his benefactor.

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REFORM WAVE IN OKLAHOMA

Democratic Governor in Remarkable Proclamation to People

(Special to the Daily Socialist.) Guthrie, Okla., May 1.—That there may be thorough organization for the purpose of demanding constitutional amendments, Governor C. N. Haskell, the Democratic Executive of this State, in a remarkable proclamation has made Thursday, May 7, a legal holiday. On this day the people are exhorted to work for these things: First, the election of Senators by direct vote; second, the legalization of the income tax; third, the making constitutional of the employers' liability law.

This action of the governor is made all the more significant by the wonderful growth of Socialism in the state. The proclamation is regarded as a move to keep disaffected Democrats in the band wagon.

Text of Proclamation.

The proclamation says in part: "Shall the creatures of God or the creatures of the legislature rule the country?"

"The past and the present warn us—the general government must be brought nearer the people.

"Bring the United States senate nearer the people, that just laws may be given us."

"Such as to define the duties and render wholesome the administration of the executive and judiciary."

"All pledges of future action are stale with age and the path of the past strewn with wrecks of the people's fondest hopes."

"Loud acclaim and fierce denunciation still leave the people with empty hands."

"THE PEOPLE MUST ACT!"

"WHEN? NOW!"

"AMEND THE FEDERAL CONSTITUTION."

"HOW?"

"(a) ELECT UNITED STATES SENATORS BY DIRECT VOTE."

"(b) LEGALIZE AN INCOME TAX."

"(c) MAKE CONSTITUTIONAL AN EMPLOYER'S LIABILITY LAW."

"(d) Cease to interrupt the states in regulation of carrying charges within the state and the prohibition of merging of competing common carriers."

"(e) Leave to every state the right of its own people to enforce morality and protection to honest labor, without federal aid being given the enemy of both."

"Wants All to Meet."

"That, with the suspension of all legal business, our people may assemble and confer together, I urge that all advocates of good government—

"The farmers in their lodge rooms.

"The commercial clubs in their halls.

"The laborers in their unions.

"All societies for the promotion of morals and intelligence.

"All you who believe that the Laborer is worthy of his hire; that the home is sacred and domestic happiness should be promoted—

"May so assemble, and adopt resolutions demanding your congressmen and senators' support of these five amendments to the constitution, and before you rest, mail your resolution to Washington.

"Go after reforms in a practical man-

ner—all promise and no results discredit your sincerity.

"Your duty done, let us pray that beyond our own small state, break, alone in this fight for good government that our sister states throughout the union may add their power."

"Let us hope that from ocean to ocean the voice of such people assembled in every community, in every state, may add its command."

"DO IT NOW! ACTION, DEFERRED IS OPPORTUNITY LOST."

Twenty-Seven States.

Accompanying the proclamation is a copy of the resolutions adopted by twenty-seven states bearing upon the necessity for constitutional amendments. Governor Haskell suggests that these resolutions be adopted by the people of Oklahoma. The preamble in part reads: "Whereas in the Constitution of the United States it was contemplated that lapse of time and changing conditions would necessitate amendments of and additions to the original document, and therefore the making of amendments and additions thereto were provided for."

"Time has demonstrated that government by the people, of the people and for the people, cannot be obtained by the present method of electing the upper house of the legislative branch of the Federal Government, therefore an overwhelming majority of the people of the entire United States have in various conclusive ways given evidence of their desire that the Constitution should be amended, to the end that United States Senators may be elected by direct vote of the people of the respective states; to the end that our government in practice, as well as in theory, may justify the motto: 'Let the people rule.'"

MAN'S THIRD WIFE PAID FOR HIS SECOND'S BURIAL

St. Paul, Minn., May 1.—Eugene 20 years ago, reunited and re-engaged last August by an accidental meeting, married after the suicide of the husband's second wife, and the third wife now deserted, this is the strange story of the marital tangles of Eva and E. C. Gilbert, a traveling man, formerly of New York.

Two decades ago Gilbert met Miss Eva Plantow at La Crosse, and became engaged to her. They were about to be married, when Gilbert went off on a small spree, which put a finish to his marital plans. The girl broke the engagement and they drifted apart.

