INCITE TROUBLE

Americans Seem Eager to Make a Bloody Example of the Islanders

oldest device known to representative

Thereupon President Taft sent in recommendation to congress asking that the Foraker act under which Por

Blames Spain for "Graft"

lump and a half on the Porto Rica: and efficient sor, and that therefore Weshington chould rule over them and teach them American honesty and good wernment. Such an attitude is child hly hypocritical when the revelation the Standard Oil graft letters to Sen ator Foraker and others are remem bered. Among other things Patterson says of the Porto Ricans:

"Extravagance and graft were to be expected from a people brought up un-der the Spaulsh system, but President Taft, as he showed in his message. rightly takes the ground that the with holding of all appropriations and an al-tempt to make the supplies for the gov-

Gloats Over "Suppression"

the island by a resort to arms.

"Now that Mr. Larrinaga, who officially represents the island government, has expressed his opinion that if congress takes the action recommended by the president there will be an immediate revolution, it is almost certain president Taft will be backed up, and if the Posto Vicasa want a revolution. If the Porto Ricans want a revolution and want to see how Americans can suppress one they will be wiser a few onths hence than they are now."
Alfred Henry Lewis in this morning's
Examiner tells a different story. Here

some things he says:

"Splashed With Crimson"

splashed with crimson. It will grow out of congressional action on yester-day's message from Mr. Teft. That and

The hig peace conference is worth remembering. Upon its white immediate heels Mr. Taft—who's for peace—sends a mersage to congress as full of toryism as any ever penned by Ibrd North for George III, which with unfeeling eve upon the helpless Porto Ricans says in effect:

"Arrange what legislation is necessary in order to rob them, with a provise to kill them if they kick about it."

Points Out Hypocrisy

"And we, as Americans, talk of 'no instation without representation' and prate of 'liberty.' Were I looking for hypocrisy I wouldn't have to leave the country. However, on with the dence! Let us oppress and take life at a profit. The blood of an allen is of no more national importance than so much pokeberry juice, whereas his money is good in the bazaars."

PIOE COMMISSION PLAN OF GOVERNMENT IN MINOT, N. D.

Minto, N. D., May 12,-The co sion form of city government was adopted here yesterday by ten votes. The present council, which took office a month ago, will be succeeded by the commission in twenty days.

CALL ISSUED TO **ALL SOCIALISTS**

All party members and others inter-sted in the future of the Chicago Daily ocialist are urged to attend a mass secting in the Y. P. S. L. hall, 180 East

westing in the I. P. S. L. hall, 180 East Washington street, Sunday, May 16, at 2:30 o'clock.

At this meeting the best methods to conble the circulation of your paper in Cook county will be discussed. The sarty membership in the county must leside what the future of the paper will has

COUNCIL ORDERS HIGHER AWNINGS FOR BIG HATS

ings must go, if they interfere with the ladies' headgear. A three or four story hat, or even a Masonic Temple of the city and it is not even necessary to take off the mountainous indecorative chapeaux in the theaters Alderman Lipps was the man who iscovered the reason for the "squatty" He also thought higher awnings would be of benefit to tall men and to those who wear theater and slik hats.

Therefore, the aldermen propose inches above the sidewalk level. Just to show that the aidermen are on the square' with the women, they fixed a penalty of \$5 to \$100 for every awning owner who falls to elevate his sunshade within five days after getting notice to do so.

SHELVE WARREN; PARTY FEARED

U. S. Dreads Socialist Sentiment and Delays Sentence Till November

of popular feeling in his favor after was convicted.

for a new trial until the November

This makes the fifth postponement in the case and it is quite evident that the court is not anxious to follow up the verdict by pronouncing sentence. It is feared by the government that after the outrageous verdict which the rock-ribbed Republican jury rendered against Warren a sentence at this time would be interpreted by the public as an attack unon a free press by the government.

be—and I think the need will come logical conclusion the outrageous trial y are to be properly given ball, forms a striking commentary on the net and butt to teach them to lie whole situation. It is an anamoly in whole situation. It is an anamoly in jurisprudence that a court should re-fuse to sentence a man convicted by due process of law, but the govern-ment in trying to let go of Fred War-ren cares little for anamolies in juris-prudence or anything else. Its sole de-

Government Fears Socialism

The Socialists are in high gice at the

HOME-BREAKER

Within half an hour after the postal committee's strick order was issued the cry of "Vive la Greve!" reached the cry of "Vive la Greve!" reached most of the postal bureaus in Paris, and everywhere that part of the force present ceased work.

At the Gare de Lyon abandonment of the first and foremost consideration of their posts by the traveling mail clerks caused an immediate stoppage of all mail southward. Elsewhere great difficulty was experienced in getthe first and foremost consideration of legislation, has fallen by the wayside. Darwin Z. Curtiss, a member of the Michigan legislature from the city of Detroit and an avowed "husiness" candidate, backed by all the "respectables," was asked to leave the assembly hall and never return, because of alleged improper relations with the wife of Sidney Hall of Bay City, who is the journal clerk of the house. When Hall came down the airle of the house to his duties he observed

GENERAL STRIKE IS ON IN FRANCE

Complete Tie-Up Is Expected; Quick Action Is Taken by the Workers

operal strike is an accomplished fact, General Federation of Labor

to the essential, vital and permanent interests of the nation itself."

Must Not Resume Work

menceau was carried into the hall amid hoots and feers, and the premier was denounced in violent terms, "You are fightlug for liberty of opin-

"CAUGHT WITH THE GOODS"

SOCIALISTS WIN FINLAND AGAIN

Elect Eighty-Four Members of Diet and Poll 320,000 Votes in Election

BATTLES OF THE BAILROADS

and Investors' association, 233 Railway Exchange building, organized Septem-ber 14, 1968, for the purpose of promot-ing the "successful and profitable" op-eration of American railroads for the ot care to become members.

An application blank is being sen

out to the employes. The applican must pledge his co-operation and pay an initiation fee. This fee is 25 cents for employes receiving less than 31

The principal function of the organ ization is supposed to be to oppose the head of teh association.

From appearances it looks like a scheme to make the employes fight the battles of the railroads.

ANOTHER REDUCTION IN THE PRICE OF STANDARD OIL

New York, May 12 .- The Standard Oil company today announced another 5-cent reduction in the price of crude oil, bringing it down to \$1.68 a barrel.

CAPTAIN HAINS FOUND GUILTY

Convicted of Manslaughter in First Degree; A New Trial Is Sought

C. Hains Jr., U. S. A., today faces i pitted by the defense as tending to

will be submitted on Monday, the time

rary to law, but the unguarded jury eature is the only departure from the

Daniel O'Reilly of counsel for the de

Hans Takes Verdict Calmly

tions result
Capt. Hains stood up and faced the jury, squaring his shoulders, thrown hack in military fashion, while Foreman Sundling recited the verdict. As he heard the decision of the jurors has feel are in the face of the jurors has feel are in the face of the jurors had been are smuggled in for use on the rall-ways.

"Those fellows will not get in here," said Secretary Hanson of the Lake seamen's union. "We will take care of that it is a staring at the jury, after he heard the verdict. Then one of his lawyers to Canada, and even then, if the men are signed, they will be amenable to touched him and he quietly sat down. A few moments later, apparently litterated by the verdict, he walked from the courtroom with a steady stride

SMUGGLING 800 TO CRUSH LABOR

Lake Carriers' Association Arranges for Norsemen to Come to America

ed in the office of the Chicago Dally Socialist, the report being originally "Eight hundred Norwegian sailors,

mostly from the eastern part of the contracts to sail on the great lakes." It would appear that the Lake Car-

riers' association is preparing to evade men from Christiansand, Nor-Canadian laws are not so strinthe Carriers' association to take the men to a Canadian port, such as Windsor, opposite Detroit, or Sault Ste. Marie, Canada, where the boats can pick up all the men on the Canadian side and then open up the lake seasonfull blast, leaving the Lake Seamen's union out in the cold.

In Defiance of Laws

The Lake Carriers' association was reli informed as to the industrial de-ression abroad and took full advantage of that situation to round up the eight hundred Norwegian, Swedish and Danish scamen in Christiansand for importation to Canada. The defiance of the laws by the Lake.

Carriers' association, however, did not stop at merely rounding up the men. Nearly all of them are already signed up to contracts to work on the lakes. It had been the hope of the scamer, when they struck that they would be protected by the contract labor laws. dangerous a business to try to run the lake boats with inexperienced hands, especially in such dangerous waters as the head of Lake Michigan, Lake Huron and St. Mary's river, as well as the shallow stretches of the from Duluth to Buffalo with an inexgetting experienced seamen.

