

PINCHOT BOOMS TEDDY FOR 1912

Speech at St. Paul Taken as Part of Third Term Plan

(SPECIAL TO THE DAILY SOCIALIST.)

Washington, D. C., June 13.—The skirmishes preceding the political sham battle which has as its object the capture of the white house by Teddy, the Terrible, in 1912 is beginning, Gifford Pinchot, "the conservator," having gone into the gradually "insurgency northwest and at St. Paul, having made a carion call for troops to fight the trusts.

Congress Not Trusted

"Because the special interests are in politics, we as a nation have lost confidence in congress. This is a serious statement to make, but it is true. It does not apply, of course, to the men who really represent their constituents and who are making so fine a fight for the conservation of self government.

"At the very time the duties on manufactured rubber were raised, the leader of the senate, in company with the Guggenheim syndicate, was organizing an international rubber trust, whose charter made it also a holding company for the coal and copper deposits of the whole world."

MISSISSIPPI STATE SUPREME COURT BRINGS PRISON HORROR

Jackson, Miss., June 13.—A remarkable situation has been brought about in this state, by the decision of the Supreme court declaring the act unconstitutional which gave the board of supervisors of each county the power to discharge county prisoners, declaring that only the governor of the state was vested with the power to grant a pardon.

This system is making a jail sentence as severe as a prison sentence and there is no hope for the petty malefactor if he once gets within the walls of the county jail, except through the governor. Governor Noel is at present giving all his time to the consideration of cases that have been submitted to him for pardon.

UNITED LABOR PARTY IN PHILADELPHIA NAMES TICKET

Philadelphia, Pa., June 13.—The new labor party, formed recently, has announced that it will nominate a full state ticket for the next election. It has also announced that its name will be "The United Labor Party."

"Appeal is made by the members of the committee of eleven, which drafted the platform, to the people of Philadelphia, business men as well as professional men, to give the party support and advice. The committee consists of eleven men, some of whom are fresh from the battle that was waged between the street car men and the business interests.

C. O. Pratt, the leader of the car strike, attended the platform committee in an advisory capacity. It is believed that he will be one of the party's candidates."

The announcement of the committee of eleven contains the following clause: "We would also ask all fraternal organizations, business men's associations and church societies who are in sympathy with good government, and who will aid us, to send such names, information and suggestions that will be a benefit to this cause."

The committee will meet again next Wednesday night.

NOISY, RUDE PEOPLE INTRUDE ON BUSSE'S SILVANA HOME

It must make Mayor Busse bluish-be has a summer estate at Fox Lake— to see in the Chicago Tribune today: "Five conditions at Fox Lake village, fifty miles from Chicago, were investigated yesterday and Saturday night by a Tribune reporter and found to be worse than in the levee districts of the city. This state of affairs applies to the village only and does not exist at all points on the lake.

"Questionable women and men companions who go to the village from Chicago to spend their "week ends," however, have been a source of annoyance and dread to all of the decent people who are in the habit of summering at the lake.

"They hire motor boats and launches and go wherever they see fit. Property owners on the lake have appealed in vain to the village officials to put a stop to the weekly saturnalia of lawlessness."

TRUNK MURDER STILL MYSTERY

Husband Sought Both as Slayer and as Victim; Police Divided

(United Press Cable.) Como, Italy, June 13.—Convinced that there can be little progress made, in unravelling the mystery of the murder of Mrs. Mary Scott Castle Charlton, until the part alleged to have been played in the crime by Porter Charlton, the missing husband, is determined, the police today began a second dragging of Lake Como and started also to dig up the ground around the villa Legnazzi, near Moltrasio, which the Charltons occupied. The lake is being dragged in the belief that if Charlton, too, was murdered, his body was probably thrown into the lake, as was that of his wife.

