

WEST SIDE JEWISH BRANCH WILL HOLD BIG MEETING
A rousing meeting will be held by the West Side Jewish Branch, Friday evening, October 27, at 8 o'clock, in the hall, 12th and Wacker streets, to boost the Socialist judicial candidates.

A New Railroad Means More Money
Property Owners in Canadian Towns Double and Triple Their Money When New Tracks Are Laid.

For quick-growing cities Canada holds the record, and along with its fame for rapid increase in population goes the huge jumps in values which city lots have made in promising towns.

Great as the prosperity has been which other railroads have brought to Canada, there is a new and greater era now approaching with the completion of the Grand Trunk Pacific.

And when the development starts it grows quickly. The history of Canada shows that a single year will often bring almost unbelievable changes.

Fort Fraser lots if taken quickly can be bought now, before the railroad comes, for as little as from \$150 to \$200, with title guaranteed by the British Columbia Government, on easy terms of 10 per cent down and 5 per cent per month, with no interest or tax on the lots as long as they are held.

Amusements

SHUBERT THEATERS IN CHICAGO
LYRIC TONIGHT DOLLAR MAT AT 8:15 TODAY
MAY ROBSON IN THE THREE LIGHTS

GRAND GERTRUDE ELLIOTT
51 Matinee Today
LAST WEEK IN THIS THEATER

KING'S RESTAURANT
Sunday Dinner
TABLE D'HOITE, 75c
112-114-116-118 Fifth Avenue

I. C. MUST SOON SUE FOR PEACE, SAYS J. W. KLINE
'Road in Hopeless Condition,' Declares President of Blacksmiths.

Where To Go
Arthur Brooks Baker will deliver the first lecture of the National Socialist League Bureau Course, under the auspices of the 25th ward branch of the Socialist party.

A mass meeting under the auspices of the 19th ward branch of the Socialist party will be held Friday evening, Oct. 27, at the Palace Opera House.

FREE EXTRA PAIR OF PANTS FOR YOU
THE BUILDER OF GOOD CLOTHES
MANNYE L. MOSSLER

Special Tailoring Sale
Tomorrow and the Rest of This Week
FINE IMPORTED BLUE AND BLACK SERGES, WORSTEDS, SCOTCH AND ENGLISH TWEED

FREE HANDSOME GIFT
A 10-piece Set of Genuine Aluminum Kitchen Ware, worth \$7.00, at our Grand Free Demonstration of the Champion Interchangeable Gas & Coal Range

Now Going On. This Week Only
An experienced demonstrator and culinary expert will have charge of this demonstration and will show you how you can cook, bake, roast, broil or toast with either gas, coal or wood on this range.

Men Not Deserting
'No, there are no desertions along the Illinois Central and Harriman lines. When we called the strike we allowed a few old men, who have almost reached the age limit for pensioners, to stay, but the rest of the only union men now working in the shops.

MINERS, KEEP AWAY
All coal miners are requested to stay away from all Illinois, British Columbia, or Canada, as the strike of the miners is still on.

DON'T EAT SOAB BREAD
All Tip-Top bread that does not bear the Union Label of the Bakery Workers is unfair and should be shunned by organized labor and its friends.

Union Meetings TONIGHT
Barristers, Alton, 612 North W.
Boiler-makers, Helms, 10 1/2 W. Monroe.

For Instantaneous Long Distance Connection via Automatic
Notice the "long distance" mark on your Automatic telephone dial.

Illinois Tunnel Company
502 W. Monroe Street
Contract Dept. 33-111

TRADES COUNCIL WILL GIVE BALL FOR M'NAMARAS
Grand Benefit to Be Held January 6 at the Coliseum.

The Chicago Building Trades Council will give a grand ball in the Coliseum, January 6, for the benefit of the McNamara brothers, on trial for their lives at Los Angeles.

The council recently pledged itself to raise \$15,000 for the McNamara defense, and it is hoped that a large part of this sum will be obtained at the grand ball.

The differences between the building trades unions are rapidly being compromised by the officials and a complete settlement of all disputes affecting them may be expected within a few days.

A Mighty Sale of Clothes FREE TO EVERYONE
who makes a purchase of \$10 or more in a Suit or Overcoat, a magnificent, big, comfortable Rocking Chair, absolutely first class, not a flaw in the chair.



Open Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday Evenings
Polacek & Co. 2030-2042 MILWAUKEE AVE.