Unconscious of Strike Trouble

The eight hundred men who have signed up are in all probability en-tirely unconscious of the fact that they are being brought over in violation of American laws as strikebreakers. The Lake Seamen's union has been awakened to the gravity of the situation by the report from Norway, and will probably make it its business to notify saliors in all foreign countries, through the International Seamen's union, that there is a strike on the great lakes and that any seaman signing contracts for work on the lakes will be placed in the position of a strikebreaker.

As soon as the word of the importa-

This is the most wholesale attempted importation of contract labor to take place in recent years. It is on a much larger scale than the small importations of Chinese labor now taking place along the Canadian and Texas boundaries, where only small parties are smuggled in for use on the rail-

Pittsburg, Pa., May 12.-After the exciting and wearing meidents of yesterfreshed. She is in good spirits and has regained much of her former vivacity. She arrived at the penitentiary last while all her other clothing and ornaments were taken from her. She awak-

at St. Zazaire on the government mail boats refused mail for transportation to the government possessions in the West Indies and walked out rather.

day, adjourned the debate on the interpellations on the postal situation until May 13.

The response was quick and decisive. The federal committee of the various postal employes' organizations voted immediately not to await the vote of the chamber of deputies on the interpellations. It launched an order to strike yesterday evening.

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The committee's decision was unanimously adn enthuciastically indorsed by a mass meeting held at the Hippodrome, which was crowded by 10,000 employes, whose right to be present was rigorously examined on entry.

The strike order was immediately obeyed, Railway letter sorters did not leave the Paris stations with the night's mail and various postomess were deserted by their staffs, including most of the letter and printed matter sorters from the head office, numbering more than 5,6.3.

Case Work Immediately

Cease Work Immediately

Bocialists Champion Strike

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During the debate in the chamber

MM Sembat and Willim Socialists, defended the position of the strikers, affirming their right to organize themselves into a syndicate as the only
way of redecasing their grievances, and
charging the government with failure
to keep its promises at the conclusion
of the previous strike, especially with
regard to the retirement of M Simyan,
under secretary of posts and relagraphs.

the strike complete.

The president of the committee de-clared that today not a letter must

mission of telegrams and letters in case

of a strike.

To Quit at Bordeaux

Bordeaux, May 12.—Six hundred por the tal employes at a meeting here last on alght voted to strike.

Bastia, Corsica, May 12.—The entire railroad system of Corsica is tied up as a result of a strike on the part of

REFUGEE GIVES FORCED CONSENT

A dispatch to the Chicago Political Refugee Defense league headquarters lows: turn to Russia given by the old man, Jan Buchels, who was arrested at Gifton, Manitoba, and who is admittedly a political prisone, was given under duress, and the league is preparing to fight the extradition from Canadian

Bucholz has been wired that if his consent is withdrawn a bitter fight will be made for him. Already the foreign office of the English government in London has been ontified of the case by the New York branch of the league and asked to interfere with the summary extradition of the prisoner. Allier, France, May 12.—The Socialists have gained amother must be the would now appear that he had said that he would rather go back to Russias to die with his friends than stand any more hectoring by Canadian police.

The league is wiring Canadian representatives to employ assumed for the prisoner at the locals of the league in America to get to work to raise funds for the trisoner made and an assumed to the complete of the prisoner. It is considered to the result.

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SPIRACY

tory was gained in the face of greater difficulties than as, which have hither-to confronted the party, the whole in-

erush the Socialists. Handicapped by Defalcation

finds. This defalcation was also seized upon by the opposition to discredit the party in every way. Another factor in the election was the fear that there might be some apathy among the party voters because of the fact that there was a general strike in progress and in o revolutionary excitement, as at the inner every the fact that there gained.

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The cycle in 1907 and 1908

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The Vote in 1907 and 1908

The two former diets have had mem-hers from the various parties as foi-

'DREADFUL,' SAYS DOG BANQUETER

So Exclaims Woman Who **Feasted Canine When Told** of Starving Children

"Yes." said Mrs. L. Erb, 5019 Prairie avenue, when approached by a representative of the Chicago Dally Socialist with a request for an interview about the dinner recently given to her pet dog "Bonnie Pink." "Yes, I am going Mrs. Erb was busily engaged in

packing a huge box of decorations which had adorned the walls of the dining room when the doggle had given the kittles the expensive dinner. There were Japanese lanterns, flags, pape flowers, streamers, bunting, everything that goes to make a great flesta, which Mrs. Ero was busily stowing away.

Told of Hungry Children

"While you were giving your doggis his dinner a poor old Jew with seven children over on Twelfth street was
sitting down to a meal of black bread
and stale onlons." Mrs. Erb was fold.
"My, my, how very, very dreadful
that such things should be," said Mrs.
Erb.

that such thinks and the first such that the first such that a member of the haut ton of Chicago, but she is aimost. Mrs. Erb has a nice flat for which she pays 34e per month and she is very fond of her dog, having no childhren upon which to lavish affection. Therefore him dinners at which ice she gives him dinners at which ice cream is served along with the bologna and other succulent dishes which delight dogs and cats and little half blind

To Hold Series of Dinners

The first of the series of dinners ha already been given, with nine full-blooded cats borrowed from neighbors and scraped up from the household. sitting up to be caninely kissed while flags waved over them and Japanese lanterns lent their soft light to the scene of domestic revelry. Here is the bill of fare, which will probably be du-plicated at the future dinners to "Bon-nie Pink" and his feline friends of kiss-able disposition.

Canned salmen a la mode.
Cold resat beef, pomme de terre.
Turkey wings a "l'Avignon".
Pork shanks a l'originale.
Ice cream a la plenty.
Cream of real milk.

Here Is a Comparison

At the same hour that this was being made, on the west side Imanuel Lipschitz at 245 West Twelfth street, in the cellar home, was sitting down to this bill of fare:

Nine stale onions.

Three small pieces of koshered meat.
Lipschitz's family is composed of seven hungry and semi-healthy children of the human species. They are not dreaming of canned saimon, or of turkey wings. They know it is useless to dream. Dreams are not frequenters of the west side in the Twelfth street neighborhoods.

BOAD CHANGES ITS PLANS FOR DISCIPLINING EMPLOYES

Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Ratiroad company has come to the clusion toat the old system of disciplining employes does more harm than employe from earning a living for

may not find favor in the eye of a boss. SON SLAIN BY CAR, MOTHER

The unions of railroad employe have for years been hammering away at the roads for better systems of han-dling the workers, and most reforms are due to the efforts of the unions.

WITNESSES SAY ABTIST PUT

the late Patrick Farrelly, once president of the American News company, cannot be called to the stand to testify whether Charles A. Whipple, an artist, gave to Mr. Farrelly's face a German flavor when he enlarged it in oils from a photokraph. J. C. Farrelly, a say he did. Whipple says he didn't.

"Iset the price at \$1.550." said Mr. Whipple, when it came his turn. "I send the price at \$1.550." said Mr. Whipple, when it came his turn. "I sendeavored to dp as good a job for the Farrelly family as I did for the family of President McKinley when I painted the latter's portrait."

"This is artist was ordered to paint the head of a good Irishman, and instead of doing that he painted a Dutchman, said Mr. Farrelly's lawyer.

The portrait was placed on an easel where the jurors could get a view of it. The jury will see the ease towards.

where the juryers could get a view of it. The jury will get the case tomorrow

WRIGHT BROTHERS RETURN

New York, May 12—Wilbur Wright and Orville Wright, the aeronauts, were passengers on board the steamer Kroh prinzessin-Cecilie, which arrived here to day. Concern as to the accident which befell. Lieutenau. Calderara of the Italian navy in falling from the Wright aeroplane at Home was manifested by the Wrights. The brothers said that they would go to their home in Dayton. Ohio, where the aeroplanes intended for use of the government service are to be completed.

ADDRESSES WANTED

The Daily Socialist desires the addresses of Y. ANDRESSES WANTED

completed.

From Payton, they said, they will preceed to Washington to test the aeroplanes under the direction of government representatives. Then they will
return to Europe to continue their contracts made with private individuals.

CHICAGO POLICEMEN PLAN

The cops have decided that the pen is almost if not quite as minity as the billy, the ragazine revolver, the heavy boot, and other weapons of paysical warfare and have desided to start a daily paper of their own as a conse-quence of this decision.

The new police sheet will not be a "police gazette." Far from it. It will be just a newspaper to be edited in the interests of the police and fire depart-

interests of the police and fire department employes.

