

PRESIDENT MOYER SEES BIG FUTURE FOR MINERS

A. F. of L. Charter Move Toward Greater Trade Unionism.

BY J. L. ENGBAHL (Staff Correspondent.) Memorial Hall, Columbus, O., Jan. 24.—It will take from thirty to sixty days to take the next step in the affiliation of the Western Federation of Miners with the American Federation of Labor.

Referendum Is Needed This is the time required to secure a referendum vote of the western miners on the proposed charter presented by the executive council of the A. F. of L.

Is Up to Members "It is now up to the members of the Western Federation of Miners," said Moyer. "It will take from thirty to sixty days to secure a referendum vote. I cannot say what the result of the vote will be."

A Partial Compromise The charter gives the miners jurisdiction over all workers in and around the mines with the exception of a few machinists' locals, notably those at Butte, Great Falls and Anaconda, Mont., and Bingham Canyon, Utah.

Some Are Affected In all there were about ten international labor organizations that felt the encroachments of the miners' charter, based on the idea of industrial organization, and the only complaint heeded was that of the machinists, and this only to a small extent.

It Is Better "Isn't it much better for the miners to remain inside of the A. F. of L. and make that labor organization what it ought to be rather than build up another organization in opposition to it?" I asked Moyer.

Yes, I believe that is the best way, and it seems that everything is working in that direction," he answered. "With the miners of the United States and Canada in one big organization, do you think that any steps will be taken to affiliate this organization with the miners' union of Great Britain and the European countries?" I continued.

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MAY CHOOSE MILWAUKEE

Next Miners' Convention May Sit in Seidelberg, Wis.

BY J. L. ENGBAHL (Staff Correspondent.) Memorial Hall, Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 24.—An effort is on foot here and is gaining ground daily to bring the 23d annual convention of the United Mine Workers of America to Milwaukee, Wis., the first Socialist city in the United States.

Cream City Liked Considerable sentiment has already been developed in this direction and considering the reception that has been given the delegates in this city of anti-labor the move has every promise of meeting with success.

Near to Chicago It is little more than an hour on the train to the north of Chicago and would be as advantageously located to delegates west of the Mississippi river as either Columbus or Indianapolis.

Least Matter Up The matter of choosing a meeting place for the next convention is the last thing to come before the convention here. There is every possibility that the move to take the convention to Milwaukee will meet with success.

Watchers Arrive The watchers arrived in Columbus Saturday night with the news that the final vote totals were being made with the aid of adding machines at the miners' international headquarters at Indianapolis, Ind.

Sheehan Is Seated The expected contest in the seating of President Francis Sheehan of the Pittsburgh district did not materialize, and he has been seated without objection. It is expected, however, that there will be some objection to the seating of William Green, president pro tem. of the Ohio state senate and former president of the Ohio miners, when his case comes up this week.

Talk Is Clear She did not mince words in telling what she thought of the National Civic Federation and labor officials who are members of it. Her sentiments brought a great show of approval from the coal miners.

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THE MINERS AID THE DAILY SOCIALIST Their Many Contributions and Good Words Are Inspiring

The miners are contributing to make the Daily Socialist eight pages. Isn't that fine? We knew the workers in the coal mines recognized the value of "The Daily." They have already made good contributions and with every letter we find a word of cheer and encouragement to forge ahead.

All is encouraging. But the \$25,000 is not raised yet. We must get busy again this week. By the end of the week we should have practically every ward in the city covered.

WHAT A SOCIALIST CONGRESS WOULD DO



CROOKS GIVEN ABLE DEFENSE

Bribed Legislators Upheld by Senator Standard Oil Bailey.

Washington, Jan. 24.—An amazing line of argument both as to the law and the facts in the case developed in connection with the Lorimer defense yesterday.

ONE DAY IN CONGRESS

The Lorimer case and the tariff held chief place in the Senate's deliberations. Senator Gamble of South Dakota spoke in support of the favorable report upon the election of the Illinois member, and Senator Flint of California opposed the Cummins resolution touching tariff revision.

WEATHER INDICATIONS

Washington, D. C., Jan. 24.—Illinois and Indiana—Fair today; Wednesday increasing cloudiness, moderate to brisk southwest winds.

TAFT GETS WARRENCASE

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NEW FLYING RECORD SET

Parmalee Makes New Mark for Time in the Air.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 24.—A crowd of 25,000 cheering spectators saw a new American endurance record in aviation set today, when Philip O. Parmalee remained aloft in a Wright biplane for 3 hours 22 minutes and 49.5 seconds.

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TRUSTS CONTROL IN SENATORIAL FIGHT

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Head of Bureau Is Forced to Admit War on Unions.

Secret marks on the backs of cards in the files of the National Wholesale Tailors' association employment bureau in the Medinah building are there for no other reasons whatever and are merely conveniences for the workers, according to the association.

Choice Between Sheehan and Depew Means Nothing to the People.

BY W. G. SHEPHERD (Staff Specialist.)

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 24.—It was a disgusting spectacle, this herding of American citizens, which I saw when I came to Albany to watch the taking of a ballot in the senatorial deadlock.



"Billy Sheehan—He has always served the interests faithfully. He will continue to be faithful to Special Privilege if he gets into the United States Senate."

the benefit of the committee the notation on the back. Tobias fumbled, but read the following: "W. G. Smith, do not employ him again."

called. Then the voting began. There was something sickening about it. The clerk called a name. One of the Americans arose and said "William F. Sheehan." Another name was called. A fine-looking, gray-haired old lawyer arose and said: "William F. Sheehan."

CONDENSED NEWS

LOCAL

MILLS TO STAY IN CHICAGO
Benjamin Fay Mills, lecturer, announced at the Whitney opera house that he would accept the invitation tendered him last Sunday to remain in Chicago and maintain a free Sunday platform in the center of the city.

U. S. ORDERS NEW BRIDGES
Word has been received in Chicago that Secretary of War Dickinson demands the alteration of the Chicago Avenue, Metropolitan and Jackson boulevard bridges according to specifications. Secretary of War Dickinson charges that the city has not shown good faith in respect to carrying out the original order.

FARMER IS ROBBED OF \$2,035
Samuel Boyd, a farmer from Mount Pleasant, Iowa, reported to the police of the stockyards staff in that pickpocketing had robbed him of a purse containing \$2,035 and four certificates of deposit for \$500. He told the police he had been jostled by two men while on a south-bound Center avenue car. He said he received the certificates for stock which he sold at the stockyards.

