

CHARTER BILLS IN DEATH AGONY Blunder of Senator Curtis Brings Out Fact Measures Have No Chance

(SPECIAL TO THE DAILY SOCIALIST.) Springfield, Ill., May 14.—The charter of Senator Curtis in moving too soon, contrary to instructions, has brought out the fact clearly that there is no chance of passing any of the charter bills with the possible exception of the measure providing for the consolidation of taxing bodies, and even this stands but a small chance.

CHICAGO DIRTY; SHORT OF FUNDS With Street Cleaning Appropriation Inadequate, Epidemic May Result

Chicago, May 14.—Serious complaints are being made by inspectors of the board of health to the department of streets and alleys regarding the menace to public health which has been brought about by the tearing up of so many streets and by the failure to clean up alleys. Dangerous germs in streets. The streets which are torn up at the beginning of the hot season release a number of very dangerous germs, according to the board of health officials.

LANDLADY ASKS PAY FOR GAS USED BY GIRL SUICIDE

Los Angeles, Cal., May 14.—When friends of Miss Myrtle Brown, a school girl who committed suicide by inhaling gas, called at the house yesterday to secure the girl's effects they were met by Mrs. Jessie Mackintosh, proprietor of the house in which the girl had rented a room.

URGES CONCENTRATED FIGHT ON 'FRISCO UNION LABOR

(SPECIAL TO THE DAILY SOCIALIST.) San Francisco, May 14.—Secretary Gallagher of the San Francisco Labor Council has a letter signed by the Citizens' alliance which has been sent out to urge the concentration of power to fight union labor in this vicinity.

NIBBE OF HARRY THAW TO WED AN ITALIAN TITLE

New York, May 14.—Miss Beatrice Thaw is to be married June 3 to Marco Francesco Theodoli. Miss Thaw is the daughter of Blair Thaw, a half-brother of J. P. Morgan. The family lived in Rome for the last three years and it was there that Miss Thaw met her future husband.

MEMBER OF RUSS DUMA TO DELIVER LECTURE IN CITY

Dr. L. Geras, deputy of the second Russian duma, is in Chicago and will deliver an address at Schuller's gymnasium on Wednesday.

Table with 2 columns: League Name, City, Standing. Includes American League and National League.

BASEBALL GAMES TODAY Results Yesterday—Standing of Clubs

AMERICAN LEAGUE Philadelphia at Chicago, 4-0. Washington at St. Louis, 2-0. Boston at Detroit, 7-3. Chicago at New York, 1-0.

Table with 2 columns: League Name, City, Win-Loss. Includes American League and National League.

CHICAGOAN'S Campaign for Trade to Revolutionize England's Methods

London, May 14.—Simon F. Rothschild, a Brooklyn merchant, is in London for a few days. Mr. Rothschild has been studying the results of the American department store in London.

ENGLISH QUEEN A SUFFRAGE Foe

London, May 14.—Queen Alexandra does not believe in "woman's rights." Her majesty let it be known through Princess Louise, who at the opening of the nurses' congress said:

WIFE OF CHAUFFEUR SUBS WEALTHY RIVAL FOR \$150,000

Los Angeles, May 14.—The romance of Mrs. Jane Harris culminated yesterday in the filing of a suit for \$150,000 damages for alleged alienation of her husband's affections against Mrs. Grace Velle Harper, a former resident of Rock Island, Ill.

THE COMMON SENSE OF SOCIALISM

By JOHN SPARGO. A book explaining the principles of international Marxism. Price 25¢.

WOMEN AND THE SOCIAL PROBLEM

By SIMONS. A book discussing the social problems of women. Price 25¢.

Advertisement for 'The North Side's Largest Clothing Store' featuring 'We Present A Bold Front' and 'Large Assortment of Men's Suits at \$10.00 and \$12.50'.

Advertisement for 'The Chicagoan's Campaign for Trade to Revolutionize England's Methods'.