Primarily the object of the Chicago Star, which is the name of the paper, will be to advance the welfare of the United Police of Chica, o, an association of members of the department. The membership is about 4,000—nearly the total roster of the force. Sergeant Frank Daly, who is detailed at the office of Chief Shippy, is president of the society. It is an entirely separate organization from the Policemen's Benevolent association.

to give a series of dinners to my dog with cars for his guests. You see he is a remarkable dog and he likes cats." **PASTOR ADVISES**

Worcester, Mass., Episcopal Minister Says It Should Be Given a Trial

dress before many of the leading bishops, rectors and laymen of the Episco-pal church present from all parts of

advance to political control of all na-tions by the producers of wealth.

"These are to be the arbiters of the

times that are not far off," he declar-ed. "What will be their esteem of a church which refuses to ald, or even opposes their tollsome ascent to power? Christianity must choose be-tween the producers and those who by force of ownership now explait them, "In the face of the iniquitous co-existence today in America of multi-millionaires and starving seekers for op-portunity to earn bread, of wealthy idlers and child laborers, of monopolizidiers and child laborers, et monopoliz-ed natural resources and public utili-tier, whose owners dwell in pulaces, and crowded slims where 80,000 bables die every year from ills directly traceable to poverty—Christians who declare for Socialism, and churches who give it open hearing, should not be condemned until it is shown to be

the acse of the fourteen men charged the acse of the fourteen men charged. The words of Senator Clapp on this with being members of the night riders' point are: "Measured by that test, organization and with whipping J. M. every great nation today upon the Reece on Oct. 5, 1908. The punishment good and has decided to change it. was fixed at ten days in jail and a fine Suspensions, which merely keep an of \$500 for each. They were remanded employe from earning a living for

TRIES TO COMMIT SUICIDE

New York, May 12.—In response to a message that her 8-year-old son had get the workers, and most reforms due to the efforts of the unions.

New York, May 12.—In response to a message that her 8-year-old son had difficulty in employing at a fair rate of pay. Why not look to Latin America avenue trolley car at One Hundredth street, Mrs. Mary Allman ran to the german FACE ON IRISHMAN scene and attacked the motorman and fully." a street car company inspector, tearing New York, May 12,-Unfortunately part of their clothes from them. Two for Judge Bischoff and the jury that is policemen took the frantic mother to trying the case in the Supreme court, the late Patrick Farrelly, once president and there she tried to commit sulcide by stabling beautiful.

doing that he painted a Durchman.

Id Mr. Farrelly's lawyer.
The portrait was placed on an easel here the jurous could get a view of it health department. Cases are numerous line jury will get the case tomorrow sections of the city.

More than 500 cases have been reported since May 1, according to Dr. 1. G. Rawlings of the bureau of contagious disease. The disease is extremely

The Daily Socialist desires the addresses of V. ANDERSON, C. F. KAR-MAN, and CHARLES SCHMIDT in order to send them information they should have.

TO START DAILY NEWSPAPER LONGWORTH AS AMBASSADOR!!

Roosevelt's Insignificant Son-in-Law May Get the Post at Berlin

CNATIONAL SOCIALIST PRESS BUREAU) Washington, D. C., May 11 .- A sen sational story is current in the capital to the effect that Representative Nick Longworth, the son-in-law of former President Roosevelt, is to be appointed ambassador to Germany by President

The story runs that a big game is eing played in Ohio politics. "Brother Charlie" Taft is determined to ome to the senate. He spent two weeks after the inauguration daily coaching big Bill on the way it was to be done. After the emparrassing fizzle in which his senatorial boom re-sulted last winter, he is not anxious for a repetition the next time.

Will Make Dick Governor

It is proposed to eliminate Senator Dick by getting him to accept the nom-ination for governor. It will be point-ed out to him that it would be ex-tremely difficult for him to secure re-election, massuch as he and Burton come from the same section. The part come from the same section. The next problem to settle is Senator Foraker, who, it is reported, is busily engaged in preparing for another one of his spectacular campaigns, in which he hopes to come off victor in the contest for the togs.

Foraker is strong in Cincipant Description

ops. rectors and is, and the country, at the twenty-seventh annual national Episcopal church congress, the Rev. Elliot White of Worcester, Mass., last night delivered an address on "Socialism in Relation to Christianity."

Christianity."

The said the Socialist movement of the said the Socialist movement of experiment of the said the Socialist movement of the said th and there will along the line.

Will Be Quite Appropriate

It must be admirted that Niebolas Longworth as ambassador will cut a ridiculous figure, but if William the ridiculous figure, but if William the Fat is to snjoy a second reign, to be followed by the dictatorship of King Theodore, as Nick himself predicted under the excitement of stimulated entusiasm during the last campaign, what better representatives could there be of American assipinity at the imperial court of Billy der Kaiser than Prince Nick and Princess Alice Longworth?

Know of Subsistence Wage

declare for Socialism, and churches who give it open hearing, should not be condemned until it is shown to be andverse to the practice of Christianity in personal and national life, as well as inadequate to diminish the grievous burden and minatory peril of our social problems."

NIGHT RIDERS

FOUND GULLTY

Know of Subsistence Wage

When such a prominent Republican as Senator Moses Clapp of Minnesota, as who served three terms as attorney general of Minnesota, and has been in the United States senate more than the floor of that body that there is practically a subsistence wage for the floor of that body that there is practically a subsistence wage for the Republican party to defly knowledge of this fact.

The senator pointed out that every civilized nation today subsidizes the manufacturers in their respective tariff, or through a free trade policy, which so reduces the cost of living that the worker is enabled to subsist upon a wage so much lower than that

Waverly, Tenn. May 12.—A verdict of balance the bounty which the protect-guilty was returned late yesterday in

earth invokes this principle in one or

more of these systems. Capitalism Going to Seed

employe from earning a living for from ten to sixty days, will be done away with and "records" will be kept. The new system, just being put into operation by the Burlington, was inaugurated some years ago by other roads and is said by some to be an improvement, when the records are homorousement, when the records are homorousement is a sumption to see defendants. After the verdict the defendants are selves through the eyes of a foreigner. At a sumptions being the eyes of a foreigner. At a sumptions being the eyes of a foreigner. At a sumptions being the eyes of a foreigner. At a sumptions being the eyes of a foreigner. At a sumptions being the eyes of a foreigner. At a sumptions being the eyes of a foreigner. At a sumptions being the eyes of a foreigner. At a sumptions being the eyes of a foreigner. At a sumptions being the eyes of a foreigner. At a sumptions backets through the eyes of a foreigner. At a sumptions being the eyes of a foreigner. At a su portunity for further investment private capital at ordinary rates of in-

"You have amassed, "he said, "a vast

EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY UPHELD BY THE U. S. DISTRICT COURT

her home and there she tried to commit suicide by stabbing herself in the breast with a breadknife. Her husband disarmed her.

In the meantime the motorman had locked himself inside the car as a precaution against a crowd of more than 500 excited persons who were trying to attack him. To reacus him the police reserves commanded a grocery wagon, backed it up to the car, hustled the motorman into it and drove him rapidly to the police station.

500 CASES OF MEASLES IN CITY REPORTED SINGE MAY 1

UNION MEETINGS

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ORCHARD LAND **BRINGS \$21,000**

WENATCHEE, Wash., Oct. 31 .- C. B. Halbert, of the Halbert & Weber Hardware Company, has sold seven acres to J. R. Taylor of this city for \$21,000.

This is the top-notch price paid for bearing of the Republic office recently in reply to a question as to his opinion of the top figure that orchard land will attain in this locality, "but it's not when you take into consideration the earning power of an acre. Take the Turner for instance; it



property, for instance; it has been making \$1,000 a year to the acre for its owner.

"On a 10 per cent basis this means that the land is worth \$10,000 an sere. The Turner property is by no means an excep-tion. There are other or-chards in the valley planted to Spitzenbergs and Winedoing equally well, of the land here intelligently cultivated in a scientific way will do as

Mr. Turner, whose Wesatchee property is referred to, visited the Adrian Com-pany's property and said: "There is no reason in

just as well as we here at Wenalchee have done. You have the same soil, the water, and all the conditions, and, I think, it anything, the climite is a little in your favor."

