

FEDERATION BRYAN'S WILSON

Chicago Unionists Follow Gompers After Hot Socialist Debate

Regardless of the record of the Democratic party and the position the Democratic officials and the Democratic press of the south are now taking in regard to the striking coal miners in the Birmingham district, Bryan adherents and Democratic politicians at the Chicago Federation of Labor yesterday afternoon showed their praise of Bryan and the platform he stands upon.

A long communication from the officials of the American Federation of Labor, which was read, caused a heated debate between the Democrats and Socialists. The Socialists who have always remained quiet during discussions concerning the "political action" program yesterday considered it the proper time to say the proper words.

Arguments Start Early No sooner had Secretary Nockels finished reading the long circular letter setting out what the Democrats did, what the Republicans refused to do and not mentioning what the Socialists offered without being asked, than Delegate Schwab of the Switchmen's union said: "Now about Birmingham and the A. R. I. strike in 1904."

John Flora of the Carpenters' union then said: "I am instructed by the local which I represent to vote against the political recommendations of the American Federation of Labor. I am not here as a Socialist or as a representative of any other political party, but as a representative of the Carpenters' union, which with about 20 members has always remained quiet."

The motion under discussion was that the communication be received and the recommendations of the American Federation of Labor be accepted. The motion was carried, but there was no official action taken toward naming the friends and enemies.

Early in the discussion President Fitzpatrick warned the speakers to be very careful of their utterances, as there was present a certain reporter, who, he said, has been making it a business to twist everything that is said to make political capital for his boss. President Fitzpatrick did not say who the reporter was nor what paper he represented, but proceeded to denounce him in scathing terms.

Keir Hardie

Perhaps you remember reading in the capitalist papers a short while ago what purported to be an interview with Keir Hardie, in which the great English Socialist and labor leader was quoted as praising Samuel Gompers for his political alliance with Bryan.

Well, American Socialists thought it queer that Hardie should take such an attitude and refused to believe the story. It now turns out that the interview was a pure fabrication. Not only is Keir Hardie now on his way to the United States to speak for the Socialist party but he has written a powerful article expressly for the Daily Socialist in which he tells why Debs is right and Gompers wrong.

This article by Keir Hardie was received by the Daily yesterday. It will be published in the LABOR DAY SPECIAL, appearing at just about the time that American newspapers will be full of lying "interviews" with the great British commoner.

Can you afford to miss the opportunity of placing the Labor Day Special in the hands of all your neighbors and fellow workers? If you DO YOUR PART others will DO THEIRS, and the Labor Day Special will make thousands of Socialist converts and bring that much nearer the day of INDUSTRIAL FREEDOM.

Think it over and then ACT AT ONCE. No time is to be lost now. There are two things you can do: First, you can order a bundle and distribute them yourself. You can order them by the thousands and get boys to distribute them.

Second, you can join with other Socialists or get your local to make a wholesale order. The price of the Labor Day Special will be FIFTY CENTS PER HUNDRED. Whatever you do, DO IT QUICKLY. Don't swamp your paper with orders at the last moment. It all depends on YOU. DO SOMETHING TODAY.

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SAYS POLITICS IS TO BLAME FOR RACE RIOT

Socialist Who Witnessed Mobbing Gives General Version of Carnage at Springfield

BY JACOB PANKEN (SPECIAL TO THE DAILY SOCIALIST) Springfield, Ill., Aug. 18.—The race riot in Springfield was caused by the Republican officials, who sought, for political purposes, to delay the trials of negro offenders until after the election.

It seems as if the politicians here, hoping to gain the negro vote, have juggled with the law somewhat. A special grand jury was called some time ago to indict a colored man accused of killing a white man, the father of a girl alleged to have been assaulted by the negro. According to the report the father was stabbed to death by the negro, whom he caught in his daughter's room.

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CIVILIZATION (?) A LA SPRINGFIELD!



POOR EAT FROM GARBAGE HEAPS

Whole Families Live Entirely on Scraps From Buffalo "Dumps"

(SPECIAL TO THE DAILY SOCIALIST) Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 18.—Scrawny birds of prey feeding on carrion present a pleasant picture compared with that of human beings gathering food and household goods from the garbage piles of a great city. This spectacle of whole families hunting with the utmost care for scraps which others have thrown out into alleys and swill pails can be seen in Buffalo at any of the city dumps.