URGES STUDY OF DISEASES
In speaking of the "personal purity of the international commission" before the first session of the International Congress of Hygiene and Preventive Medicine, E. E. Mohr of Grand Rapids, Mich., advocated the teaching of unbridled physiology in the public and Sabbath schools as the only remedy for the social diseases which, he said, are sapping the virility of the people and threatening the downfall of the republic.

CITY HALL BUDGET STARTED
Members of the finance committee of the city council made up a pay roll for the maintenance of the new city hall which aggregates \$109,245.50 per year. This sum merely pays for keeping the building in the proper state of cleanliness, operating the elevators, boilers, and other machinery. With other mechanical costs it is estimated that the building will require \$200,000 per year. William Jacobs, elevator starter, was given a salary increase to \$1,200 a year.

WAT HMAN SHOOTING AGED MAN
While attempting to beat his way on an Illinois Central passenger train, Martin Kelly, 63 years old, a seaman, was thrown from the baggage car and shot by a special watchman of the railroad. He was taken to St. Luke's hospital and it was found that the bullet penetrated his right lung. The physicians said his recovery was doubtful. Kelly staggered into a lodging house at 46 South State street. The police are searching for the watchman.

DEATHS LAID TO ANTI-TOXIN
"Many fatalities have resulted from the use of anti-toxins in the treatment of diphtheria, spinal meningitis and other diseases, as virtually required by the state boards of health," said Dr. Chas. J. Lewis before an audience of practitioners in Corinthian hall, Masonic temple. Dr. Lewis directed his criticism against "political control of the practice of medicine." "Should there be a Federal department of public health, the medical profession will be ruled by crafty, scheming physicians," Lewis said.

FEBT FROZEN; LITTLE BOY DIES
Norfolk, Neb., Jan. 24.—Three-year-old Kauri Kicher is dead from the effects of amputation of his feet. The feet had been frozen and were decomposed when a physician was called. It is alleged the child slept nightly in an unheated woodshed in the coldest weather. Henry Stehr, the child's stepfather, is in jail.

LIONS CAUGHT WITH LASSO
Kaispiell, Mont., Jan. 24.—Negotiations are being made by a motion picture house to Charlie Ordish, a noted mountain lion hunter of the Flathead valley, for the production of a film showing Ordish in the act of capturing a lion with a lasso and his traps. Ordish has caught seventy-four mountain lions alive in four years, using a lasso.

NEW MEXICO CONSTITUTION O. K.
Albuquerque, N. M., Jan. 24.—Almost complete returns from Saturday's election show the ratification of the constitution of New Mexico as framed by the constitutional convention by a majority of approximately 18,000. About 50,000 votes were cast, there being 24,000 for and 16,000 against. The constitution secured a majority in all but three of the twenty-six counties of New Mexico.

\$100 A DAY TO POSTAL BANK
Manitowish, Wis., Jan. 24.—One hundred dollars a day is the average of deposits in the United States bank here. The success of the scheme has been demonstrated, according to Postmaster H. G. Kress, beyond question, as far as Manitowish is concerned. About seventy accounts have been opened, laboring men and working girls making up most of the depositors.

U. S.-CANADA PACT READY
Washington, Jan. 24.—Negotiations for a reciprocity agreement between the United States and Canada have come to an end. Secretary Knox gave out the following statement: "The negotiations have reached an understanding which, when certain formalities are completed, will be made public at Washington and Ottawa. It is thought this may be done next Thursday."

DEATH KISS END-SOUGHT
Boston, Mass., Jan. 24.—The "kiss of death" a touch of the mill girl's lips to the shuttle in sucking the thread through, which, it is declared, has cost the lives of thousands of operatives, has been the basis for a bill in the Massachusetts legislature advocating the abolishment of the old-time shuttle in every mill by the state. If the bill

Amusments
LYRIC \$1 Mat. Wed.
HOLBROOK THE
Blinn IN BOSS
By Edward Sheldon
Author of "Salvation Nell" and "The Nigger"

GARRICK TO-NIGHT
Mats. Wed. & Sat.
FORBES-ROBERTSON
IN
THE PASSING OF THE THIRD FLOOR BACK

becomes a law it is said that it will do much to reduce tuberculosis in the mills.
GLASS LENSES RESTORE SIGHT
Boston, Mass., Jan. 24.—Through a remarkable operation, the first of its kind, the eyesight of Dr. William Conroy Winslow, noted archaeologist, historical writer, and former Episcopal minister has been restored. In place of the natural lens of the eye he now has a glass lens, which performs the functions of the natural one that the surgeons removed.

MONARCHS REWARD TAILOR
Chillicothe, O., Jan. 25.—Charles H. Mathias, a young tailor of this city, has approximately \$10,000 in presents which he has received from Emperor William, President Diaz, President Fatiemas and other monarchs of the world for a simple invention of the traveler's check book, now used in all parts of the world. However, he is still a tailor, having received nothing for that invention.

FOREIGN

HILL OF TARA AT AUCTION
London, Jan. 24.—The land embracing part of the famous Hill of Tara, the ancient site of the palace of the Ard Ri of Ireland, has been sold at auction in Dublin for \$23,350.

PARAGUAY INAUGURATES QUIET
Buenos Ayres, Jan. 24.—Despatches from Asuncion, Paraguay, report that the inauguration of Col. Jara to succeed President Gaona, resigned, was marked by no disorder. President Jara formed his cabinet immediately.

BRITISH WARSHIP SHELLS TOWN
Berlin, Jan. 24.—A dispatch from Constantinople says a number of English sailors who went ashore at Dubara, Arabia, insulted several Moslem women. The populace attacked and killed several of them. A British warship shortly afterwards shelled Dubara.

FINDS NEW CURE FOR PARALYSIS
Vienna, Jan. 24.—After three years' experimentation Professor Wagner von Jauregg of the University of Vienna claims to have cured 23 per cent of cases of progressive paralysis out of 1,500 patients, by injections of Koch's tuberculin. The disease heretofore has been considered incurable.

U. S. MAY NOT GET ISLANDS
Guayaquil, Ecuador, Jan. 24.—The proposal of the United States to lease the Galapagos Islands for a term of 99 years for \$15,000,000 was not viewed favorably at a meeting of prominent men presided over by President-elect Estrada. Such an act would show a lack of patriotism, seemed to be the sentiment. President Alfaro was present.

LEGATIONS ARE QUARANTINED
Peking, Jan. 24.—All of the legations in Peking are quarantined because of the spread of bubonic plague in Peking. There have been a number of deaths in Peking in the last twenty-four hours and the representatives of the foreign powers have been unable to agree upon general measures for the entire legation quarter.

