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UNIONS BREAK FRONT OF PASSAIC MILL MAGNATES

One Company Signs Compromise Which Grants Recognition to Labor Organization

The Passaic front, which during the last two months had become the center of the battle ground in America to break trade unionism and establish in its place company unionism, has been broken by the surrender of one of the companies on the most vital question at stake—recognition of the trade unions.

30,000 Cloak Strikers Sign A Compromise

About 10,000 Still Out-Union Makes Gains in Wages and Hours

NEW YORK—The 19 weeks' strike of the 30,000 organized cloakmakers of New York City is practically over. At a meeting between the Joint Board of the New York Cloakmakers' Union and the Industrial Council of the Manufacturers' Association a compromise agreement was reached which represents gains of the workers in some directions and concessions to the manufacturers in other directions.

DEBS COLUMN

A Judicial Joke (This is one of the last editorials Comrade Debs wrote for the American Appeal.)



We are about to relate a joke that our readers may share in the hilarity of the Appeal staff. Judge James H. Wilkerson of Chicago is known to our readers. He is especially known to the shop crafts strikers of three years ago. It was this eminent federal judge who issued the injunction on the application of the sweet-scented Harry Daugherty of the little "Green House on K St.", who drew the salary of Attorney General until he was retired to private life, that paralyzed the strike of the shop workers and gave the victory to the railroad corporations.

Are We Being Pushed Into War With Mexico?

Once more there is danger that American big business interests will push the United States into war with Mexico. Here are a few of the recent sinister developments pointing in that direction: There are repeated reports that the Yaqui uprising was promoted by American pro-interventionist agents. The Yaquis are being armed and supplied with munitions from this side of the border through the range of mountains that project from the Yaqui country into Arizona, according to a considerable number of newspapers.

PLUTOCRACY AND ROYALTY HOBNOB IN LAND OF FREE

Cooperatives of U. S. Swing Into Labor Movement

NATIONAL CONFERENCE IN MINNEAPOLIS UNANIMOUSLY ACCEPTS GOAL OF SOCIALISM MINNEAPOLIS—After a 3-day struggle behind the scenes between the radicals and the more conservative wings, the 5th biennial congress of the Co-operative League of America meeting in Minneapolis voted unanimously that the co-operative movement must be a definite part of the working-class movement. It further declared that it must co-operate with all organized worker and farmer organizations.

Plenty of American Gold Is Found To Underwrite Roumanian Fascism

American Gold will buy the manacles that will bind the Roumanian workers under the abhorrent, cruel and savage system of Roumanian Fascism. This is assured by the character of the entertainments of Queen Marie by the plutocracy of every American city she has visited. These entertainments have been marked by an unparalleled outpouring of the super-rich to greet one of the crowned heads of the most tyrannical dictatorship in Europe but one. Queen Marie has shaken hands with American billions, some of which will stick to her eagle palm and will go to bolster up terrorism and black reaction in Europe.

British Miners Voting on Offer of Government

Acceptance Will Mean Longer Hours, Lower Wages and District Settlements LONDON—The seven month strike of the million British coal miners to resist a wage reduction and the lengthening of the work day from 7 hours in the pit to 8 1/2 will end if the government terms of settlement upon which the miners are now voting are accepted.

Liberal Leader Starts Break To Labor Party

Kenworthy Goes Over to Laborites As the Only Real Opposition Party in England LONDON—The Daily Herald reports that Commander Kenworthy, one of the prominent left-wing Liberals, has joined the Labor Party and invited his friends to do the same.

German Bosses Rally to Halt Socialist Gain

Berlin, Germany. A frontal attack against the existence and steady growth of municipal and state enterprise works, was undertaken yesterday at a meeting of the so-called Top Association of German Business men. Numerous speakers protested against state ownership and against the collection by private persons of taxes which are later used to enable states and municipalities to furnish commodities at prices below those fixed by the dealers' association.

Stalin Condemns Former Tactics of Communists

Launches New Program to Make Russia An Example in Socialism MOSCOW—M. Stalin's new program which proposes to mobilize Russia's resources to develop industry and farming within the country, was adopted by an overwhelming vote of the communist party congress.