Both were afterward married. Gilbert's wife obtained a divorce, and several years later he married again. His second matrimonial venture was also unhappy. Last June, in Minneapolis, the second wife committed suicide.

In August Gilbert accidentally met her old sweetheart. They renewed their 29-year-old attachment and were married. During the short months of their engagement Gilbert borrowed \$150 to pay, so he said, the expense of his second wife's funeral.

Last Friday Gilbert disappeared. His wife says she has tried in vain to locate him, and the police have no clue to his whereabouts.

NAME SOCIALIST NOVELIST FOR COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT

(Special to the Daily Socialist.) Davenport, Ia., May 1.—George C. Cook, the novelist, has been nominated by the Socialists of Scott county as county superintendent of schools. Cook is a former educator, having been on the faculty at Iowa City and Leland Stanford University.

Cook and his wife recently became converts to the cause of Socialism. They reside on a farm at Buffalo, near here, where Cook has been at work this winter on a new Socialist novel.

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CLASS STRUGGLE AT HANNIBAL

Old Parties Put Up Only One Candidate in Ward Fights

(Special to the Daily Socialist.) Hannibal, Mo., May 1.—One councilman for each of the six wards will be elected in Hannibal on Tuesday, May 5th. The Democratic party, which has practically all the offices now, will have candidates in all wards except the third. The Republican party will have candidates in the First, Third, and Fourth wards. The old capitalist parties felt too kindly toward each other to get into a conflict, so they parceled out the city. In only two wards they have opposing candidates.

The issue is plain this year. There can be no excuse about "throwing away one's vote." In four wards it is a plain contest between the interests of the working class as represented by the Socialist candidate, and the interests of the exploiting class as represented by the Democrat or Republican candidate. The workers can win in every ward in the city if they will. They may vote for a enemy or their enemies—just as they choose.

Socialist Candidates.

The Socialist candidates are: First ward, James G. Stout, stone mason; Second ward, George Wessel, shoemaker; Third ward, W. W. Bingham, stone mason; Fourth ward, A. C. Gray, shoemaker; Fifth ward, J. D. Maples, carpenter; Sixth ward, John Conner, carpenter.

L. S. Edwards, of Oklahoma, is here for a few days just before the election, and the prospects look very favorable for a good Socialist vote.

Must Take Posters Down.

The Socialist organization here is in better shape than ever before. The local has its headquarters at 201 Market street, and nearly every night some of the members are to be found in the house with the red front.

The election for the Fifth ward will be held in the Socialist hall, with the stipulation that all the posters and placards calling on the "workers to unite at the ballot box," shall be taken down on election day.

Text of Platform.

The Socialists of this city are more active than they have been for years. After making a clear cut declaration for the principles of international Socialism, their platform makes the following pledges for local municipal reforms:

"The commercial interests of Hannibal are well organized. The members of the various clubs and associations realize the value of 'standing together' and boast that they have not a failure in their membership. The Socialists are not fools. They have never wasted any time 'trust-busting'; no trusts have been 'busted'; none will be 'busted'; where it is more profitable to combine, the laws can never make corporations compete. The Socialists have no criticism against the organization of the commercial classes. They call on the working class to go and do likewise."

Is More Powerful.

"The working class organized and acting as a political unit, is far more

powerful than the combined forces of capitalism. With the capitalist class in full charge of national and state government, and few powers delegated to cities, it will be impossible for Socialists to put Socialism into effect in a single city; but there are many things that may be accomplished for the benefit of the working class. Among such in our city these may be mentioned:

"All city work shall be done directly by the city, without the awarding of contracts, and under the direction of skillful engineers and commissioners."

"The establishment of parks for the people and play grounds for the children, where the few spare moments the workers have may be passed in wholesome pleasure and recreation. Hannibal's recreancy with the gifts of former citizens has given the most available of all park sites to a corporation for its private profit."

"All building permits for houses to be built for rental purposes shall provide that such houses shall be equipped with bath rooms and bath tubs."

Asks Reduction of Gas.