The particular dump on the east side of the city is a study in the household economy of the very poor. In the early morning when the wagons are unloading their unsavory freight the hordes of the very poor are gathered to the scene. Whole families come, and pieces of broken china, another child finds the head of a French doll, or merely the legs, or a piece of the body. Sometimes the mother finds a very juicy vegetable, and she is proud.

Sometimes the children find a tin can, a piece of broken china, another child finds the head of a French doll, or merely the legs, or a piece of the body. Sometimes the mother finds a very juicy vegetable, and she is proud. The children find toys sometimes—two live children whose food does not come from the garbage heaps have thrown away.

The hunt begins. Sometimes the mother finds a savory morsel, not too moldy for "treatment" to make it into food. Again the father finds part of an old chair. One of the children finds a piece of broken china. Another child finds the head of a French doll, or merely the legs, or a piece of the body. Sometimes the mother finds a very juicy vegetable, and she is proud.

USE PAPER TO URGE DISORDER

Birmingham Free Lance Makes New Incendiary Call to Riot

Birmingham, Ala., Aug. 18.—The Birmingham Free Lance, a newspaper, or being published by the mine operators while the strike is on, is still raving in an effort to keep the spirit of disorder aroused. It wants the citizens of Alabama to rise up and drive the union miners and the union officials from the district. The authorities evidently are doing nothing to suppress it for its incendiary preaching.

Issue No. 16 of this paper, claiming to be an "extra" edition, is out. The Free Lance is trying to organize mass meetings in Birmingham to arouse feeling against the strikers, and is no doubt allowed the use of the mails to other places in the Birmingham district.

In Flaming Headlines "Go to the mass meeting; drive out the directors of dynamites, assassins and guerrillas," it says in flaming headlines. Then for more appeal which follows in regular reading form the following paragraphs are taken:

"This is no time to play to the political tides. It is no time to serve breakfast-food dishes. It is the time for burning words, meat for those who see damnable destroyers of the district driven hence. Bankruptcy confronts many business men who are innocent of any offenses. The Free Lance declares that there will be no compromise and that there shall be continued war. Under the sub-head of 'No Compromise' the article appeals to the citizens of the district not to ask for peace but to lay the foundation for drastic action."

WALSH'S ROADS FACING CRISIS

BALDWIN PLANS AN AERIAL LINE

Washington, Aug. 18.—At a banquet given him by the National Press Club tonight, Captain Thomas S. Baldwin, who has just delivered a dirigible balloon to the United States army at Fort Rye, announced that he had given a contract, soon to be signed, to construct airships for the aerial passenger line to ply between Philadelphia and New York, incorporated in Massachusetts about six weeks ago by Charles J. Glidden, famous as an automobilist and aviator.

The passenger airships will be of the present Baldwin type, semi-rigid, with gas bags of the latest vulcanized silk material, with balloon-bus and netting. They will be from 150 to 200 feet in length, and each will be capable of carrying twenty to thirty passengers or more. They will equal or even surpass the length of the Zeppelin airship recently destroyed, and consequently will be capable of carrying more passengers.

The number of airships to be constructed will not be determined until Captain Baldwin meets the representatives of the company at Boston. The idle railway men who have walked the ties, slept in cheap lodging houses and undergone great hardships, and those who are still wondering where the next meal will come from, will doubtless rejoice to know that the real cost of the panic has fallen on them. Their employers—the railroads—retrenched so that the reports for June and the fiscal year closed July 1 show that the railroads made money or suffered slightly.

Make Profits Anyway Reports of the Union and Southern Pacific for June and the fiscal year ended with June show the excellent progress that roads have made in bringing down their operating charges to conform to decreased gross earnings. The Southern Pacific, with a decrease of \$1,000,000 in its gross earnings in June, shows an increase of \$200,000 in its net earnings, owing to a heavy contraction in operating expenses. In the same manner the Union Pacific, with a decrease of \$1,500,000 in its gross earnings in the month, increased its net by \$100,000.