Police Are Divided

Not in years has there been a murder in Italy in which the police were so divided in their views as in the Charlton crime. This difference of opinion is likely to work against an early solution of the mystery. Half the police believe that Charlton is responsible for his wife's death and that he has fled Italy. The other half believe Charlton met the same fate as his wife and that Constantine Ispoloff, the Russian suspect, alone holds the key to the murder.

The Como chief of police and United States Consul Caughey at Milan, are firm in the belief that Charlton was murdered. The chief of police says that all stories of Charlton having been seen after the murder of his wife are either cases of mistaken identity or a deliberate plot to mislead the authorities. The latest of these stories is that the Swiss police traced Charlton to Lucerne, where he is said to have arrived on Saturday, and there lost all trace of him. If Charlton reached Lucerne on Saturday, it is conceded that he probably has made good his escape. The police are confused by the reports that reached headquarters today from Italian and other European cities that men answering Charlton's description have been seen in these cities.

Proves Hard Problem

Ispoloff is proving one of the craftiest prisoners ever questioned by the Italian police. The best detective talent in Milan and Rome have tried to break down his story that the last he saw of the Charltons was on Saturday, June 4, at least a day before the murder was committed, but has failed entirely.

The statement of M. Bassi, a druggist of Cernobbio, that he lent a pair of brass knuckles to Ispoloff, was expected to bring startling developments, but the prisoner refused to show any embarrassment when confronted with this bit of evidence and calmly insisted that Bassi was mistaken.

The police say it is possible that the wounds in Mrs. Charlton's head have been produced by these "knocks," but they hardly think it probable. The wounds were fearful bruises, rather than cuts, such as the "knuckles" would probably have produced. This leads the police to adhere to their original theory that a club, or some other blunt instrument was the weapon used.

SEEK INJUNCTION AGAINST MOVING OF STATE CAPITAL

(By United Press Association.) Oklahoma City, Okla., June 13.—Following the issuance of a statement by Governor Haskell declaring this state capital would be located at Oklahoma City from now on, an application for a temporary injunction restraining the state officials from removing any books or records to Oklahoma City or transacting official business there, was filed today at Guthrie with United States District Judge Cotterall, of the Western Oklahoma district. This is the second injunction asked for, the first having been granted in a county court. Judge Cotterall has the application under consideration.

WALKER ASKS AID FOR UNION

Mine Managers Are Appealed to in Great Battle With Bosses

Springfield, Ill., June 13.—President John H. Walker of the Illinois United Mine Workers is sending out circulars all over the state urging the need at this time of united action on the part of the miners and asking the mine managers and their assistants to help in the fight against the operators. Since the engineers were called out by the miners last week the mine managers and their assistants have been protecting the mines from damage by working the engines themselves. President Walker calls attention to the aid the miners have given the mine managers, and urges them to help in the present fight.

Text of Letter

The circular is as follows: "To all local unions where operators have not signed the agreement: "Sixteen days have elapsed since our joint negotiations were broken off at Peoria, and notwithstanding that we are starting off in our fourth week of idleness, all are standing firm and we have not had a man desert us. "Operators have signed contracts for two years practically on the basis of our demands as adopted at Peoria, giving employment to about 25,000 of our members, which, to say the least, is encouraging. With our present resources and the income from the ten per cent assessment on those at work we will be able to stay out indefinitely until the operators comply with the terms of our proposed agreement, providing our membership complies with the provisions governing the commission adopted at the convention. However, no member should draw on our resources unless compelled to accept assistance, in which case he should make it go as far as possible by buying only the necessities of life. If this is done there can be no possible doubt of the ultimate victory.

Ask for Aid

"As the operators have apparently settled down for a long, drawn-out struggle to prevent us from getting our just rights, we should husband our resources. "By the establishment of our organization the wages of mine managers and their assistants have been increased at least forty per cent, while their hours of labor have been decreased twenty-five per cent. The operators now cannot compel these men to do the many brutal and degrading things which they were at one time forced to do. In this struggle for justice and the preservation of our organization, the mine managers and assistants should lend us every aid and assistance in their power. I am asking that each member see these people and urge them to quit work and stand with us until this contest is settled right.