"Reduction of the price of gas: \$1.50 per thousand is robbery; one dollar would be high; eighty cents would be nearer right."

"Readjustment of electric light prices and discounts, so that the man in the cottage will not have to pay 27 percent more than the man in the mansion."

"Hearty support to the city schools, payment of decent wages to teachers, free text books, free clothing and free food to children. Above of all things, the education of the children."

"The use of the city's power and authority to give employment to the unemployed, paying union wages and depriving such work of the odium of 'charity.'"

Will Fight to Last.

"When constitutional and statutory authority (capitalist laws) will permit, the Socialist party pledges itself to take over all public utilities and operate them for the benefit of the whole people."

"Finally, we pledge ourselves to the support of every measure and every movement designed to benefit the great wronged class and will fight to the last ditch every movement directed to its injury."

ALICE WIDES TOO FAST FOR COP, BUT NOTHING HAPPENS

Washington, D. C., May 1.—Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, daughter of the president and wife of the congressman from Cincinnati, is the proud possessor of a high power electric automobile. She runs it here and sends up and down Pennsylvania avenue at a rate that makes persons turn and look at her. One of her daily drives is to take her husband to and from the Capitol.

The rate at which she travels has aroused the interest of Policeman Morris, of the Avenue squad, and he made application for a warrant to arrest her for violating the speed limit.

Assistant Corporation Counsel Pugh, who was asked for the writ of information, declined on the ground that the evidence submitted by Morris was inadequate. Now Morris walks his beat and eyes the street disconsolately.

CHIEF OF POLICE AND FARMER'S DAUGHTER ELOPE

Syracuse, N. Y., May 1.—George Cornelius, chief of police of Baldwinville, and Miss Lela Wilbur, the sixteen-year-old daughter of a farmer living near the village, have disappeared from their homes. Cornelius took his wife to the theater on last Friday night, but left before the performance was concluded. He could not be found when his wife returned home.

He was seen in Syracuse the following morning, when all trace of him was lost. Miss Wilbur and Cornelius, who is said to come from Indian forebears, were in each other's company not infrequently of late. Cornelius drew \$500 from the First National bank of Baldwinville on Friday afternoon. He has been chief of police for four years.

BLOW AT YOUNG REVOLUTIONISTS

Reactionary Measures Taken by German and Austrian Officials

(Special Correspondence.) Vienna, Austria, April 26.—Reaction is setting in here and throughout the German empire with peculiar strength. In both countries the students are the targets of legislation which seeks to prevent them from forming Socialist groups. This is done to stifle the enthusiastic interest which the students, with their thirst for information, are showing in Socialism. The officials both in Austria and Germany are putting restrictive regulations into effect.

In Austria, Gormann, the head of industrial technical education, is a bitter reactionary and the "Union of the Young Workers," a society recruited from the students, is facing a hard fight.

Hit by Secret Order.

A secret order issued by the government and just made public explains the cause of the discrimination which has been practiced against the young Socialists in the industrial schools. The order instructs the police to keep a close watch on the "Union of Young Workers." The police are further ordered to report to the school authorities, who are under German, the names of every official of the student organization so that these young men may be disciplined by the educational authorities.

The "Union of Young Workers" has taken the matter up with the Reichsrath. The Austro-Hungarian parliament will consider the police interference with their organizations.

Hard Blow in Germany.

In Germany the blow against Socialist student organizations is concentrated in the law recently passed which provides that persons who have not yet passed their eighteenth year may not be members of a political union, nor may they attend meetings of such unions, in as far as these are not social gatherings, nor any public political meetings.

Through this clause, which was voted by the parties opposed to the interests of the workers, it is intended to deal a blow at the young people's organizations.

FARMERS IN OHIO TO BE ARMED BY THE STATE

Columbus, O., May 1.—In the belief that it will not be necessary to call out the National Guard to repel invasions of night riders in the river counties if the tobacco growers have the means of defending their crops, Governor Harris is preparing to send guns to the Brown county farmers.

