

DEBS BLAMES OTIS FOR THE TIMES OUTRAGE

HART, SCHAFFNER & MARX OFFICIAL CHARGED WITH ASSAULTING GIRL; 50 DETECTIVES HIRED; \$8 A DAY EACH

Union Will Prosecute for Violence Against Two Strikers; Eight More Shops Are Tied Up; Over 4,000 Are Now Out.

TWO ARE CHOKED

General Superintendent Peth of Hart, Schaffner & Marx is accused of choking Eva Kaplan, a 19-year-old girl who, in response to the strikers' signal, started to leave shop No. 11.

STORY OF BRUTAL ACT

The signal whistle had just blown in shop 11, at Market and Van Buren street. It was the signal to stop work and join the strikers. Nearly all of the employees began putting on their street clothes when Superintendent Peth walked up and asked what was happening.

GIRL PUSHED OUT

Then the two of them pushed me out and locked the door. There were about 200 girls in the shop when the door was locked and he made them stay in. Outside of the shop was a policeman. He told me I could use him as a witness and advised me to sue for damages.

GRABBED BY THE THROAT

At this point, according to Sam Rosen, he stepped in and began asking the men to quit work and join the strikers. He had no sooner uttered his appeal when Bottress jumped toward him and grabbed him by the throat.

WELLMAN OFF FOR EUROPE

Atlantic City, N. J., Oct. 15.—The Wellman dirigible left its moorings here this morning and pointed seaward. Whether Wellman is on his way to Europe or merely making a trial trip is problematical.

DETECTIVES HIRED

Milton Strauss, general superintendent of the Hart, Schaffner & Marx shops, disclaims all knowledge of the choking of any of the employes in the shops. He also displays surprising ignorance regarding the number of detectives hired by the concern.

LEARNS OF COST

Noren then inquired how much it would cost him per man each day and was informed that the amount paid by Hart, Schaffner & Marx was \$8. His case, Noren was told, would be no exception.

SEEK FOR SCABS

The garment workers' strike is now entering its third week, and Hart, Schaffner & Marx are desperately seeking scab help. Advertisements for help have been placed in every newspaper that would accept them.

NUMBER ON STRIKE

The shops affected and the approximate number of persons on strike in each are as follows: Shops No. 1, 2, 11, 14, 15 and 22, located at Congress and Madison streets.

UNION RANKS GROW

Saturday 975 men and women, boys and girls quit shops 6, 17, 18, 19 and 22, in spite of the efforts of General Superintendent Peth to stop a stampede.

ENCOURAGED BY THE DAILY INCREASE

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PETH MAKES PLEA

The strikers gathered outside the shop to talk matters over before leaving for the meeting in Hod Carriers' hall. They were outside about a half hour when an automobile dashed up.

GROWING STEADILY

Looking over the crowd of strikers, Noren shook his head and said: "I have been thinking of hiring one of the downtown theaters, but with the way we are increasing each day, I doubt very much whether the Coliseum will hold us."

WEATHER INDICATIONS

The official weather forecast for the thirty-six hours ending tomorrow at 1 p. m. is as follows: Chicago and vicinity—Generally fair tonight and Sunday; moderate temperature; moderate variable winds.

PRIMARY LAW IS CALLED VALID

(SPECIAL TO THE DAILY SOCIALIST.) Springfield, Ill., Oct. 15.—The Supreme court, divided four to three, declared the Illinois primary act constitutional.

BEVERIDGE BREAKS DOWN IN MIDDLETOWN

Anderson, Ind., Oct. 15.—The strenuous pace set by Col. Roosevelt while touring Indiana in behalf of Senator Beveridge was too much for the senator, who broke down, although the colonel kept going.

BLAST INJURES BUILDING

Dynamite or powder was used in an attempt to blow up a two-story brick building at 1354 West Taylor street at 2:25 a. m. Saturday, endangering the lives of six persons who occupied the second floor as living quarters.

STAND FALLS—TWENTY HURT

Aux Vasse, Mo., Oct. 15.—Twenty persons were injured when the grand stand occupied by street fair spectators collapsed.

BREAKDOWN DELAYS TRAFFIC

A truck wagon loaded with steel beams broke down on the corner of Fifth avenue and Madison streets at noon today and delayed traffic on several street car lines for half an hour.

JURY REJECTS BOMB REPORT

Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 15.—Coroner Hartwell has set next Tuesday for the inquest into the Times bomb disaster.

BRIAND'S WORK BREAKS STRIKE

French Railroads Manned by Men, Under Army Orders, Resume Schedule.

(United Press Cable.) Paris, Oct. 15.—The serious situation that made itself manifest during the first day of the railway strike is ameliorated greatly today and there are few signs that this week has noted one of the most serious labor disturbances France has ever known.

CAPITALIST PRESS GIVES INTERVIEW WITH HARDIE

French Unionism Analyzed by Member of House of Commons. Newspapers throughout the United States published an interview with James Keir Hardie, Socialist, and member of the Independent Labor party in the British House of Commons.

WORK LONG HOURS

"The strike is purely industrial in its origin. The employes of the Northern railroad, which is operated by a private company, not by the state, have been agitating for more than a year to secure a reduction of the number of working hours and increased rates of pay.

