

WORKERS FIGHT HUNGER, WAR AND BAYONETS

PINKERTON TESTIMONY DISPROVED

Collapse of Case Against Union Printers Is Now Assured.

A collapse as spectacular as that in which Frank Pardee, alias Prada, figured, is expected in the murder case which the Pinkerton Detective Agency has brought against William Boerner and Samuel Olson, members of Chicago Typographical Union No. 14.

The breakdown of the prosecution is looked for when the hearing before Municipal Judge Himes is repeated Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock in the Maxwell street police station.

After a collapse of the prosecution is assured, because:

- The Pinkerton-inspired charges against William Boerner, former organizer of Chicago Typographical Union No. 14, rest on the word of "Chicago Jack Daly," who has served in the underworld for pandering.
- The other witnesses who are counted on to support Daly's testimony are pals of Daly, named Cassidy and Gerrity.
- It is probable that the defense will not seek to put any witnesses on the stand at the preliminary hearing before Judge Himes, but will content itself with the argument that Daly's word is not to be credited.
- Here is the story which is told by "Chicago Jack Daly," ex-prize fighter and convicted pandarer:

Daly's Story

That he met Samuel Olson near a nickel show on Madison street and that he and Olson went into a nickel show together.

That Olson was drunk and inclined to be noisy.

That he persuaded Olson to leave and that he and Olson went into the Edelweiss Cafe, on Madison street.

That he there met William Boerner, then organizer of Chicago Typographical Union No. 14.

Slugging Comes Up

That Boerner broached the subject of slugging of nonunion men and assured him (Daly) that the union would defend him and that he would get into no trouble.

That the union had \$16,000 in the treasury and would back him if he got into any trouble.

That he was subsequently in the neighborhood of the W. R. Hall Printing company.

Arrested Second Time

That he later was arrested again. That his attorney was Robert E. Cantwell.

That he sent to the printers' union for money to pay Cantwell, and did not get any on several attempts, but later got some.

That he met I. L. Beck, local superintendent of the Pinkerton National Detective Agency, in Cantwell's office.

Prosecution Has No Case

The defense has procured the admission that Daly served time in the bridge-walk for pandering. It also hopes to prove that he was arrested on a similar charge in Louisville, Ky. This latter Daly denies. He admits that he was employed by the Chicago American and is an ex-prize fighter.

Tuesday it is probable that the defense will argue that the prosecution has presented no case on which the defendants can be held to the grand jury.

PRATT OUSTED FOR MISCONDUCT OF BIG STRIKES

NEXT STEP IN THE JUDICIAL CAMPAIGN

With the old party leaders branding their own judicial candidates as political misfits, the Socialist Party battle to put Socialist judges on the bench in Cook county is growing bigger daily.

Every member of and sympathizer with the Socialist Party is needed in this campaign to drive the old party judicial crooks and grafters, who fight the working class, from the bench.

The next step in the campaign is to attend that big judicial rally at the Garrick theater, tomorrow, Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

At that time W. F. Ries, author of "Men and Mules," and Socialist candidate for mayor of Toledo, Ohio, will tell you how to make Socialists out of the men who work.

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LAWYERS FIGHT TO PUT TOOLS OF BIG CORPORATIONS ON BENCH

This Makes It Imperative for Workers to Support Socialists.

WHAT PRESS SAYS

"If the courts of this country are to be checked in their downward course to the level of the justice shop there must be an awakening of public opinion to the gravity of the present situation."

—Chicago Tribune.

"Let the appeal be to the fairness and intelligence of the average man. In this way the election of the worst, or some of the worst, may actually be prevented. Results, not mere demonstrations or academic protests, should be earnestly sought."

—Chicago Record-Herald.

The Chicago bar association, comprising in its membership the leading corporation lawyers of Chicago, has decided to control the judicial elections in Cook county, so far as the old parties are concerned.

Elect Corporation Attorneys

This is an effort to take the judiciary out of the indirect control of the corporations, now accomplished through the old party machines, and make it directly responsive to the corporations, through the election of corporation attorneys to the bench.

These candidates are to be those named at the primary and those named by the recent conventions of precinct committees, eleven candidates in all.

The bar association meeting yesterday passed the following resolutions:

"Be It Resolved, By the board of managers of the Chicago Bar association that a bar primary be held to select candidates for judges at the coming election from among all candidates for such offices nominated by all parties and from such other candidates as may have filed nomination petitions in accordance with the statute."