The state cannot loan the regular guard rifles, which are the property of the United States government, but will send seventy-five of the 45-caliber Springfield rifles put in use. To make this legal, bond for their return will be given and the farmers will be sworn in as deputy marshals.

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### Some Matters of Importance

### Appreciated in New York

In addition to the music contributed by Miss Alfonte, we shall have a vocal solo by Eirene Benziger.

The big New York meeting, where Lewis delivered his lecture, "Socialism and Science," sale of Lewis' books was \$80, a new recollection, Social and Organic, were sold. The total 22 copies of the De Luxe edition of "Evolution for the Metropolis."

The Garrick audience decided, by unanimous vote last Sunday morning, to request the managers to arrange the Lewis lecture tours for the Daily, so that he will be able to get in Chicago Sunday mornings and continue his lectures to the end of May. To this the Daily readily complied, and Lewis will, therefore, deliver three more lectures on the last three Sunday mornings of May.

People who know anything at all about the value of books are genuinely surprised when they see this edition and learn that it only costs one dollar. It should cost \$2.50, and would be cheap at \$2. The binder of this special edition attends the lectures and charges only for labor and raw material—leather, etc. Send your dollar to Arthur M. Lewis, care Daily Socialist, and he will see that it is mailed to you.

Remember, the doors open at the Garrick for the reception of the National Convention delegates, on Sunday morning, May 10, at 9 o'clock, so get up early and buy your seats in advance. Same price all over the house, 25c.

Orders are still coming in for pictures of the Garrick audience, and they are being sent out in mailing tubes. Send your quarter to address given in the above paragraph.

The magnificent musical program of last Sunday morning will be repeated (with different selections) on Sunday morning of May 17, when Lewis will resume the Garrick platform.

**Pledges on the Garrick fund not yet paid are now overdue and it is respectfully suggested they should be paid at the earliest convenience of the donors.**

### TRADE PAPERS CHIDE DAILIES

### Score Them for Garbling the News of the Financial Panic

(Continued From First Page.)

Improvement that has been gained since the first of the year has been lost and recent declines have spread a feeling of uncertainty again. It is admitted now by the National Conduit and Cable company that the supply of copper on hand is too large and that until consumption can increase at least to fifty per cent of normal there will be little change in the quantity produced. As a result of the depression the dividend of the United Copper company will not be returned.

Financial journals are commending the corporations for the diplomacy they have shown in liquidating labor. Hereafter, they state, periods of similar depression have been marked by strikes and friction between labor and capital, but this year the employers by shortening hours and discharging men instead of cutting wages. In these industries where the iron were organized have avoided any great labor strike, while the same results have been obtained by the employers.

Coal Mines Hard Hit. It is the consensus of opinion among the Atlantic seaboard trade, that the present conditions are much worse than have existed for many years. Present shipments are from fifty to sixty per cent less than those of last year. There seems to be no hope of improvement in the immediate future and until business is well advanced and orders for full deliveries begin to come in no change from the present dearth in the trade is expected.

less some improvement is made in the iron ore demand. The American Shipbuilding company reports almost no new work, owing to the depressed condition of the great lake region. Car and boat builders, almost without exception, state that they are doing nothing.

Railroad earnings for April are 16 per cent less than for the corresponding period last year. This is the heaviest decrease so far, reports since the depression began. Among the roads those that report a heavy decrease in earnings are the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific and the Illinois Central. The Chicago Car Service Association reports a decrease of 13,000 cars handled during the first three months of the year compared with the number handled last year.

From Indianapolis comes the statement that freight transportation is not improving and that the outlook is discouraging. There are but few major factories shipping the goods they usually do in the spring. Especially in this time of scarce work, live stock and cereal products. The number of cars handled during April show a heavy decrease from those handled at Indianapolis during the same month last year. Fallures for the first three weeks of April amount to \$11,500,000, and during the past week number 38.

Immigration is Small. Immigration continues to reflect the depression. During March the immigration was 190,000 less than in the same month last year. All money markets report a quantity of money speaking investment with little call for commercial purposes. Bank exchanges in New York were 31 per cent less than for the same week last year.