STAND TOGETHER

"In short, the workmen determined to stand or fall together. As the company persisted in its stiff-necked obduracy the strike was declared.

THE NEW BRIAND

"This means, in effect, that a general strike of nearly all trades would accompany every dispute in any particular trade.

HURRICANE LEAVES TRAIL OF DEVASTATION—MANY KILLED

(United Press Association.) Key West, Fla., Oct. 15.—The fiercest tropical hurricane that has swept the Caribbean waters for years left a devastated trail through Cuba and the Florida keys when it turned back northward early today.

"The Union Haters Are the Instigators, if Not Actual Perpetrators, of That Crime," Writes Socialist

BY EUGENE V. DEBS. In the Appeal to Reason. THE BLOWING UP of the Los Angeles Times and the snuffing out of twenty human lives is another of the atrocious crimes committed in the heat and passion of the class war.

First of all, let me relate my own experience with General Harrison Gray Otis and the Los Angeles Times. At the time of the railroad strike in 1894 the Los Angeles Times lied about me outrageously, charged me with every conceivable crime, editorially stated that I deserved the gallows and did all in its power to send me there.

A few days later I returned to Los Angeles to find the old Hazard pavilion packed to the doors, every inch of standing room occupied and thousands turned away, to hear my answer to Otis and the Times. It so happened that I had in my grip the documentary evidence, including government reports, to prove my innocence of the most vicious of these charges.

WHAT ARE THE FACTS?

Now let us examine some of the facts in regard to the blowing up of the Times and some of the circumstantial evidence, and let us see if it is not impossible to escape at least the inference, if not the positive conclusion, that Otis and his gang are themselves the conspirators and criminals.

TIMES A VENOMOUS FOE

THIRD. The Los Angeles Times is the most venomous foe of organized labor in the United States and its own record proves that there is no crime too abhorrent for it to commit to wreak its vengeance on the labor movement.

TRUTH WAS COMING OUT

FIFTH. The united league of newspapers, which embraces a chain of daily papers scattered over the country, and friendly in their attitude towards organized labor, recently sent a special correspondent to California to investigate conditions growing out of the war between labor and capital on the Pacific coast, and his series of articles is now running in those papers.

(Continued on page five.)

LABOR THE WORLD OVER

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

Edited by BEN. OLIN

In the world's broad field of battle Be a hero in the struggle.

BUILDING TRADE STRIFE IS OVER

Lockout and Strike of New York Bricklayers Is Now Settled.

New York, Aug. 15.—The big labor war in the building trades is ended.

It was a victory for both sides, but the victory of the bricklayers is of far-reaching importance.

Heretofore the national board has been defied by a group of local leaders among the bricklayers.

Victory Complete, Says Chief

President William J. Bowen of the Bricklayers, Masons and Plasterers' International Union, said:

"We have won from the Mason Builders' Association a complete recognition of the laws of our international organization outside as well as inside New York city."

Trouble Started in Newark

The trouble between the bosses and the bricklayers was started early this summer in Newark, N. J.

Ten days ago, after the bricklayers had retaliated by striking the Nesbitt job in New York city.

The other unions immediately voted to stand by their brother workmen.

Has Cost \$1,600,000

The difficulty has cost the bricklayers in wages about \$1,600,000.

SOAB SEAMEN CAUSE OF EARLY NAVIGATION'S CLOSE

Seamen who have traversed the lakes for years predict an early close of the season this year.

"They are having a hard time getting good men," said an old fisherman.

"Seven boats are already laid up in South Chicago, about twenty in DuSable, and an equal number in Cleveland and Buffalo."

The union is holding its own and is ready for another year's fight against inhuman conditions.

GIRLS REHEARSE FOR W. T. U. L. OUTFITTING, OCT. 29

Girl members of the various unions affiliated with the Chicago Women's Trade Union League met Friday night at West Park No. 9, Chicago avenue and Noble street.

A rose dance, in which the girls will be decorated with paper roses made by themselves, a Dutch hop, whose participants will dance in wooden shoes.

The dance and cotillion will take place at Illinois hall, Ogden avenue and Madison street.

JOLIET STRIKE STILL ON

Joliet, Ill., Oct. 15.—Hope that the molten strike would be settled within a few days seems to have taken wings.

Labor Briefs

The committee of the San Francisco United Glass Workers appointed to select a suitable site for a permanent camp for members out of work or on a vacation has secured a location on the banks of the Petaluma river.

The Birmingham (Eng.) city council has adopted the rule that the standard of wages in districts where work is executed for that English city should be paid not only by contractors but by sub-contractors.

Boston Coal Teamsters and Handlers' Union No. 8 has on its membership roll every man in the line of business in that city.

Recently the members received substantial increases in wages and a nine-hour day.

The new organization, which is to be known as the Waters' Progressive League of Chicago, will, as soon as they receive their charter, elect their officers and make provisions for mass meetings to secure more members.

INDORSED BY UNION LABOR

The Chicago Federation of Labor has endorsed the Daily Socialist because it is of great value to unionists at all times.

TAKE NOTICE

The Daily Socialist continually seeks to make this department of interest to every workingman within its reach.

