

wending credits to agriculture on by on the plan, which, in the could's approval by the interests to is espected to materialize a conference of financiers. a amont officials.

Enormous Interest Loot The financial interests raising

tre fund would be reimbursed at an agreed rate of interest, as it Ass provided by the Fess bill that the government should be reimtursed.

- lent Coolidge is convinced ; lan is the soundest measure m rollef that has been proin tridute. He believes that if form of rent and interest amounted to tiven a fair trial, the problem \$1,385,000,000, exceeding by \$668,000. turmers would be solved. For unusual significance at- labor. This toll exacted by the landthe the moves being made by lord and money lender was thus more at at this time.

To Enhance Prices

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TO GET IT WELL UNDER WAY, THE PEPUBLICAN LEADERS UN-DOULTEDLY WOULD EXPECT IT TO REDOUND TO THE BENEFIT GF THE G. O. P. AND OF THE PAL IDENT, PARTICULARLY."

I mun who will not investigate the sides of a question is dishonest. Viaham Lincoln.

Voter capitalism we are dealed even sight to refuse to be killed. Mur is the only animal that can be

Fatted more than once.

Get your workmate's pledge and he will subscribe next payday.

The difference between gross farm income and expenses is \$5,603,000,000. which represents the net farm income for the year. But \$2,524,000,000 of this net income was in the form of food and fuel consumed by the farm-

1924-25.

ers themselves. So the farmers' net ing the first six months of this year ash income shrinks to \$3,079,000,000, The net farm income of \$5,603,000,m, including the farm products consumed on the farms, gives the average farm family a net return of \$879. This is all that was available for the farm operator's capital, labor and manage- that by the end of the year the roads'

ment. It compares with \$554 in The department's figures show that the farmer's tribute to capital in the first half mo the amount paid in wages to hired

tistration to put the scheme than half again as large as the farm wage bill. And the figure does not include the tribute to industrial capital in the form of profits on the industrial products purchased by farmers.

for Mussolini **Alienates Labor**

Washington.-The American Feder ation of Labor is unmoved by the appeal made to it by the convention of PLAN INTO EFFECT BEFORE THE phia to break with Mexican labor on MOVEMBER ELECTION, OR EVEN the issue of enforcement of laws regarding the church.

While it is true that a considerable number of the delegates to the convention of the A. F. of L. which will meet October 4 at Detroit will be members of the Knights of Columbus, it is by no means certain that any of them will venture to challenge the unbroken rule of the labor movement as

to avoiding discussion of religious issues. The fact that Mexican labor has shown its earnestness in support of Calles' policy will have weight with them.

There is an incidental circumstance connected with the Knights' That is the fact that a culogy of Mus- together in the minds of the labor be paid. In 1923-24 producers got 96 solini was a feature of its opening sea- delegates.

Class One Roads Will Make Billion and a Half This Year

New York .--- Class one railroads durfoot. made the biggest profits in the history of American transportation. The roads' earnings or net profits for the period mentioned were \$494.

866,776. According to the experts employed by the railroads, this means

profits will total \$1,200,000,000. These xperts say the last half of the year is always much more profitable than the

In addition, the railroads will have at least \$300,000,000 in profits from 'outsule" investment -- so the owners of the roads may figure on a clean-up from all sources of at least \$1,500,000,-

no for 1926. When the roads were taken over by the government during the war, it was agreed that the rental should equal the roads' profits for the three most profitable years of their existence up to that time-1915-16-17. Under that

arrangement, the government paid the roads something more than \$900,000,and a year. Senator Cummins of Iowa said at the time that the rental was ho high it shocked the moral sense of mankind." He suggested that \$700,000,000 would be a fair figure.

That was in 1918. Eight years later, under legislation sponsored by Senator Cummins, the roads are clearing \$300,009,000 more than the government paid them during the war, and \$500,000.000 more than Senator Cum-

mins believed was a fair rental. It used to be necessary to force

bank loans to nations, to make a war. Now the banks merely attack the currency and force the Lations to their terms without a war. The bauks are great apostles of peace.

sion. Every delegate at Detroit will know what Mussolini has done to destroy trade unionism, the short workday and a living wage in Italy. En-

The reactionaries are joining the ranks of the progressives in various states, which means that the progressives will soon be bound hand and

invested. Youngstown Sheet & Tube Co. made \$15.876.399 in the first half The exploiters are now kept busy of 1926. This means a return of \$7.58 with making promises to decrive the on each share of common stock. This people and contributing part of their is really a return of 3312 per cent if loot to campaign funds to buy the we take into account the splitup of way of their favorites to office. stock in 1920.