30 Editors Say Sacco-Vanzetti Judge Must Go

NEW YORK—The request of New York labor editors that Gov. Fuller of Massachusetts take steps to remove Judge Thayer from the Sacco-Vanzetti case and from the bench was given an almost immediate reply by the governor. Just before sailing for Europe Fuller wrote the acting secretary of the labor editors' group:

Workers Give Their Answer To Queen Marie

The organized and progressive workers of America alone have stood true to the principles of American democracy. All other classes have abandoned us in a disgraceful orgy of queen-worship connected with the visit of Queen Marie of Roumania. They alone have stood out against the disgraceful spectacle of a nation claiming to be republican and democratic, bowing and shivering over a member of a tyrannical and blood-soaked royal family engaged in promoting a scheme to financially bolster up a regime that has failed in everything but name.

EVEN COOLIDGE ADMITS IT NOW

In his speech in Kansas City Admitted Day, President Coolidge admitted what the Socialists have been saying ever since the outbreak of the World War, for which many of them went to prison—that the World War was a total liability and loss to every nation that went into it.

Chicago Labor To Protest for Sacco-Vanzetti

Chicago labor will express vigorous protest against the decision of Judge Webster Thayer in refusing to grant Sacco and Vanzetti a new trial, at a mass meeting which will be held at Ashland Auditorium, Ashland and Van Buren, on Friday, November 26th, at 8 p. m.

Hindu Wins Court Decision

SAN FRANCISCO—Naturalization officials are at sea following the decision of the U. S. circuit court of appeals, sitting in San Francisco, that S. G. Pandit, Hindu lawyer, cannot be deprived of his citizenship. This will probably be a test case for other Hindus claiming to have been naturalized before Hinduism was declared ineligible.

Great Debs Memorial Meet in Los Angeles

A splendid memorial meeting in honor of Eugene V. Debs in which Socialist, Labor and progressive elements participated was held in the Los Angeles Trinity Auditorium the evening of November 18. The large hall was crowded to capacity. The speakers were Upton Sinclair, C. J. Taft, director of the Civil Liberties Union, J. W. Russell, secretary of the Central Labor Council and others.

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Billion Dollar Reception

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Living Monument Drive Brings Nation-Wide Responses

The tide of revolution not to let Debs die; to continue his ideas, his spirit, his life's work as a Living Monument to him in the American Appeal, is still mounting.

Messages are still coming in from all parts of the United States endorsing the Living Monument idea and pledging support. Some of these are printed below:

"I am enclosing postal money order for \$50 to be applied to the Sustaining Fund. I have been in the Socialist Movement since 1902. My heart action has gone down to less than half and I am utterly worthless physically. I expect to be in eternity before you receive this letter. Kindly write to Dr. H. J. Warner, 216 N. 9th St. Albuquerque, and ask him if I have passed away." — Charles A. Byrd, Albuquerque, N. M.

"Enclosed find \$1 for bundle of date of Oct. 30. Let us make Debs' Birthday a holiday and have the Socialist and Labor organizations unite in teaching and spreading the doctrine he stood for. I will pledge myself to take the American Appeal regularly and contribute \$1 on the anniversary of each Debs' Birthday." — T. J. Fitzgerald, Kirksville, Mo.

"Enclosed find check for \$5 in memory of our dear comrade, Eugene V. Debs. May his will and energy and courage live on forever for the emancipation of the human race." — L. W. Seafem, Pittsburgh.

"Enclosed find check for \$5 for which add one year to my subscription time and send me \$4 in sub cards and Debs' photograph. Debs gave his life to the cause of mankind. I know that his one great wish was that we should carry on." — L. D. Van Tassel, Alvin, Texas.

"Enclosed find check for \$10 for which send me Appeal subscription cards. I believe I can safely promise to secure from 100 to 200 subscribers in the three or four months ahead of us. The noble, unselfish life of Debs should be an inspiration to all of us and help send the soul-lifting light of human brotherhood into the dark places." — J. A. Hennessy, Oakland, Cal.