"Be It Further Resolved, That it is the sense of the board of managers of the Chicago Bar association that the best results will be obtained through having a large number of candidates to select from, and that the members of this association be requested to urge capable members of the bar to file petitions as independent candidates at the coming judicial election."

"Be It Further Resolved, That the board of managers take all steps within its power to promote the election of candidates preferred at such bar primary and to secure the co-operation of other civic bodies and citizens to that end."

GARRICK LECTURES WILL START SUNDAY, OCT. 1

The contract for the use of the Garrick theater for the Lewis lectures during the coming season has been closed.

The grand opening meeting will be held Sunday afternoon, Oct. 1, doors open at 3 o'clock; meeting to begin at 3:30.

The opening lecture will have for its theme, "The Master Problem of Self-Education."

This will open the sixth year of the Garrick lectures, and it is predicted that the opening lecture will be greeted by a crowded house.

FRANKLIN LITERARY SOCIETY HOLDS ITS FIRST MEETING

The Franklin Literary Society yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock held its first meeting of the year in the Murray F. Tuley high school. About one hundred members attended. The new officers elected are: Mr. Levin, president; Mr. Jaffe, vice president; and Miss Piesinger, secretary.

ALL EUROPE WILL FLARE WITH PROTESTS, SUNDAY, AGAINST THE 'BIG BUSINESS' GOVERNMENTS

Toilers Will Show Their Disapproval of Prevailing Conditions.

Special Correspondence.

Paris, France, Sept. 23.—All Europe will flare with monster demonstrations Sunday by the workers against the prevailing conditions.

These demonstrations will be directed against three features of the awakening of the working class that has been evident the past week. These are:

- Why Workers Demonstrate
- Protest Against War
- Even Radicals Incensed

NOONDAY FACTORY MEETINGS

Wanted: Speakers for noonday factory meetings.

Send in your name and address to the county office if you are willing to speak. You will be informed where you are to go several days ahead. Watch list of Noonday Meetings, with location and name of speakers, in the Daily Socialist.

NOONDAY FACTORY MEETINGS

Monday, Sept. 25

Crane company, 13th and Canal streets. Hugh McGee.

McCormick Reaser company, Oakley and Bine Island avenues. H. Miller.

Western Electric company, 46th avenue and 23d street. L. W. Hardy.

Chicago House Wrecking company, 35th and Iron streets. W. M. Yeatman.

Pullman Works, 111th street, Stephenson street gate. W. E. Rodriguez.

Tuesday, Sept. 26

Allis-Chalmers company, 12th street and Washenaw avenue, machine shop side. A. A. Patterson.

Kellogg Switchboard company, Green and Van Buren streets. H. Miller.

Adams & Westlake shops, 308 West Ohio street. W. M. Yeatman.

Goodman's Machine shop, 48th place and Halsted street. L. W. Hardy.

Wednesday, Sept. 27

Deering Harvester company, Fullerton avenue and the river. L. W. Hardy.

Sullivan Machine shop, Lake street and Talman avenue. W. M. Yeatman.

Ryerson & Son, 17th street and Campbell avenue. Hugh McGee.

Western Electric company, 46th avenue and 23d street. W. E. Rodriguez.

Thursday, Sept. 28

Allis-Chalmers company, 12th street and Washenaw avenue. W. M. Yeatman.

Kellogg Switchboard company, Green and Van Buren streets. A. A. Patterson.

Wakefield company, Taylor and Rockwell streets. L. W. Hardy.

Chicago House Wrecking company, 35th and Iron streets. H. Miller.

Friday, Sept. 29

Crane company, 13th and Canal streets. W. M. Yeatman.

Mieble Machine shop, 14th and Robey streets. A. A. Patterson.

Western Electric company, 46th avenue and 23d street. W. E. Rodriguez.

Goodman's Machine shop, 48th place and Halsted street. Hugh McGee.

Pullman Works, 111th street, Stephenson street gate. L. W. Hardy.

COURT WAR ON LABOR PLANNED BY RAILROADS

Attack on System Federations Under Sherman Law Expected.

Fair tonight; Sunday increasing cloudiness and probably showers and cooler in afternoon or night; moderate southerly winds tonight, changing to northerly Sunday a.m.; is the official forecast today.

Sunrise, 5:38 a.m.; sunset, 5:46 p.m.; moonset, 4:32 p.m.

The official temperature for the last twenty-four hours shows a maximum temperature of 67 degrees and a minimum temperature of 60 degrees.

CITY COUNCIL TO FACE MANY LABOR PROBLEMS

The city council, which convenes Monday night, after its summer recess, will be faced by many problems concerning the working people of Chicago.