UNION MEETINGS TONIGHT—DON'T FAIL TO ATTEND

Bakers, 2, 558 Wells.
Blacksmiths, 12, 12 S. Clark.
Blacksmiths, 122, 4th & Princeton.

CHICAGO FEDERATION OF LABOR, 273 LA SALLE ST., 2 P. M.

Bourgeois, 548, 725 La Salle.
Beer Bottlers, 218, 610 W. Lake.
Chauffeurs, 72, 275 La Salle.

WOMEN UPHELD BY OHIO LABOR

Resolutions Also Passed

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A long fight was precipitated over the question of seating women's delegates from label leagues and auxiliaries.

Deploing Los Angeles Outrage.

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Compulsory arbitration in any form was condemned.

Resolutions Adopted

Other resolutions adopted were: To give unionists the right to do public work on the day of labor plan.

Heat Street Cars

Indorsing a law providing for the heating of street cars, both in the front and rear.

Indorsing a mechanic's lien law

Indorsing a mechanic's lien law which would protect wage earners from dishonest employers.

WATERS JOIN UNION AT ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING

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SCAB SHOP IS GIVEN U. S. JOB

Union Men Ask Why Contract Went to Unfair Concern

Washington, Oct. 15.—In response to many inquiries, Postmaster General Hitchcock is attempting to make a satisfying explanation.

Postoffice Department, with the prominent United States government printing office at its command, has let a contract for printing envelopes.

Morrison Gets Statement

Nor is that all. In a letter to Frank Morrison, secretary of the American Federation of Labor, signed by acting Third Assistant Postmaster General A. M. Travers, the following statements are made:

"Stamped envelopes are now manufactured by the Mercantile Corporation, Dayton, Ohio, under contract which expires June 11, 1911.

"The department advertised for bids for a new contract on August 1, 1910. There was only one bidder, the Mercantile Corporation.

"As to the observance of the eight-hour day and the sanitary conditions prevailing in the factory the department has no control."

One Firm Gets Business

Labor leaders in Washington point to the fact that the only advantage gained by the government in letting private contracts is when there is competition.

Another explanatory letter to Senator Lodge, Postmaster General Hitchcock has this to say:

Hitchcock Talks

"To have awaited the outcome of pending legislation to which you refer would have resulted in sacrificing opportunity for competition for an important contract.

Here the postmaster general excuses his haste to let the contract on the ground that opportunity for competition might be lost.

FARMERS' UNION RUNS COLORAD COAL MINE

Erie, Colo., Oct. 15.—The third union coal mine to be operated by the Farmers' Union in Southern Colorado has been opened at this place.

A quarter section of land has been leased and a shaft has been sunk over 300 feet to an eleven-foot vein in the heat coal to be found in Colorado.

VOLL MADE PRESIDENT OF OHIO LABOR FEDERATION

Hamilton, Ohio, Oct. 15.—The twenty-seventh annual convention of the Ohio State Federation of Labor has chosen Cleveland as its next meeting place.

The election of officers resulted as follows: John A. Voll, Zanesville, president; Edward L. Hitehens, Cincinnati; Tom F. Farret, Cleveland, and Isaac S. Byrum of Canton, vice presidents; Harry D. Thomas of Cleveland, secretary and treasurer.

ANDERSON WILL TALK TO THE EPISCOPALIAN CLERGY

The Episcopalian clergy, holding their convention at the Masonic temple, will listen to an address on the labor question Monday noon.

WORKER IS CHOSEN AUSTRALIAN MAYOR

Melbourne, Australia, Oct. 15.—At the last municipal elections for the town of Port Melbourne, the secretary of the Waterside Workers' Federation stood for re-election as mayor and was unanimously elected.

MARSHALL FIELD & CO. HOSTILE TO UPHOLSTERS

Twenty-three custom upholsters laid down their tools in the shops of Marshall Field & Co., when they were told that they would have to leave the union and sign up with the big corporation as individuals.

The majority of the men are members of Retail Upholsters' Union, local No. 111, which recently drew up a wage scale to conform with the prices paid in other large cities for the same work.

When the scale was presented to Marshall Field & Co., the union's committee was told that if the men had grievances of any kind they would have to go to the superintendent of their department, and he would have the final say as to whether or not any action need to be taken.

Three more firms have acceded to the demands made by the union; they are the Scholle Furniture company, John A. Colby & Sons, and the Haselgren Studios.

Pickets at the shops of the manufacturers who are still holding out against the union report that with the exception of a few "scrubs" there are no upholsters taking the places of the strikers. The men are confident that a few more days will see the end of the strike.

THE BUYERS' NEWS

Big Trading Center

Milwaukee and Armitage.

The above is the wording of three big net signs that are stretched across the street at Armitage, Western and Milwaukee avenues.

This is a reproduction of the front and back cover of the Fall and Winter style book that The Armitage Co. has issued.



THE ARMITAGE. We have claimed progressive dealers advertise in the Daily Socialist.

Daily Socialist readers living in this section of the city can do all the shopping they need at this corner from our advertisers.

Other advertiser we have in that locality, and who is able to supply you with all the other things you may need, is KOLA-CEK.

As it is your desire to patronize our advertisers, and this makes it convenient to do your shopping near home, we cannot urge you too strongly to keep these two concerns in mind when you do your buying.