Opposite Boston Store TIMOTHY BRINK Opposite Boston Store
Positively Going Out of Business

\$88,000 stock and fixtures to be liquidated at 40c on the dollar. Mr. Brink is taking this great loss, as he is forced to close out his entire stock and fixtures in the shortest possible time.

Suits and Overcoats
Regular \$20, \$22, \$25 values, in all the latest styles, mostly Union Label, unlimited assortment of patterns, \$14.75

MARKETS
LIVE STOCK
Hogs—Receipts, 25,000. Market dull. Mixed and butchers, \$5.90@6.45; good heavy, \$6.00@6.45; rough heavy, \$6.10@6.35; light, \$5.75@6.37 1/2; pigs, \$3.50@3.75.

SHIRTS
300 dozen fine French Penzance, all colors, worth \$1.50, going out-of-business price, 89c

PANTS
600 pair of fancy and black Dress Pants, worth \$2.50 and \$3, going-out-of-business price, 98c

HATS
Men's Caps, just the thing for cold days, disappearing fur-trimmed ear protectors, worth \$1.50 and \$1.25, going-out-of-business price, 65c

UNDERWEAR
3 cases of fine Derby ribbed wool spring needle elastic shirts and

THE disagreements between the bricklayers, plasterers and cement finishers have been completely adjusted and the differences between the cement workers and laborers are in a fair way toward settlement.

CRAGIN-HERMOSA BRANCH OF 27TH WARD MEETS THURSDAY
The 10th district of the 27th ward will hold a special business meeting, Thursday night at Kinell's hall, 43rd and Armitage avenues, entrance through barber shop.

If there were Socialist judges on the court benches the railroads would have a hard time getting injunctions against peaceful strikers.

MEETINGS TONIGHT
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OPIN-AB MEETINGS
2nd ward—Calumet and 31st street. Speaker, J. W. Bartels.

THIRTY-FOURTH WARD
Otto C. Christiansen will deliver a lecture at the meetings of the Thirty-fourth ward Thursday, October 26, at Norman hall, 2065 West Twelfth street.

SPECIAL NOTICE
All Socialists living in the eighth, ninth, tenth and eleventh precincts of the Twenty-seventh ward are requested to attend the second district meeting tonight at 6212 North Springfield avenue.

STUDENTS HEAD TAFT
By Charles F. Ross. Minneapolis, Minn., Oct. 25.—After breakfasting with the reception committee and with the newspaper men at the Addison hotel this morning President Taft left for the University of Minnesota at 11 o'clock, where he addressed the students.

KLEIN'S GOOD SHOES
THE thing you want most, at this time of the year, is a dry foot. When you get a pair of our Union Made Shoes, they answer all your requirements, Comfort, Warmth and Quality.

WHY not be one of the many who have responded to our advertisement in this paper. You won't regret it. SHOES for men only.

KLEIN'S SHOE SHOP
29 CLARK ST.
Formerly for 14 Years at Washington and Dearborn Streets.

COOK COUNTY SOCIALIST NEWS
James P. Larsen, Secretary of Cook County Socialist party, 205 West Washington street. Phone Franklin 1829.

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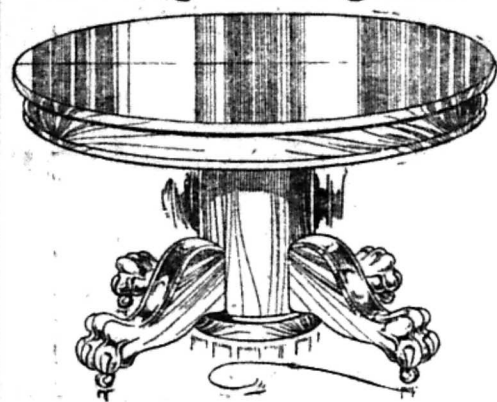
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Samuel I. Frank, Prop.

2418-20 North Ave. near Western Ave.

Peruse This List Carefully and You'll Be Convinced the Offers Are the Best Published in Years

This Elegant Dining Table



is one of the greatest values of the entire sale. Massively built of the most thoroughly seasoned American quarter-sawed oak and hand rubbed to a brilliant polish. Massive top mounted on a heavy, non-separable pedestal. Handsomely carved claw feet. This is an unquestioned \$30 value, offered at a special sacrifice for **\$17.50**

Always glad to refund your money if you are the least bit dissatisfied. - S. I. Frank.