Here is the way it pays at Yakima: This is to certify that the figures set opposite our names indicate the returns from our ranches for the season of 1907:

Names of Growers.	Kind of Fruit.	Acres.	No.	Age of Trees.	Boxes.	Receipts.	Receipts.
W. F. F. Selleck	Peach	2.037	275	3 yrs.	3,200	\$2,400,00	\$1,122.00
J. Van Peyton	Peach	2.16	290	3 yrs.	4,133	3,100,00	1,430,00
C. Q. Scoboria	Peach	3.	450	3 yrs.	4,000	3,000.00	1,000,00
E. F. Perry	Peach	2.4	325	3 yrs.	4,900	3,688.20	1,586,00
C. S. Huff	Peach	1.2	159	3 yrs.	1.875	1,500.00	1,250.00
W. H. Strausz	Peach	.9	122	5-6 yrs.	2,560	1.920.00	2,133.00
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C. O. Shupe	Peach	.125	14	7 yrs.	305	2.8.75	1.830.00
J. P. Bullan	Peach	.5	65	4-5 yrs.	1.235	909.00	1,818,00
S. W. C. Hand	Peach	1 2.2	275	3-6 yrs.	2,000	2.250.00	1.002.00
Alex Burnham	Peach .	2.5	397	5 yrs.	8.611	6,456,60	2,580,20
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W. I. Huxtable	Peach	12.		3-4 yrs.		******	1,830.00

I collected the above statistics from my neighbors and believe them to be reliable.

W. F. F. SELLECK, Ex-Supt. Schools.

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WHERE IS ROUND LAKE?

Round Lake isn't on the map. It is a small lake of 70 acres, which we will use as a reservoir. It is very

Hound Lake isn't on the main to the main line of the Great Northern Railway, Adrian being deep and fair' alive with fish.

It is 112 miles west of Spokane, Wash., on the main line of the Great Northern Railway, Adrian being the nearest station, two miles distant from our lands.

THE IRRIGATION WORKS

If you must have a doctor get the best. If you must have a lawyer get the best. Same with a consulting engineer. There is no higher or more reliable authority in the northwest than Prof. O. L. Waller, of the Agricultural College at Pullman, Wash., on all matters pertaining to irrigation. Many years in the government employ, practical experience in the field, work in the class room and on the lecture platform makes him one to whom they all "take off their hats." As to our water supply we quote from his report on our project:
Storage and Acre Peet

"By pumping the water level down to 20 feet below the level of the outlet it might be safe to estimate the storage of Round Lake at 350 agre feet."

Runoff
The report of the Reclamation Service for 1994 indicates over 200 cubic feet of water per second in Crab
Creek on June 25, and nearly 500 second feet March 18th of the same year. These figures seem pretty high
to one not familiar with Crab Creek during flood season, but they indicate that at present there is a large run
off that should be stored and saved for the dry months of summer. If there is not storage capacity enough
in the lakes to provide for so much water then it should be pumped onto good retentive lands, and thus be saved for crop production.

There is no lack of evidence to show that good retentive lands receiving only flood waters produce good grain

and may crops.

The precipitation in the vicinity of Wilson Creek is 14 inches per annum. Another 12 inches could be added from the flood waters. This would certainly mature such crops as are harvested early, as alfalfa, grass, wheat, oats, barley, etc. From the storage another 12 inches could be supplied to, say, 350 acres of orchard and other crops that mature late.

Based on the Reclamation Service measurements there is ample water during the flood season to supply 12 acre inches to more than 25,000 acres of land. While the storage is limited, the flood irrigation could be made to add enormously to the wealth of that part of Lincoln County adjacent to Crab Creek.

The lands covered by this option, namely, the N. W. ¼ the W. ½ of the N. E. ¼ the N. E. ¼ of the S. W. ¼ and the W. ½ of the S. E. ¼ of Sec. 7, Township 22 North, Range 28 E. W. M., are generally splendid lands. They are gravelly leam of good depth and water holding capacity. I am sure they will irrigate well and yield rich harvests in return for proper treatment.

Since this report was made we have added 40 acres to our holding, making a total of 407 acres."

TRIGATION WORKS

Wetch will be supposed to our lands through one and one-half miles of 24-inch wooden pipe. We will have

Water will be pumped to our lands through one and one-half miles of 24-inch wooden pipe. We will have a spur put in on our land and fuel switched direct to the power plant.

A 100 horse power gas producer plant will be installed to generate electricity, which will be carried about one mile to the big centrifugal pumps.

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MADDEN GASE TO BE LONG DRAWN

Selection of Jurors to Try Extortion Charge May Take Many Days

There will be a long wrangle over the selection of the jury which is to Martin B. Madden, president of Associated Building Trades: Fred Pouchot business agent of the Steam Fitters', and M. J. Boyle, all of whom are charged with extorting \$1,000 as the price of settlement of a strike call against the Joseph Klinka compa ny. The first venire of 100 men was exhausted this morning by 11 o'clock CABMEN GAINING and Judge William H. McSurely called for an additional 100.

Four Jurors Are Selected Four jurors have been selected s

Edward L. Donlin, hide inspector for the K. Messer company. Jas. J. Smith, employed by Marshall Field ak J. Ranck, a dealer in dental sur plies.
S. H. Kepplosch, furniture dealer.

Troubled by the words, "hypothesis, "subtle" and "presump eight of the prospective juror announced this morning that they had speat a long period of study over dictionary and this morning they were well equipped to answer the questions put to them, or at least so they thought. Out of the eight less than three stood the test, and these were

excused on other grounds.

Frank A. Meyers, a Pennsylvania rallroad ticket agent, was examined and stated that he had heard the case talked of on the station platform at Grand Crossing and had a fixed opinion. He was excused ion. He was excused

Juror Tackles "Big" Words Benjamin L. Merritt was the first one

to tackle the "hard" words with any assurance, and he it was who; told that there was a sort of study class last night. Merritt was excused. Several other prospective jurors were ex-amined and then the state took a hand in questioning Claus Tysdall, who had a merry time with the "big" words and said that he had not looked them up. He was excused.

The Carpenters' union is facing a critical condition due to the action of

the courts in granting injunctions. An appeal is pending in the contempt of court case against John J. Brittain, Charles Grassel and George Lackey, and the officials are under prison sentence because of alleged violation of an injunction granted in favor of the Mears-Slayton Lumber company, while tomorrow Joseph Blachetka, Fred Bush and George Bush will be arraigned before Judge Farlin Q. Ball or charge of have picked the premon charge of having picketed the prem-ses of the Commercial Sash and Door company and of having boycetted that company as well in violatios of an in-unction granted by Judge Ball.

Men Will Go to Jail

The hearing of the case was set for this morning, but was continued till tomorrow on the motion of Attorney John D. Farral, who with Daniel L. Cruice is defending the carpenters. uice could not be present this morn g and so the continuance was grant. It is understood that if the union men are found guilty they will not appeal, but will go to jail. James G. Elsdon and Alfred D. Austrian, repre-senting the Employers' association, are prosecuting the case.

List of Witnesses Summoned

Pollowing are the men'upon whom the prosecution has served subpoenas to appear as witnesses and whose names are included in the list furnish-ed to the defense as accusers of the trio on trial:

H. H. Mahler, contractor with offices in the arquette building, who lives at River Forest. III. H. P. Neisan, plano manufacturer at 1101 Marianna street, whose home is at 1841 Oak-

The defense declined to give its list witnesses to any one, declaring that le list will depend upon what the ate proves.

BULBS DIVORCED WIVES CAN GRY ALLMONY APTER YEARS

mony from their former husbands until death, provided allmony was not asked for and refused in the original suit or man has not remarried in the

by Judge Farlin Q. Ball of the Superior by Judge Farlin Q. Ball of the Superior court yesterday in a decision given in a suit brought by Mary N. Cobb against her former husband, William H. Cobb, although the divorce was granted eight years ago. Something over a year ago Cobb fell heir to \$33,000 worth of property and on April 26 last Mrs. Cobbs counsel, Benson Landon, appeared in court and asked for slimony, setting forth that his chients income as a bookkeeper was insufficient for her needs.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

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Results Yesterday

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Liveries Forces Owners to Sign the Scale

With the press trying desperately to make it appear that the members of the Carriage and Cab Drivers' union are interfering with funerals, word comes from the union headquarters and from the Liverymen's association that every thing is quiet. The livery stable owners are being gradually whipped into line, and a few have signed contracts since the strike started on Sunday.

Several of the wives of the livery stable owners will drive carriages for a few days in an effort to break the strike. This is due to the fact that the employers cannot get enough non-union drivers to man their carriages and cabs

Women Want to Be Scabs

Mrs. J. W. Adland, whose husband is a partner in the Lakeside livery, has undertaken to drive a carriage, and so have several other women, it is said. have several other women, it is said.
The Jackson Park Livery company, 278
East Fifty-seventh street, announced
that it would employ women, and late
yesterday nearly a hundred called. The
members of the firm, however, disagreed
as to the policy of hiring women to
drige, and the women were finally informed that they were not wanted.
Many of them actually needed the work
and found that they had been made
sport of.