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PRINTS RAILWAY TICKET ON SPOT

Invention Stamps Blank Pasteboard for Station in Sight of Purchaser

Cologne, Germany, May 14.—German mechanical ingenuity has produced a machine that prints railroad tickets in sight of the purchaser...

Machine Replaces Ticket Stacks Instead of being surrounded by thousands of various tickets for each station on the system...

The appliance is an unpretentious one, measuring some 42 inches long by 24 inches broad and about 4 feet in height...

Ticket Made in a Hurry Upon a ticket being demanded at the window the clerk takes a blank and slips it through a slot into the printing carriage...

Reduces Labor and Responsibility It is impossible to withdraw any plate from its position in the rack...

Issues 500 Tickets in Hour At the Cologne station one clerk is said to have recently printed and issued 500 tickets in a single hour...

Surfrage Associations to Hold MIDDAY LUNCHEON The north side and south side surfrage associations will unite in giving a mid-day luncheon...

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CALIFORNIA FARMERS UNITE TO PROTECT OWN INTERESTS

(SPECIAL TO THE DAILY SOCIALIST) Los Angeles, Cal., May 14.—A beautiful illustration of the workings of economic determinism is shown here in California by the growth throughout the state of the raisin and prune belts...

Another illustration of the same law is shown by the misrepresentation, vilification, innuendo and "slush" which is heaped upon the Farmers' union by the local papers...

MOSLEMS STILL KILL ARMENIANS Marash, Asiatic Turkey, May 10 (delayed).—Distressing accounts continue to be received here from the country side of Armenian villages assailed by bands of Mohammedans...

Fight Off Besiegers Houses were sacked and then burned, farm animals were driven off and small parties of horsemen rode through the country "cleaning up the Armenians"...

Will Protect Americans Alexandria, Asiatic Turkey, Wednesday, May 12.—The United States revenue cutter Tacoma arrived here today for the protection of American interests...

ERLANGER FOR MAYOR OF N. Y. New York, May 14.—At a recent confab at the Democratic club, at which were present Richard Croker, Charles Murphy, Arthur Brisbane and several others...

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BIG AUSTRIAN CONGRESS ENDS

Union of Young Workers Arranging a Programme on Trade Schools

(DAILY SOCIALIST CORRESPONDENCE) Vienna, April 14.—The Union of Young Workers of Austria has just finished its third annual congress. It was well attended. One hundred and five delegates...

To Reform Trade Schools The congress was principally occupied with the arrangement of a program concerning the reform of the trade schools and legislation for the protection of apprentices...

Issues Thousands of Pamphlets The union issued a pamphlet entitled "National Educational Workshops" to the number of 10,000 copies...

SEVEN DIVORCES IN 28 MINUTES San Francisco, Cal., May 14.—Seven divorces in twenty-eight minutes—four minutes to a decree—were granted by Judge George H. Cabanis.

RUBBER RAINCOAT SAVED LIFE OF A POLICEMAN A rubber raincoat saved the life of Sergeant James Barnell of the Fifth street station last night...

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"Songs of Socialism" BRAND NEW EDITION By Harvey P. Meyer. This is a Socialist song book containing ninety-five songs for only 25 cents a single copy.

The Daily Socialist is delivered by carrier in Chicago for 6 cents per week.

DAILY SOCIALIST MAGAZINE PAGE

Olive Schreiner Takes Up the Cudgel for a Living Wage for Women

The following is the remarkable address sent by Olive Schreiner, of South Africa, to the women clerks of Johannesburg. It applies to all the world.

Secondly, there must be organized union among all workers; union among all workers in different branches in the same society, and yet larger union between the workers of all nations and countries, without which our labor problem can never be fully solved.

lightened societies, such as Australia, New Zealand, and some states of America, even that small means of making her wants felt which the exercise of the franchise gives to the other tax-paying workers in free countries—it is especially necessary that women workers should learn solidly to combine.