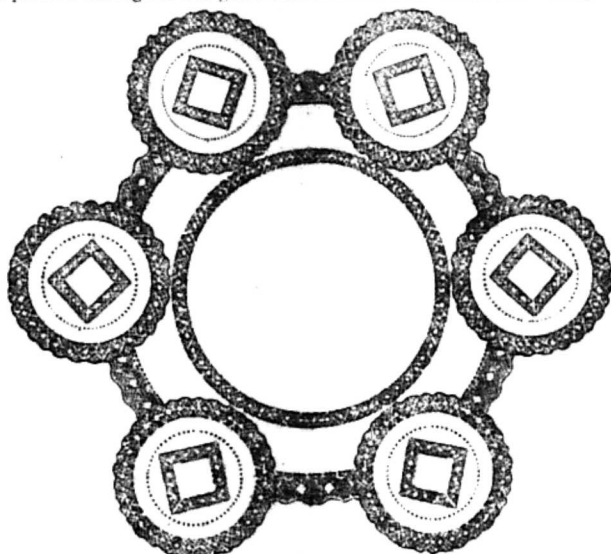
FREE—Exquisitely Embroidered Cluney Set—FREE

This exquisitely embroidered imported Cluney Table Set, including 6 equally beautiful embroidered doilies to match FREE with every purchase of \$50 or over from the items of this wonderful list. This set will do justice to the most luxuriously furnished dining room, something of which any housewife may justly be proud. This marvelous offer for a \$50 purchase NOW. Now is the time to take advantage of it, for it won't last long. We deliver goods to all parts of Chicago in our giant automobile truck. No matter what you spend with us our deliveries are prompt.

Colonial Extension Dining Room Table



Massively built American-sawed oak, highly polished, or may be had in any other style of oak finish. A \$17 bargain. Our special price only **\$10.85**



This Pedestal Extension Table



is of golden oak finish, mounted on a massive, nicely carved, claw foot pedestal. Strongly constructed and durable, regular \$14.00 value, on sale at **\$8.50**

Dining Chair \$1.65

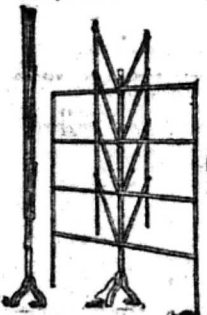
Quarter-sawed Golden Oak Chair, substantially built. Has genuine leather upholstered seat. Very ornamental and suitable for the most luxuriously furnished dining room. Positively worth \$3.50, for only—

\$1.65



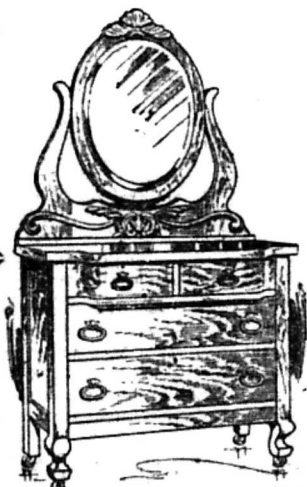
Grandest present ever given away to every lady visitor.

The Dandy Clothes Bar, 45c



You can't overload it; it won't blow over. Height, 5 ft. open, 7 ft. closed. Special price **45c**

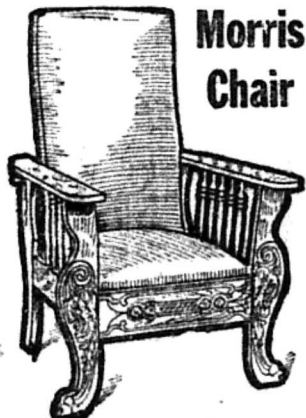
Magnificent gift free to every lady who visits our store.