MOBBERS RENEW RIOTING; TROOPS ARE FIRED UPON

Springfield Battle Resumed at Midnight; Citizens in Combat With Soldiers

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 18.—As a finale, just as the officials here thought law and order had been restored, rioting has been resumed, and while it is improbable that it will develop into any degree of seriousness, the national guardsmen are making added effort to repel the offenders and protect the black element.

Firing upon the troops began shortly after midnight when a band of citizens massed at Eighth and Jefferson streets. A general night alarm went through the military camp and every militiaman was ready for battle within ten minutes. The troops, fired upon from ambush, returned the fire with such rapidity that the rioters took to their heels and fled to the woods.

Rush to Outlying Districts For two hours troops were rushed from the points of concentration to the outlying districts to quell outbreaks, and peaceable residents covered in their beds as volleys rang out through the city. Fire alarms came in in quick succession and several blazes were started. It was thought for a time that desperate attempts were being made to burn out what little remains of the negro quarters. Prompt action by the troops and firemen averted a conflagration. It developed that several of the alarms were false—being intended, doubtless, to draw the fire department away from the points of danger.

Fight Begins at Midnight About midnight Lieutenant Case of Company A, Fourth Infantry, with Sergeant Eison and Giles of the same company, were fired on at Fourteenth and Edward streets. Bullets tore up the dust at their feet. Lieutenant Ripley of Company E, First Infantry, was sent with a detail to assist them. The assailants could not be found, but as the detachment was returning to headquarters it was fired upon at Tenth and Washington streets, one bullet striking the scabbard carried by Lieutenant Hildgley and bending it badly. The persons who did the shooting were not found.

Several shots were fired on Cooke street, just a block from Lincoln's old home, and I Troop of the First cavalry was rushed to the scene. Members of Troop D were fired on at Fourteenth and Monroe streets, and an infantry detail was rushed to their support. General firing in the vicinity of the black belt, which was devastated Friday night, was heard for an hour or more.

In the eastern section of the city, patrolled by the First cavalry, there was heavy firing for a time, but, as far as could be learned, none of the Chicago troops was injured. None of the shooters was apprehended. Still another shooting occurred at Fifteenth and Ash streets. Negro's Brothers Taken Among the incidents that accumulated rapidly around midnight was the locking up of two negroes, George Richardson, the negro accused of assaulting Mrs. Mabel Hallam. Another negro taken to the jail for protection was Crawford Wilson, who was indicted by the grand jury on two charges of attempted assault. He has been out on bonds, but surrendered for fear a mob would be formed to attack him.

HUNGRY MEN ARE TO SEE RICH GARVORT IN CHICAGO'S HARBOR

The hungry, wretched, jobless men who sometimes gather on the lake front in Grant park will be invited to see the "Venetian Night" spectacle which has been arranged for the close of the Lipton cup races. Tomorrow night the weary job hunters will see the basin of Grant park filled with glistening sailboats, launches and auto-boats brilliantly lighted. A fire ship will also be a feature of the display. There will be elaborate fireworks.

ARAB ARMY IN NEW UPRISING

Paris, Aug. 18.—Reports from Algeria indicate that a new uprising is under way on the Algerian frontier, where an Arab army of 25,000 men is preparing to surprise the French posts located at Bechar and Bonanane. General Lyautey, high commissioner of the Algerian-Moroccan frontier, has arrived at O-omb Bechar and is organizing a column of 3,000 horsemen. The advance guard of the enemy is maneuvering near Bonanane. Government officials declare that the uprising to be the result of the agitation of Mulai Hafid's agents among the tribesmen at Tiliet and Hautguir.

ESPERANTO BREAKS INTO MASSACHUSETTS COLLEGES

Boston, Mass., Aug. 18.—Esperanto is to be added next fall to the courses of study in the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and also in Clark college, Worcester. The Ohio state senate, at the last session, passed a bill for the introduction of Esperanto into the high schools of that state. Eva Booth Victim of Heat Warsaw, Ind., Aug. 18.—Just after leaving the platform following an address before an audience of 2,000 at the Winona hotel, commander yesterday, Miss Eva Booth, commander of the Salvation army in the United States, collapsed from heat prostration. Her condition was such last evening that it was impossible for her to fill her engagement at the state conference.