"J. H. WALKER, Pres."

PEOPLE TRUST EMIL SEIDEL

Mrs. Montefiore Says Socialists of Milwaukee Inspire Confidence

Mrs. Dora Montefiore, speaking today to a reporter for the Daily Socialist with regard to her impressions of Milwaukee, declared that she was impressed by the prevailing favorable sentiment toward the Socialist movement and the enthusiastic confidence that the majority of the population seemed to show in the character of the Socialists elected to office. The same sentiment prevails, she said, throughout the entire state.

"There is an entirely different atmosphere everywhere," she said.

"On a visit to Madison and in the course of an interview with President Van Hise, of Wisconsin university, the latter declared," she continued, "that the people of the state were with the Socialist officials in Milwaukee; and that he himself was personally confident of their ability and that the administration would be for the best interests of the people. The long-needed reforms, he declared, were now in sight."

Mrs. Montefiore was impressed by the work of Mrs. Berger on the school board.

Growing Interest Shown

With reference to the suffrage movement in the state of Wisconsin, Mrs. Montefiore gave some statistics gathered at the university which proved the increasing favor with which the suffrage movement was regarded. Requests are sent to Madison for subjects for debating. In 1898-99 thirty-two requests were received for the subject "Woman's Suffrage." In 1909-10 the number of requests for this subject had increased to eighty.

The open-air suffrage meeting arranged under the auspices of the Political Equality union and the Socialist Woman's league, gathered more than a thousand enthusiastic participants yesterday, in front of the Newberry library. The speakers, Mrs. Dora Montefiore of London and Miss Helen Todd of Chicago, were heartily applauded.

Asks for Ballot

"Many workmen," said Miss Todd, "may as well be shot down in their misery as put up with their surroundings. They are subjected to the whims of cheap politicians who make laws which make home hell. But there is a remedy. Give women the ballot and drive these dishonest men out of public life. "Don't we help make good homes

what they are! Then why not let us help make your cities? We have intelligence and we have hearts. We help support your institutions, so why not give us a voice in their management?" "I am a militant," said Mrs. Montefiore, "and was in prison, but such rough tactics will never be necessary here because with a little more education American men will give their women freedom.

Somewhat Different Here

"In London we are keeping the press and the police busy, but you won't have any trouble here. Organize your women into trades unions. Don't try to beat down the wages of women. Who started this idea of 'no taxation without representation'? Why, you Americans, at the Boston tea party. Surely the educated modern woman ought to receive as much at least as criminal and ignorant men. Think it over."

BIG AIR RACE IS ON TODAY

STANDING OF THE CLUBS. NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Table showing standings of National League clubs: Chicago, Cincinnati, Pittsburgh, St. Louis, Brooklyn, Philadelphia, Boston.

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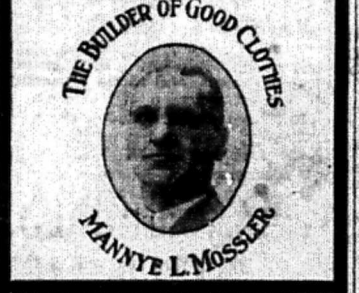
Indianapolis, Ind., June 13.—A pursuit race for biplanes in which four aviators will glide on the upper currents at one time was the event holding chief interest in the opening program of the Wright brothers aviation meet here today.

In teams of two, Johnstone and Welsh will contest Coffyn and Brookins, all Wright men, flying over a course marked with small flags. This pursuit race will extend five to ten laps.

Weather conditions permitting, eight aerial events will be scored today, the first of six programs offering a total of thirty-five features. The first flight will be attempted at 2 o'clock this afternoon, when Brookins of the Wright team, will exhibit a biplane in a five-lap center.