"Please find enclosed check for \$20 for which you can send me 12 yearly and 16 half yearly sub cards. I will do my best to get subscribers." — A. Levin, Los Angeles, Cal.

"You will find enclosed check for \$5 for which send me 5 yearly sub cards and photo of Debs. I am a rural mail carrier and cannot collect subscriptions, so this is a donation out of my pocket. I am glad a move has been started for a monument to Debs. I will give \$10 when called for. We should begin now a campaign of education and organization for the election of 1928. We need agitation that will get the people to join the party and hold them there. Yours for Socialism!" — A. Comrade.

"Herewith find enclosed my check for \$5 to be applied to the enclosed subs. Will try to send some more subs from time to time, as I am an old timer in the movement having been one of the S. L. P. organizers in 1904." — Albert Schnuta, Louisville, Ky.

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Socialist Party News



INDIANA

The Socialists of Terre Haute, Indiana, will meet at Reinbold's Bakery, 428 Ohio Street, at 2:30 P. M. Sunday, Nov. 21st, to plan organization work. All members of the American Appeal should be on hand.

IDAHO

IDAHO VOTERS, ATTENTION!

Comrades, Socialists, Workers, Farmers in Idaho! The election is over. Now clear the decks for re-organization of the Socialist Party in this State and for Socialist National and State ticket in 1928. We must regain our official status. We must secure six thousand names, signatures of legal voters. The smoke of battle has cleared, and it is obvious to all that there is no way but to stand for the Socialist Party. The last Idaho Campaign demonstrated that the three Senatorial candidates all sang the same song, namely, protective tariff for the farmers. Not one of these candidates mentioned, in any way, or ever referred to the Right of Speech, assembly or press. The voters wisely decided that if protective tariff is right, as advocated by the three Senatorial aspirants, that it must be the Republican Party they should vote for. They know that the G. O. P. has always stood for a high protective tariff which protects only manufacturers.

This mask was torn from the candidate's speeches revealed conclusively that their party was only a Branch of the Republican Party in Idaho, which I have endeavored to show in this issue for the last four years. Although the Progressive Party has been in existence for three years, elected only once, over three years, elected only once, they are still in existence. The following branches were recently organized: Luzerne, Pa., 11 members; Monaca, Pa., 12 members; Cocke, Pa., 10 members. From Burdett, Pa., comes the news that they are to have a meeting for the purpose of organizing a branch. Krayn, Pa. is also taking re-organization of a branch. Increased activities are also reported from Milwaukee, Wis., Detroit, Mich., and from many other localities.

This kind of work I consider the most befitting monument to our dear re-posed comrade, Eugene V. Debs.

Appeal Fund For the Week

With the assistance of the comrades of the Jewish Forward Association, the Appeal Fund jumped up over \$600 last week as follows:

Forward Association, New York City	\$500.00
Chas. A. Byrd, Albuquerque, N. M.	50.00
Finnish Branch, East Port	10.00
Louis Mayer, New York City	10.00
C. J. Tetterer, Eureka, Kans.	10.00
John Moore, New York City	5.00
J. H. Sugar, Rochester, N. Y.	5.00
A. T. Preuss, Paso Robles, Cal.	5.00
L. W. Seafem, Pittsburgh	5.00
S. N. P. J. Lodge, No. 97, Herculine	5.00
Peter Slauch, Reno, Nevada	5.00
A. Alm, Sumner, Wash.	5.00
Anna Traum, New York City	5.00
Clara Semmendinger, Grantwood, N. J.	5.00
B. Fagelbaum, Brooklyn, N. Y.	2.00
Henry H. Sweetland, Brish, Colo.	2.00
Matt Moulter, St. Louis, Mo.	2.00
J. D. Doherty, Chicago	2.00
F. D. Blodgett, Randolph, Maine	2.00
Madora C. Brooks, Bennington, Vt.	2.00
H. W. Shay, York, Pa.	1.00
M. L. Pruett, Pomona, Kans.	1.00
Edward Gefer, Sumner, Wash.	1.00
John Erickson, Sumner, Wash.	1.00
J. M. McCracken, Seahurst, Wash.	1.00
Total	\$620.00
Previously reported	\$713.50
Grand total to date	\$1,333.50

Appeal Army Activities

Appeal Army Record

Cards	\$63.50
Bundles	108.35
Subscriptions	177.85
Promotion and Sustaining Fund	88.90
Total	\$438.60

This is a splendid record. It is a gain in every item except subs. Subscription orders were 86 less than the week before. The total, however, was considerably greater. The Appeal Army is slowly getting bigger. The old fighters are trucking back to the trenches from every state. We will soon be a host.