ENDS FEUD OF 2,399 YEARS

Constantinople, Aug. 18.—It is announced that Persia has appointed a representative at Athens for the first time in 2,399 years. There are all nationalities. There are all ages, and when the hot, weather-borne and the promises are generated from the canned food, as the expressed food, there are uncomfortable times for the children. The grown-ups get sick sometimes, too, though they have become hardened, and a mother or a father goes, or a baby goes, and com-

RAILWAYS FIND WAY TO MAKE PROFIT DESPITE HARD TIMES

Applies Only to June For the fiscal year, however, the Southern Pacific's gross earnings were \$123,272,000, a decrease of \$2,894,000, and its net earnings, after deducting operating expenses and taxes, were \$44,650,000, a decrease of \$2,883,000. The Union Pacific's decrease was much lighter—\$292,000 in gross and \$1,192,000 in net earnings. The decrease of the two roads in net revenue over-operation was \$10,000,000. The statement issued by the management of the two properties says that no charges have been made for depreciation of equipment as contemplated by the new accounting methods of the interstate commerce commission.

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IS IT CRIME TO BE UNION HEAD?

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They are out on bond, and Sumner was this morning attending to his union duties as usual. They will have a hearing at the Kensington police station this afternoon.

WOODWORKERS' COUNCIL MEETING: The woodworkers' council will meet Wednesday, August 19, at 11 East Washington street.

Upton Sinclair: Are you familiar with the fifth and degeneration of the upper crust of society? You will find this latest attempt of Sinclair to be unequalled in the literature of muck raking.

Other Books by Same Author: The Jungle 75c & postpaid; Mannassas, 1.50; Kind Midas, 1.50; The Industrial Republic, 1.20; A Captain of Industry, 1.00.

FARMERS HOLD SOCIALIST FETE

Much Enthusiasm Is Shown at Big Picnic in Southern Illinois

A gathering of over a thousand people for an all day picnic, with four speakers, delivering altogether six lectures, is a phenomenon that cannot be shoehorned away from the excited race of capitalistic politicians by the waning of the hard.

The crowd was remarkably quiet and attentive. The principles of Socialism seemed to fall into ready minds. Echoes from the day indicate that hundreds of the farmers are ready to accept the Socialist coming into the Socialist ranks.

Want Pure Socialism: Many farmers will be stubborn this fall and will refuse to bow to the imperialist and dictatorial Bryan. That the farming communities are ready for the Socialist or agrarian as becoming clear all over the country.

Farmers to be Organized: Great stress will be laid on the organization of the farmers in the state of Illinois. The rural districts and the towns and cities throughout the state, by the hard work of the Socialist membership and officials in Illinois, have been prepared and are now ready to meet the definite and militant work for Socialism.

ST. LOUIS HEAT RECORD BROKEN

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 18.—The maximum temperature of 98 degrees was reached here yesterday, making a new record for the season. It marked the hottest day in August experienced by St. Louis in fifteen years. One death and one prostration were reported.

STREAMSHIP LINES WANT ROOSEVELT AS A PATRON

New York, Aug. 18.—Although it will be many months before President Roosevelt and his party start on their hunting trip to Africa, the question as to what route he will take is already agitating every big steamship line which stands ready to leave this port.

THE HUSTLERS' COLUMN

By W. H. Murphy

WHAT THE SUBSCRIPTION HUSTLERS DID YESTERDAY: New out-of-town subscribers 85; New city subscribers 9.

A GOOD CHANCE YET

Half of August is gone and the Hustlers have not as a whole exerted themselves to capture the prizes to be given to workers during the month. Those that have started have not built up a lead that could not be beaten if one were to start in right now.

Here are the prizes that are intended to call forth all of your ginger: 1. To the Hustler turning in the largest number of subscriptions or largest club card order, or a combination of both, during August, \$15 worth of any Socialist books advertised by the Daily.