POLITICAL

ADOPT COMMISSION 'ORM
Elgin, Ill., Jan. 23.—Elgin, by a majority of 840 votes, decided to adopt the commission form of government. The result was a surprise because of general apathy among voters. Two-thirds of the total vote of the city was polled and less than half of the vote was expected. There were 3,518 ballots cast.

BUSINESS

U. S. READY FOR PACKERS' PLEA
Government counsel has completed all details of its program to combat contentions of counsel for the packers that the "immunity" granted in 1906 prevents prosecution on the pending indictments. If convenient for all counsel, Judge Carpenter in the United States District Court will be asked to set the plea of the packers for an immediate hearing.

SPORT

BASEBALL ON ICE IS APPROVED
St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 24.—That baseball on ice is every bit as exciting as baseball on land was the unanimous verdict of 700 fans, 150 of whom were women, who witnessed what they believe is the first game of its kind ever played. The field and diamond, both of regulation size, had been staked off on the frozen surface of Lake Erie, off the south shore of Kelley's island. The score was 22 to 20.

MOYER SEES BIG FUTURE
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labor movement. The progressive ideas of labor organization seem at last to have found a firm foothold in the American Federation of Labor and there is a possibility that the future conventions of this labor body will not be confined entirely to labor disputes, but instead to the better organization of the workers of the western world.

One Million Miners
There are one million miners in the United States and Canada alone with less than 400,000 of them inside of the organization. The miners form a large part of the labor movement in nearly every state in this nation, the state federation of labor in such states as Illinois and Pennsylvania being practically built upon the miners' organization. In other countries the miners are just as powerful and progressive as they are in the United States and Canada. One of the greatest labor congresses held during the past was that of the Transport Workers at Copenhagen, Denmark, at the time the International Socialist Congress was being held at the same place. Shortly afterwards the Miners' Congress was held at Brussels, Belgium, no delegate being present from the United States, however.

AMERICANS STRIKE IN MEXICO
Guaymas, Mar., Jan. 24.—J. B. Sparks, superintendent of the Southern Pacific Railroad of Mexico, issued this statement: "On account of the company having refused to meet unreasonable demands of the American engine drivers and driven working on the Ferrocarril Sud Pacific de Mexico in the states of Sonora, Sinaloa and Lopez a general strike has been declared, the Americans have left their work and the road is temporarily closed." The company has experts to fill these positions with Mexican engine drivers and firemen over the entire system.

\$3,791.90 NOW IN 8-PAGE FUND

Response to Call for Money Grows Stronger Daily.

The detailed report on contributions to the \$25,000 fund to make the Chicago Daily Socialist an eight-page paper is as follows:
Previously reported \$3,825.30
J. Mahlon Barnes, Nat. Sec. Socialist party 50.00
Peter Pitschner, donation of bond, Melrose Park 10.50
O. H. Thompson, Abercrombie, North Dakota 1.00
Horace Noonan, Shreveport, La. 1.00
L. Larson, Chicago 2.00
C. M. W. of A. No. 9181, Col. 10.00
Chicago, U. M. W. of A. South 5.00
Wilmington, Ill. 5.00
Ridgeville Branch S. P. Ill. 2.00
F. H. Bunke, 21st ward 2.00
H. T. Olson, 25th ward 1.00
C. H. Jones, Burkett, Neb. 1.00
W. A. Conkes, La Moine, Calif. 1.00
J. V. McAffee, La Moine, Calif. 1.00
Antonio Jensen, La Moine, Calif. 1.00
Otto Nelson, La Moine, Calif. 1.00
Gus Nelson, La Moine, Calif. 1.00
Theo. Sorensen, La Moine, Calif. 1.00
Daniel M. Jackson, 56th State St. Chicago 5.50
U. R. Symmonds, Kenosha, Wis. 10.00
W. Wilken, Chicago 10.00
W. H. Dixon, Malden, Mass. 2.00
W. H. Phelps 1.00
Louis Hane 1.00
John C. Brusk 1.00
Local U. M. W. of A. Bartonville, Ill. 10.00
2nd Ward Local 7.00
J. W. Schneider 1.00
Local Oak Park, Ill. 2.00
Ed. Peterson, Oak Park, Ill. 5.50
Root & Phillips, return of bond and interest, Hopkinton, Ia. 10.50
Total to date \$3,791.90

NOTE—Names of several hundred Socialists and sympathizers were sent us last week on blank coupon found elsewhere in the paper. "The Daily" is beginning to get money from that source. Send more names. We don't give source of information.

'THE BOSS' IS STRONG PLAY

For a convincing picture of business life, of the brutality of boss contractors toward labor during a strike, of the mixture of chicanery, commercial and political, which go to make up a modern financial career, it would be hard to better "The Boss," by Edward Sheldon, which opened at the Lyric theater Sunday night.

Holbrook Blinn, in the role of Michael Regan, a political business man of the Tammany type, did work which caused certain call after certain call. Miss Stevens, in the role of the girl who married Regan to save her father in a business deal, left nothing in the character incomplete.

Incidentally the action of Archbishop Sullivan, a character in the play, who puts the final touch of success to a strike of Regan's men, points a telling moral to those who seek to interest the workers in church activities.

Regan's assault on a striker who comes to him with an ultimatum, his attempted trickery, after he has said that he will settle the strike on the union terms, present scenes which are stirring.

The play finds its motive in the cut-throat business war between Regan and his firm and Griswold, a rival contractor. Regan, a ward boss, owning saloons in which his employees were forced to cash their pay checks, was able to cut his prices for work far below other contractors. In this way he drove to the wall Griswold & Co. That company's chief, a director in three savings banks, borrows the banks' money to fight Regan.

Regan winning, Griswold faced the penitentiary. Miss Griswold comes to the rescue of her father by marrying Regan. Then came a strike of Regan's employees. Regan encouraged slugging by his ward boss. One man is nearly killed as a result. Regan jailed, and his wife alienated from him by his acts. Then all ends well. Regan repentant, wife forgiven.

METAL POLISHERS' CARNIVAL PROVES HUGE SUCCESS
The twentieth annual mask carnival of Metal Polishers' Union, Local No. 6, held at the Coliseum Annex, was the most successful ever held by that body. With over a thousand members and their families were in attendance.

Unique displays, types seen at few mask carnivals in Chicago, were the rule. Despite the inclemency of the weather, John T. Daly, chairman of the executive board, stated that had the crowd been any larger it would have been difficult to find stamping collars.

STAMPING COLLAR
Dover, England, Jan. 24.—The Hamburg-American steamship, President Lincoln, which left New York Jan. 12, for Hamburg, and the Wilson liner Tass, put in here. They were in collision off Goodwin Sands and both steamers suffered damage.