The scandal of the crime wave and Three automobile companies make up the balance of the list. Dodge the wet deflance of law lies in the one fact that profit and graft are creat-Brothers, taken over last year by ed by such things. The rest is bunk. Dillon, Read & Co. in a deal which netted the insiders about \$26,000,000.

reports a profit of \$15,501,364 for the Germany, England and France have een conquered one after another by half year. This means a return of \$3.68 a share on 2,404,863 shares of international bankers attack on their noney. When America's time comes she will have no better luck than the other nations had. \$8,735,861 for the 6 months, reckoned

And They Say It Can't Be Done

A quarter of a billion bushels of exceed those of any full year prior Canadian wheat will go through coto 1925. They amount to \$10,148,332 operative channels this year from the and represent a return of \$185.50 on each \$100 originally invested in the farms of 127,000 producers. Such is the estimate of D. L. Swith, sales mancommon stock. This exorbitant re-

ager of the Canadian Co-operative turn is concealed by a series of stock dividends whereby the owners now Wheat Producers, L.J. This huge amount of grain will be handled in 700 country elevators, much of it to

be dispatched east by a nationally owned railroad, where it will be store in groat 18,000,000 loshel terminal elevators at Fort William and Port

Arthur, Ont. Another terminal is un der construction at Buffalo to hold 2,000,000 bushels more Three-fourths of the wheat will be

exported under cooperative control, much of it finding its way into the British elevators owned by the Co-opagreements is seen by Dr. Mortiz J. erative Wholesale Society, whence it Bonn as a step toward an internationwill be taken for milling in co-operaal iron and steel trust in western tive mills and then baked and sold in

Europe. Its international capitalistic co-operative bakeries and stores. aspects, he believes, may arouse Last year's crop has already realized dorsement of the dictator and attacks \$1.20 a bushel for the Canadian co-opcounter labor tendencies that will lead on Calles will unconsciously be linked erators, with another 20 cents yet to political agency. Dr. Bonn, who is sailles.

half year means a return of ism," said Sherwood Eddy, a member official board of trade figures show \$14.51 on each \$100 share to the com- of the international committee of the that June imports totaled 600,000 tons, mon stockholders. Taking into ac- Young Men's Christian association, the July figures will reach the 1,000,count stock dividends this means a speaking on behalf of a group of 1000 mark and the tonnage for August return of \$32.89 on each \$100 orginally Americans he is conducting on a will exceed that.

sightseeing trip through Russia.

It is that the government is im-"Our group intends to study facts porting only small quantities, sufand report them to America upon our ficient to keep up the public utilities. return. We hope that our group will such as gas and electricity. However, be the forerunner of an official group with the strike outlook darker, priand recognition of the present govern- vate importers now are placing heavment of Russia. ier orders.

Most industries are affected by the "Yours is a country where man no longer exploits man. In its great coal shortage and are running on a daring ideal it is the only nation greatly reduced basis since May 1, which challenges the world. It chal- when the strike began. Such trades lenged the world effectively in China. as engineering, steel, shipping, cot-Many nations professed friendship for ton spinning and ship building particularly are forced to reduce opera-China, but I find that this is the only common stock for which the owners nation that has actually made a stand tions.

didn't pay a cent. The report of the for Chinese liberty and justice. Your At present the United States, Ger-Studebaker Corp. shows a profit of nation stands as a challenge whermany, Poland and, to some extent, ever it plays a role in world affairs." France, are supplying the British with

Mr. Eddy was speaking at a recepcoal. tion given by Mme. Olga Kamaneva. directress of the bureau of cultural relations

are really getting a profit of 18.8 per Some of the visitors expressed surprise that the bolshevik revolution Profits of Nash Motor Co. exceed had not come 100 years earlier than those of the first half of 1925 by about it did on account of conditions under 40 per cent. As a matter of fact they the czars. They asserted that the truth regarding soviet Russia was not known in the United States and would not be until the present delegation returned.