\$9.50

Golden Oak Dresser

This magnificent \$18.00 dresser is solidly built of American quarter oak with golden finish. Four roomy drawers and heavy French bevel plate mirror. Special at **\$9.50**



Morris Chair

Comfortable and Luxurious. This genuinely comfortable, luxurious Morris Chair is of solid oak, massive and expertly carved. The seat and back are of the best oil-tempered oil springs, covered with genuine royal leather. Back adjustable to four positions. Would be an exceptional bargain at \$10. Our opening price, **\$3.95**

Magnificent Oak Library Table



built of heavily seasoned wood, in a royal quartered oak finish; has large drawer and book shelf below. Will ornament your library. Remarkable values at **\$5.75**

Here is a Bargain in a Fine Chiffonier



solid oak, five drawers, beveled plate mirror. Real value no less than \$9. **\$5.25** at only



Elaborate Easy Rocker

This rocker would decorate the most luxuriously furnished room. Unexcelled for comfort and durability. Handsomely carved, back and seat upholstered with genuine Boston leather over guaranteed steel springs. Easily worth \$22, special sale price, **\$11.85**

Remember! Your Money Back If You Are Not Pleased.—S. I. Frank

7 Piece Berry Set 46c



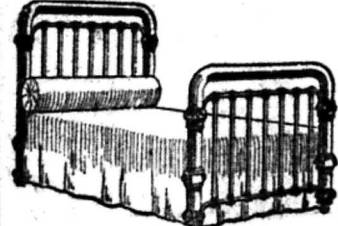
Genuine Imported Real China Set; exquisitely decorated with fruit and floral designs; 9-inch bowl, 5-inch plates to match. Worth \$1.25, an extraordinary value at **46c**

The Greatest Line of Brass and Iron Beds, Mattresses, Etc., to Be Found on the Northwest Side at These Prices



Brass Bed

This massive genuine Brass Bed is absolutely the finest product ever made to sell as high as \$30. It is constructed with massive, continuous posts and heavy fillers. May be had both in bright and satin finish and in all sizes. A 10-year guarantee with every bed. This is an exceptional bargain. Special price for the Autumn Opening, **\$14.50**



This Extra Heavy Vernal Martin Steel Bed has 2-inch continuous posts, finished very fine, guaranteed to wear 10 years, the bed that sells regularly for \$9, this **\$4.75**



This Time Choose for a Lifetime

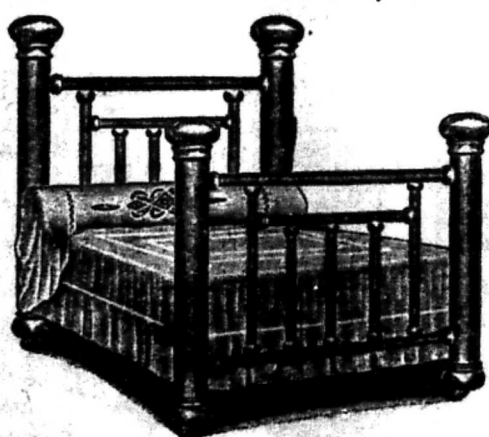
You've bought mattresses before. You'll buy 'em again; unless, this time, you choose the Dixie NoTUFT—the lifetime mattress. This Dixie NoTUFT is a package deal with light cover so hard for you, when subjected to constant wear. The coils of the solid mattress are only light coils. No matter they weaken and break. The Dixie NoTUFT has no coils. It is made of compressions whose particles are as strong as the mattress itself. No wonder the Dixie NoTUFT wears well.

Dixie NoTUFT Mattress

Every good mattress has a coil and a coil. You can't have a coil and a coil. The Dixie NoTUFT is a package deal with light cover so hard for you, when subjected to constant wear. The coils of the solid mattress are only light coils. No matter they weaken and break. The Dixie NoTUFT has no coils. It is made of compressions whose particles are as strong as the mattress itself. No wonder the Dixie NoTUFT wears well.

No less than \$16 buy; **\$10.50** if elsewhere. Our price

Colonial Brass Bed, \$7.75



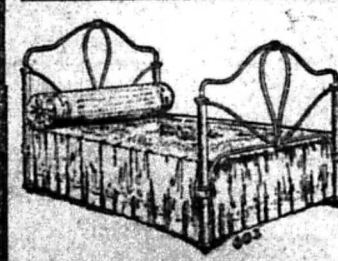
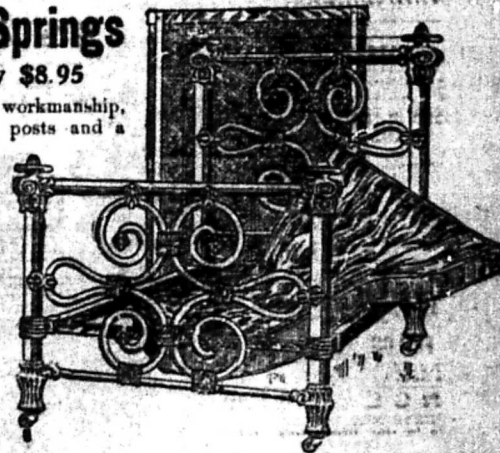
This luxurious, French lacquered brass bed is offered at a price usually asked for an iron bed. It has extra massive posts and heavy fillers, and may be had in all sizes, bright and satin finish. Positively cannot be duplicated anywhere at **\$7.75**