CONFER ON PLAN FOR NEW HARBOR

Congressman Martin B. Madden aligned himself with the Busse administration's plans for Chicago's harbor development yesterday when he pledged himself to stand for a government appropriation of not less than \$3,000,000 to carry out the improvements.

BOY KILLED IN PRIZE FIGHT

Menlo, Okla., Oct. 15.—Andy Fisher, 15 years old, of Fairview, Okla., is dead and Frank Hill, 18 years old, is being sought by the authorities today as being responsible for the death of the younger boy, whose neck was broken in a prize fight here last night.

CLARENCE DIETS GETS OFFER TO ENTER VAUDEVILLE

Milwaukee, Wis., Oct. 15.—Clarence Diets, son of the now famous Cameron Dam defender, with two uncles, arrived here today and will address a mass meeting of the Diets defense committee tonight.

SPEND YOUR MONEY WHERE YOU GET FULL VALUE IN RETURN

Following the announcement of Congressman Madden's pledge, a conference was held in the mayor's office at which were present, besides Busse, Alderman Harry E. Littler, chairman of the harbor committee; Alderman Charles M. Foell, chairman of the finance committee; R. R. McCormick, president of the sanitary district; Commissioner of Public Works B. J. Mullaney and Alderman Milton J. Foreman, chairman of the local transportation committee, and one of Busse's right hand men in the city council.

CARNIVAL OF CRIME STRIKES CHICAGO—CRIMINALS ESCAPE

Three hold-ups, resulting in the death of one man and the serious injury of another, through which the robbers escaped with money and valuables amounting to more than \$500, caused the police today to offer a reward of \$200 for the apprehension of the men responsible.

CHOLERA PREVENTS FLEET VISITING MEDITERRANEAN

Naples, Oct. 15.—That the American government was right in declining to allow the battleship fleet to visit the Mediterranean ports this fall and winter because of the cholera scare, was proven today by the official announcement that twenty-four new cases of cholera had been discovered yesterday in the province of Naples alone, accompanied by twelve deaths.

WHITE ISSUES REPLY TO PERRY

Candidate for Miners' International President Refused Space in the "Journal".

Oaklona, Ia., Oct. 15.—John P. White, candidate for president of the United Mine Workers of America, has issued a statement here in reply to an interview with International Secretary Edwin Perry, published in the Indianapolis daily papers and in the United Mine Workers' Journal.

White's Statement

The statement is as follows: "To the Officers and Members of the United Mine Workers of America. 'Greeting: No doubt many of you will be watching the columns of the United Mine Workers' Journal, anticipating a reply from me to Secretary Perry's interview in the United Mine Workers' Journal of September 29."

"I desire to say that I prepared a reply to this interview and forwarded a typewritten copy requesting the editor to give it space in the Journal. I am in receipt of a letter from the business manager of our official organ, notifying me that my reply cannot be printed in the Journal for the reason that it is in violation of Article 15, Section 2 of the National Constitution.

"I shall suffer this injustice rather than resort to the practice of circulating our local unions, being opposed to that policy, and I shall leave the membership of our great organization to draw their own conclusions as to why my article was denied publication after the Journal had published the interview of Secretary Perry."

"Respectfully submitted, 'JOHN P. WHITE'."

Will Suffer Injustice

The interview given out by International Secretary Perry was an attack on White.

BIG DIVIDENDS FOR P. & L. E.

Washington, Oct. 15.—President W. C. Brown told the Interstate Commerce Commission yesterday that the Pittsburg and Lake Erie, under New York Central ownership, was one of the best earners in the world.

Brown said that in the past three years nothing had been taken from the income of the New York Central for improvements. The bonded debt, he said, was \$284,614,845, or \$163,979 a mile. The average dividend for 21 years has been 4.78, but only 1.27 per cent of the earnings has been used for improvements.

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THE NEXT CONGRESS

When the Congress of the United States next meets, something new is almost sure to happen.

It is almost sure that here and there scattered about the hall will be men who are different from any that have ever been there. These men will be Socialists.

They will not represent "the vested interests," but speak the voice of labor.

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In the two National Campaigns of 1896 and 1900, the Democratic National Committee spent \$1,100,000. The Republican Committee spent \$26,000,000. The Roosevelt-Parker Campaign of 1904 cost the Democrats \$1,250,000. The Republicans \$9,500,000. These are the official figures. The capitalists contributed three times as much, and they got their money's worth.

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ISLANDS' KING CAME TO LEARN

Sultan of Sulu Wants to Take Back World's Learning

Washington, Oct. 15.—Of the many quaint visitors who come to Washington none has ever attracted more attention than the Sultan of Sulu, Uncle Sam's only real potentate, who traveled round the world to call on "Governor" Taft and incidentally to raise some ready cash by disposing of a few of his jewels.

The sultan won many friends here before his hurried departure for the West, his visit having been cut short by the necessity of reaching San Francisco in time to board an army transport for Manila.

Reaching the American workmen by modern methods. That's what the First ward branch of the Socialist party is doing in Chicago.

Appealing to the bargain instinct to propagate Socialism is not new, but to do it and get a response in literature is a thing that literally fills the coffers of the local branch with coin is something which the "Jimmie Higginson" in the United States have believed to be above their brightest dreams.