> One of the speakers produced a general laugh by declaring that both countries were extremely satisfied with themselves. Other speakers pic-

tured Americaus as imagining that great personal danger attended visittors to Russia.

Prof. Jerome Davis of Yale university reviewed false stories about Russia that had been current in the inited States

Samuel Cahan, professor of journalism in Syracuse university, is quoted as saying that the delegation will play a large role in negotiations for American recognition of soviet Russia.

lecturing at the Institute of Politics, is a professor in the College of Comto a rule of either the captains of in- merce, Berlin, and was a member of dustry or that of an international the German peace delegation at Ver-

New Anti-Fascist Alliance Planned; **Bars Communists** New York .--- The plans for the defi-

nite formation of the new Anti-Fascist group, which will include all organizations that are opposed to any sort of dictatorship, are being formulated. A committee is working fast to complete them.

According to such plans, the name of the new Anti-Fascist organization will be "International Anti-Fascist League for the Freedom of Italy." It is said that a man well known in the radical and labor movement of America will be the honorary chairman.

The new organization will seek affiliation with the newly-founded Anti-Fascist International, with headquarters in Vienna. Prominent labor leaders and trade union officials of all nationalities will be invited to help in spreading the truth about the Italian situation, so as to stir American public opinion to condemn the financial support which has been given to the tyrannical Mussolini government by Wall Street.

hold 50 shares for each share originally purchased. World Steel Trust Portends New Labor

at \$4.51 a share on the common stock.

But as a result of stock dividends the

owners now hold more than 4 shares

for each original share so that they

cent for the half year.

and Capital Lineup Williamstown, Mass.-Completion of the recent Franco-German commercial

American Appeal

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The drift of progressive churchmen

toward Socialism was demonstrated

in the latest Labor Sunday message

of the Federal Council of Churches

representing 22,000,000 Frotestant

communicants, issued from its head

This message appeals to all church

members to realize their responsibility

ity for justice in industrial relations,

and declares that the affiliated

churches of the Federal Concell

stand "for the supremacy of service

rather than the profit motive in the

quarters, Washington, D. C.

Subscriptions Show Gain in Race for the 100,000

is not so hot in most places now and the gathering of subs can be pushed with much greater vigor. We must put the American Appeal on solid footing and to do so means many more subs. You Socialists down the line who are not doing anything towards getting subs must get busy.

This work belongs to all.

Don't let George do it all, for in the August the winner and then Septem- of hustlers in that burg. ber will come on with a still greater showing and the 100,000 can be made by the first of next year. Remember. comrade, the time is slipping and we must make the goal: get busy.

Comrade Whitlock of Chicago heads the list again this week, having sent in fifty dollars to pay for two weeks, sending out one hundred American Appeals more to add to its growing list of readers. Are there others that will do as Whitlock is doing?

ver. Colo., sends in ten dollars and ordered ten yearly sub cards to be used i Who will duplicate Channing's work*

scalps for the American Appeal just to show us that his two former orders. like this one was not the end of his work. Fine climate is Colorado of Socialist. Here is another good example for you comrades to follow.

rado, comes to bat with his usual four (stunt for him subs that he promised to send inweekly until the American Appeal has soul bustler for the weaker one to take a tip from.

Mint Nauta of Detroit, Mich. comes running in with five new ones and after a moment of consultation he goes forth again for another bunch We bet a nickel that this man is in nest week's columns.

Oscar Hochman of Brooklyn sends in a ten dollar check to pay for ten yearly sub cards. That's the stuff. Brooklyn bridge will not fall down as long as such good builders are near it.

M. M. Matus of Bisbee, Ariz, rushes more cash to send samples to a list of names, just to show us that the Sage Brush is not going to hinder them in readers for the American Appeal Fine work, comrade.

J. O. Jones of Shay, Okla, sends intwo subs and rushes back for more. This comrade says he had to borrow his crop out this year.

The last week was a good one, bet- the covering the state and others flaute, Ind.; A. Edward, Yuma, Ariz.; ter than for a long time, but we must should follow right after in short or. Owen Fatenaude, Spooner, Wis.; Ira get a hustle on ourselves if we make der. Better organization is necessary D. Kneeland, Prather, Calif.; James our goal in good time. The weather in that state to our message can be Lund, Auburn, Wash.; Thomas Reeves, placed squarely before the voters.