The President Lincoln was damaged but slightly and came to Dover, assisting the Tasso, which is believed to have some of her plates crushed in, and was making water rapidly.

BLACKLISTER IS TRAPPED

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had the final say when the adverse mark was found on the cards. He said that he had the only key to the files and one key opened all the cabinets which contained the alleged blacklist information.

"What is the bureau maintained for?" asked Senator Johnson at one stage of the grilling. "Did you not infer that the information over which you have sole charge is there for the benefit of the workers?"

"Yes."
"By whom are you selected?"
"By the executive board of the association."
"Have the workmen any voice in the bureau whatever?"
"Not that I know of."

"They do not."
"What chance are the workmen given to disprove the information which is on the cards?"

They Have None
"Attorney Isaacs is the final judge. His decision is final."
Senator McKenzie then inquired whether it was not a fact that the men were absolutely under the power of the foremen who could, if they wished, state that the men were drunkards, thus shutting them off from employment.

"The bureau is simply a matter of generosity and philanthropy!"
"Is it?"
Tobias testified further that he had been employed as keeper of the alleged blacklist records since June 4, 1907.

Striking employes of "association," clothing firms which have not signed an agreement did not go to work this morning, as statements by the firms would imply.

The House of Kuppenheimer sent a committee to the hall at Eighteenth and LaSalle to offer terms. The committee declared that the Kuppenheimer firm wanted the strikers back at work immediately, and would give the workers as much as Hart, Schaffner & Marx, and more, but would not make a signed agreement.

Firm in a Panic
Harry Wolf, general superintendent of the firm, was quoted as saying to the delegation as he sent them out to the hall, "For God's sake get them to come to work right away. Hart-Schaffner's getting our best workers."

The hall was packed with 700 strikers who patiently listened to the proposition. When the proposition had been made, the hall resounded with cries of "Will they sign?" The overflow meeting downstairs repeated the shout, "Will they sign?"

When it was learned that Kuppenheimers would not sign, but wanted a verbal agreement, such a chorus of dissent arose that it was almost impossible to take a vote.

The firm lost even the delegates which it sent out with the peace proposition. They joined the strikers.

The strikers are taking a more determined stand than ever and it is signed to talk about anything but a signed agreement. The strikers thought that they had been called together to consider something that their officials could have turned down without a vote at the hall.

The collection made yesterday by members of the Woman's Trade Union League and others at the churches of Chicago has not yet been totaled.

The women as a rule were well received. At the meeting conducted by Dr. Frank Gussuls at the Auditorium Theater the women were refused permission to take up a collection. The regular ushers had taken up money which Dr. Gussuls said was for the children of the needy, but the women were informed that the garment workers on strike were not included in this.

Over \$40 was realized at the Lewis lecture at the Garrick, the ward lecture at the same place netting about \$20.

SHOE WORKERS MAKE PROTEST
Action of Smith Company Is Called Contract Breaking.

At their meeting at the North Side Turner hall yesterday afternoon, which was packed to the doors, the United Shoe Workers of America, relative to the lockout of the J. P. Smith Shoe company, adopted the following resolutions:

NEW ECONOMY HURTS PUBLIC

Registered Mail Safeguards Are Weakened by Hitchcock Order.

Hundreds of registered parcels, on which the counting underlings paid ten cents extra to have Uncle Sam be sure and deliver them, go through the mail as ordinary matter with a record being kept and without the return card being signed or returned to the sender.

Fee Is Raised
This in spite of the fact that the registry fee has just lately been raised from 8 to 10 cents.

General order 40 did for the registry division what Hitchcock has done for every other division of the Postoffice Department, creates chaos in a formerly somewhat efficient system.

Takes Off the Lid
"Beginning Jan. 1, 1911, registered mail shall be dispatched without registered package and tag envelope," is the way the general order is introduced to the railway postal clerks, postmasters and all concerned by Postmaster General Frank H. Hitchcock.

Adds to Confusion
Section 2 reads: "Before dispatch all registered matter shall be plainly marked with a rubber stamp or have written on its face the word 'Registered' in bold letters, and when possible in red.

This indorsement must, if practicable, be placed in the upper left-hand portion of the address side of the registered article or directly above the address; otherwise in some conspicuous place near the address."

Win Victory?
By United Press.
Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 23.—Minneapolis railway mail clerks declared today that they had received telegraphic assurances from the Minnesota congressmen that the "economy" plan of Postmaster General Hitchcock would be so changed that no clerk will be expected to do extra work without extra pay.

MARKETS GRAIN MARKET
Chicago, Jan. 23.
Winter wheat by sample: No. 2 red, 96 1/2¢; No. 3 red, 95 1/2¢; No. 2 hard, 96 1/2¢; No. 3 hard, 95 1/2¢.

LIVE STOCK
A liberal supply of cattle got in, but steer buyers did not have the egg picking figures indicated, as there was a large proportion of butcher stuff in the run.

HOGS
Over 50,000 hogs were expected to arrive and there was a liberal run at Missouri river markets. The trade opened "low on light stuff and speedily became a 100¢ live market on the whole crop, with the bulk at \$7.80 and a \$7.90 top, the latter price taking the best hogs on the planks that carried weight.

MUTTON
Live mutton trade was weak to 10¢ lower. Choice lambs were worth up to \$6.50 and 15¢ took a large slice of the crop. Between 20,000 and 25,000 were expected to arrive, and Omaha was well supplied.

PRODUCE
Butter—Extra creameries, 25¢; extra firsts, 23¢; firsts, 20¢; seconds, 17¢; thirds, 15¢; dairies, extras, 22¢; firsts, 19¢; seconds, 16¢; packing stock, 15¢.

RUSSIAN ARRESTED
Konstantin Nikirov, 1444 North Leavitt street, organizer of the Russian Branch No. 4, was arrested in front of the Russian church on Leavitt street for distributing handbills for a meeting. Attorney Carl Strover defended him this morning in a police court and demanded a jury trial.

TRISSE RULE SENATE FIGHT

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Sheehan name, and felt themselves delivered like so many dumb animals. Now and then a different five syllables came from a man, forming the name Chauncey M. Depew. This was a Republican voting. He, too, was bound by that same "honor" to vote as he did.

And when it was all over Chauncey M. Depew, betrayer of the people, and William F. Sheehan, led all the rest, though there were not enough votes to elect either.

They were different men, belonging to different parties, yet the power that supports them and holds the Legislature in a thrall is the same. It has such a tremendous grip on the American citizens in the New York legislature, this power that would rob the people, Sheehan can say: "You take Depew or anybody else. We will not allow you to elect a man who will take care of the interest of the people in Washington."