It is being done. Nevertheless, it has been done, and is still being done in spite of "Jack Frost" weather, on the corner of Congress and State streets, in the business district.

Meetings have been held on this corner for years. Every once in a while some "prominent" or "brilliant" speaker has been announced and the literature sales would be boosted for one night.

Such meetings have invariably been advertised in the news columns of the local Socialist papers for weeks ahead. The result would be an audience consisting nearly entirely of Socialists.

They would fill the collection hat and would buy the literature. And no "heathen" would be converted. It's the converting of the "heathen" that the First ward fellows are out for.

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men who are still being doped by the Republican and Democratic parties. "Thousands of people pass down State street nightly. They look into the bright and gaudy show windows of the big department stores and drink in eagerly the sights of "bargains." If they could, many of them would walk inside and buy these bargains, but the stores are closed. The First ward members, however, are ready to satisfy their demands, and this is how they do it:

At 7:30 o'clock, three nights a week, the speaker's platform is placed about fifty feet away from the corner. Then the chairman announces the opening of the meeting by giving away a large number of Socialist papers. This in itself is sufficient to draw the crowd, as nearly everybody is looking for "something for nothing." After the papers have been given out, the crowd is asked to stick around a while as there is to be "something doing" in a minute.

The crowd sticks, and El Williams gives the assembly of workmen a rough and ready speech on "education." Some say he handles the audience too roughly, but the audience stays nevertheless. Williams always winds up his talk something like this:

"You fellows need education; to get an education you've got to read, and you've got to read the right stuff. Now we've got the dope right here, and it won't break you to get it. Now listen (and then he proceeds to open a big envelope):

"Here's the Introduction to Socialism, everybody should be properly introduced; it's worth a nickel, and then we've got the 'Misery of Boots'; it will interest over half. Then there's 'What Can Bryan or Taft Do for the Workingmen?' It tells you all about it. On top of that we'll put a copy of the 'International Socialist Review,' the only magazine in the United States that is fighting for you, etc., and on top of the whole bunch, for good measure, we'll throw in a copy of the 'Appeal to Reason' and a copy of the 'Daily Socialist.' Now who's going to be the first fellow to take the first combination, all packed in an envelope, to keep the books from getting dirty, all for a dime!"

HOW SOCIALISTS ARE MADE IN CHICAGO



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"You fellows need education; to get an education you've got to read, and you've got to read the right stuff. Now we've got the dope right here, and it won't break you to get it. Now listen (and then he proceeds to open a big envelope):

"Here's the Introduction to Socialism, everybody should be properly introduced; it's worth a nickel, and then we've got the 'Misery of Boots'; it will interest over half. Then there's 'What Can Bryan or Taft Do for the Workingmen?' It tells you all about it. On top of that we'll put a copy of the 'International Socialist Review,' the only magazine in the United States that is fighting for you, etc., and on top of the whole bunch, for good measure, we'll throw in a copy of the 'Appeal to Reason' and a copy of the 'Daily Socialist.' Now who's going to be the first fellow to take the first combination, all packed in an envelope, to keep the books from getting dirty, all for a dime!"

"It's the materialistic conception of history applied to modern city conditions," said Williams to a wonder struck Socialist who was passing through the

Real estate listings including properties like 'Ninety-third at 1 story brick east' and 'Ninety-third at 1 story brick west'. Includes a small portrait of a man and the text 'Certain, Permanent Cures'.

CLASSIFIED HELP WANTED section with various job openings and advertisements for 'LYONS HATS' and 'CHICAGO MEN-SPECIALIST CO.'.

PERSONAL and FURNISHED ROOM advertisements, including 'Frank Farnum, Chancery suits started' and 'COMFORTABLE ROOM, strictly modern'.

INSURANCE and MISCELLANEOUS advertisements, including 'WORKINGMEN'S FURNITURE FIRE INSURANCE' and 'IF SICK OR AILING IN ANY WAY'.

Trees and Shrubs advertisement by E. W. Carbery, featuring 'A choice stock of fruit and ornamental trees, flowering shrubs and small fruits'.

TEN-CENT BOOKS advertisement listing various titles like 'The Open Shop', 'Unionism and Socialism', and 'The State and Socialism'.

SPECIAL advertisement for 'The People's Hour' by George Howard Gibson, offering a book for \$2.00.

ELASTIC MONEY RULE IS MADE

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MACHINISTS IN 5TH CONVENTION

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 15.—The fifth annual convention of the southwest district of the International Association of Machinists is holding its sessions here.

Efforts Are Being Made to Bring About Closer Affiliation

The district is comprised of all of the railway systems in the east, from the Illinois Central in the southwest to the Union Pacific on the north.

Head of Island Prison System Says His Nation "Prosperous"

Washington, Oct. 15.—General Demetrio Castillo, chief of the national prison at Havana, who was civil governor of the province of Santiago when General Wood was military governor, has found nothing in the United States which cannot be attained in Cuba.

Stockholders' Meeting

You are hereby notified that at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of Nov. 27, 1910, at the office of the Chicago Daily Socialist, 180 East Washington street, Chicago, Ill., the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Workers' Publishing society will be held for the purpose of passing upon the annual report of the board of directors and for the election of seven members of the board of directors for the ensuing year.