Frank Bersick of Virden, Ill., comes hopping in with two and again, since Jewett, Brockton, Mass,; Thomas Heil, we know this chap, we are willing to [Camden, N. J.; O. H. Lawson, Yreka. gamble that he will be back in guick Calif.; W. B. Gibbony, Altonna, Pa.; order again with more.

Geo. L. Spencer of Providence, R. I. comes in with two yearly subs and

first place he cannot do it all. Make | Seems that there are a goodly number | sing, Mich.; Ernest Wassel, Rochester,

Alice S. Eddy of Los Angeles sends Pa.; Franz Hartman, Chicago, Ill.; H. in five dollars for sub cards. We feel Begoon, Bronx, N. Y.; Alice Mitchell, sure these cards will soon be filled Bulls Gap. Tenn.; G. B. Davidson, up and others ordered, making it a re- Warrenton, Ore.; S. Hencken, Detroit, volving five. This is a good way for Mich.; M. Goldstein, Milwaukee, Wis.;

others to keep a five spot working. ... Dennis K. Fluck, Quakertown, Pean.; J. J. Frutchey of Bangor, Me., comes Indra, Milwaukee, Wis.; T. F. Brough, in with three yearly subs to the Amer- Amesburg. Mass ; Jos. W. Sharts, ican Appeal and gets a sub blank to Layton. Ohio; S. P. Wood, Las Ankeep up the good work. Fine work. geles, Calif.; Frank Horvat, Argo, Ill.; Comcade W. Hedman of N. Y. C. Henry Petry, Aurora, Ill.; Henry Runcomes to bat with a three-bagger and pel, Milwaukee, Wis.; P. Sachs, New-Comrade Channing Sweet of Den. promises to repeat in the next inning. ark, N. J.; Henry Heesaker, West De-

products his good will and help.

Anton Zornik of Herminie, Pa., Thayer, Mo.; Betty L. Blumenberg. sends in five more subs this week | Kalamazoo. Mich; Robert Mauritz. Springs and Dr. Garth is a fine type just to keep up practice. Gee, if some Norwood. Mass.; Geo. Hilton, St. of our sloopy comrades could send in Louis. Mo ; Morris Dunn, San Franfive sides in a month they would cisco, Calif.; Marie Wanamacher, think it a wonderful stupt, but not philadelphia, Pa , J S. Perrin, Waters, W. C. Bloyed of Canon City, Colo | Zornik, this is just an every week Okla.; Ben F Pardue, Willis, Okla.;

reached the Judgess, Here is another comes to bat with a two-bagger and Taylor, Baltimore, Mil.; Chas. Nate gets ready for a homer next time up shaw, Harrisburk, Pa.; Leo Bauer, Fine work, comrate, and may your Fairport Harbor, Ohio; R. y Bromley. work for the American Appeal con-tinue until the hundred thousand is York, N. Y. and Thomas Matthews of reached.

> If C. Stockbridge of Chicago gets in with two scalps and promises to repeat. Chicago has a big list of co-sperative society are being considreaders to the American Appeal but ered in detail by European co-operathat list will grow.

H. R. Edward of Chico, Cal., sends in two sculps and goes back into the navian Co-operative Wholesale Sofields for more. He tells us the workers are so anxious to read the plute. press that they are not so easy to get through the sage brush and on to the for a workingman's paper. Right you, chasing agent for the national sociefront ranks with a bunch of six and jars, comrade, and the plutes like to ties. Eventually he sees "Gatic" carwe them do just this thing.

o do .t. comrade.