THE LABOR DAY HUSTLERS

Always the Same Ones: The following have sent in more than one subscription to the Daily Socialist: Leon Delcourt, Frederic, Ill.; L. E. Leonard, Lima, Ohio; W. H. Brown, Grand Junction, Colo.; George Wright, Bensenville, Ill.; Mrs. H. Helm, Marshall, Neb.

Have a Chance to Win: Here are the sub. card orders. Watch one of these and one of those August premiums: N. O. Africa, Davenport, Ia.; W. H. Brown, Grand Junction, Colo.; L. E. Leonard, Lima, Ohio; W. H. Brown, Grand Junction, Colo.; George Wright, Bensenville, Ill.; Mrs. H. Helm, Marshall, Neb.

MARKETS

WINTER WHEAT—No. 1, 1.25; No. 2, 1.20; No. 3, 1.15. SALT—No. 1, 1.25; No. 2, 1.20; No. 3, 1.15. COPPER—No. 1, 1.25; No. 2, 1.20; No. 3, 1.15.

MUSICIANS WANTED

To go with Debs on Socialist Special Campaign Tour: More than the required number of applications and volunteers have been received from persons outside of Chicago, but residents of Chicago are preferred, owing to the saving of transportation.

OPENING SPEECH OF 1908 Campaign

A GOOD THING: Order now a bundle of the Debs Opening Speech. The best possible propaganda book since the early stages of the first campaign.

Clearance Sale

20 Per Cent Off on ALL SUMMER CLOTHING and MEN'S FURNISHING GOODS: UNION TAILORS. WE AIM TO PLEASE. 156-1564 W. 124 Street, S. E. Cor. Troy St.

Novels Away Below Cost

We used to publish novels, mostly of a character to interest people who are not quite Socialists, but "coming our way." A few of them are still on hand, and we desire to close them out at once to make room for real Socialist books.

AMUSEMENTS

POWERS' THEATER: HENRY MILLER, ASSOCIATE PLAYERS. The Serjant In The House: A POWERFUL PLAY MAKING A DIRECT appeal to the SOCIALIST.

Riverview

WHERE SOMETHING IS ALWAYS GOING ON: Riverview is even good for work. FEEL AND THAT "THREE FEELING" FOR IT HAS NO BOARD WALKS AND IS FILLED WITH NEW FREE SEATS AND 8,000 SHADES TREES!

CLASSIFIED

WHAT \$15.00 DID: A Comrade invested above and in an old well known time ago; today HE IS RECEIVING EVERY MONTH \$15.00 as DIVIDEND.

CONRADE STOCK AGENCY

HELP WANTED: MEN AND WOMEN AGENTS—YOU CAN MAKE GOOD MONEY. Large profits. See the book "A Physician in the House." Dr. J. St. Greer, 32 Dearborn St., Chicago.

TRADE SCHOOLS

WANTED—MEN TO LEARN BARBER TRADE: Few weeks required. Best paying work. Call or write WOLFER BARBER COLLEGE.

BUSINESS PERSONALS

FREE HOMESTEADS: FREE HOMESTEADS IN THE WESTERN STATES. Any person can have one. For full information send for free map.

Moyer's Songs of Socialism

Chicago Daily Socialist: 150 E. Washington Street. Socialist Buttons: We have the best and most complete line of gold plated and celluloid Socialist Buttons.

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Out-of-Town Business Directory

THE TRIUMPH FROM POVERTY: A book of 66 pages. Paper cover. Price 25 cents. "The New Financial System" Paper cover. Price 25 cents.

A Row of Books

READERS of the Daily. You are taking The Socialist because you have begun to THINK. You are no longer content to swallow the political children's fairy tales dished out to you by the supporters of the "too old parties."

Chicago Daily Socialist: 150 E. Washington St. Chicago, Ill. Socialism: A book of 124 pages, neatly bound in cloth cover. Every reader of the Daily Socialist should have one.

"Let Us Be Practical"

"You Socialists mean well, but you are a lot of impractical dreamers." This is almost the only argument offered by the defenders of the "reward-and-punish" policy.