Walter L. Gibbons, business agent of the Carriage and Cab Drivers' union, was emphatic in his statement this morning that funerals would not be mo-lested by pickets. He declared that there is no heed to employ policemen at the road houses and at the cemeteries to "protect" non-union drivers.

Owners Forced to Sign

He also said that the competition which is being offered by the livery drivers who have signed the agreement and by the taxicabs is such that the liverymen are gradually signing up.

There are strong indications that there will be a split in the Liverymen's execution over the refusal of several

members to stand pat against the union demands. association over the refusal of several

WOMEN WILL MAINTAIN A LOBBY To Establish Headquarters in Spring field for Two-Year Fight

The Women's Trade Union Leagu in cooperation with other labor organizations, will establish permanent headquarters in Springfield and of main-tain a lobby there for the purpose of forcing an eight-hour law through the legislature two years hence. At present Marianna street. Whose nome is at 1911 Out.

Als avenue, who lives at 235 Augusta street.

John A. Mets, 262-2 Fifth avenue, who lives at 555 North Troy street.

James I. Ott, steamitter. Adkins, Young & Alish. 36 Canal street. lives at 355 North Troy street.

Women's Hope in Bill

The hope of the women for this year is pinned to the Jones substitute for the eight-hour bill. The Jones measure provides for a ten-hour day, not to include hotel and restaurant employee. All that the women hope to accomplish in the face of the Illinois Manufacturers' association is the mere establishment of the legal right on the part of the state of Illinois to regulate the hours which women may be forced to work.

Omaha, May 12.—Army balloon No. exploded in landing at Jackson No.

work.

The Jones bill is drafted in exact sc-cordance with the Oregon bill which withstood the test of constitutionality wantstood the test of constitutionality hefore the supreme court of Illinois will be bound to find that the Ten-Bour law is valid and that the Ten-Bour law is valid and then when the legislature meets two years hence the fight for the sight-hour bill will be resumed.

Questionable Tactics Employed

ACTOR PROVES HE IS A POQUE TO ESCAPE JUSY DUTY

THE HUSTLERS' COLUMN BY A. W. MANCE.

NO ROYAL ROAD

No matter how much we discuss plans we have to finally come to the conclusion that there is only one way to get subscribers for the Daily, and that is to go out after them. Are YOU after one?

There are a lot of you who can afford to buy a bond who haven't done so yet. Will you do it this week? The paper needs the money

A lot of you Socialists who have good jobs and a bank account who can't afford to hustle for subscribers should loosen up a little this week. If you were as close when you are out with the boys some night you would be voted out of the circle of "good fellows."

A good many of the wage slaves dropped in Tuesday evening with a dollar two when they heard the Daily was hard up. They were the old familiar faces. Dave Roberts, a cigarmaker, added a 'smoker" for the Hustler editor. The glory of Napoleon's old guard fades into insignificance when compared with the old guard that has turned the tide of battle so often in the history of the Socialist press in Chicago.

If you are not a member of the D. S. P. L. send in your names and addresses and we will send you a card with full instructions how to make it effective as an asset to the Daily. This will cost you nothing but a little effort.

Don't fail to visit our advertisers when you are spending your Competition With the Union money. Tell them why you come. If there is anything you think of that you should do that will help the paper that I have not reminded you of—well, do it anyway.

CARS ADD NEW

Little School Girl Is Latest One Killed by Chicago's **Transportation System**

The deadly street cars yesterday claimed another victim. This time i was killed by a scorching street car instead or being caught between two passing cars, as has been responsible for several deaths recently.

It seems that the ear companies, em-boldened by the thought that all the people want is big, handsomely painted cars, have thrown to the winds all 're-sponsibility for safety and will make their employees and the public "fight it out." when themselves among themselves.

Car Late: Motorman Speeds

The little girl killed yesterday was Gertrade Ward, seven years old, daugh-ter of Michael M. Ward, 2823 Ridge avenue, Edgewater. She started to cross the track, but was overcome with fea at the car's rapid approach and could not move. The motorman did all in his power to save the child, but could not

In this case, it seemed to be on account of a lack of cars, and the motorman was no doubt obeying orders to make up, while in the suburbs, the time that was lost in the crowded districts, thus making it unnecessary to put on thus making it unhecessary to put on more cars to care for the treaffic. The little school child was slain in an effort on the part of the street car company

on the part of the street car company to save expenses.

It is becoming apparent that the citizens of Chicago will soon be compelled to start a campaign for protection from the street cars, overlooking strap-hanging and crowded cars during the rush hours, for it seems impossible to get safety and good service both at once out of a corporation owned street car system.

could see were the beautiful pictures handed out, by the politicians, of the big, new street cars which would run fast.

IN EXPLOSION

Omaha May 12.-Army balloon No. 12 exploded in landing at Jackson, Neb., last night after a 120-mile trip and was destroyed, Captain Chandler and Lieu-Ware, the aeronauts in charge, being knocked down and bruised, but

Captain Chandler believes that while at a high altitude the gas bag became charged with static electricity and that

producing pa electric spark, which set fire to the big bag.

The ascension was made from Fort Omah, at 11:15 o'clock yesterday and was supervised by Captain Chandler, assisted by a detachment of trained signal corps men. The belioon started north as soon as it was well into the air and soon crossed the Missouri river. It followed the general course of the river for nearly 100 miles, the flight following a northwesterly direction.

The 130-mile flight was made in about six hours, deducting the hour and a half the balloon was becalmed. Much of the time, however, up to 3 o'clock, the wind was so low that the balloon moved only five to eight miles an hour.

POUR HEIRESSES SUCCUMB TO THE LURE OF THE CORONET

New York, May 12 .- Never has "the lure of the coronet" seemed so powerful in its effect on American girls as at the present time. No less than three en-gagements and one marriage of American youth and beauty to European titles have been announced in the last few days. Here they are:

Nora Iselin, who became the bride of Count Ferdinand Colleredo-Mannsfield in this city on Monday.

Mrs. Robert T. P. Fiske of New Brighton, Staten Island, to wed Count Robert de Montesquieu-Fezensac, a French poet and litterateur. Margaretta Drexel, reported engaged to Sir Charles Hartopp. Beatrice Thaw, daughter of Alexander

Blair Thaw of Pittsburg, who is engaged to Marquis Teodoli, a member of an old Roman family. Count Collegedo-Manusfield looks like

an attenuated Gibson smart wedding usher, but his head is several hat sizes smaller than that of the same type of American man. His hair is dark brown American man. His hair is dark brown and his eyes are blue, mild, but some what furtive, and he wears a small

21ST WARD IN LINE FOR DAILY

The Tw sty-first ward branch of the Socialist party, at its meeting Monday night unanimously voted to join the Fifteenth, Twelfth and Twen-ty-seventh wards in a united effort to boost the circulation of the Chicago Daily Socialist in that ward.

A. M. Simons was present and in a short talk outlined the plan which had brough; such good results in the wards in which it had been adopted.

The membership then discussed the matter for a short time, and finally selected the sixth precinct in the elected the sixth precinct in the northwestern part of the ward as the best place to make the start.

Ten Workers Volunteer Ten persons volunteered. and

hours, for it seems impossible to get safety and good service both at once out of a corporation owned street car system.

Pretty Pictures Attract Voters

During the Busse campaign in 1907 the street car systems had become so antiquated and run down that they were hardly capable of doing any physical injury to any one, so all the voters of delivering and paying for the samilation of the s

ple copies.

The Twenty-first ward is also mak
supply will be considered suspicious and will not be admitted until an investigation can be made.

W. A. EVANS, M. D., Commissioner of Health, The Twenty-first ward is also making the cough canvass of every preevaluation of the control o

Twenty-fourth Ward Also

ward volunteered last night at their regular branch meeting in Social Turner hall. Belmont avenue and Paulina street, to work on the organization plan proposed by the Chicago Dally Socialist.

The plan was explained by R. Dvorak, and was taken up in an enthusiastic manner, for the members all agreed that the systematic manner in which it is to be executed promised great results. Thus far the plan has been carried into effect in the Pifteenth, Twenty-seventh, Twelfth and Thirty-fourth wards, and in each it has been found of great value in getting old members active and securing back dues.

dues.

The results obtained in these wards will be published in tomorrow's Chicago Daily Socialist.