Distributors

John Wagner of Terre Haute Ind. their plunge towards a greater list of comes to bat and hits a two-bagger operative undertakings and promises to watch to see if the papers come property That's the way posal of surplus products of one whole

to sympetitic wholes the

Six new contributors to the Amer can Appeal Promotion and Sustain ing Fund gave a total of \$19 during the week. This fund has not at

Austin, Colo.; John Sirca, San Diego. Calif.; W. B. Gibbony, Altoona, Pa.; Samuel Klette, Tolono, Ill.; H. S

W. A. Anderson, Minneapolis, Minn. Frank V. Stuchal, Berwyn, Ill.; R. R. Davidson, Amesbury, Mass.; C. W. Eichman, Dayton, Ohio; H. I. Fried promises more from the same place. | man, Chicago, Ill.; .lvan G. Rice, Lan

N. Y.; Mrs. R. Staub, Milwaukee. Wis.; Harry Eckard, New Kensington,

H. F. Hoffman, Washta, Iowa; Geo. J. Pere, Wis.; H. C. Dekker, Portland, T. M. Littleton of Englewood, Cal., Ore.; Anton Skilinski, Milwaukee, in placing ten new readers on the list. sends in two subs and gets a blank Wis.; Phil Rotkin, Brooklyn, N. Y.; for further hustling. This comrade Roland C. Cripp, Watertown, N. Y.: likes the American Appeal very much H. D. Padway, Milwaukee, Wis.; Emil Comrade S. A. Garth of Colorado and sends his best wishes to the gang Yanger, Providence, R. I.: Samuel Springs, Colo., sends in twenty new or headquarters and we sure do ap- Schweitzen, Hannibal, Mo.; Ia Castage nozzi, Milwaukee, Wis.; John L.

Wrather, Mayfield, Ky.; H. R. Piper, J. P. Cavanaugh, Whitefish, Mont.; Wm P. Hardy, Indianapolis, Ind., A. John Yankovie and Barberton, Ohio, Dornbaum, San Diego, Calif ; C. H.

> Gillenpie, III. Plans for the coming international

> tors. Anders Hedberg of the Swedish t'o-operative Union and Wholesale Society, and prominent in the Scandiciety, advocates the creation of a "General Agency for International Cooperation " which would act as a purrying on productive operation, after

Bundles and Bundle

tained its objective-to cover deficits until the Appeal reaches a self-sustaining circulation. Comrades, ev erywhere who are interested in building up an effective national Socialist organ, are invited to help. Contributions S. Elkin, Chicago.....\$ 4.06

leorge Hilton, St. Louis.... Max Seidel, St. Louis ". H. Graves, Stockton, Cal., S. Wilkins, Gleason, Tenn. Finnish Branch, East Port Chester, N. Y.....

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Socialist Secretary Challenges Italian

Editor, American Appeal:

Editor, American Appeal: A few works ago an Bulian Communist workly carried a scurrious attack on some of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers' officials, Sidney Hilman, Gen-eral Tresident; Anaham Beckerman Manager of the New York Joint Board, and A Catalanotti, Trade Manager of the New York forces of that organization, were pactured by the litelous sheet as having packed a membership meeting place with gangeters and toilement for the purpose of having them yote on the ratification, of the agreement of the union recently eigned with the Manufacturers' Association.

The cotrageous slander was simed a Dages the vertication of the second second

The line, which the "New Leader" ranslated into Bristish and published in a lease of Saturday, August 7, 1926, call or an indiginal condemnation on the ert of any decent man or woman in the ater movement.

ator movement, What strikes no with surprise is the truch of the "Nooso Mondo," the Ital-in labor duly of New York City, which, a answering the communist attack, de-nds Heliman and Catalarotti, leaving be molicious stander against Comrade is kerman unchallenged.

Beckerman unchallenged This is unfair. Had the "Nuovo Mon-do" a paper largely controlled by the Amalgamated and edited by one of its officials, upnored the communist attack altogether, no one would have noticed its strange attitude towards Comrade Bocker-erman. But since that paper se resented the attack that it found it necessary to nall the communist lies, one has a right to ask why it iscored Comrade Bocker-man in its defense of the other two offi-cisis of the Amalgamated. This question has been put to the

cials of the Amalgamated. This question has feen put to the "Nuovo Mondo" through the columns of our "La Parola del Fousio," official organ of the Italian Secialist Foleration, but to no avail. I maintain that the "Nuovo Mondo" has left neum in the minds of its readers to doubt the honesty of purpose and the integrity of Connade Reckerman For this reason again and through the columns of this paper, I ask the "Nuovo Mondo" to make its position clear Eather Connade Reckerman is what the

rying on productive operation, after tariff walls have been lowered and capital made more available for co-operative undertakings. Hedberg does not look upon the dis-posal of surplus products of one whole society with another society in a for-the selling society would be making the selling society which have a society of the selling society with the selling society with the selling society would be making the selling society would be making the society of the selling society with the selling society with the selling society would be making the society society and society of the selling society would be the selling society would be making the society society with the selling society with the selling society would be the selling society would be the selling society would be the society society society would be the selling society society would be the selling society society would be the selling society society society would be the selling society s

the profit. His experience with the Thusking V i for the courtesy of pub-

on Appeal Fund Nation-wide Activities of the Socialist Party The Socialist Party nomination con-