Kitchener Resigns High Post

London, June 13.—The government today accepted the resignation of Lord Kitchener as inspector general of the Mediterranean forces. War Secretary Haldane announced in the house of commons that Kitchener did not desire the post and that the government had recently accepted the resignation.



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The action is arbitrary on the part of the trust as well as the retailers. Shortage of cattle is given as the reason for the change in prices. It is predicted that the trust might, in a few days, increase the prices even more. Protests from workers and benevolent institutions has proven of no avail. Talk of a boycott and meat strike is heard in many quarters, but it is discouraged by many organizations.

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LABOR THE WORLD OVER

Thank God we have a system of labor where there can be a strike—Abraham Lincoln.

WICKERSHAM IN LABOR REBUFF

Washington, D. C., June 13.—"No!" This is the official answer to the question, "Will Attorney General Wickershams direct the powerful batteries of the federal government against the United States corporation?"

Federal Attorney General Refuses to Proceed Against Steel Trust

The attorney general gives two reasons for not using the department of justice in behalf of the steel workers and the independent steel manufacturers and against the most powerful and exploiting corporation in the world.

Declines "Artfully"

And in this fashion the attorney general artfully declines to prosecute the biggest trust the world has known, on the charge that it is engaged in a combination to restrain interstate and foreign trade and commerce in steel and iron and their products, and in endeavoring to monopolize the same.

Will Wait Awhile

"Both of these cases call for such a comprehensive construction and application of the court of the provisions of the Sherman Act, that it appears to be essential to await their decision before entering upon the consideration of the question whether or not the United States Steel corporation and its subsidiary companies constitute a combination in restraint of trade, or an attempt to monopolize the interstate and foreign trade and commerce of the United States in products of iron and steel, within the meaning of the anti-trust act of 1890."

WHAT DISTRICT, STATE AND LOCAL ORGANIZERS SAY

ARIZONA Globe—Harry Eads This town is well organized. A fair workday and union scale of wages seem to be obtained without trouble. In every way union labor is far in advance of unorganized labor.

ARKANSAS Coming—Earl March

Condition of organized labor good, but work is not steady. Carpenters have reduced hours from ten to nine and increased wages from \$2 to \$2.50 per day since their organization.

LITTLE ROCK—L. H. Moore

Owing to the increased demand for union men organized labor is in splendid condition. This is particularly true in the building industries. Employment is steady.

TAKE NOTICE

The Daily Socialist is planning to conduct a labor department that shall be of interest to every workman of Chicago. In order to do this it needs the cooperation of all local labor officials.

WARNING TO WORKINGMEN

Stay away from Great Falls, Mont. All the international unions in Great Falls are in serious trouble, and all workmen and their friends are asked to stay away from this city until notice is received that everything is settled.

UNION MEETINGS TONIGHT

Carmen, Bl. Int. 415, 226 Western av. Trench Laborers, 225 S. Halsted. Engineers, Bl. Int. 411, Masonic Hall.

RENEW FIGHT ON BEEF TRUST

Organized Labor Continues Struggle Against One of Its Worst Enemies

Progress Shows

In spite of the up-hill work before the organization the convention showed that the membership had gained 1,000 in the past year and that thirteen more locals had been added to the gradually increasing list.

SMITH THIRD VICE PRESIDENT

In order to better carry on the work the executive board was increased from five to seven. C. F. Smith, financial secretary of Local 158, of this city, was advanced from fifth to third vice president.

REPORTS SUBMITTED

The Louisville local has established the nine-hour day with a ten-hour wage, even the Cudahy company, with its "beef trust" affiliations signing up.

PRESSERS OUT IN ST. LOUIS

The pressers of the French Siskit company of St. Louis, Mo., are out on strike as a result of employment of non-union pressers, with whom they refuse to work.

FRENCH STRIKE SPREADS

Paris, June 13.—The strike of the employees of the Nord railway is growing. In the south of France the railway strike is assuming large proportions.