LIBERALS SEE CUBAN VICTORY

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Cities' Finance Is Affected by Decision of U. S. Treasury

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Grand Opening of Factory at Lena Park, Ind.

to every lot buyer on this Sunday. The new factory at Lena Park, Ind., at the new factory at Lena Park.

Dollar Treatment Free to Men

We want to prove to your own perfect satisfaction—that you can be cured—not simply fixed up a bit or made to feel a little better—but cured—renewed in vim and vigor. This proof of cures—one full dollar's worth—we will gladly give you free—free of cost, charge or obligation to you of any kind whatsoever.

below that is all—and at the same time. Also—free, mailed and prepaid—we will send you a book on men's ailments which gives instructions on how men are successfully cured at home. Write now—but send no money.



TIMES LONG BITTER FOE OF LABOR; LIED FREELY

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of the proprietors and managers of the Times and the manufacturers' association, BUT IN NO CASE DID ONE OF THESE BOMBS EXPLODE.

The bomb that did explode blew up the wage-slaves of the Times only; the bombs that did not explode did not blow up any of the aristocratic owners and managers. There is a peculiar bomb-consciousness in evidence here that clearly draws the line between capitalists and wage workers.

In Chicago, following the Haymarket riot, a regular crop of bombs was harvested in plutocratic reservations until finally the thing was overworked by the army of detectives who were discovering bombs and holding up the plutocrats at so much per bomb, and then the pay was stopped and no more bombs were discovered.

NONE WERE DEADLY

It is not a little strange, to put it very mildly, that of all the bombs located upon the premises of the owners and managers of the Times and other aristocrats not one did it deadly work? That all of them proved to be flat failures? And that all of them were discovered just in the nick of time?

According to the Times one of the bombs was in a suit case. Upon its discovery a policeman was sent for. The "cop" took out his knife, cut a hole in the grip, smoke issued from the orifice, whereupon he picked up the grip and threw it from him to see it blown into atoms when it struck the ground.

If it is excusable to jest at all in connection with such a shocking affair, it may be in order to suggest that this suit case episode is peculiarly fitted for the slant series of dime novels and that on the vaudeville platform it would evoke roars of merriment.

GAS WAS REAL CAUSE

And suppose it was not a bomb that blew up the Times. Evidence seems to be that gas, which was carelessly permitted to escape for days preceding the explosion, may have caused the disaster, in which case Otis and Times would be responsible for it. Yet, with the offer of \$10,000 or more for the conviction of any person of the crime, there is a bribe for conscienceless detectives to railroad some worker to the gallows, though innocent, by manufacturing evidence against him.

There are other circumstantial evidence and more or less corroborative details that might be added, but enough has been given to warrant the conclusion that the finger of guilt points steadily in the direction of General Harrison Gray Otis and his union destroying allies and confederates.

What do they and their kind care for the loss of a few thousand dollars, or the sacrifice of a score of working-class lives? Absolutely nothing. The lives of thousands of wage slaves and their wives and babes are wantonly sacrificed every day of the year on the altar of mammon to satisfy the insatiable greed, the mercenary rapacity of these pirates and freebooters, who know no law, human or divine, except the law of survival of the fittest, and of the subjugation, exploitation and degradation of the toiling millions.

PARENTS SPOIL CHILD'S CHANCE

Feeble Minded Offspring Is Due to Bad Heredity, Says Expert

Washington, Oct. 15.—"With such an alarming showing as from 50 to 60 per cent of the children of our feeble-minded institutions coming of defective heredity, it is not our duty to declare in favor of the sterilization of criminals as one of the most important and effective of preventive measures?"

Upon this question the American Prison Association found itself divided into two bitterly opposed camps at its meeting here.

Cite Juke Family The advocates of sterilization for adults of deficient morality cited the case of the "Juke family." Even the scant available lineage traced in the cold fact statistics, reads the report of the pro-sterilization camp, "shows that the descendants of one woman,

which were 1,300 strong, caused the state of New York a loss in seventy-five years of more than a million and a quarter dollars in criminal prosecution and maintenance in addition to infesting society with a scourge of pauperism, imbecility and immorality.

"Because the efficacy of sterilization as a preventive of criminality has received belated recognition the necessity is all the greater for the adoption of the practice. It is difficult to see where a moral wrong can be committed if such practice is resorted to in the case of the hopelessly insane or idiotic, the feeble-minded and the avowed degenerates. They are wards of the state, subjects of its care, objects of expense to it, and the propagation of their kind should be prohibited at any cost."

Race Suicide The anti-sterilization camp, seizing upon a statement of their opponents, declaring that "no wife should become a mother unless she has given serious thoughts to the duties of motherhood," declared:

"This would seem to favor the prevention of conception—a great and admitted evil of the time—other than by the way of abstinence from sexual relationship. The statement should go back a step further and say that 'no woman should become a wife until she has given serious thought to the duties of motherhood.'"

"When a woman marries she undertakes to become a mother, which is the end of marriage. It is then too late. It is only by the awakening of the male to a sense of his responsibility and to full realization that there is such a thing as a double standard of morality of men and for women that we will ever be able to grapple with the social evil."