American Appeal Have You Ordered a Bundle for Labor

Day1 The Big Labor Day edition of the American Appeal will be a hummer and we should put out a half million of them. Comrades should order in big bundles and do it right away. All orders should be in the National Headquarters not later than August 28. If your Local or Branch does not have a meeting in time to send an order. then the Secretary should get busy and order. Don't let this matter get away from your mind until the order placed. Action, comrades?

Lucals and Branches that desire a date for Comrade Miss Tony Sender, member of the German Reichstag of

Germany, should get their order in at once, otherwise you will be too late. The fee is \$50.00; this pays the speaker and all her expenses. Don't neglect this if you want a meeting with one of the foremost women in his teens." The remainder of the speakers in the world. Miss Sender ticket will be announced later. will speak either in German or Eng

Daily to Tell Truth We Now Have a Good Lot of Leaflets

The Locals and Branches should

now order leaflets and put them out, for the campaign is on and the propaganda should be pushed. We have re- | work. vised the following leaflets and they are in good shape:

The Most Frequent Objections to Socialism Answered -four pages. What is Socialism?--four pages. Socialists Pay Dues four Why

and they are on sale at the Daily A B C of Socialism-two pages. Forward, County and National Headquarters. Big Picnic at Riverview Park will be addressed by members

The two-page leaflets cost 15c per hundred, \$1.25 per thousand, and, in tors of five thousand or more, \$1.00 per thousand. The four-page leaflets cost 25c per hundred, \$2.00 per thousand, and, in lots of five thousand or more, \$1.75 per thousand.

These leaflets have all got an ad for

and also for the paper. Besides Locals and Branches sendwith the organization should also order a supply and distribute them. Comrades should always have them on

You will note that the two-page leafnew one and suited for boosting organization in unorganized places.

Comrade Doris Morris of Montana

have a good lively campaign.

vention will be held September 14. 1926, between the prescribed hours at 1915 First Avenue, 3rd floor, in the City of Seattle, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the ensuing election. Participants are requested to appear not later than 6:30 P. M.-Max Dorn, Secretary, 7221 Palatine Avenue, Seattle, Wash.

MONTANA

in a letter from James D. Graham, State Secretary, he states: "We have passed the primary elec-

Illinois

good showing in dues collecting and

Big Picnic and Banquet.

of the National Executive Committee

will be held Saturday evening, August

Tickets for this affair will cost \$1.50.

Maryland

The big Banquet with the members

gathering of funds for the campaign

acquisition and use of property." The elimination of the prost mative tion and will be on the ballot at the would mean the elimination of cop-November election. J. M. Kruse, of Rock Springs, Mont., is our candidate tallsm. The supremacy of the serve ice motive would mean the establishfor congress in the Second District. eastern Montana. Comrade Kruse is ment of Socialism. a real dirt farmer and the only farmer running for congress in Montana. He is a graduate of the State Agricultural

"The first charge on industry " save this message, "must be a mannum comfort wage." College at Boseman, and has been an artive Socialist since he was a boy

PREMIUM LIGHT BREAD Learn the secret of making it informat from the oid way of breadmaking. You will certainly be delighted with it because of quick rising. It is five for douglouts, reflectuke, mut or missin bread or to ralls. Recipe tweat-five tents in stamped self addressed envelope for-manent address flow 71%. Lavelock Net sta. State Secretary Soow makes another trip down state and makes a

Local Seattle Socialist Party meets every first Monday of the month at 1915 First Ave., 3rd floor Union Record Bidg., Max Dorn. 28. at the Douglas Park Auditorium. Sec'y, 7221 Palatine Ave.