POLICE ARREST BIGHT MEN ON "TIP" OF JILTED WOMAN

A squad of detectives from the Des-plaines street station invaded a place at 349 West Madison street at 3 a. m. today and after a desperate fight arrested eight men, most of whom are declered to be pickposests. A woman, illted by one of the prisoners, is said to have given the "tip" to the police over the telephone abortly before the raid, which was marked by spectacular features. John Smith, known to the police as "Butch" Smith, who has been arrested many times on the west side, was among the men laken. The others gave the names of James Adams, Dennis Keefe, Christopher Nolan, Frank Moore, Morrie Flynn, Frank Davis and H. J. Edwards. They were locked up at the Despiaines attest station on charges of deciderly conduct. They found the eight men leunging in a room on the second floor. As the detectives slepped into the room the men made desperate efforts to rush past them and descand the frost sairway. at 349 West Madison street at 3 a. m.

SMALLPOX GERM AROUSES MAYOR

Issues Proclamation

Marengo, Ill., May 12 .- This city, the me of Speaker Edward T. Shurtleff. is in the threes of an epidemic of smallready and it has been discovered that cores of children in the primary grades have been exposed to the infection. The teacher who has charge of these grades teacher who has charge of these graves has been stricken with smallpox and it was found that she had taught several days before the nature of the disease was discovered. Business is paralyzed. The Borden Condensed Milk Company's bottling plant has been closed down. Many farmers, are, however, shipping milk under the strict supervision of officials of the Chicago health department, who have taken charge, epidemic is a hard blow to Sp Shurtleff, who has fought dairy farm

Epidemic Starts in Dairy

o the American Milk Products company at Union. Cases of smallpox have also been discovered in Belviders

The epidemic appears to have started with the Daak family. This was dis-covered when a Mrs. Ewing of Belvilere, who had been visiting the Dank family, was taken sick. Some rep fore the nature of the disease was discovered and the painters sigl paper-hangers who did the job are thought to have innocently aided in the spread of the disease. Later on smallpox was discovered in the families of three men employed at the bottling plant of the Borden Condensed Milk compan

Doctors from the Chicago health de-partment have been rushed into town. There is much agitation because Speak er Shurtleft has been elected to the legislature several times on the ground that he will project the dairy farmer from the encreachment of the boards of the health authorities and Shurtleff has been given the credit of killing effective dairy inspection legislation Borden Employes Infected

When the smallpox cases were reit closed its plant here even thrugh the health authorities of Chicago authorized the continued sale of milk. spectors from the Chicago health de partment are patrolling the country round here inspecting farms. The farm-ers have all been furnished with reort blanks and ordered to report a once any case of contagious disease.

Ask Report From Dairies The report blanks read:

in our home, and not nad cont and in the familes of milkers, and attendants as follows:

Mayor Issues Proclamation

The mayor of Marengo has issued a proclamation forbidding any social or public gatherings and advice for in-Twenty-fourth Ward Also
in the very heart of the milk producing
Eight members of the Twenty-fourth territory of Henry and Kane counties
ward volunteered last night at their the greatest dairy countles in the state

St. Petersburg, May 12.—The trial of M. Lopukine, a former director of police, who was arrested in St. Petersburg last January on the technical charge that he was a member of the revolutionary organization, began to day before a crowded court. The audience was composed largely of women. Toe hearing was conducted with open doors, before a jury including an admiral, a general, a marshal of nobliting and several peasants. The president of the jury is Senator Volyarin. A number of high police officials have been summoned as witnesses. St. Petersburg, May 12,-The trial of



To Protect Chicago's Milk Supply Marengo Executive

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The epidemic started on the dairy farm of William Dask, who sells milk

ompany the men whose children were company the men whose children were infected were laid off. Orders were given by the Chicago authorities that pasteurizers should be run at a heat of 175 degrees and in a day or two the Borden bottling plant was closed by the company. The scarlet fever epidemic in Chicago, which was traced to milk brought in by the Borden company, gave that corporation such a scare that it closed its plant here even the ash the

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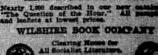
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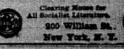
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Strike Now

For months labor unions have been resoluting and denouncing government by injunction. Trade union periodicals have rung with fiery execrations of the usurpations of the courts.

One union after another has felt the blows of the judicial scourge. At the present moment the officials of the American Federation of Labor and a half dozen officers of local Chicago unions are under trial for violation of injunctions issued as a part of the war now being waged upon organized labor through the judiciary.

It was all right to denounce these outrages when they took place. The resolutions against them by trade unions were more than justified. Nothing that could be said against them in the editorial columns of the labor press could be too strong.

Yet for all these things the judges care but little.

During all these months trade unionists could do nothing effective against government by injunction.

The judges were beyond their reach. They cared little for resolutions and indignant denunciation.

Now there is an opportunity to show whether this denunciation was meant or whether it was only empty vaporing. The trade unionists of Chicago now have an opportunity to do

something more than talk. They are going to have a chance to elect a set of judges.

Those judges will represent either the capitalist or the working class. They cannot represent both any more than they can be both short and tall, right and wrong, black and white, at the same time and under the same conditions. In the fight for the product of labor what one gets the other loses.

The judges who have been nominated for election next month have been carefully chosen. They have been chosen according to whether they stand for the employers or the employes.

The nominees upon the Republican and Democratic tickets are chosen because they suit those who control and finance those parties. They are chosen because the Employers' association and the Commercial association and the Bar association and the whole body of employers know that they will be faithful to the interests of the members of these bodies.

Get this point well in mind. The party of Busse nor the party of Sullivan, the party of the coal trust and the gas trust and a host of other trusts cannot live a minute except by the pleasure of those who partial and nonpartisan" in hitting labor.

There never has been the slightest sign of political division on the injunction question so far as the two old parties are concerned. Republican judges and Democratic judges have been absolutely "impartial anl nonpartisan" in hitting labor.

Every man upon either the Democratic or Republican ticket must, as a first qualification for a nomination, show that he is perfectly satisfactory to the class that want injunctions.

After two injunction judges have been nominated, one Republican and the other Democratic, the capitalists are perfectly willing to let the workers choose which shall issue the injunctions.

So far as the Demo.-Rep. candidates are concerned it is a foolish waste of time to try to pick out those that are LEAST ANTAGON. ISTIC TO LABOR.

The Socialist candidates are the reverse of the "Repubocrat" nominees. They were selected by a party that is financed and controlled by the working class. No man would have been considered for a nomination who was not known to be opposed to government by injunction. Every man is standing upon a platform denouncing the use of injunctions in labor disputes.

If organized labor is going to do any choosing it should be between parties and principles, not between persons and promises. It should make its choice depend upon the interests that govern these parties and not upon the smoothness with which individual nominees have concealed their hostility to labor

If this is done, if labor will vote as it has been striking and talk-If this is done, if labor will vote as it has been striking and talking and resoluting during the past year, it can accomplish more to overthrow government by injunction than has been accomplished by all its efforts hitherto.

One of the main vices of the Socialism which was propounded by Proudhon, Lassalle, and Marx, and which is preached by their disciples and imitators, is that it is blind to everything except the merely material side of life.—T. R.

He flew in a rage—he danced and blew;

But in vain

Was the pain.

In a few days we will begin to see editorials moralizing on the "defeat of Socialism in Finland." At least that was the case in the France and Denmark and Italy when the Socialist vote increased.

Chicago teachers are to be disciplined for trying to stop the stealing of school property. That is "big business" in school man-

With the Daily Socialist in the field the milk trust did not think it well to attempt to repeat its act of bringing diseased milk into Chicago.

The Socialists of Milwaukee have shown that there are times when a minority may be able to "do things."

TOO MUCH OF A TONIC

When Mr. Chinchin returned home from Chinchin & Chinchin's the other tived in a Shoe. She had so many childay, he found his wife lying worn out dren that at first she didn't know what

pon the sofa.

"Nothing wrong, I hope?" he examed.

"The afraid I shall have to stop that mid the doctor prescribed for Tomory," Mrs. Chinchin faintly nurmured.

"Why" Isn't he key better?" asked the following suggestions:

To put one of them in a southern factory.

To have a couple more operated on and otherwise forms.

oh, yes; but I think the tonic must tors.

To pet a couple more in a coal mine too invigorating. Why he slid down.

To send one to a modern public to a modern public to a modern public to a modern. be too invigorating. Why he slid down to be too invigorating. Why he slid down the banisters six times this morning broke the hall lamp, two vases, a water-bag and a booking glass, tied a tin to being up another on a pure food can to the car's tall, and scribbled his

"What sorter confuses me," said Generous Lady—Here,
Uncle Eben, "is dat after I gits a lot know you are hangry
of advice I's got to go around an git these animal crackers a lot uno advice bout which advice I's
a lot uno advice bout which advice I's
g'incer take."—Washington Star.
Tolks is vegetarians.—Ju

Once there was an Old Woman who

and otherwise fuseed over by the doc

can to the car's tall, and scribbled his lamb on the drawing room paper. Of course it's very gratifying; but I don't ried into effect than the Old Weman feel I could stand much more, so I think settled down to a life of ease and lone-someness.