Bed, Mattress, Springs

A Complete Outfit, Only \$8.95

The Steel Bed is of superior workmanship, strongly built with heavy massive posts and a graceful design. It can be had heavily enameled, in all the popular colors, including Vernis Martin, and in regular sizes. Cotton Top Mattress of an excellent grade, with good ticking and heavily stitched. Springs are of all steel construction, strongly woven wire fabric and angle sides. The entire bed outfit at the wonderful low opening price of—

\$8.95

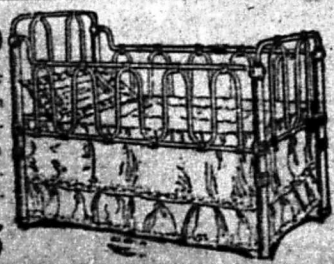


98c for This Special Iron Bed

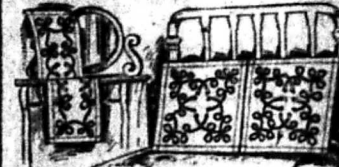
Our own design and made on the most substantial basis. This bed is certainly a bargain. Nest and very pleasant to see; is heavily enameled in all colors. Special for the opening... **98c**

Baby Crib

Just what you need for baby. A strongly built iron crib with high sides, graceful curves and enameled in all the popular colors. Comfortable, convenient, sanitary and safe. Regular price \$7, now **\$3.95**



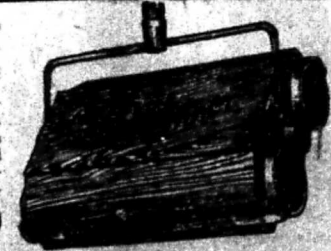
Embroidered Bedroom Set 59c



Dresser scarf and two pillow shams. Handsomely embroidered in pink or blue whipcord, hemstitched edge. This set is sold everywhere at \$2.

Carpet Sweeper

Easy running and noiseless, rubber tired wheels. May be cleaned by an easy movement. Will surely solve your sweeping troubles. An absolute reduction from \$2.50 to **\$1.39**



Big Values in Large and Small Rugs

Extraordinary Values in Sample Rugs—but Only a Limited Number



Wilton Velvet Rug, 2 ft. 3 in. by 4 ft. 6 in., beautiful Oriental designs, \$2 regular price, **\$1.25** value.

Heavy Brussels Bedroom Rugs, 6x9 ft., \$9 regular price, **\$5.75** at.

9x12 Persian Wiltons, regular price \$35, now **\$35**; 9x12 Royal Wiltons, regular price \$45, now **\$29**; 9x12 Wilton Velvets, regular price \$35, now **\$18**; 9x12 Velvet Rug, a \$30 rug, beautiful weave, **\$15.50**

We also have several odds and ends in slightly soiled rugs, all sizes; some of them would defy the most expert examination, but in fairness to our customers we have slashed the prices to a figure far too low to mention here. Visit this department and be convinced.

THE DAILY ARMY ALWAYS FIGHTING; ALSO RESEALING ARMY

(Continued From Page 1.) contributed by donation to the rent fund. Their names you may forget...

- CHICAGO: D. Abrahamson, W. Adams, R. Adams, J. Adler, J. Alford, L. Alford, L. Alford, L. Alford, L. Alford...

- Jennie A. Wilson, Jessie Witt, E. Wohlwend, W. Watkins, G. Waite, W. Walters, Otto Adams...

- INDIANO: Local La Porte, H. D. Bell, W. E. Bell, G. B. Bell, G. B. Bell, G. B. Bell...

- NEW YORK: Harriet Pence, John Evans, E. W. Warkins, W. H. Thompson, John Vaughn...

- NEW YORK (cont.): J. W. Belmont, W. Harwood, Seventh Ward Local, H. Kirshner, J. Luger...

CONDUCT STREET MEETING NEAR CHURCH; FINED

Confident that they would be stung both going and coming, James A. Ryan, W. M. Yeatman, D. Kalevsky and seven other Lithuanian Socialist speakers...