Vorwaerts of the National Executive Committee. GERMAN SOCIALIST WEEKLY The only one in the Middle West Editor, HEINRICH BARTEL \$2.50 per year; \$1.25 for six months Published at 530 Chestnut St., Milwaukee, Wis.



Why Don't You Organize?--two pages A Big Undertaking -- two pages.

the American Appeal, so that they will be a booster for the Party propaganda-

ing orders, individuals not connected hand and enclose them in every let-

ter seat to friends. let, "Why Don't You Organize?" is a ORDER NOW:

Utah

is now speaking and organizing in the State of Utah. . We expect great resuits from her efforts in that State. She started out with a fine meeting at Orden after covering several points in the State of Idaho.

The comrades of Utah expect to

standing. Let me know that you can get signatures and I will mail you a petition. Comrades who have peti-

Ret.

gust 28.

reads as follows:

in Maryland:

of signatures you have collected so that we may know how we stand. If

you have not signed a petition yourself, do so at the State Office, 1607

All members of the Party as well as readers of the American Appeal and friends are urged to get busy; get tickets for the Banquet and Picnic right away. We will all make these affairs a big success, one that our N. E. C. members will not soon for-Don't forget to send in your orders



but can't forget to help build the hun-	. H. Koblek of San Francisco comes	however, assured bim that the long is it is it with at for	New Mexico	at 2134 North Fulton Avenue, office	digger, Samuel A. DeWitt, etc.
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They will have closed the only outlet the sea even if we have to steal much as he possibly can to society. upon Socialism merely as a theory of strength for the first time in modern that will have to be satisfied to the out of the present system to millions He will be surrounded by millions of of several other departa program that will go so far and then :::--Ireland a united and independent We HAVE GOT TO MEET THAT last farthing out of the sweat and other individuals in the same relation stop. It is industrial democracy. A: ... here goes. workers' state, at peace with itself blood of the workers. to society. This striving between DRIVE. WE HAVE GOT TO KEEP democracy it may change its program; THAT OFTLET OPEN. WE HAVE it may improve, and be improved. and with the workers in all lands many individuals for the places, the That there is "plenty of free speech "The official authorization contained under heaven." GOT TO START THE MAJORITY positions, the opportunities that will Appeal Answer to Therefore, it is Socialism that will only one surprise, and that was in the u the country, but not much listen-OF PEOPLE ON THE ROAD TO A enable them to be of most use to somake for individual initiative. With ing," is the verdict of Roger N. Balddecision to have the regular quarterly China BELIEF IN SOCIALISM BY POINTciety, may be called competition of a **Brown Objections** the problem of making a living solved dividend of 1% per cent, declared towin, a director of the American Civil China continues to hold the center ING OUT THE DEVELOPMENT OF higher kind, or not, but it certainly -that being the first work of Social Liberties Union, in a report to the day, apply to the additional stock as of the world labor stage because of would not be the disorderly and de-SOCIALIZATION HERE AND NOW ism, already as plain as a blue print Executive Committee of the Union. well as to that outstanding. This will Ale Brown of Indianapolis took the gigantic civil war in progress structive thing we call competition to-UNDER THE PRESENT SYSTEM. for building .- people-all people-will upon his return from a four months' give the stockholders about \$5,250,000 a fact of us last week for saying there between militarist-reactionary then have a chance to work out the We know that public ownership trip to the Pacific Coast in the intermore in cash than they ordinarily that the ler Socialism, "undoubtedly forces on one side and the democraticgood things they now desire to do under capitalism is not Socialism and would receive on the next disburse est of free speech. + mail conditions, and not man-Socialist elements on the other. Imwe know why. It is not Socialism beand can't." Religious intolerance and chauvinment date. main regulations and decisions, determain regulations and decisions, deter-mining and the individual producer Brokaw Is Back portant battles that may prove de-Inta Nutt sighed and was silent cause a capitalist government pubism are attacking freedom of teach Common stock of the General Mocisive events in the new world bal Sounds attractive," he said. licly owning and operating industries ing in American public schools and de-tors corporation outstanding at the ance have been fought within the last merely perpetuates the capitalist With 2 Questions veloping "a new front of intolerance." - .de Brown then describes "ecoweek. The Kuominchun (People's) present time totals about 5,800,000 methods