6,000,000 HAVE THE HOOKWORM
Washington, Jan. 24.—Five million Americans have hookworm. This is a fact of primary importance disclosed through the investigation of the origin and progress of the disease by the corps of experts of the Rockefeller commission.

Hookworm is spreading. The commission has discovered evidence of the presence of this parasite in Arizona, California and other western states. At the annual meeting of the commission in New York on Wednesday a report will be read on the ravages of the disease during the last year.

Ignorance is the principal difficulty the physicians are meeting in the South. That the hookworm germs are being carried almost every day into new territory by people who have contracted it in infected territory has been established by the commission.

NEW INVENTION. NO MORE WASH DAY!
New Method of Cleaning Clothes
Cleans Family Wash in 30 to 50 Minutes—Woman's Hardest Work Made Easy—No Rubbing, No Motors, No Chemicals.

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# LABOR THE WORLD OVER

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

In the world's broad field of battle Be a hero in the ranks—Longfellow

## MINERS' UNIONS PROTECT LIFE

## Death Rate Low in East Central States; Training Necessary.

Washington, Jan. 24.—That unionism in the coal fields of Illinois and Indiana has greatly added to the protection of the lives of the miners, is borne out by the report of the bureau of labor made public today.

## Illinois Rate Low

Statistics in the report show that the number of fatalities in North America during the period of twenty years, ending 1908, were 23,252, the ratio per thousand being 3.11.

## Western Fatalities Higher

In the western section, Colorado, New Mexico and Utah, it was 6.4 per 1,000 and in the Pacific coast section, Washington and British Columbia, 7 per 1,000.

## Child Labor Laws Violated

Further it says that child labor laws are indifferently observed, and in 1908 ten children of thirteen and fourteen, and thirteen children of fifteen years, were among the killed in coal mine accidents.

## Fall of Roof Great Cause

By far the most important single and well-defined cause of accidents is fall of coal or roof, 46.8 per cent of all fatal accidents in the ten-year period being due to this cause, while explosions of various kinds accounted for 25.2 per cent and mine cars for 13 per cent.

## Argues for Training

The average age at death of men killed by coal mine accidents during 1908 was 31.8 years.

## Foreign-born workmen, without actual experience in mining, are employed in large numbers, and through misunderstanding of orders or by reckless disregard of the necessary rules of operation, often imperil, not only their own lives, but also the lives of the trained and experienced workers.

## CHICAGO UNEMPLOYED PLANS FOR ANNUAL NATIONAL MEET

Delegates to the convention of the Brotherhood Welfare Association are now being elected by the Chicago branch at its headquarters, 36 South Dearborn street.

## COLLINS SECURES 29 SIGNS AT CAB MEN'S MEETING

Chicago's street car men, especially those of the north and west sides, know a good thing when they see it.

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## UNIONS FIGHT 'PHOSSY' JAW

## The Women's Trade Union League Initiate Move to Remind Congress.

All labor organizations in the United States will be called upon to join in a nation-wide demand to Congress to abolish the use of white phosphorus in the manufacture of matches.

## Aim at "Necrosis"

Resolutions to this effect were adopted at a meeting Sunday of the executive board of the National Women's Trade Union League at 276 La Salle street.

## Club Women Join Move

Congressman Boutwell, in response to a request from the labor committee of the City Club of Chicago, has promised to work for the measure, but the club women intend to jog his memory on the subject, so that the bill may be reported out of committee and passed at this session of congress.

## While the match trust held the patents on the substitute the match manufacturers of the country feared to enter into an agreement to abolish the use of white phosphorus, as they did not know under what conditions they might be able to secure the patented ingredients.

## PELLAGRA PUZZLES EXPERTS

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 24.—Pellagra, the mysterious intestinal disease which has perplexed medical men of many countries for years and has spread its fatal ravages in many parts of the United States, is not caused or spread by corn or maize, according to the report made public today by the Illinois Pellagra commission.

## Illinois, the first state to take official cognizance of the disease, appointed the commission more than a year ago, and this is the first report. The sum of \$10,000 is asked for continuing the investigation into the way.

## The appointment of the commission came after the discovery of pellagra in the Peoria state hospital for the insane, and among the gloomy finders are that many asylums are filled with patients made insane by pellagra.

## Experiments on guinea pigs and monkeys, the commission declares, proves conclusively that corn has nothing to do with the disease.

## As a matter of fact, the commission reports that it is still at a loss to know the cause of the disease.

## MOTHER JONES GIVES A TALK

## Civic Federation Is Hotly Grilled by Noted Woman.

(Continued From Page 1.)

rove that he was elected to the Illinois state legislature from St. Clair county on the Socialist ticket.

## Some Are Lost

"Whereas, Many of those strikes have met with defeat, notwithstanding the justice of their cause, because of the fact that labor unions on the railroads, through lack of an understanding to lend their moral co-operation which every organization should give in time of conflict to each other, have aided the employers to defeat us in those strikes;

## Seek Indemnity

An effort to secure indemnity from the United States government for the death of miners killed by the state constabulary during the strike in the Irwin field, in Pennsylvania, Thomas Hagerty has introduced another resolution as follows:

## Things Hired

"Whereas, During the progress of said struggle the coal companies, by and through the aid of the Sheriff of Westmoreland county, hired thousands of men who acted as coal and iron police to aid the state constabulary of Pennsylvania to break the strike; and

## Demand Punishment

"Whereas, The constitution of the United States guarantees to every man equal protection before the law, whether he be a citizen or an alien, and in order that the above protection may be given in those cases, the United States government has signed treaties with the different European nations to that effect; the foreign governments also by a similar treaty give full protection to American citizens who may be traveling or living under their flag of aliens; therefore, be it

## Wage Scale Is Up

The miners of the district in British Columbia, Canada, have brought the matter of a wage scale before the convention in a set of resolutions. This district is the only one in which the wage contract expires on April 1. The miners of British Columbia, in a resolution introduced by T. J. Harris, president, and Maurice Burrell, secretary, of the United Mine Workers of America, state their demands as follows:

## Resolved, That we appeal to the International Union to pledge its moral and financial support to this district to the end:

"1. Eliminate, as far as possible, existing inequalities in contract rates.

"2. Produce the same advances on contract rates as have made the basis of settlement in agreements signed in 1910.

"3. That the basis of any wage scale for this district be based on the same day scale as in the adjoining district, the difference in the cost of living to be taken into consideration.

"4. Establish an absolute closed shop, insofar as no existing statutes will be contravened.