True to Training

Generous Lady-Here, my little boy. I Hoy-Much obliged, lady: but my folks is vegetarians.—Judge,

SYNTAX VS. JUSTICE

A PLAIN JUDICIAL BOBBERY BY SEYMOUR STEDMAN.

(Hang this up in your union.)

When the word "pleading" is used most workingmen think it is the talk of the lawyer or the judge or the witness. In law it does not mean that; it means a written statement filed by the lawyer stating how the accident occurred. Damage suits are barred under the statute of Illinois in two years-in death cases one year. Within that time you must file a pleading, stating your cause of as follows: action, and if you do not state it right you will lose, although you do not discover the mistage until the trial, corporation. The owner cannot control the receivers or which may be from one to four years after you have commenced your suit. The corporations speculate on these mistakes and hope that the statute will run before you get a chance to find them out.

Jacob Henning was crossing a track of the Union Traction company and was run into. He was mutilated and injured and his lawyer commenced a suit against the Union Traction company. The Union Traction commy was then in the hands of a receiver, so he commenced it against the West Division Street Railway company and Marshall E. Sampsell and others as receiver for the Union Traction company. All of these parties were served as defendants in the same suit. The case was tried, a jury returned a verdict of \$5,000, and a judgment was entered upon this verdict. Poor Jacob thought he was going to get justice now. The jury had said he was entitled to it, the court said yes; but the corporations knew there was another court, so they started on their journey and went across the street to the Appellate court. After they had stopped there for a few months they picked up their grips and moved down to Springfield and went in to see the Supreme court. After the gentlemen of the Supreme court used their spy-glasses for a little while they discovered this fact: That it was not possible for the Union Traction company to be sued if it was in the hands of a receiver and at the same time and in the same

To an ordinary workingman with only logic and some sense to govern his conclusions we would say, sue the receiver, sue the company, sue both companies, and let the jury and court decide who was guilty of the negligence. But the courts do not work that way. They entered into a nice, beautifully worded system of chop logic, and decided

The position of a receiver is not the position of the his employes, and it not liable for injuries inflicted by him

Now, the receiver was in possession of the company. The company's assets were in the possession of the receiver. As a matter of fact, the receiver was operating a road, he was made a party to the suit, but because the company he operated was made a party to the suit the judgment was reversed. Jacob Henning lost. Two years had gone by. During the rest of his life he can ponder over the fact that he was sent out of court with nothing but experience added to his injuries for consolation and he may puzzle his brain for the next twenty years wondering why it is that he could be robbed because his lawyer in filing a written statement said the receiver was guilty and the company was guilty of which the receiver had control.

This may be pleasing rhetoric to those in the legal profession-to those who are looking for "nice points of law," but from any broad reasoning or humanitarian standpoint or a standpoint of justice it is technical brigandage without the decency or the courage manifested by a highwayman of the sixteenth century, and the chances are that Henning will continue to vote for the very system that has handed

to him in lieu of damages an opinion on syntax.

In recent years there has been much progress wiping away technicalities as a defense to criminals and multiplying their use in the defense of public property. Even though a mangled workman is the victim. But it's a good thing to vote for capitalists.

THE WIND AND THE MOON

A POLITICAL MEDLEY
Adapted by ROBERT HUNTER from the writings of THEODORE ROOSEVELT
and GEORGE MacDONALD

OUTLOOK please reprint.
"It is always difficult to discuss a question when it proves impossible -T. R.

Said the Wind to the Moon, "I will blow you out; In the air

Like a ghost in a chair, Always looking what I am about— I hate to be watched; I'll blow you out."

Thoroughgoing Socialists occupy, in relation to all morality, and especially to domestic morality, a position so revolting—and I choose my words carefully—that it is difficult even to discuss it in a reputable paper.—T. R. The wind blew hard, and out went the Moon. So, deep On a heap

Of clouds to sleep,

Down lay the Wind, and slumbered soon,
Mutterlow low, "I've done for that Moon."

On the social and domestic side doctrinairs Socialism would replace the fam-

home life by a glorified free-lunch counter and State foundling asy He turned in his bed; she was there again!

On high In the sky,

With her one ghost eye.

The Moon shone white and alive and plain.

Said the Wind, 'I will blow you out again.'

Its representatives in this country who have practically striven to act up to their extreme doctrines and have achieved leadership in any one of the branches of the Socialist party, specially the parlor Socialists and the like, be they lay or clerical, deserve scant consideration at the hands of honest and clean-living

"With my sledge, And my wedge, I have knocked off her edge!

I have knocked on her edge!

If only I blow right ferce and grim,

The creature will soon be dimmer than dim."

What their movement leads to may be gathered from the fact that in the last presidential election they nominated and voted for a man who earns his livelihood as the editor of a paper which not only practices every form of malignant and brutal slander, but condones and encourages every form of brutal wrong feding.—T. R. wrong doing.—T. B.

He blew and he blew, and she thinned to a thread.

"One puff

More's enough
To blow her to snuff!
One good puff more where the last was bred,
And glimmer, glimmer, glum will go the thread."
As for the so-called Christian Socialists who associate themselves with this ent, they either are, or ought to be, aware of the pornographic literature, mographic propagands, which make up one side of the movement.—T. E. He blew a great blast and the thread was gone.

In the air, Was a moonbeam bare;

Far off and harmless the shy stars shone—
Sure and certain the Moon was gone!

I wish it to be remembered that I speak from the standpoint of, and on beof, the wage-worker and the tiller of the soil.—T. R. took to his revels once more; On down

In town
Like a merry-mad clown,
leaped and hallooed with whistle and roar-What's that?" The glimmering thread once more!

Of his bursting brain

Of his bursting brain;
For still the broader the Moon-scrap grew
The broader he swelled his big cheeks and blew.
Socialism is not only indifferent, but at bottom hostile, to the intellectual, religious, the domestic and moral life.—T. R.
Slowly she grew.—till she filled the night,
And shone
On her throng

On her throne
On her throne
In the sky alone,
A matchless, wonderful silvery light,
Radiant and lovely, the queen of the night.
Socialism is a form of communism with no moral foundation, but essentially based on the immediate annihilation of personal ownership of capital, and in the near future, the annihilation of the family, and ultimately the annihilation of

Said the Wind, "What a marvel of power am I! With my breath,
Good faith!
I blew her to death—
First blew her away right out of the sky—
Then blew her in; what strength have I!"

But the Moon she knew nothing about the affair; In the sky. With her one white eye, Motionless, miles above the air, She had never heard the great Wind blare.

CHOICE OF EVILS

We have some very sad cases here ers down the long corridor. "What could be more distressing than a man pereft of reason in the prime of life?" The little group halted before one of the grated doors. Within sat a man on the grated do

the grated doors. Within sat a man on a stool vacantly gazing at the wall, entirely unconscious of their presence.

"Distressing case," explained the guard. "This young man was in love with a girl, desperately in love, but she married another man, and he went crary from grief and despair."

With hushed voices and smothered exclamations of sympathy the crowd passed on. The next cell was thickly padded. Through the narrow opening could be seen the wretched immate, heavily chained, sir-zgling violently, evidently an extreme case.

"And who is this?" asked the visit ors.

ors. "Oh, this," explained the guard, "this

Both father and mother struggled valiantly to teach little Effe to repeat the letter "A." The child emphatically refused to pronounce the first letter of the alphabet, and after many vain afforts the father retired from the fight discouraged. The mother took the little girl on her lap and pleaded with her affectionately. her affectionately.

"Dearle, why won't you say 'A'?"
she asked.

"Because mama," explained Effic, "des as soon as I say 'A' you an papa will want me to say 'B."—Harper's Weekly,

"How do the milliners manage to get at these enormous Easter hats or

"Modern constr. on methods ac-count for it. The seed framework Is erected first, and then the trimmers can work on every story independently."— Louisyille Courier Journal.

WHO ARE THE SOCIALISTS

Some interesting figures have been collected and are published in the lat est number of the National Bulletin of the Socialist party. During 1908 cards were circulated to the individual members of the Socialist party asking for information as to age, nationality, oc cupations and various other questions Out of a membership of 41,751, 5,319 sendin reports. From these reports the following tables have been compiled. In considering these tables it must be ra sembered that only between one sixth and one seventh of the membership of the party reported on these NUMBER REPORTING AGE, 6,310.