Bandits Laid Town and Shoot at Woman's Feet. Waterbury, Conn., May 1.—Four masked burglars robbed Beacon Falls, one killed and seven residents and five injured, here feet of Mrs. Joseph Black, the only person who dared to oppose them. The burglars got away before the town constabulary could be routed out. The burglars first robbed the High School of all the money in the bar, room and the proprietor's trousers. The proprietor, Victor Lingenhold, was awakened by the assault upon his neighbor, but he did not get into his room. Next they robbed the home of James Welch of a small sum in cash and a pair of gold spectacles. Five other houses were raided and finally the home of Joseph Black. As the robbers were departing, with Mr. Black's waistcoat and watch chain, Mrs. Black, a young bride, attacked them with a poker. Black had the sagacity to remain in bed.

### JOBLESS; KILLS SELF AND WIFE

### Bride and Groom Die Together in Desperate Suicide Pact

(Special to the Daily Socialist.) Lynn, Mass., April 23.—There are just three roads left open to a starving man in a panic. They are—beg, steal, or die. Harry H. LeBaron, 49½ Bridge street, chose the latter. He and his seventeen-year-old wife died together in a suicide pact. He had been out of employment since the latter part of December when the firm that he worked for had been hit by the panic. Since then he had looked for employment in vain. He was only seventeen himself, and as times grew worse and worse the two young people became desperate. In mutual agreement they decided to end all.

Enacts Double Tragedy. The young bride of only a few months laid down on the bed, opened the front of her garments to the heart which beat so fondly for one who was about to end forever their earthly careers, and waited the fatal shot. This done the youthful husband placed the weapon on his own breast, fired and two young souls went where there was no profit system.

When the medical examiner arrived he examined the contents of some unsealed letters in quest of an explanation of the tragedy and a perusal of the hastily written lines solved the mystery and showed beyond question that the whole tragedy was premeditated and pre-arranged by mutual agreement between them. "Please have this covered on the paper." "Leave the desk in the corner were several letters, written in farewell by the girl. Beside them laid an embroidered dress front on which was pinned the following pathetic note: "Please have this covered on the paper. I am to be buried in as it is the dress I am to be married in. Lovingly EDNA."

since then, but no steady employment. Last night Harry had said that unless he heard from a position which he hoped to get from his brother-in-law in Boston, he should make way with himself, as there was nothing to live for without work.

KAISER RAPS AT HEINE; GERMAN LIBERALS INDIGNANT. Berlin, May 1.—A report that the Kaiser intends to remove from the grounds of Achilleion Villa in the island of Corfu, which he purchased more than a year ago and has had reconstructed as a resting place, the statue of Heine, erected there by the late Empress Elizabeth of Austria, was formerly the subject of a subject made by the National Zeitung, has started sharp criticism in Liberal and Democratic quarters. The controversy concerning Heine's position as a poet and a man never ceases in Germany, and the Kaiser's alleged intention is regarded as an indication that he takes sides with the anti-Heinists. The fact that Heine's works are the Socialist favorite's storehouse of quotations is assumed to have influenced the Kaiser.

William, it is stated, proposes to commission Professor Hartner to design a temple in memory of the Empress Elizabeth who was assassinated by the anarchist Lucheni at Geneva in 1898, to be erected on the site of the deposed emperor's monument. The comment on the Kaiser's intention is that the Kaiser's act is typical. It declares that the Kaiser's act will cause the utmost astonishment throughout the civilized world.

N Y WOMAN TO START HUMMING-BIRD RANCH. New York, May 1.—Would you believe these women could train humming-birds into nice affectionate pets, so that if one stroked their hair the right way they would purr and come to the door wagging their tails, when you return home after a long, hard day in the office? You would not.

CLOT ON NEGRO'S BRAIN CAUSES HEAD TO SWELL. Cincinnati, Ohio, May 1.—Although only a colored laborer, Myers Harrison is today the prize patient at the City Hospital. When he was admitted last Thursday there was nothing unusual about him, but in the last twenty-four hours his head has swelled to three times the normal size.