"Be it further resolved, That we object to the signing up of individual contracts, and if stoppage of work takes place on April 1, 1911, that no work shall be resumed in or around the mines until all effective collieries are closed up."

# HUSTLER'S COLUMN

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## Why We Gain.

I received a letter from a man in Terre Haute the other day, who signed himself "J. C. H." There was nothing striking in the appearance of the letter—it was just a short one page note, that looked just like a lot of other letters that come into the office every day. But when I read it through I felt like locking up my desk and taking the first train to Terre Haute, to look up this comrade, shake his hand and pat him on the back.

He didn't send in any thousand-dollar donation, or a bushel full of subs. He just mailed in fifty cents for one subscription, but back of it all was that genuine hustling spirit that is bound to win. This is what he said:

"Dear Comrade: I had an accident—got a rib broken—and had to be laid on the shelf for repairs. But I'll shine up soon and give them hell again. Here is one of my old subs. I'll hunt up the rest and start them going. Will start to blow the revolution fire and get out after more scalps for the Daily. Will get something on that \$25,000 fund, too."

Say, how does that make YOU feel? With such men and such spirit back of us, what else can we expect but that the Daily will continue to forge ahead in the same way that it has been leaping forward in the past few months?

Then think, too, how many of us there are that are more fortunate than this comrade. Those of us who have been lucky enough to escape such accidents and don't know what it is to be sick, what should we do to equal the noble effort of this hustler?

There isn't one of you who, if he really had to, could not go out and at the very least get one subscription to the Daily. There are men in our ranks who are doing it. Come on now! Rally once more. Line up. Get into harness. Buckle down. The track is clear and we are ALL going out to hustle—come along.

Comrade G. E. Milligan, Illinois, escorts in a crowd of three and leaves them to the tender mercy of the circulation manager.

A couple, tumbling over each other in their eagerness to get at working-class news, from Comrade E. A. Whittier, New Haven.

A list of four are hurried in by A. E. Rubin, Connecticut. He says he doesn't want any premiums for hustling subs, as he gets his money's worth in the paper.

"I'll do it all!" writes Comrade Max Rubenstein, Pennsylvania, sending in a beautiful dollar on the Sustainer fund.

Here is just one of the reasons why we are going up. Comrade Selma Johela, Minnesota, scores up two.

Make January another winning month. Comrade Chas. Verastiti, Illinois, leaves in two that are anxious for treatment.

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Fill out the blank and mail it in. Chicago Daily Socialist.

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Secretary \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_ Town \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

The following have remitted since the last report: Wewoka, Oklahoma: Springfield, Illinois: Rock Springs, Wyoming: Lettish Branch, Roxbury, Massachusetts: Get the live wires busy in your local and turn on the current.

Comrade Geo. Waltz, Pennsylvania, writes in with a list of four new subscribers.

I get more labor news out of one issue of the Chicago Daily Socialist than I would get out of twenty-five issues of the ordinary daily papers. We need an eight-page paper and here is some more business in Louisiana, as he sends in a couple to add to the list.

Two renewals are tossed in by Comrade A. Shile, Missouri.

Comrade John L. Amphib, who has been responsible for so much disturbance in Herrin, Ill., is back on the job again and sends in a list of eleven.

Sending in a club of four sinners, Comrade Thomas Fry, Illinois, writes "I will take the records of some more business in the west by and by, as a true Socialist. The Daily sure does speak the truth, and the

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Vote "Buying" and Vote "Selling"

The capitalist editors have the "angle" down to a science. For instance, in commenting on the corrupt election situation in Adams county, Ohio, and in Vermillion county, Illinois, as well as in other cases, these editors—and even the cartoonists—speak of it as "vote SELLING," not "vote buying."

Now, why do not these capitalist tools talk about the "buying"? It is easy to see. The "seller" is the rank and file, the poor especially, the working class.

The object is to direct attention to this "lower" class and lay all blame on it. Get this class thoroughly discouraged with itself and get the rest of the people thoroughly disgruntled with it and you have accomplished the object of the capitalist and his politician.

The "buyers"—they are quite different. They are the upper crust, the immediate tools of the capitalists. These must not be discredited if it can be helped. Don't even mention "buying" if you can avoid it, for you get too close to the SOURCE OF CORRUPTION.

But the "buyer" himself—that is, the fellow who handles the money—is not the real purchaser. He does not furnish the money. Behind him is the capitalist, the owner of the railroad, the coal mine, the factory, the mill, the machinery of production—the means of life.

This OWNER must buy some raw material. He must buy some labor. He must also dispose of his commodities. Moreover, in buying material and labor, he must buy as cheap as he can. In disposing of his commodities he must get as much as he can.

In other words, the owner must get PROFIT—he must get the GREATEST POSSIBLE profit. To secure this he needs legislative and governmental protection. He needs laws that give him "rights" in making, selling and buying. He needs officers to protect him in times of wage slave revolt.

He is compelled to secure FAVORABLE LAWS and PROTECTION or he goes into bankruptcy. If he cannot get his "rights"—which are only privileges—for NOTHING, he MUST PURCHASE THEM.

For the wily tools he has used as politicians have come to realize that the owner cannot get along without them. And so they graft upon him and mullot him as far as they dare. They compel him to furnish the dough and in return they furnish him with laws and protection.

In order to go through the farce of election and come out right these tools must sometimes pay for votes—buy them. It is supposed to be a crime to either buy or sell votes. It interferes with the time-honored plan of democracy. At any rate the people as a whole do not feel entirely right about it.

But the capitalist papers lay stress on the "scifers"—the crime of "selling" votes—not on the "buyers." It would be dangerous to pound away at the "buyers." That would lead right to the heart of capitalism and the capitalist papers must defend capitalism, no matter how rotten it is or will become.

Then, too, the popular vote is not desirable for capitalism. It must be checked and finally abolished. What splendid chance to indict the whole working class population, find it guilty of "selling" its vote and disfranchise it. Beware, brother worker. Don't take two dollars for your vote. It will mean your disfranchisement.

The capitalist does not need your vote if you can be made harmless by being disfranchised. We congratulate you, you fine smelling capitalist journalists, on your splendid "angling," but we challenge you to get by without being exposed by the Socialist press.

THE MAN WHO SAW THINGS TWICE

(A CONTINUED STORY.) BY RALPH KOENIGOLD

(Continued From Last Issue.) A few days later Conrad left the hospital, but not before he had ordered Dick removed into a private room. He also wrote a letter to Suzanna asking her to take charge of the boy, that he would willingly bear all the expenses of his bringing up and education. He received an answer, written in Suzanna's large, legible hand, thanking him for the proffered help and stating that she had already decided to take the boy into her home and bring him up herself, having just obtained the consent of his parents.