Two big building projects will be passed on:

- First, the construction of a traction subway. The city, under the day labor act, is empowered to undertake public works by the direct employment of labor by the city.
- Second, the construction of an outer harbor. This is to be owned and operated by the city and can be built by direct employment of labor.

The elevated railroad merger will also be brought before the city council and ordinances presented covering that merger and the projected merger of surface lines, ultimately to be put into a combine with the elevated lines.

The council will also be called upon to deal with huge paving contracts.

SPEAKERS HIT MINISTERS AND BUSINESS MEN

Ministers and business men were blamed by speakers before the international municipal congress for many of the evil conditions prevailing in American cities.

That they are constant shirkers of their duty was the statement of Dean Nathaniel C. Butler of the University of Chicago, who advocated bringing together municipal experts, politicians, professional and business men for the betterment of the city.

A committee of three business men and the same number of politicians and professional men will be appointed to co-operate with a committee of representative workers to suggest means for improving the governments of American cities.

MILWAUKEEIZE CHICAGO

W. F. Ries will be given a hearty reception at the Garrick theater in his effort to put a piece of literature in each voter's home once a week through-out the year.

Cook County Socialists realize the importance of this undertaking, and have announced the Garrick lecture at all their Monday street meetings.

Every Socialist has been asked to bring a friend along whom he wishes converted to Socialism.

So anxious is Ries to help The Chicago Daily Socialist out of its present financial difficulty that he has agreed to personally donate an amount equal to the total collection taken up Sunday morning at the Garrick.

Accordingly an attempt is being made to break all records in the size of the collection.

The interest taken in this rally by the rank and file is remarkable and assures a full house.

Prof. Ries has an international reputation as an author of Socialist booklets and those who have heard him declare he has no superior on the platform.

Every Socialist in Cook County should be on hand early. Don't forget the time, Sunday, tomorrow, Sept. 24, 10 a. m.

COUNCIL GIVES \$10,000 TO AID GAMBLING PROBE

The council finance committee has appropriated \$10,000 to enable the civil service commission to continue the investigation of the police department.

Mayor Harrison said the council would back the commission with any amount of money needed to make the most thorough probe of the police scandal.

Attorney W. W. Wheelock spent a busy day preparing evidence for the trial of the two policemen who are accused of permitting open gambling at the White Sox park on Labor Day. The first public hearing on the cases will be held Monday afternoon.

Action will probably be taken to prosecute the managers of the "side show" conducted in Comiskey park during the Gohls-Hackenschmidt bout. Commissioner J. J. Flynn said he had seen gambling in the place.

The owner will be given an opportunity to escape prosecution by revealing the names of the gamblers in the district and the police who have been protecting them.

NEW FIGHT ON HEARST IS SEEN

A special meeting of the Web Foreman's Union No. 7 has been set for Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in Federation hall, 321 South La Salle street, to receive a report of the local president, John C. Spence, on the result of negotiations growing out of the violation of an arbitration award by William Randolph Hearst's Chicago newspapers.

International President Barrett of the pressmen's union met with the representatives of the Chicago local of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association at Hale Springs, Tenn. A local committee of the union, headed by President Spence, also took part. Barrett will come here.

The meeting with the publishers was called because the Hearst representatives in Chicago had refused to abide by an award made by arbitrators who took up a dispute over the pressmen's scale in the Hearst pressrooms.

One class of pressmen, under the award, received a 5-cent a day increase, the others got 3-cent a day cut. The increase was given to the lowest 204 class working on the press.

The union, though distorting the cut on the pay of the other men, accepted the award, but Hearst's agents refused to pay the new scale. As a result the union committee met the publishers and will reach Chicago tonight from Hale Springs in time for the meeting tomorrow.

Pressmen from all the newspapers on record as opposed to "war" and all its trappings, and especially the boycott movement, and further, that the local union affiliated with the State Federation of Labor be requested to begin an active campaign to counteract the evil influence of this invidious movement."

GOVERNOR AND MAYOR CONDEMNED BY WORKERS

By United Press.

Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 23.—The convention of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers has adopted resolutions condemning the governor of Indiana and mayor of Indianapolis for permitting detectives to take John J. McManama out of the state without giving him a chance to defend himself against repression.

GRIEVANCE COMMITTEE MEETS

The Cook County Socialist Party Grievance Committee will meet in continued session Sunday afternoon at the Young People's Socialist League hall, 205 West Washington street, having the case of the Seventh Ward branch against Thomas J. Morgan under consideration.