CONDEMN IDEA OF BOY SCOUTS

Teachers Follow Chicago Federation of Labor in War on Militarism

Militarism, especially in the form of the "Boy Scouts" movement, is to be fought by the Chicago Teachers' federation along the line laid down by the Chicago Federation of Labor.

COMMITTEE SELF-APPOINTED

Resolutions were passed by the teachers pointing out that "according to the plans of the self-appointed committee, military men and others having no professional teachers' certificates nor authority to teach are permitted to organize these bands of scouts, to teach and control them, putting guns in their hands and destructive ideals in their minds."

BELONGS TO "BARBAROUS AGE"

"That we are opposed to the organization of Boy Scout corps of American children and to all efforts to arrest their developing minds at a stage of development which belongs to a medieval and barbarous age."

OPPOSED TO "MEN"

"That we are opposed to the efforts of any men to take into their own hands the decision of the questions of vital interest to women while refusing to give a hearing to women."

WILL CALL STRIKE OF CLOAK MAKERS BY JULY 15

New York, June 13.—A strike involving 75,000 cloakmakers will be called before July 15, according to delegates who have returned from the convention of the International Ladies' Garment Makers' union at Boston.

HEARST CONDEMNED

Butte, Mont. Miners' union has passed resolutions condemning William Randolph Hearst as "a political faker and mountebank."

OBJECT TO BOYS' SCHOOLS

Union men in Cincinnati object to the public training schools, where boys are doing men's work in shops at 12 1/2 cents an hour.

SEEK HALF HOLIDAY

St. Paul, Minn., June 13.—The Plumbers' union of St. Paul has declared for a Saturday half holiday all the year around, and the members are determined to get what they get after.

The Hustlers' Column

IT IS NEXT SUNDAY

You did not realize how close the date of the picnic was? Less than a week to make the famous "whirlwind finish" that has characterized many efforts in the past and that will be greatly out-classed this time.

Those who live at a distance will just have time to get in their money for the tickets already in their hands. From now on it is a question of watching the wave of effort roll toward Chicago.

We will break all records before the picnic. There was never a chance to do work with so little effort. You have been asked before to solicit funds directly. That was not very easy. You have been asked to secure subscribers. That is always the greatest need.

These are the things that if you tell any man, woman or child who has a quarter, will cause them to hand over the two bits and grab the pasteboard.

Bring in the money for what you have sold and get another bunch today.

Meet me at the picnic June 19th. Comrade O. Wonnemann, Kansas, dives into the office with a new one in his hat. A. N. Emberg, Ill., pays for the bunch of ten tickets sent him the same time.

TEDDY IGNORES BITTER FACTS

Ex-President Roosevelt was made the target for a broadside of scathing remarks yesterday afternoon at the commencement exercises of the Chicago Law School in the Garrick theater.

DEBS TALKS AT GRAND RAPIDS

Grand Rapids, Mich., June 13.—A great Debs' meeting has been arranged at Powers' Opera House in this city for today. It is under the auspices of the Socialist local of Grand Rapids.

SUGAR DOWN

A fight among the sugar barons has lowered that article for a week or two. Those contemplating putting up fruits should get sugar before the summer rise.

LABOR SCORES VICTORY

Organized labor scored a victory when the legislature at Columbus, O., passed the Norris-Matthews employers' liability bill.

ILLINOIS MINERS HOLD LOVE FEAST AT SPRINGFIELD

Springfield, Ill., June 13.—The anti-administration element in the ranks of the Illinois miners' organization were completely routed and their mass meeting at Camp Lincoln turned into a love feast.

HOSPITALS NOT BATTLESHIPS

The Typographical union of New York city has adopted resolutions against the appropriation of millions of dollars for more battleships.

STRIKERS WIN INCREASE

Plainfield, N. J., June 13.—The strike among the printing press machinists of this city was settled when the 450 men accepted the proposition of the manufacturers for a flat increase of 10 per cent for both inside and outside men.