### JEROME SCORES N. Y. PAPERS

### District Attorney Says Advertisers Control Them Absolutely

(Special to the Daily Socialist.) New York, April 23.—Members of the British embassy and a large number of prominent New Yorkers who were guests at a dinner given by the St. George society here, were treated to a bolt of plain speaking by District Attorney Jerome. He had not been scheduled for a talk, but Police Commissioner Bingham who was to have responded to the toast, "Our City," delegated Jerome to take his place. Jerome was looked on with deference by many of those present, but he arose and declared that Democratic government would never work in the United States unless government by the newspapers was abolished.

Venial Persons Control. He said that the New York newspapers were controlled for the most part by venial persons and that more than one blackmailier had been produced in the offices of the same papers. He further said that the columns of a paper he would go to the big advertising department stores who could stop any article.

Advertisers Control Papers. "I recently sat next to a great critic at a musical performance," he said. "I am not much of a musician, but I can sing. This great critic told me that his criticisms were blue pencilled in the office because of the advertising end of the paper. Ask any publisher and he will tell you that the literary criticism of books is determined by the space of his advertising, and this is what is supposed to be public opinion. It creeps into our minds unconsciously and we find that we have settled beliefs with no settled reasons to support them. We accepted the facts as true, and only when we happen to

inquire do we find out how wrong we are.

Many Inside Deals. "The leading publications of this city are dictated to by the counting rooms. A great paper in this city, that on its editorial page pleaded for virtue, a year ago, printed 50 per cent of the abortion advertisements. Another of our great papers investigated one of its men went up to Maine and looked around and then he returned and went to the president of the company and he said to him, 'I have got an option on a little ice, don't you want to buy it?' That was in 1894, when ice was scarce and they might have been glad to get it. At any rate they put a price on that ice that netted the young man \$5,000."

HOOT! HOOT! "ANDY" SINGS A COON SONG. New York, May 1.—Andrew Carnegie sang to the Vagabond club at its luncheon here in the grill of the National Art club. Carnegie went to the Vagabonds' Monday night, sitting next to Dr. Eppihandus Wilson and Lauverick, the artist, caught all of the darts of wit and hurled them back. "Finally all eyes were turned on Carnegie. He arose and told a story of a negro gentleman down in South Carolina. 'And this was the song he sang,' said Carnegie: 'Hoist de haggie from morn-rn to night; Fintan haggie grow'n all an'-r'-vorn; Naught but wor-kr in de same ole grovn; Naught but steel when de price an' down, Hoist, but it a sair 'r' quit ole Joseph. When massa's in de cole, cole \* \* \* Carnegie may have found a word to sing with night, but if he did he was a wonder."

MEN ACCUSED OF ROBBING INMATE OF POORHOUSE. Philadelphia, Pa., May 1.—"This is the meanest case of thieving I have ever heard of," said Magistrate Carey here when two young men were arraigned before him, charged with picking the pockets of an inmate of a poorhouse. The prisoners are Edward Kelly, 39 years old, of Spring Garden street, above Twelfth, and Thomas Edwards, 22 years old, who lives in East Haines street, Germantown. Their alleged victim is Charles Brockie, who is an inmate of the Oxford poorhouse.

LABOR WANTS MEMBER OF PORTO RICAN HIGH COUNCIL. San Juan, P. R., May 1.—The Executive Council, consisting of five members, has been made up of two Unionists, two Republicans and one Independent, all natives. There are now three vacancies, one of each party. The governor's intention is to eliminate the Independent from the council and to appoint two Unionists, making three of that party. The American Federation of Labor has petitioned Governor Ford to retain the Independent and has submitted the names of three Independents from whom to make a choice.

### WOMAN HUNGRY; SWEEPS STREETS

### Is Taken From Crossing by London Police, but Is Released Later

(Special Correspondence.) London, April 29.—A delicate, well-dressed woman, small of stature and with a pretty face, was sweeping the crossing at Waterloo Place the other morning. A crowd collected, and a policeman presently arrested her and brought her to Bow street police court on the charge that she was "wilfully and persistently causing an obstruction." She was released on promising not to repeat the "offense."