Women Lead the Way in Norway

The congress of the Norwegian Social Democrats attended by 265 delegates has been held in Hamar, Norway. This was by far the largest and most important congress of the party ever held in this country.

A motion was made and carried that in case of any attempt to stir up war between the three Scandinavian nations be a general strike. A resolution urging all Social Democrats of Europe to combat war by the most effective means, refusing any countenance to militarism, was also carried amid applause.

AN OBSTACLE

BY CHARLOTTE PERKINS GILMAN I was climbing up a mountain path. With many things to do, Important business of my own, And other people's too,

My work was such as could not wait, My path quite clearly showed, My strength and time were limited, I carried quite a load,

So I spoke to him politely, For he was huge and high, And begged that he would move a bit And let me travel by—

And then I reasoned quietly With that colossal mule; My time was short—no other path— The mountain winds were cool—

Then I flew into a passion, I danced and howled and swore, I pelted and belabored him Till I was stiff and sore;

And then I begged him on my knees—I might be kneeling still If so I hoped to move that mass Of obdurate ill-will—

So I sat before him helpless, In an ecstasy of woe— The mountain mists were rising fast, The sun was sinking slow—

I took my hat, I took my stick, My load I settled fair, I approached that awful incubus With an absent-minded air—

FOR HOME DRESSMAKERS



2844 BOYS' RUSSIAN SUIT. Paris Pattern No. 2844. All Seams Allowed. Natural colored or light tan linen, may be used with good effect for this simple but jaunty little suit for the small boy.

A HUMAN SACRIFICE ON THE ALTAR OF GREED

Bill Doyle was an iron worker. He lived with his wife and one child, a boy of eight, in a little unpretentious cottage near the great mills where he was employed.

Early left to make his own way in the world by the death of both his parents, young William had often had a hard struggle to keep body and soul together, but blessed with a strong constitution and a happy spirit in spite of reverses, he persevered and managed to keep on top, when many another would have failed.

Here he soon obtained work in one of the many great iron mills, for Bill was strong and hearty, and in him the foreman saw good material for tripping the company the number of dollars he received each week for his services.

Day after day he toiled in the sweltering heat of those huge furnaces, often tired and weary after his day's labors were over but always proud to place in his wife's hands the fruits of his labor.

When the affirmation of the truth of this rumor was received by the working men, low mutterings of discontent could be heard everywhere and angry scowls were on all faces.

At a meeting that evening, it was finally decided to compromise the matter and a committee was appointed to take a petition before the directors.

Anger showed on every face when the report was made. Why should those high and mighty lords be allowed to cut the wages of the men who sweated to put their fiery furnaces that they might ride fast horses, and drive automobiles, and that their women folk might wear diamonds and fine clothes while their own hard working wives at home must be satisfied with last year's hat and a made over gown?

"Mrs. Billy, do come here and see what I have found," said Howard, pulling at Mrs. Billy's sleeve. Mrs. Billy set down her pall and went with him. They were all out that day picking berries.

THE MARXIAN MARSEILLAISE

BY BERTHA M. STARKWEATHER Oh Workers of the world united, Arise and claim the world your own. The tyrant powers your lives have blighted; As cowards they shall stand alone.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

Soap for Removing Spots Chip three-fourths of a bar of good laundry soap into one or two gallons of water; let it stand over night till dissolved.

CHILDRENS CORNER

OUR INDIANS AT HOME

BY ELLEN DALRYMPLE MEGOW "Mrs. Billy, do come here and see what I have found," said Howard, pulling at Mrs. Billy's sleeve. Mrs. Billy set down her pall and went with him.



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Yondorf Bros. TWO STORES: North Ave. Blue Island Ave. We Feel Perfectly Safe in saying that at no other clothing store in Chicago are you receiving as much genuine clothing value in \$15 Men's Suits as we are offering.