Prize Winners

A great list of winners of the large photograph of Comrade Debs is the response to the first week of the drive to build up the American Appeal as a Living Monument to our beloved leader. Every one of the comrades in the following list is entitled to the Debs' photograph. Kindly write the Appeal when you get the photograph and let us know how you like it so we can let other comrades know.

Edward Richland, Ruskin, Fla., 5 yearlies, 2 half yearlies.

S. C. Thompson, Hamman, Okla., 5 yearlies.

M. C. Miller, Brooklyn, N. Y., 5 yearlies, 2 half yearlies.

Albert Schnuta, Louisville, Ky., 1 yearlies, 2 half yearlies.

B. S. Cox, Shiloh, Miss., \$5 worth of sub cards.

J. H. LeStinger, Fort Ogden, Fla., \$5 worth of sub cards.

A. Levin, Los Angeles, \$20 worth of sub cards.

J. A. Hennessy, Oakland, Cal., \$10 worth of sub cards.

R. A. Lindblom, Newport, Minn., \$5 worth of sub cards.

John Bliss, Garrettsville, Ohio, 5 yearlies.

Mrs. Ray Compton, West Terre, Ind., 6 yearlies.

Dr. W. B. James, Cleveland, 5 yearlies.

Anton Zornik, Herculine, Pa., 5 yearlies, \$5 donation.

Clara Semmendinger, Grantwood, N. J., 4 half yearlies, \$1 donation.

L. D. Van Tassel, Alvin, Texas, 5 yearlies.

Charles A. Byrd, Albuquerque, N. M., \$20 contribution.

Mrs. Doris Morris, Florence, Mont., 5 yearlies, 1 half yearlies.

Peter Slauch, Reno, Nevada, \$5 contribution.

H. H. Bryant, Mesa, Ark., 1 yearlies and \$4 for sub cards.

Louis Mayer, New York City, \$10 contribution.

E. W. Seafem, Pittsburgh, Pa., \$5 contribution.

A. T. Preuss, Paso Robles, Cal., \$5 contribution.

Arnost Kocki, Finnish Lovel, East Port Chester, N. Y., \$10 contribution.

C. J. Braun, Memphis, Tenn., \$4 for sub cards, \$1 for bundle.

Let's Play

When Cortez was a robber and a murderer he was also daring, energetic and cheerful. He made robbery and murder a game.

The profit system is more murderous, more an enemy of private property rights, than Cortez was; but they would exhibit pep, skill and wit. They might be termed good humor. They make a game of it.

There was a time when Socialists made a game of propaganda. They enjoyed it, and at that time they carried things before them. The spirit of play gives rest and power.

Let us again get into the swing of accomplishment. Let us cease making Socialism a task. Let us be joyful and happy in doing the work, and then things will happen for us again.

Book Bargains

Militarism Published at \$1.00

Cry for Justice Published at \$1.00

The Century and the School Published at \$1.00

Russia and Germany at Breakfast Published at \$1.00

A German Deserter's War Experience Published at \$1.00

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Write for Complete Catalogue

Socialists Prepare for Winter Work

From many parts of the United States letters arrive telling of plans for organization work. Most arriving at this office shows that the Socialists are taking new hope and are looking forward to the City elections of next year, and then to the 1928 Campaign. Reports on organization, measured by dues stamps sold for last month, show a very good increase. We feel quite sure that this increase is going to continue. Now is the best time to organize stronger, and prepare for the work ahead. Not one Socialist should be without a paid-up membership card and not one reader of the American Appeal should be without a membership card. For more information the comrades desire may be secured by writing National Headquarters.