Following a brief conference between Seymour Stedman and Otto C. Christiansen, counsel for the defendants, it was agreed that a meager fine should be imposed...

It is conceded that in the future Socialist party meetings should not be held on corners where there are churches while services are being held within the churches.

RUMORED CONGRESS WILL LEGISLATE FOR WORKERS. Special Correspondence. Washington, Oct. 25.—There was considerable speculation about the capital today relative to the employers' liability and workmen's compensation commission...

THE RESULTS PRODUCED BY A Robinson "Thermal" Bath inside of 30 minutes are almost beyond belief. Physicians everywhere are changing from drugs to thermal baths in the treatment of many diseases...

Our aim is NOT to put anybody out of business, but just to get your patronage, and if "Honesty and a Square Deal" will get it, then we are ready to take your order.

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MISS "HOT TAMALES" \$4 BLACK OR TAN

Room for FIVE TO-ES. "JUST FROM THE MINT". A shoe that will attract attention by its style—the wear of which will produce satisfaction.

There is a "dash" about this model that appeals to the woman who likes to have her entire costume in accord with the latest vogue.

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Robinson Manufacturing Company. 20 Broadway, Balafox, Toledo, Ohio. Gentlemen—As per your special offer kindly send me at once a free copy of your book, "The Philosophy of Health and Beauty."

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Wilshire's Magazine, NEW YORK CITY. VISIT OUR MAMMOTH NEW SHOE DEPARTMENT. We carry a full line of Men's and Women's UNION MADE SHOES.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING. You are hereby notified that at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of Nov. 25, 1911, at the office of The Chicago Daily Socialist, 205-207 West 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.

CLASSIFIED. WANTED—Men and women, evenings, ad-dressing; this will not interfere with your daily labor; no security required. State where you are employed. I. M. H., Daily Socialist.

SOCIALISTS WANTED. SOCIALISTS WANTED. One carpenter and girl for Central to operate new telephone system. Secretary, Socialist Farmer's Co-operative Association of State Line, Miss.

ROOMS FOR RENT. ROOM FOR RENT—Newly furnished, steam heat, gas bath, second floor, flat 1, 148 E. 51st St. Phone Aldine 3422. Mrs. Davis.

MISCELLANEOUS. CHAIRS BOX, SIGN PAINTED. Special rates for signs and notices. 147 S. Dearborn St., Chicago.

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They save the most coal. They are the tightest. They are the most artistic in design. They are made entirely of iron. They hold fire the longest. They have loose nickel trimmings—no boiler; machine fitted ash pit, smooth as glass and air tight. Come in and see the Circular Flue System—A Fuel Saver.

Furniture Stoves Rugs

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OUR BOOK CORNER. DO YOU read Socialist literature? Do you wish to convert your friends? If so, examine this book-list. Here you will find, from day to day, all the new ammunition and old standbys.

OUR BOOK CORNER (cont.). THE RECORDING ANGEL. By Edward Arnold Ehrenholz. Cloth, \$1.00. THE RISE OF THE AMERICAN PROLETARIAN. By Austin Lewis. Cloth, \$1.00.



Here Is the Solid Front That the Socialist and Labor Press of the United States Presents to Organized Capital and Its Press in the Struggle for Supremacy Between Money and Humanity

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PORTLAND LABOR PRESS
 The Labor Argus
 BREWERY WORKERS JOURNAL
 THE LABOR WORLD
 THE LABOR HERALD
 The Toledo Union Leader
 THE WESTERN LABORER
 THE LABOR HERALD
 THE LABOR LEADER
 THE TOLEDO UNION LEADER
 THE LABOR ADVOCATE
 SOCIAL-DEMOCRATIC HERALD
 THE LABOR REVIEW
 IOWA UNIONIST
 THE CLEVELAND CITIZEN
 THE SOCIALIST
 PLAIN SPEAKER
 THE COMMONWEALTH
 JUSTICE
 THE SOCIALIST
 THE PEOPLE'S PAPER
 THE MICHIGAN SOCIALIST
 THE MASSSES
 THE SOCIAL ADVANCE
 THE NEWARK MAJORITY
 THE MINNESOTA UNION ADVOCATE
 THE SOCIAL CALL
 THE VOICE
 THE CITIZEN
 SOCIAL-DEMOCRAT
 SVENSKA SOCIALISTEN
 THE PEOPLE'S PRESS
 THE REBEL SOCIALIST
 HERKIMER COUNTY SOCIALIST
 THE WORKERS STANDARD
 THE WORLD
 HUNTINGTON PROGRESSIVE WORKER
 THE BAKERS' JOURNAL
 THE CHICAGO DAILY SOCIALIST
 THE LABORER
 GRAY MATTER
 KAUNICKA SLUGA
 THE LABOR ADVOCATE
 THE NEW ERA
 TEST VERISEG
 Memphis Social-Democrat
 WELCH'S WEEKLY
 THE KANSAS CITY SOCIALIST
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BY J. L. ENGDALH