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A CHALLENGE TO THE SOCIALISTS Socialism Exposed The Coming Peril SECOND EDITION By Morris Blair Coan, Ex-Editor New York Call

When Answering Telephone Calls When you are called on the telephone, do not wait for the calling party to ask who you are, or what your telephone number is, and don't say "Hello."

Central DRUG CO. What to Read on Socialism By Charles H. Kerr, Editor of the International Socialist Review.

Entered as second-class matter Dec. 22, 1894, at P. O., Chicago, Ill., under act of March 3, 1879.

Reducing Chicago's Representation

There have been repeated rumors of a political trade in the Illinois legislature on the charter question. In return for the passage of the charter desired by the Chicago politicians the Chicago members are to accept a reduction in the number of representatives from the city.

MASTER AND SERVANT

BY SEYMOUR STEDMAN. (Hang this up in your union.)

Working people object to being called slaves. It is not a very dignified term. It does not approach the honorable terms by which they are designated during election time.

company, A BOY OF SEVENTEEN. This helper had carelessly thrown pieces of boards near the sides of the machine where Meyer had to walk.

THE ROAD TO POWER

BY KARL KAUTSKY CHAPTER II—PROPHECIES OF THE REVOLUTION.

Only the most brainless routine worker is satisfied with the belief that things will continue to be as they now are. The politician, who is also a thinker, will weigh every possibility that each coming event may carry in itself, and think them out to their furthest consequences.

PANSY

By George E. Bowen

Proud Lily wears a solemn style, professionally pure; Gay Daffodil is all good will, a frowny face to cure.

COAL FOUND NEAR THE SOUTH POLE

One of the most interesting geological discoveries of the Shackleton Antarctic expedition is that of deposits of coal and limestone in far southern lands.

THE PARIS COMMUNE

CHAPTER VIII—THE DECLINE OF THE COMMUNE

BY ARTHUR BULLARD.

Thiers by forcing the Commune into war had forced it to destruction. These simple workmen of Paris, who had most admirably reorganized the public services of the city, who were full of dreams for the peaceful emancipation of their class, were utterly incapable of conducting a successful war.

When the national assembly had accepted the humiliating peace Rosset threw up his commission in disgust, and came to Paris. After the revolution of March 18 he had joined the federalists and been elected chief of the Seventh Battalion.

Educational Corset

For the best 500-word essays on "The Materialistic Interpretation of History" and "The Class Struggle" the Daily Socialist will give a copy of Hillquist's "Socialism in Theory and Practice" and a subscription card good for one year.

"Fads" in the Schools

Some Chicago bankers, having complained that the graduates of public schools do not make good clerks, the "big business" school board is preparing to throw out all the so-called "fads." These are the features of the schools that tend to make the pupils something more than machines.

CASEHARDENED



The Caddy (as the colonel misses the ball for the sixth time)—Go on, mister, say it. Don't mind me.—Bohemian Magazine.

NEW CLOCKS FOR OLD

Josh—Jerusha, here be a letter from Miss Van Astor sayin' she will give ye \$100 for that old mahogany clock of yer granddads!

Doing Well "Young man," said a rich and pompous old gentleman, "I was not always thus. I did not always ride in a motor car of my own. When I first started in life, I had to walk."

A M'LK PUNCH



Coeducation "But," asked the first coed, "why did you elect to take up the study of German instead of French?"

TO THE EDITOR

Are M. D.'s Greedy and Ignorant? In the copy of April 28 I see a short but venomous onslaught on "greedy and ignorant M. D.'s" by one of the anti-vaccinationists.

After Him

"Satan is represented as ruinin' after folks wif a pitchfork," said Uncle Eben, "when de truth is dat so many folks is pullin' at his costails dat he ain't got time to chase nobody."—Washington Star.

Fortunate

Captain (spinning a yarn)—"I was for eight days a prisoner among the cannibals."

Warned in Time

Miss De Flirt—"Oh, don't mind Tower's bark is worse than his bite."

DR. M. SCHOLL, Cincinnati, Ohio.