Build A Living Monument to Debs

Build no deal tombstone, but a living monument. Build up the organization for which Debs devoted over thirty years of his valuable life. Yes, build up the Socialist party, to carry on the work which he performed so nobly and so unselfishly. That should be the aim of all who cherish his memory.

I still remember his stirring appeal to the Yugoslav workers at the mass meeting at Waukegan, Ill. on Sept. 20th, 1925. He said in part:

"It is the duty of you Yugoslav workers of this country to join the Slovene National Benefit Society and the Yugoslav Socialist Federation. These organizations elevate you mentally, drill you for the struggle and create in you the true Socialist spirit. If you are members of these two organizations, you are fulfilling your duties in this great struggle for the emancipation of mankind from capitalist slavery. Be true to yourself! Demand ever more and more! For the fruit of your labor is your fruits, and the right is on your side!"

We pledge to our dear Comrade and leader then and there that we would do all in our power to build up the Party organizations and leave nothing undone to achieve our end and fulfill our pledge given to Comrade Debs.

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Says Farmers Are Ripe for Socialism

By W. C. KENNEDY
(Magnolia, Mississippi)

The not-to-be-called "Surplus" is with the cotton growers here in full measure, and yesterday I saw cotton selling at five cents per pound that cost the farmer not less than twenty cents per pound to produce.

This, of course, can mean but one thing ultimately, and that is the absolute separation of the farmer from ownership of his land and his certain reversion to serfdom. It used to be said that Socialism would take the farmer away from him should he ever become so silly as to lend his support in bringing it to power, but Capitalism has beaten the Socialists to it, so in a short time the farmer won't have any farm property to turn to Socialism to regain it for him.

Today there is no other "Road to Freedom" open to the man who works the soil save the road to Socialism. And if, during the next two or three years, there is not built up a strong Socialism following amongst the farmers of our country the fault will be ours and not theirs. They are ready as never before to hear our message and accept it, PROVIDED it can be delivered to them by agitators who understand following amongst the farmers.

CONDITION, HIS MENTAL PSYCHOLOGY, etc., and who have the power to put forth the truths of Socialism doctrine in LANGUAGE UNDERSTANDABLE TO THE FARMER.

For myself I shall do what I can to scatter the message. In a short time I hope to be able to join the APPEALS bundle brigade and see how many subs I can hand you during the Winter.

They who tell you you can't have certain laws under Socialism are presumptions. You can have any laws the people want and none other.

They are concocting preparations for war just as they conceal stock dividends, yet each marches on unabated. Plutocracy is making enemies of the nation will soon call upon you to kill.

Let the bankers merely lock up your money instead of spending it and your property values will be cut in half while your debts will be doubled. You will not have a word to say in the matter.

It is a crime in this country to buy a man and make him work for his board and keep. But it is all right in this country to find a man in dire necessity for himself and family and hire him to work for more scanty food and clothing than the slave got. And the men who give their votes to uphold this system are in the majority.

"Breathes there a slave so lowly, Condemned to chain unholy, Who could he burst his bonds, at Would pine beneath them slowly." — Thomas Moore.

"Did you notice the conductor looking at you as if you hadn't paid your fare?"

"Sure, and did you notice me looking at him as if I had?"

Socialist Vote Slow Coming In

Reports from the field indicate that there is no hope of reporting to Socialist vote throughout the nation until after the official count is made in various states. The Appeal will report the vote as fast as it gets it and asks the cooperation of comrades and Party officials wherever.

The vote in Butler county, Ohio, has been received by Comrade Joseph A. Froman. It is as follows: For Sharto, Socialist candidate for governor, 142; For Socialist candidate for Secretary of State, 101; State Treasurer, 129. Forty per cent of the registered voters did not vote.

Comrade C. G. Tetterer of Eureka, Kansas reports that he received 1,292 votes as Socialist Candidate for county auditor. The Democrats did not put up a candidate, yet each marches on unabated. Plutocracy is making enemies of the nation will soon call upon you to kill.

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German Fascists Try to Wreck Italian Papers

NEW YORK—Fascist Italy's persecution of all opponents, following the latest attempt upon dictator Mussolini's life, reached into the United States when local fascists of New York twice attempted to smash the offices of two labor and anti-fascist papers.