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MAY CALL TWO STRIKES ON CANADIAN PACIFIC

Montreal, Que., June 13.—Two strikes are pending on the Canadian Pacific railroad.

BOSTON MACHINISTS STRIKE

Boston, June 13.—Strikes look very bright here for the striking machinists.

DAMAGES FOR INJURED

In Australia a seaman's compensation act is in force, which provides liability on the part of employers.

STATE TO SELL FUEL

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LABOR IN POLITICS

BY JOSEPH E. COFFIN.

Philadelphia has passed through its first experience with what was meant to be a new labor party. At the primaries held last week the reformers tried to foist their slated candidates upon the Republican party.

Never were the working people so much in earnest as they were that night when, as representatives of the various unions, they cast their lot in with the platform and aims of the committee in charge.

A NEW DEFENDER OF CATHOLICISM

BY ROBERT HUNTER

Some time ago I had a really good laugh. I picked up the journal of the United Mine Workers of America and saw a long article in defense of the Catholic Church.

Hail to Hot Air!

We are gratified to learn that our esteemed fellow citizens of the Saphead Club have hired a steamer and will be in line in the glad procession that will welcome to our shores our proud National Hero, Theodore Roosevelt.

He has killed
Giraffes 17 Lions 9
Zebras 28 Elephants 16
Hartbeests 13 Rhinoceroses 5
Wildbeests 41 Hippopotami 7
Gazelles 14 Antelopes 68

OUR NATIONAL HERO
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OUR NATIONAL HERO
He kicked the Swiss Republic
In the Face.

No patriotic heart will fail to be thrilled at the sight of these magnificent emblems. We are authorized to add that to ensure the perfect success of the occasion the club has received a consignment of knee-pants with padded knees, so that without pain or inconvenience the members can assume the proper attitude before Our Hero.

Biggest Bank in the World

A new consolidation in the banking world gives, for the moment, the biggest bank in the world. A new consolidation next week may leave this one far behind. Does it need a sermon, or long-drawn-out reasoned logic to prove that the control of the world is passing into fewer and fewer hands?

Diaz' Hand in American Government

The surest road to preferment in the government of the United States seems to be through favors done to the bloodthirsty tyrant who rules over Mexico. A few years ago Oscar Lawler was an obscure Federal attorney in Los Angeles. He assisted in prosecuting some Mexican refugees whom Diaz hated.

Do Not Forget

Do not forget that the Busse gang is still in the City Hall. Do not forget that the coal thieves, the Cummings Foundry thieves and a large number of other thieves have never been punished.

An Honor to Go to Jail

The miners are no longer to be held in abject fear of an injunction. It is now commonplace and considered honorable to go to jail in defense of a principle.—Adolph Germer, of United Mine Workers.

On the Firing Line

BY MONOSABIO.

You cannot stop time by stopping clocks, and time will surely bring Socialism. It is to the credit of humanity that all men are not as bad as they might be under capitalism.

LOOK FOR THE UNION LABEL

BY C. F. SMITH

Third Vice President Meat Cutters and Butcher Workmen of North America. I went into a nickel shop last night to kill a little time and there I saw one of the best reasons why a man should look for the union label on all his clothes before he buys them.

STORIES OF AN AGITATOR

BY RALPH KORNGOLD
THE STORY OF THE BENT SILVER DOLLAR

"James Duncan had deputies sworn in from among the business element, a detective agency was called upon to supply armed detectives, and Greeks were imported in large numbers to take the places of the striking miners.

PARAGRAPHS FOR PEOPLE

BY R. P. PETTIPiece, VANCOUVER, B. C.

The ballot last week showed that the Winnipeg printers very generally supported the "administration" of the international, the vote being overwhelmingly in favor of James J. Lynch for president.

TRINITY CHURCH

BY HARRY H. KEMP.

And could he own such worship, even He Who walked with fisherfolk in Galilee, To whom there were no people set apart.