His friend, the priest, Conrad presented with a box of Havana cigars, which that gentleman enthusiastically declared to be "an incense unto the Lord." At home in his study, Conrad found the table loaded with letters, telegrams and newspapers, many of which had been brought over from his office in the courthouse. There were telegrams and letters from the President of the United States, from the governor of the state and from many civic and religious organizations and societies, expressing approval of his conduct, commending him for the "heroic manner" in which he had tried to uphold the "majesty of the law," and expressing hope for his speedy recovery.

Many of these letters and telegrams had already been acknowledged by Hawley. Conrad sent for his stenographer and transcribed such correspondence as required his personal attention and ought no longer to be delayed, and then dug into the newspapers. There was a pile of papers printed right after the lynching. Nearly all of these contained long accounts of the awful occurrence. The Daytonville and Chicago papers printed pictures of the victim and the "heroic district attorney."

Conrad also noticed that the mysterious powers with whose representatives he had conferred in Chicago had already launched his campaign for the nomination for Congress and were taking advantage of the added popularity his conduct at the lynching had given him. The state papers contained many attacks on his opponent and the demand that Conrad Brown, "the heroic district attorney," allow his name to go before the people.

One paper contained a dramatic cartoon representing the American nation, depicted as a beautiful maiden, being burned at the stake by a fiendish mob of trusts, with the old congressman adding fuel to her pyre in the shape of high tariff planks, to the great approval of the funds, while in the background appeared Conrad, arrayed like an ancient hero and evidently determined on saving the maiden.

Conrad could not help smiling at this cartoon. In the afternoon he called up Hawley and asked him to come over. He had a long conference with Hawley, telling his assistant that he intended to resign at once and going with him over some matters of importance. Hawley felt no surprise at the action of his chief. He knew that Conrad was slated to run for Congress and presumed that he wished to have his hands free, in order to be better able to take charge of his congressional campaign. This, however, was not Conrad's intention. (To Be Continued.)

Animus of Agriculturists

By Rolla Taylor

He who tills the broad acres owned by others, and he who digs a living out of small farms owned by himself, are both agricultural WORKERS. The SIZE of their incomes, relative to their respective hours of labor, do not materially differ. As to CERTAINTY of income, there is little to choose between them.

The only thing they ARE certain of is that they are both at the bottom rung of the economic process—the mud sills, as Bill Arp calls them—the mud sills of the republic. They are both exploited out of the greater part of what they produce—one, by the landlord for whom he works; the other by the distributive system of modern commerce, through which he must dispose of all he produces, and purchase all that he consumes.

The SPECIAL ANIMUS of the hired man and the renter, therefore, if he has any special animus, is directed against the aristocracy of landlords; while the special animus of the agriculturist who owns the land with which he works is directed particularly against the aristocracy of the lords of finance.

The working farmer who owns MORE land than he can work, and who therefore both himself works and has others work FOR him, directs his animus, in proportion to the degree of his vigilance and intelligence, against both landlordism and capitalism, so far as he feels that he can escape the penalties of his own condemnation; or against capitalism or landlordism in particular, according to whether he feels driven towards the devil of truck-farming, on one hand, or into the depths of agricultural serfdom on the other.

He profits, so far as he can, off his hired men and renters; and still bigger capitalists profit, so far as they can, off him. His status is not unlike that of the fishhawk with a sucker in his talons, and an eagle in close pursuit of both him and the sucker.

AMERICAN FAIRY TALES

FOR THE YOUNGSTERS, AND THE OLDSTERS, TOO

How the Fairies Saved a Patriot

No two things can be further apart than the war spirit and the fairy spirit. War could not be in Fairyland. Yet where war rages GOOD fairies hover. Were not this true, war would be even more horrible than it is. A revolution in Mexico is just the place where the fairies may do good work. For war in Mexico means that nothing is too cruel for one side to do to the other side in their hatred.

To be captured means to DIE. Napoleon Lucero knew this when he left his home in Guadalajara to join the men fighting for freedom. He knew that he was taking desperate chances. But he went. And now his little band of ranchero soldiers and peons had been killed, EVERY ONE. He remained alone on a vast desert, hiding behind a sand dune, watching the soldiers searching for him.

Time and again the rurales (the government troops) started his way—but just before finding him they always turned aside. Once, when a rurale came so close that Napoleon could see the whites of the soldier's eyes, a lobo-wolf, frightened by the shot, dashed from behind a huge cactus and knocked the soldier down. And how that soldier did run, pell-mell, back to his companions!

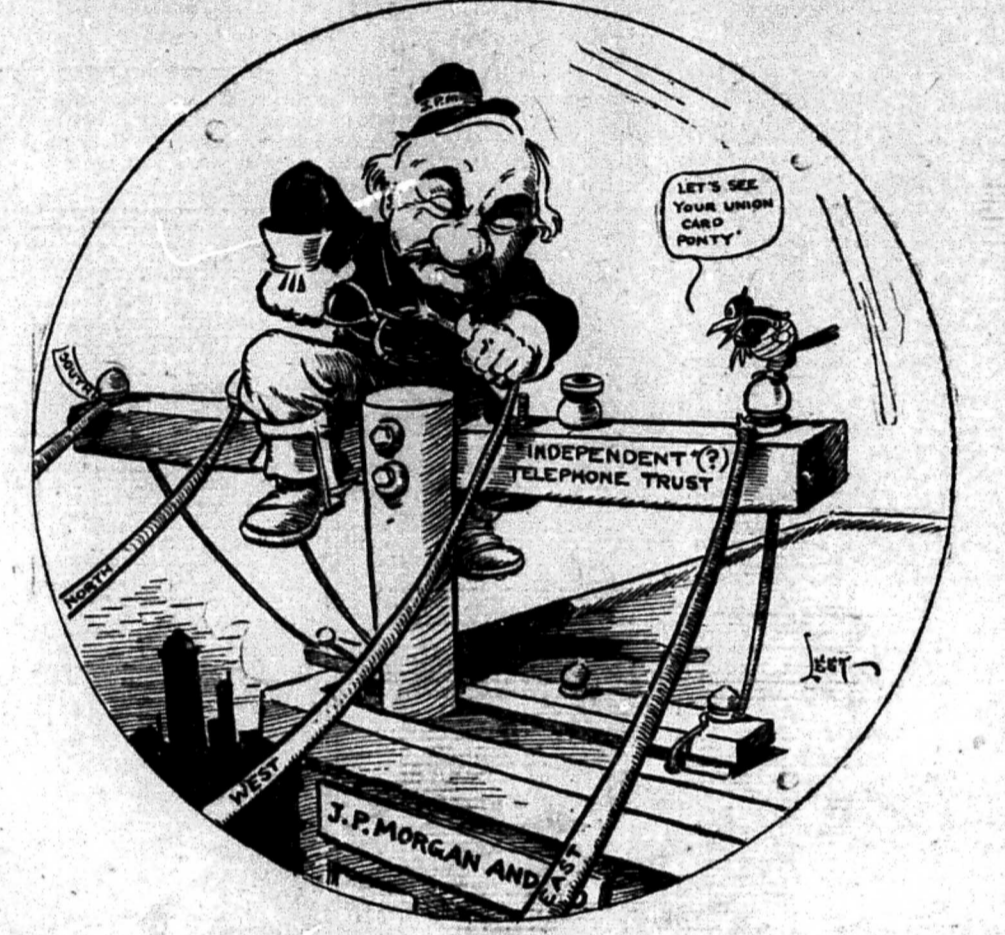
"Creep away, creep away, Napoleon." The hunted man heard the whispered words and looked about—but he saw no one. "Vamoose," was whispered in his right ear, and "Precipitar" in his left ear. (Both mean to hurry; get away.) Still Lucero did not stir. He lay still, peeping over the top of the sand dune at his enemies.