The first visit of a group of fascists, following a turbulent meeting at their headquarters, was to *Il Nuovo Mondo*, Italian labor and anti-fascist daily. Two typewriters were damaged, the pressman and his helper assaulted and the watchman frightened away. Later in the same night, the band smashed the windows of *Il Martello* and *Il Nuovo Mondo* offices.

The taxi driver, an Italian, who was commandeered to drive the fascists in their raids, later told the story to *Il Nuovo Mondo*. The night after the first assaults on the buildings of *Il Nuovo Mondo* and *Il Martello*, a gang of fascists were again seen approaching the premises but were frightened off by volunteer protectors.

Every Local and Branch Should Have

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| Application for Membership cards | 40c per 100; \$3.00 per 1,000 |
| Red Membership Cards | \$1.00 " " 7.00 " " |
| Membership Card Pockets | .50 " " 3.00 " " |
| Party Constitutions | 4.00 " " 35.00 " " |
| National Platforms | .40 " " 3.00 " " |
| Minute Books | 1.00 each |
| Financial Secretary Account Book with 320 records, including cash book, ledger and stamp account record | 1.00 each |
| Same, with 640 records | 1.50 each |
| Emblems: Gold plated buttons, pins, stickpins, pencil clips, etc., 25c each, \$2.00 per dozen. | |
| Solid gold buttons, \$1.00 each, \$10.00 per dozen. | |
| Gun Metal watch fobs, 50c each; \$5.00 per dozen. | |

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Stanley Urban, Columbus, Ohio	5.00
Ernest Gerlach, Columbus, Ohio	1.00
Total	\$218.75

Gold and Gold Plated Party Buttons and Pins

The Socialists, both men and women, should all wear the Socialist Party emblem button and pins. We have a half supply of small ones, just the size for neatness. Buttons and pins gold plated are 25c each or \$2. per dozen. The solid gold buttons are one dollar each or ten dollars per dozen. The solid gold ones come in large, medium and small sizes. The gold plated ones come in the small size only. We learn that some of the Local and Branch organizations of the Party have secured enough for every member of the branch and they all wear them. This should prevail generally. Show your colors.

You Will Want a Debs Bust for the Office or Home

The National Office has a large number of Debs busts. They are metal and look like bronze, stand five inches. These busts were made from Eugene Debs in his prison garb and are excellent likenesses of him. Send for one today, one dollar each. Get your order in while they last.

British Miners' Fund, October

The following is the report of the contributions received for the striking British Coal miners during the month of October:

Dr. A. F. Green, Cleveland, Ohio	\$1.00
M. Larosa, Clouthier, W. Va.	2.00
W. S. & D. B. No. 136, Milwaukee, Wis.	15.00
J. B. Phinney, Kansas City, Mo.	2.00
Edward J. Dutton, Los Angeles, Calif.	10.00
Total	\$20.00

UTAH

All readers of the American Appeal and others who are interested are requested to meet at the Public Library, Salt Lake City, Friday evening, November 26th.

The purpose of the meeting is to arrange a program for the winter months to advance the cause of the party.

Also, Emil Herman, National Organizer of the Socialist Party, will speak in the Labor Temple Sunday evening, November 28th.

We present and get others to attend these meetings. All together for a better and more militant movement in Salt Lake City, and the state.

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Buffalo, N. Y.

This year's Socialist vote in Buffalo and Erie County is in close correspondence with the 1925, approximately 4500 in the City and the County. The comrades feel satisfied with the results, especially when we consider the small amount of work done in Buffalo.

Local Buffalo arranged a Debs Memorial Meeting, which was well attended. Our veteran member of Local Buffalo, Frank Eisenrich, delivered the oration. Eisenrich's knowledge of Comrade Debs' activities dates way back to the time before Debs became a Socialist. Those present were well pleased with the gathering in memory of "The Super Man" and leader of our Movement. There were other Debs Memorial meetings held in Buffalo under other auspices, but the Party, which culminated in attacks upon the Socialist Party.