Sought Honest Work. Her case is somewhat curious, and the London papers have taken it up in order to prove how impossible it is for a cultivated and experienced woman to get honest work at these times. Her name is Annie Briggs, and how she has managed for the last three months to sustain life on two shillings a week is expatiated on by the press.

IN REPUTATION, SENATOR BAILEY OFFERS TO SELL OUT. Austin, Tex., May 1.—In a public speech before Senator J. W. Bailey denied the reports that he is a millionaire or half a rich of trust. He offered to sell for \$100,000 the property he owns in Texas except 60 acres of land and to give the \$1,500 to charity. He did not reply to the question of a person in the audience, as to the value of his stock farm in Kentucky and the stock he holds in outside corporations. PROHIBITION WAVE FLOATS INTO MICHIGAN MEXICO. City of Mexico, May 1.—The legislature of the State of Michoacan, sitting at Morelia, has just passed a law prohibiting the sale of liquor by the drink. It can only be sold by the bottle.

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Internationalism

The first of May has come to be a sort of International stock-taking day in the working class movement.

Each year, as the fight upon the working class grows fiercer and wider, the solidarity that reaches across national boundaries becomes more pronounced.

The organized expression of this fact—the Socialist movement—grows in a corresponding degree. Today that movement has invaded almost every nook of the world's surface.

Within the circle of those languages that rule the world of capitalism the literature of Socialism has become almost completely interchangeable. A book written in Italian, German or French is serving as a work of propaganda in an English, American, or Scandinavian election within a few months after its appearance in the original language.

Only in the realm of a few sciences is there an equal interchange of international thought. Yet the Socialist movement is a working-class movement. It is not composed of university trained linguists and scientists.

This same international solidarity is sounding the coming of the day when wars shall cease to be. More and more the workers are learning that a member of the working-class, in whatever country he may be, is a friend, and that a capitalist, whether under the same or another flag, is an opponent.

That the capitalists themselves set profits above patriotism, has been proven so often that it is scarcely worth a reference. There has never yet been a war when the capitalists of either country would not sell powder and ball to the enemy if a profit could be made thereby.

Internationalism can be built on none other than a working-class basis. In fact, nothing substantial can be built on anything else. Just as the workers are the foundation of industry, so they are the hope of international peace.

Just in proportion as this fact is recognized, just in proportion as the knowledge of the common interests of the workers of the world becomes recognized, JUST IN PROPORTION AS THE LABORERS OF THE EARTH BECOME CLASS CONSCIOUS DOES THE DAY OF UNIVERSAL PEACE DRAW NEARER.

Saving the Home

Every minister who has been preaching anti-Socialist sermons during the past year should devote next Sunday to a discussion of the way present society maintains the home.

More than half the population of Chicago are forced to change the location of their home each year. The birds of the air will come back to the same tree year after year to build a nest, but the human species in the great city flits from cave to cave in the brick and wooden cliffs that border our streets until all idea of a permanent home has disappeared.

Free Speech in Philadelphia

That not quite all present day judges are ready to constitute their offices at the bidding of the ruling class and to destroy those fundamental rights for which capitalists fought when they were attaining power, and which they now seek to destroy when they are being used by the workers, is shown in the action of the Philadelphia magistrate who denounced the police for breaking up a Socialist meeting.

ADVENTURES OF A. CON CLERK — HE GETS HIMSELF ARRESTED.



A. Con Clerk (to himself)—This is the last step. If I don't get a job today I will blow out by brains and end it all.



Policeman—You'll get life for this, you anarchist! A. Con Clerk—Alas, alas, my grandsons bold, I am lost because of a lack of gold.

THE SYSTEM—DEBTOR, ONE GIRL

BY LEWIS G. DE HART.

Carrying a breath of flowers and green fields, the April breeze whisked playfully around the Girl, toying with her brown curls and making the good-bye all the harder to say.

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Tomorrow. There are wonderful things we are going to do. Some other day. And harbors we hope to drift into.

Habit Reigns. An old liarling unable to find his umbrella one evening when it was time to close, returned, and looked anxiously for it in the card catalogue under the letter U.