Here we have the combined front of the Socialist and labor press of the United States. It is imposing. It is more imposing considering the conditions that existed five years ago, when The Chicago Daily Socialist first entered the field. The last five years has witnessed a remarkable growth in the Socialist and labor press, and is an indication of what may be expected in the future.

There are only two English Socialist dailies in the big cities of the United States today. We take this opportunity to welcome The Milwaukee Leader, the daily Socialist paper soon to be issued in Milwaukee, into the field.

Now that the ground has been broken it is expected that the battery of Socialist dailies will soon spread out over the land until its crossfire of publicity will be more than a match for the combined capitalist press of the country.

It is expected that the growth of the Socialist press, as the party-owned organs of a great political movement, will gradually eliminate the so-called labor papers which are too often used by some old party politician to keep the labor vote as much in line as possible through the narrowness that he does out to its editor.

There is a great industrial field for the weekly and monthly organs of the various trade unions, which can be made to have a special appeal to the membership of the different economic organizations.

There has grown up a great spirit of co-operation between the Socialist and labor press that is full of promise for the future. The material sent out by the National Socialist Press Bureau, at Washington, D. C., concerning the work of First Socialist Congressman Victor L. Berger, was used liberally in every labor publication, almost without exception.

These labor publications are growing more and more to appreciate that the "juice of the news" in the struggle between labor and capital is to be found in the Socialist press and the news issued by its agencies.

Local news is only interesting as it bears on the national and international movement of labor, and the Socialists are in the lead in advocating the world-wide organization of all toilers both on the political and economic field.

Today we feel a great change coming over the labor movement. The argument that the individual is powerless against the boss is being forgotten.

We have substituted in its place the argument that the craft organization is powerless against the money combines that are daily taking on new power.

The solidarity of capital must be met by the greater solidarity of labor. The industrial union will soon become a thing of today;

and even bigger plans will then be in order for the future that follows after that.

And all the time the Socialist and labor press will be in the vanguard, agitating, educating and pointing the way to organization. It speaks in a thousand tongues to peoples of many languages. This is shown in the above symposium. No one is able to read all the names of the above papers and understand them. But there are few who can not find some name that is familiar.

Today, more than ever before, the working class of the United States is realizing that without a strong press it is fundamentally weak.

This has been shown in the success with which the Socialists of Milwaukee are raising \$100,000 to start a daily Socialist paper in that city.

It has been shown in the support given to the Daily Socialist during the five years of the terrific struggle that will surely be crowned with success in the not far distant future.

It has been shown in the fight to establish the New York Call; in fact, wherever an attempt has been made to establish a Socialist publication the workers have been willing to make almost any sacrifice in order to make it succeed.

It is this that makes the future bright with hope. The future is bright, and five years from now we will all look back on the trials and tribulations of today with all the greater pleasure because we had an opportunity to contribute our mite to a movement that is daily becoming bigger and stronger.

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I--The Chicago Daily Socialist

Five times the whirling earth has circled the great orb of fire called the "Sun" since I was born.
I, though a new paper, am a living thing.
I have hands, feet, eyes, ears and nose. They are these things not in form and texture, but in the uses to which I put them.

With them I see and hear and have the benefit of all the five senses.
A hundred thousand pair of hands feel for me and help me grope my way in the dark places.
A hundred thousand pair of eyes see for me, that I may know Truth.

A hundred thousand pair of feet carry me to communion with my friends and combat with my foes.
I am the sum of many things--ideals and hopes of men, trials and dejections of those who gave me birth and nursed me in my infancy, joys of growth, heartaches of reverses, great things and petty things, harmony and dissension, co-operation and conflict and a thousand other things, tangible and intangible.