For Home Dressmakers



A SIMPLE AND EFFECTIVE GOWN

8677. Simplicity is the keynote of prevailing styles. The design here illustrated may be made with waist and skirt joined to one belt or separately. Miss lines with white wash braided applied in military style, with crocheted buttons and with tucked lawn for the yoke portion was used for this design. The pattern is suitable for silk cloth or wash fabrics. It is cut in six sizes—32, 34, 36, 38, 40 and 42 inches, bust measure, and requires 7-4 yards of 36-inch material for the 36-inch size. A pattern of this illustration mailed to any address on receipt of 10 cents in stamps or silver.

POSTAL BANKS' STAMPS GIFTS FOR CHRISTMAS

Uncle Sam Will Issue Them This Year I,stead of Gold

(By United Press Association) Washington, Oct. 15.—Uncle Sam as a source of supply for Santa Claus has switched from gold pieces to stamps. Up to this year the government mints coined large quantities of two-and-a-half dollar gold pieces, which were known among the treasury officials as Christmas money.

It was decided this year to discontinue the coinage of the gold pieces and now Uncle Sam has placed an order for a large quantity of bright new yellow postal savings stamps. These, together with a postal card upon which they are to be pasted, represent a deposit in Uncle Sam's new Postal Savings Bank. In order to stimulate savings among the youngsters of Yankee Land, Uncle Sam has gone to great expense to furnish an attractive stamp. It is expected that there will be a great demand for these stamps at Christmas time.

To Cost 10 Cents The card upon which the stamps are pasted will cost ten cents and will be in fact a "bank book." It represents the initial deposit of ten cents. Each card holds nine stamps, which cost ten cents each. This may be exchanged for a dollar certificate.

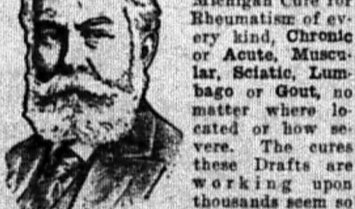
With the use of the stamps for Christmas presents will arise the question of whether the postmasters may be required or may lawfully do a "mail order business" for the postal savings system will only be installed in one or possibly two post offices in each state this year.

Not Yet Decided This question has not been decided by the officials. They are of the opinion, however, that if the mail orders for postal savings stamps do not reach a very big amount for any one office, it will be allowable for a postmaster to fill mail orders until more postal savings depositories are established. Generally speaking, however, the postal savings system is not to be a mail-order institution and each man is to be required to deposit his money in his home town in order to keep depositors within the legal limit of 100 a month for postal deposits.

RHEUMATISM

To Get You to Try My Drafts NOW I'll Send Them on Free Trial—Just

Sign and Mail My Coupon Don't take medicine—write me. Return mail will bring you, prepaid, a pair of the famous Magic Foot Drafts, the great Michigan Cure for Rheumatism of every kind, Chronic or Acute, Muscular, Sciatic, Lumbago or Gout, no matter where located or how severe. The cures these Drafts are working upon thousands seem so wonderful to me that I do not ask you to believe what I say, but simply to send in my coupon and try the Drafts for yourself. Then if you are fully satisfied with the benefit received, send me One Dollar. If not, they cost you nothing. I take your word. If they cure all stages of this cruel disease at all ages of life, surely you can expect quick relief. Don't delay—but act at once. Send no money—just this coupon. Do it now.



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Form for Magic Foot Drafts coupon, including fields for Name and Address.

Vocal and Instrumental CONCERT

Liedertafel Freiheit Sunday, Oct. 16, '10 4 P. M. Lincoln Turner Hall Diversey Blvd. and Sheffield Ave. TICKETS, in advance, 25c; at the door, 35 cents. BALL AFTER CONCERT

The Store of Values NORTH AVENUE & LARRABEE STREET

DR. HODGENS' DIRECT METHODS CURE AILING, WORNOUT MEN

Advertisement for Dr. Hodgens' Direct Methods, featuring a portrait of Dr. I. W. Hodgens and text describing his medical expertise and treatment methods.

Advertisement for 'A Sure Cure' and 'A Small Fee', describing medical treatments for various ailments.

Advertisement for 'Men, Take Heed of Competent Advice', offering medical consultation and examination.

Advertisement for Dr. I. W. Hodgens, detailing his office location and hours.

Men and Women—Ultimately You Will Have to Take the McIlrath Cure If You Have BLOOD POISON

Advertisement for the McIlrath Cure for Blood Poison, including a portrait of the inventor and detailed text about the treatment's effectiveness.

Advertisement for 'MUST BE A REASON' and 'FREE TREATMENT', offering medical services for various conditions.

Advertisement for Allied Printing, featuring the Union Label Council logo and text about their printing services.

Advertisement for Boot and Shoe Workers' Union, highlighting their products and union affiliation.

Advertisement for 'THE QUESTION BOX' by Frank M. Eastwood, a book on socialism.

Advertisement for 'THE CHICAGO DAILY SOCIALIST', promoting its circulation and advertising opportunities.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY

Large business directory listing various services and businesses, categorized by location (South Side, North Side, West Side, Northwest Side, Out of Town).