METROPOLITAN REFLECTIONS

Maybe you have noticed that these August days are not like July, days. Perhaps there is just as much heat, and out in the street there is the same humdrum throng and the same clanging of street car bells and the same clatter of wheels, but in through the open door some mystic presence that proclaims to your inner consciousness that July has gone.

"Intellectuals" and "Proletarians"

We hear nowadays too much silly talk about "intellectual" and "proletarians." Some think that these terms mutually contradict each other. They seem to think that an intellectual cannot be a proletarian and a proletarian cannot be an intellectual.

A COLUMN FOR Socialist Farmers

ON WHICH SIDE?

A great political class struggle is coming in this country. It is already here, and will grow fiercer each year. This struggle is first seen in the cities. The wage workers and their employers are fighting for the mastery.

Stumbling Blocks for Farmers

In the Daily Socialist of August 1, 1908, there was an article, "A word to the farmer," looking for more effectiveness among farmers for the Daily Socialist, and it was stated that there would be introduced a department entirely for the interest of the farmer, and the farmer could speak for themselves in and through the Socialist.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

The Secret of Harmony

I am only a crystal. Without life or a power to function as those things of higher origin. I am known by the scientist as pure carbon, capable of being burnt to ashes, and by the idolater of adornment as the most precious of gems.

Wit and Humor

"Our credit man made a bad break yesterday." "What was it?" "He told a dumb man that his word was as good as his bond." -Detroit Free Press.

Socialist Cook Book

Green Corn Fudding. Green corn when fried as the colored cooks of Maryland and Virginia are accustomed to cook it makes a very delicious breakfast or luncheon dish. To prepare it cut some strips of fat bacon into dice and fry them a crisp brown, care being taken that they do not fry beyond the crisp stage, as that would mean a disagreeable tinge of burnt flavor.

It Is Your Turn Now

The "old guard" has responded splendidly to the call for help. The same ones that have come to the rescue of their paper over and over again have come once more and have STARTED a movement that, IF CARRIED THROUGH, will mean a bigger, better paper for the campaign than we have ever had before.

TO THE EDITOR

INVITE THE DISHONEST RICH Who are slaves? Under the present system of slavery I contend that everybody is a slave. Why not invite our parasites, the rich, who did not earn their riches and who owe every human being to share with us the coming great, divine socialism? Why not give every honest and disinterested man, woman, and child a share of the wealth of the world?

Green Corn and Peppers

An extremely appetizing and attractive dish can be made of green corn and peppers. Remove the seeds from the peppers and boil them in salted water for twenty minutes. Take from the water and chop fine. Boil the ears of corn in the same water and when tender remove the corn from the cob thoroughly. Melt one tablespoonful of butter in a saucepan and add the chopped peppers and the corn pulp, with a seasoning of salt. Heat thoroughly and stir frequently to prevent scorching. Serve on round, flat dishes, the mixture placed on each in a compact little pyramid shape, with the garnish of a sprig of parsley.

For Home Dressmakers



GIRL'S AND CHILD'S BOMBERS. Paris Pattern No. 2464 All Sizes Allowed.

Nothing is more useful for the play hours of every girl than one of these little all-over garments, which may be worn with or without a dress. Developed in red-and-white checked gingham, the full waist gathered to a shaped yoke-band, cut out in square Dutch outline and trimmed with narrow white cotton braid, it is very stylish. The short sleeves are gathered into narrow bands of the material, and these and the belt are trimmed with the braid to match the yoke-band. A unique feature of this pattern is the elastic bloomers, which are gathered into tight bands around the knees, and attached to the waist under the belt. The pattern is in a size 4 to 8 years. For a child of 5 years the regulars require 3/4 yards of material 27 inches wide, or 2 1/2 yards 36 inches wide; 3/4 yards of braid. Price of pattern, 10 cents.

The Rancher

Well, well! Has it come at last? The Rancher is going to have a chance to say something in a Socialist paper. I am surprised beyond measure. I know a Socialist Rancher who went to the city and went into a Socialist business political meeting, and they made a motion to exclude all men who were not working men. He got up and said "What! send me out, a Rancher?" and they concluded after talking the matter over to let him stay.