But, above all, I am THE SWEAT AND BLOOD OF THE WORKERS who bore me. From the womb of their consciousness I was born.
The travail of my birth has been proportionate to the need that I should have life.

The nurture of me has been a deprivation to my parent multitude.
In this I have gained purity, freedom from excesses that breed disease and decay.
Into the chyle that has fed my tissues have entered the genius of men, known and unknown, social forces open and subtle, events great and small, passions of the oppressed flaring and smoldering.

I have consumed the vitality of strong men and cast them aside, wrecked, and they have blessed me as a mother transfusing her own blood to her child.
Men have come to me and gone, as men come and go in the world, and still they all remain a part of me, for I am the whole sum of things that have happened to me and for me.

The sigh of the shop-bound seamstress, the curses of the slave at his chains, the roaring discontent of the workers, the horrors of a system run wild with its own impotence, the cry of humanity for loftier life--all reach me, shape me, build me, become a living part of me.
The humble digger, unnamed, leagues remote, who hands my crumpled pages to his companion, is a part of me.

In a hundred thousand homes I receive daily nourishment and care.
So have I been born and bred to a purpose--to strike a blow for the freedom of the toilers.
That I might not lose my destiny, I have been made of this compound of sorrows and joys, of doubts and hopes, of anguish and elation of the workers themselves.

I am of their flesh and bone. I am what they have made me and I can be only that which they desire.
I have attained strength. I have acquired talents with which to battle for those whose love and hope have made me and whose expression I am.
I have received a personality, conscious, that desires to live.
I MUST live.
I must demand sustenance of those who in my infancy gave without demand.

So, at this mark, by which men are accustomed to measure, I speak. I appeal to those who love me. I demand of those who need me that I may continue to grow.



Reminiscences of the Unity Convention

By VICTOR L. BERGER, First Socialist Congressman in the United States.

Small movements like small organisms propagate and multiply by splitting. That rule holds good for political movements as well as for religious sects.
It has been true of the Socialist party in every country.
Originally there were several little Socialist parties in Germany. The two largest--the Lassalleans and Eisenachers--are still remembered. There were many factions in France.

PRESS COMBINE IS FEASIBLE

By MAX S. HAYES, Editor of The Cleveland Citizen.

The prospectus of the plan outlined by Labor's Co-operative Press Association in Chicago to combine or "trustify" all Socialist publications in that city is the most feasible and scientific that could be devised.
The general principle underlying the plan is in complete harmony with truths that are constantly and everlastingly preached by Socialists. Centralize human effort and abolish the waste of competition is the keynote of our political and economic demands, and, therefore, it is only plain, everyday consistency to practice what we preach.

THE SONG OF THE VANGUARD

Written for the Anniversary Edition of The Chicago Daily Socialist, Oct. 25, 1911. BY WILLIAM FRANCIS BARNARD

We march along, glad, brave and strong; true warriors of the right;
For a world to be, where men are free, all faithfully to fight.
We shed no tear, and we laugh at fear; still keen for the furious fray,
We scorn all care and we mock despair: the Vanguard leads the way!
On, on, with the Vanguard, Comrades; Strive for the cause so true.
Be one in the great war, Comrades; The war that is fought for you!

There comes an hour when the people's power shall conquer the rulers, all;
When the masters' strength shall yield at length, and their privilege must fall.
Or slow, or fast, let it rise at last; we seek but the battle's brunt,
To strive on still with an iron will. The Vanguard fights in front!
On, on, with the Vanguard, Comrades; Your might and your faith renew.
Hail to the Vanguard, Comrades, Where the Vanguard hails to you!

Growth of the Socialist Party

Table with columns for Year, Party Membership, and Socialist Membership. Shows growth from 1900 to 1911.

A GOOD JOB

By RALPH KORNGOLD.

He came out of a grocery store, his arms loaded with parcels. He might have been forty-five or fifty, though he looked much older.
His cheeks were hollow, corroded, his shoulders bent--the shoulders of a man who does much work stooped over.
His clothes were that spotted greenish gray that comes of much wear in inclement weather. He put the bundles into a buggy, as much worn by time and weather as he was himself, a buggy hitched to a spavined old horse, whose head hung about the level of his knees, and whose skeleton was revealed under the thin guise of skin and muscles almost as clearly as it would have been in an X-ray photograph.