Finally Lucero saw the soldiers marching in a circle, which grew smaller and smaller as they marched. This meant that they must find him soon. Almost at the same instant he heard a babble of voices—high, thin voices that sounded like children, and it seemed as if there were a hundred of them. And this is what they said: "Hurry, fairies, hurry all. Raise a wind—a great wind. Make the sand fly—make a sand storm, and save Napoleon. Blind the wicked soldiers; drive them away!"

And the wind began to blow, and the sand rose in clouds. Lucero was picked up and carried far off, but for some reason the sand did not smother him or get into his ears and mouth and hair—and Lucero understood. Now he always prays earnestly for all the good fairies before he goes to sleep.



Hellup! J. P. Morgan's Going to Buy Up All the Independent Telephone Lines



PACKAGE FREIGHT

BY FRED SCHAEFER



Tobe Mealworm has the reputation of being the laziest man in Sorghum township. They say he's too dang lazy to get up when he's settin' on a bunch of knittin' needles in a rockin' chair.

Woman of 14 has just died after surviving three husbands. Either she was a very old-fashioned woman or they were all old-fashioned husbands.

Ah, here's a good entry for the Rara Avis stakes: A man who says "I told you so" who did tell you so.

Man in New York who tripped over a girl's feet excused himself with the plea that they were so small that he couldn't see them. Evidently some fugitive from the Ananias club is at large in New York.

ARE YOU WELL INFORMED. Who was Gessler? What did Judith do to Holdosfernes? What is a Caech? Give another name for aqua fortis. Is there any distinction between microbes and germs, bacilla and bacteria?

An eastern woman's hair caught fire. She was not horribly burned. She had the presence of mind to smother the flames under foot.

Don't count your eggs before they're hatched. This moves a person to laughter. You can count a lot more. If you count them before they're hatched, than counting them after.

Something for Nothing

BY B. F. PRIMMER

A small number of people who enjoy special privileges and are favorites of the law are getting something for nothing. They are enabled to mass swollen fortunes. The masses who labor and are poor see this and imagine that all can get something for nothing.

Each poor devil thinks he will be the one to find the magic box that contains a fortune; he does not understand how he is to acquire riches but in some hazy indefinite way he is looking forward to it.

Each is trying to convince himself that luxuries and riches will at some time be his lot, while at the same time he is without even the necessities of life. The banker is getting something for nothing; the owner of railroads who is overcharging for freight and passenger services is getting something for nothing; the owners of the meat trust, the coal trust, the oil trust, the tobacco trust, the steel trust, the lumber trust, the wool trust, the tariff beneficiaries and the monopolists of the other necessities of life who are extorting money from the people are getting something for nothing.

It is dishonest to get something for nothing. Most people who try to get something for nothing get GOLD BRICKS, for it results generally in their getting NOTHING FOR SOMETHING.

FASHIONS

And semi-princess dress continues to be fashionable. Many of the children's hats are edged with fur.

Congress Orders Investigation of "Rural Ignorance"



Slams, Jabs, Boosts and 'Most Anything

WHY RAILROAD RATES SHOULD NOT BE DECREASED. In 1910 the net earnings above operating expenses of American railroads were more than \$110,000,000 above the earnings of 1909.

WORK. "Here, Bill, what's the matter? You look worried." "Work—nothin' but work from mornin' 'til night." "How long have you been at it?" "I begins tomorrow."

IT'S not the good bills introduced but the bills passed by legislators that count. A LAME DUCK HOUSED. Walter Smith, protégé of Speaker Cannon, kicked out of congress by his own friends and neighbors, has been made a United States circuit judge by Mr. Taft.

SHE HAS A KICK, BUT HER SKIRT'S A TRIFLE TIGHT. TRY THIS SKIRT ON YOUR PIANO. BEEP AND BRAINS. President Taft weighs something like 300 pounds. At the height of his glory Napoleon Bonaparte weighed about 125 pounds.



The Hospitals

Fearful conditions prevail in the Cook County Hospital these days—and all days, for that matter. Patients brought there must be mighty strong and husky or they never get out alive.

The care of sick people is based on the amount of graft there is in it. If some one is behind the patient to give a good-sized bonus, or if he has a pull in some way, he gets fair treatment; otherwise there is little to hope for.

In fact, it is hard to get in at all unless you get a card with a special order. Many patients are known to have died in the county institutions purely through lack of care. Others have been kicked to death or exposed to other brutality.

It is not safe to get sick in these days—not if you have to go to the Republican and Democratic controlled infirmaries. There is no limit to the outrages under capitalism. The most sacred trust is violated and life is the cheapest commodity on earth. We must clean out this horbed of crime—crime against the helpless. We must get a county administration that has humane principles and makes the health of the people its highest aim.

Chicago and Cook county need Socialism very badly. And when this need becomes generally known the people will get the remedy. The capitalist papers laugh at the New York man who said that a salary of \$1,200 a year is enough to secure entry into the exclusive social circles of old Gotham. Laugh on; but remember that most of the "exclusions" don't get any salary at all. They rob. And if they can get in, why shouldn't an honest, runty, \$1,200 a year clerk be admitted.

Old Senator Frye of Maine says the jackpot business is endangering this country. You are wrong, old man, it isn't the jackpot but the jackass voters