Election returns by radio, with a Card Party, were held at the East Side Labor Gymnasium. It was well attended. The next general Party meeting will be held Thursday evening, November 18th, at 8 o'clock at the East Side Labor Gymnasium, 1644 Genesee St., near Montana. After the short business session, Comrade Nesch will deliver a lecture to be followed by a discussion. All comrades are urged to be present and bring their friends.

The Women's Club of Local Buffalo is arranging for a Debs Memorial Party to be held in the above Hall Monday evening, Nov. 22nd. Good prices, refreshments and a pleasant time to all who come.

Comrades are urged to make returns for Panken tickets.

Local Seattle Socialist Party

meets every first Monday of the month at 1915 First Ave., 3rd floor. Union Record Bldg. Max Dorn, Sec'y, 7221 Palatine Ave.

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The Appeal Question Box

Dear American Appeal.
I have your reply to Miss Brokaw...

process that evolved the chick evolved
the nourishment that keeps the chick
alive until it finds strength to break out
of the shell.

Yours truly,
H. W. Noren.

the question as to whether or not
"natural rights" is purely a
question of definition.

This same relationship between life
and its sources surrounds life every-
where. We and the things that sustain
us were evolved out of the same pro-

Not "might," as Mr. Noren tries to
put on to the Socialists, but the collec-
tive realization of the relationship be-

COME, TOILERS!

By GEORGE F. HIBNER

Toilers, out of the night. Know
the sun is shining for you. That
the water-bugs should toil ever
for others is like robbing you
of the sunlight that is abundant for
you...

Welfare Song

By WILL HERFORD

Sing a song of "Welfare."
A pocket full of tricks
To soothe the weary worker
When he groans or kicks...

Success

OTHERS dealt
AT PROFITS' mart
And at the FROWN
OF CHILLING death
Their COSTLY treasures
FELL to earth...

Sweet Land of Liberty

Pennsylvania Miners Denied Free Speech

Wholesale interference with meetings
of miners on speakers in the mining
districts of Scranton and Wilkes-

Basic Citizenship Rights Endangered

The American Civil Liberties Union
is sending financial aid to James Rowan
Spokane, Wash., I.W.W., in his fight to
retain his citizenship.

Kellogg Orders Probe of the Daily Worker

The post office department has been
ordered by Secretary of State Kellogg
to investigate the "Daily Worker's"

Brophy Victory Grows

CLEARFILED, Pa.—Defeat of Presi-
dent Coolidge and the Erie railroad by
the central Pennsylvania miners has put
ownership operators on the defensive.

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as an agent of the Fascists he had helped
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Ford Five Day Week Inhuman Speed Scheme

DETROIT—Henry Ford's "five-day
week plan," with the stimulation of his
huge publicity machine, has been herald-

The plan provides that production
will be speeded up to a point where
the workers must do six days work in
five.

With the Workers Around the World

Austria

(I.I.) In the Report presented by the
Executive of the Austrian Socialist
Party to the Annual Conference in Linz,

A Difference

While the American synducatory was
slabbering over Roumanian royalty
thousands of people on the streets of

On the Job

General Leonard Wood, governor
of the Philippine Islands, has just won
a great victory for Wall Street.

Takes It Lying Down

After four years of outrageous treat-
ment from the Coolidge administration
under conditions of bankruptcy and ruin

In Nicaragua

A strange situation is developing in
one of our little imperistic provinces
—Nicaragua. A revolution is on and

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ment statistics, has increased his

NEWS AND VIEWS

Coolidge's Bribe

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Even in America

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190,000,000 Bushels Sold by Cooperative

WINNIPEG—Canadian wheat pool
farmers have closed another memorable
year during which the Central Selling
agency disposed of 190,000,000 bushels

A Better Way

Dispatches from Moscow state that
the recent communist congress there
was voted by a large majority to support

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Government Figures Explode Prosperity Myth

The prosperity myth which has been spread thickly by politicians and capitalist newspapers and which recently caused 23,000,000 sovereign American voters to vote the Republican and Democratic tickets and to shoulder any political proposition to change the present system, has been completely exploded time and again by United States government figures.