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A Political Program for Farmers and Other Workers

(The following is the work of the South Dakota Committee on Farmers' Program, which is hereby published that criticism may be sent by Nov. 15 to their chairman, E. Francis Atwood, Ellington, S. D., that they may profit thereby before a referendum of the state is taken): Every worker is entitled to the full value of his labor; to secure this, it is necessary for the workers to own the means of their own employment. This is manifestly impossible where large numbers work together in any industry and that industry is privately owned. Therefore The Socialist party is committed to the bringing about of collective ownership of all property that is collectively operated.

Scattered Shot

BY HOYLE LAMBERT The moon "smiles," the sun "beams" and the stars "twinkle," but the earth retains its "gravity." When I look around at the state of things, I wonder why it is?

The Tariff

BY ROBERT HUNTER The Republicans and Democrats are spending most of their time in this campaign denouncing the tariff. For twenty years our statesmen have thought of nothing but the tariff. They have discussed most eloquently and with all the learning of the ages whether there should be a tax of three cents on salt and a tax of two cents on sugar or a tax of two cents on salt and a tax of three cents on sugar.

The Farmers and Socialism

We publish in another column "A Political Program for Farmers and Others" by the Socialist Committee for Farmers—program of South Dakota. This carefully prepared document is worthy of the careful attention not only of the farmers of South Dakota but of everywhere. The farmers cannot escape the tendency of concentration and of having the machine take the place of the man. During the last fifteen years they have had "good times," the price of their products has gone up, and their land has doubled in value.

Some men are born rich; more steal riches; but the majority die poor. If a man had a loaf of bread and another, being hungry, would ask him for half of it, would the latter have the right to use forcible means to take part of it?

Are You Not Ashamed?

BY WILLIAM HESTELLE SHIB Are you not ashamed to uphold an industrial system that lures children into the factories instead of according them a liberal education in the high schools and colleges? Are you not ashamed to uphold an industrial system that compels tens of thousands of girls to supplement their meager wages by the earnings of prostitution?

Which Shall It Be?

BY R. I. NOBLE During the last few weeks more than a hundred people have been killed and twice that number maimed in railway and interurban accidents. The frequency and deadliness of these accidents is alarming. Capitalist papers agree that something must be done; but what is to be done is a matter of controversy among them.

The Great Superstition

The Rev. Dr. Frank Crane, in the Chicago Evening Post, October 14, says: "Poverty, failure, disappointment, heartbreak, bereavement, these are somehow forms which the highest truth about life seems to take. * * * The loveliest grace of any man or woman is real humility. * * * and it is rarely visible in a life until it is crushed and bruised by the hammers of adversity."

INTERNATIONAL CAPITALISM

Whoever entertains a doubt as to the international character of capitalism has only to read the following article from Pompe and Supplies of Oct. 10, in which the spread of capitalism is recorded in a gigantic deal involving 20,000,000 acres of land; to realize the truth of that phrase, "international capitalism."

TOO BIG A RISK

"Did you succeed in selling old Nye a lot in the new cemetery?" one of the summer residents asked a native of Harborville. "No, I didn't," said the man, with an expression reminiscent of both amusement and scorn.

BUT HE TALKED WELL

"Your minister certainly gave us a splendid talk," said the guest after his return from church, to his host, who was unable to attend. "He is one of the most fluent speakers I have ever heard."

THE SMALLER ONE

Many stories are told of Tom Reed's sudden flashes of wit, as, for instance, when Miss Reed struck the earth instead of the golf ball, and he said, "Hit the other ball."—Portland (Me.) Express.

CAPITAL VS. LABOR

Pirt Drummer—"How much do you earn a week, old man?" Second Drummer—"Oh, about \$200 for the firm; but I only get \$25 and expenses out of it."

NOT A RIVAL

Mistress—I can't understand it, Jane. My husband hasn't kissed me once this week.

CHRIST'S TEACHINGS

I wish to call attention to an article in the Daily News describing a robbery in a dean's house. The articles stolen were: Episcopal crosser \$500.00 Two suits of clothes 100.00 Seven service surpluses 35.00 Dress suit case 10.00

THE MAJESTIC ROOSEVELT

Another sidelight on Mr. Roosevelt's personality is reported from Amsterdam. The Pitts museum in that city exhibits under a glass case one page of its golden book, wherein prominent persons visiting the ancient city are asked to sign their names.

AN ENDLESS CHAIN

She-Father believes in the pleasures of anticipation. He—Do you agree with him? She—Oh, yes, indeed. In the summer he promises to buy me a sealskin coat the following winter if I'll give up going to the seaside, and in the winter he promises to send me to the seaside the following summer if I give up the seal-skin coat. So, you see, I am always happy.—Tit-Bits.

OPEN FORUM

THE RIGHT OF TAXATION In the Constitutional Convention there was great trouble as to the rights of the states and the federal powers, but in Article I, Section 10, the states were prohibited from levying "imposts or duties on imports or exports, etc. Yet, under the loose and lax provisions and the failure of congress to "enforce by appropriate legislation" the provisions of the Constitution, corporations have gradually grown into monopolies, and the power DENIED TO THE STATES TO levy direct taxation by "impost or duties" has been usurped and practiced by these corporations.