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THE CHINESE AND AMERICAN EDUCATION

A significant sign of the times is a descriptive pamphiet lately issued by the University of Pennsylvania. Its purpose is to inform prospective significant concerning the college and it is printed wholly in Chinese. The Philadelphia Inquirer says that this is the first document of the kind ever issued in America. There are at the university some fifty young men from China, who are study-ing diligently the "western learning."

ing diligently the "western learning."
They are picked men from intelligent families. The Chinese are waking up. It cannot but be that they are soon to take the dominating place in the Orient which their position, their population and their intelligence demand.

This country has shown sympathy with China in many ways. It has remitted \$10,000,000 of the indemnity, has stood for reforms and at present is high in the catimation of the governing boards of the empire. It is satisfying that the Pennsylvania university is educating so many leaders of thought who will be controllers of the empire's destiny.

A Long Farewell

THE ROAD TO POWER BY KARL KAUTSKY

-PROPHECIES OF THE REVOLUTION.

(Continued from yesterday.)
In order to discredit the expectations of a revolution by the Marxians, the claim is frequently made that, while we dearly love to prophesy, we are very poor

We have already seen why it was that the proletarian revolution expected by Marx and Engels has not yet appeared. When, however, we turn from this one disappointed expectation, astonishment arises, not that all their prophecies

have not been realized, but that they were able accurately to forctell so much For example, we have already called attention to the fact that in November, 1847, the Communist Manifesto had already announced the revolution of

1848. This was at the very time when Proudhon was announcing that the era of revolutions had gone ferever. Marx was the first to point out the significance of the trade unions in the projectarian class struggle. He did this in his controversial work against Proudhon, "The Misery of Philosophy," in 1846. In his work upon "Capital" he foresaw during the '70s the growth of the corporations and the trusts of today.

During the war of 1870-71 he prophesied that henceforth the center of gravity of the Socialist movement would pass from France to Germany. In January, 1873, he prophesied the crisis that had its beginning a few months later, etc. The same is true of Engels. Even when they were mistaken there was always a very accurate and important kernel of truth in the midst of the error. Remember, for example, what

has just been said about the expectations that Enge's expressed in 1885 concerning the political upheavals of the next few years. Here is a good place to refute a legend that has of late gained considerable

credence. In his work on "The Labor Question," a fifth edition of which has just appeared, Professor H. Herkner of Berlin writes as follows concerning the report of the Socialist Congress at Hanover in 1899: In the heat of the debate Kautsky was led to designate the hope of

an early catastrophe that would fulfil all wishes, as idiocy and to attack this idea far sharper than even Bernstein had done. If Engels actually had predicted the coming of a great catastrophic collapse (Klatterdatsch) in 1898 (said Kautsky) then he would not have been the great thinker that he was, but such an idiot that not a single district would have chosen him as a clegate to this convention. Engels meant nothing more than to say that by 1898 the present Prussian political system might col-

There may be some uncertainty as to what Engels meant. On the other hand the statement of Bebel's at the Erfurter Convention in 1891, that there would be but few members of that body but would live to that there would be but few members of that body but would live to see the realization of the final goal, admits of no saving explanation. This statement was, to use Kautsky's expression, idiotic. This is the way in which the confusion that reigns in the heads of the defenders of the old tactics is gradually gaining as clear and satisfactory expres-sion as could be wished.

Unfortunately the professor's clearness leaves much to be desired. I have never designated as idiotic "the hope of an early catastrophe that would fulfill all wishes (!) " for the simple reason that no one was talking about any such thing. I would certainly be justified in calling the hope of an "all-wishes-fulfilling" catastrophe idiotic. I applied the word "idlocy" to the statement that Engels had ever set a DEFINITE DATE for the outbreak of the revolution in 1898. Any prophecy of this sort would certainly seem to me to be idiotic. But Engels was never guilty of anything of the kind. Just as little was Bebel. Nor did he, at the Erfurter Convention, set any definite date for the coming of the revolution.

There were some who made fun of his "prophesying" at that time. To

You may laugh and sneer at prophesying, but thinking men can not avoid it. There was a time, not so many years ago, when even Vollmar did not assume this attitude of coid pessimistic darkness. Engels, whom he has been attacking, fully and correctly foretold the revolution of 1848 in 1844. And furthermore was not everything prophesied by Marx and Engels in the well known address of the International Workingmen's Association at the time of the Commune uprising, concerning ingmen's Association at the time of the Commune uprising, concerning the future of events in Europe, fulfilled even to the dotting of an it (That's right.) Liebknecht, who has been making a little fun of me on this point, has done his share of prophesying. (Langhter.) Like me, he prophesied certain things in the Reichstag in 1870 which have since been completely fulfilled. But now comes Vollmar and cries: "Keep bettill about your ancient history and stop prophesying." But he has also done some prophesying. The only difference between him and me is that he has the most wonderful optimism in regard to our oppouents, and the most fearful pessimism in regard to the principle aims of the party and its future. and its future.

One of the most significant of the prophecies of Bebel which has been fulfilled was the one which he made in 1873 that the Center, which then had sixty seats, would soon have a hundred, and that the Bismarckian fight on the Catholic Center (Kulturkampf) would have a miserable end, and would contribute to

Bismarck's ovetrhrow. Some have done me the honor to place me in the ranks of the "prophets."

could not well be in better company. I have been reproached with some of the things that I wrote in the series of articles in the Neue Zeit and in the introduction to my work on Ethics concerning the revolution, which it is claimed the course of events proved fundamentally

Is this correct? In the introduction to my "Ethics" I wrote:

We are about to enter upon a period, whose length no one knows, We are about to enter upon a period, whose length no one knows, during which no Socialist can engage in quiet labors, but where our work must be that of constant fighting. * * * The tools of the Crar are eager in their work as were the Albas and the Tillys in the religious wars of the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries—not with works of military heroism, but of brutal murder and arson. The West European champions of law and order defended these actions as restoring legal conditions. But just as little as the soldiers of the Hapsburgs, in spite of momentary successes, were able to restore (atholicism in North Germany and Holland, are the Cossachs of the Romanoffs capable of restoring the regime of absolutism. The Crar may lay his country waste, but he never more can govern it.

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In any case the Russian revolution is far from being at an end.

It cannot end so long as the Russian peasants are not satisfied. The longer it continues the greater will be the unrest of the masses of the workers of Western Europe, the nearer the danger of financial catas-trophes, and the more probable that an era of acute class struggles will begin in Western Europe.

What is there in these words, written in January, 1908, of which I should he ashamed? Does anyone believe that the Russian revolution is at an end and that normal conditions are now prevailing in Russia? And is it not true that since the above lines were written the whole world has been in a condition of great uprest? (To Be Continued.)

Educational Contest

For the best 160 word essays on "The Ma-arislistic Interpretation of History" and The Clars Struggle" the Daily Socialist will tive a body of Hillquite "Socialism in Theo-rand Practics" and a subscription card good or "ne year. To the two next best on earl of these subjects a yearly subscription card of organization and co-operation. The Community Manifesto."

Each article must include an explanation and illustration of the theory, be written in ink or with a typewriter, upon one side with of the paper and not exceed 500 words. Any versen may write upon one alone or both of the subjects, but if on both there must be two separats articles.

The contest closes May 15, 1905.

The Materialistic Interpretation of

or the materialistic interpretation of history certain conditions and events are determined by knowing the exist-

masters liberated their chattel slaves. The wage system, or capitalism, had recently been ushered in and these masters found they could hire their lanasters had no interest in him except to coin his blood and sinews the laborer. To own the slave meant that the naster vas under obligations, for economic reasons, to feed clothe, shelter, and otherwise care for him. But the wage save fed, clothed ahelitered and cared for himself. The master had no interest in him except to coin his blood and sinews into money and profits. The master was evidently not moved by much, if any, humanitarian motives to free his chattels. It was to his economic and material interests to do so. Hence the material interests to do so. Hence the material interests to do so. Hence the material step interpretation of this historical event.

True, history is not simply a record of the deeds of heroes and of massacrea and the slaughter of armies, but is the

of organization and co-operation. Class-es of men, with interests identical, very naturally organize and co-operate for mutual interest and protection. Sometimes for protection against in-

dividual monopolists, and sometimes in competition with other organizations, but always for economic and material reasons. The struggle for existence has forced them to organize and co-operate.

And a knowledge of the "law of growth" indicates that organizations

growth' indicates that organizatiors must continue to grow until every line of Industry is thoroughly organized. It is plain to be seen that with this lesson learned, and for economic reasons, it would be but natural to step from this stage of evolutionary industrial development to collective management and control of all public utilities, which the Socialists are contending for as a part of their program.

In the trust we have an example of and increased profits. And the prin-cipal of co-operation which they have adopted is a good one for those who

It logically follows that this principal