Table with 3 columns: Income classes, Number of incomes, Combined net income. Rows show income brackets from 1,000-2,000 to 2,000,000-3,000,000.

There is a reverse side of this picture. A study of the above table will show that the number of incomes in the United States of \$1,000 and up in 1925 was only 7,534,920.

The individual requires, inadequate shelter and medical care; a skimped, worried, miserable existence with a pitiful absence of healthful pleasure, recreation and culture.

Consider the above table again. It shows that 2,412,991 persons received incomes ranging from \$1,000 to \$2,000 per year. That means that about 17,500,000 families in the United States received less than \$2,000 a year, while only about 1,500,000 families got more than \$2,000 annually.

That is actually what the capitalist system does in America where it operates most successfully and yields the biggest returns.

It is a crime that with our abundant resources, mechanical power, millions of willing workers, our knowledge of science and machinery, we are producing only an average of about \$2,000 a family or \$30 a week.

Appeal Stand on Prosperity Myth Upheld By Catholic Welfare Body

WASHINGTON—Prosperity claims have been much exaggerated in this country, in the opinion of the social action department of the National Catholic Welfare Conference, which has been studying the evidences of abolition of poverty.

Great numbers of men and women working for a weekly or monthly salary are below the line of reasonable existence, and still greater numbers have not shared proportionately in the increased productivity of American industry and agriculture.

High wages are considered a guaranty of prosperity because they increase purchasing power and when spent keep the wheels of business moving.

Socialism Shows Splendid Recent Growth In Sweden

Swedish Socialism has added a fresh electoral success to its earlier ones. On September 19th were held the elections to the so-called "Landstings" i.e. the Provincial Diets.

Table with 4 columns: Party, 1922 Votes, 1926 Votes, 1922 Seats, 1926 Seats. Parties include Social Democrats, Communists, Bourgeois Left, Peasants' Federation, Conservatives.

International Socialism Renders Tribute to Debs

Debs' high place in the love and esteem of the International Socialist movement throughout the world is reflected in an article that has been sent to every Socialist Party in the world from the headquarters of the International Socialist movement in Zurich, Switzerland bearing the date of October 27, 1926.

At the close of the first day of the flaming and ardent revolutionary struggle whose heart and soul were the cause of a total defeat.

Skilled Workers Dispel the "Prosperity" Myth

Even among skilled workers the myth of "prosperity" is large as depicted when the intimate facts are known.

Local freight conductor J. H. Scott of the Baltimore & Ohio had that has been in service 21 years of his 41.

Mr. Debs' little, except matter contributed free to the current radical press and most of his speechmaking was done in campaigning for the cause he espoused.

Workers Lose Jobs by Producing More Wealth

More output with fewer workers, resulting from modern machinery and mass production in the cotton industry, is reported in a U. S. department of labor study covering nearly 100 years of the life of a workman.

The mill is a long established one producing staple goods, which has taken the lead in introducing scientific methods of production.

Debs Estate Small

Reprint of editorial in The Terre Haute Star, Nov. 8, 1926. Eugene V. Debs fought for an ideal through his life and died poor.

The Secretary of the U. S. S. P. has addressed the following telegram to the Socialist Party of America.

Labor's Reward

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The Broadcaster

A Kansan is developing a red sunflower. But he's a socialist.

The newspapers tell the people what they want, and because the people don't know they get by with it.

A Church Opinion Of Eugene V. Debs

Debs' voice is cleared forever. So say the friendly notices in the papers, in style formal and elegant.

Czech Socialists Pay Debs Tribute

The Socialist Party of Czechoslovakia Central Europe, has sent through its leader Morris Hillquit, the following tribute to Debs:

Subscription List Table with columns: Name, Rural Route or Street Address, Box No., City, State, Amount Paid.

During the dark ages, after private banking had fostered a lot of resentment, wealth on the world, a phrase, real estate was coined expressive of loss of confidence in the counterfeit.

It has become proverbial that there was nothing behind the profit system; its beneficiaries have always been very affluent. The banking system is more afloat, the product of lawyers and schemers; yet it too is shallow if analyzed.