of industrial autocracy; profit Jolts and Jabs Mr Raidwin said. The most serious gen conditions" as "the stress and army has been meeting a most dessharps, including the 635,469 shares taking the wages system, and the ex-The world has never honored the right people. Its praise is not for those who made and lost. But for the busiers who took chance and grabbed. Vaughan Bachman Brokaw of Phoeattack upon the freedom of teaching grade of economic chaos"-a definiperate and long drawn out attack from issued in exchange for the properties ploitation of the workers in the state he found in movements compelling nix, Arizona, has come back at the not at all accept -- and, finally, the militarists' 30 or 40 miles northof the Fisher Body corporation some owned industries for the benefit of Bible reading in all class rooms and Appeal with two more questions: house that Socialism offers, instead, west of Peking. The militarists seem lime ako. The 50 per cent stock divianitalist taxpayers. outlawing the teaching of evolution. dend will bring this to nearly 9,000,000 ra this man-made regulations on WHAT IS SERVICE COST? to have gathered their full strength But there is this difference where The St. James (Protestant) version the resultion of human equality with the view of finally disposing of shares. The stock has no par value. Answer: Let us suppose you bought The spoiler never sleeps the Kuominchun. There was a great of the Bible is always selected, and is, universal suffrage exists -- the fear of and the electhood." pair of shoes. If you paid only the but on the basis of the quotations on Money makers are money takers. the popular vote and pressure from of course, opposed by Catholics, Jews, the New York Stock exchange today concentration of heavy artillery, unnecessary labor cost in the produc-... mic conditions, as I see them, doubtedly supplied by, the capitalist and many liberal Protestants. In the the popular vote generally cause the Every laugh is something gained. the market value would be nearly tion of the raw materials, plus the material conditions that arise allies. The militarists have suffered fall. California will be the first state capitalist government to modify its Nature will work for you if you \$1,500,000,000." labor cost of manufacturing them, plus repeated reverses and Peking has in the union to vote by popular ballot methods of exploitation under public ork for yourself. the necessary labor cost of getting n- Men find themselves in a een filled with their wounded, says on putting the Bible into the schools When the slave stands erect the ownership In other words, PUBLIC them to you, plus the social upkeep m relationship to property, pronews reports, but the militarist lead. Eleven other states have enacted OWNERSHIP UNDER CAPITALISM master falls on his knees. **BritishMissionHere** on this amount of production and disand distribution. The urge to ers now report that the Kuominchun Bible-reading laws and a South Da-The ballot is a back saw with which DOES. TO A CERTAIN EXTENT. tribution, and you paid no tribute anyhas been driven from Nankow pass kota test case will shortly be carried the under those certain relations de-BRING THE PUBLICLY OPERATED you may gain your freedom. where to ownership-nothing to int many s the monomic conditions that to their second line of defense. In to the United States Supreme Court. to Help Coal Miners The sea may press upon you, but INDUSTRIES UNDER THE SCOPE 1 terest, rent or private profile-you zvern man's actions and even will yield if you oppose it. OF THE POPULAR WILL AND DE-Mr. Baldwin declared that the issues the meantime the Cantonese armles. would pay the service of labor cost The workers' hands make all things 11. 24 MOCHACY. How far it brings the involving freedom of speech in the of the shoes. Such a condition would practically Red armies, have advanced "nder the present system, "ecostate industries under the popular will and are picked bare. from one brilliant victory to another. public schools are "created by reacbe possible only under Socialism. Blessed is the man who never had t mue conditions" largely mean "the (Continued from Page 1) depends on the amount of social and until they have occupied Shanghal. tionary interests which seek to conwhere the tribute-levying private ownstriss and struggle of economic to pass 'round a subscription paper. economic knowledge, class consciousthat great center of recent strikes and trol the schools in behalf of things New York .- "We'd like to cable er would be eliminated. ch. . " because the relation to prop-Think of it! Mathuselah lived 900 ness and independence that exists Socialist agitation. As a result of as they are and by religious bigots back quickly that American workers WOULD "CO-OPERATIVE INDUSamong the people, and the state of erty, production and distribution is years and never ate any breakfast will contribute one or two million dol-

TRIES" BE PUBILCLY OWNED! the relax in of private, individual own-Answer: Privately owned co-operaership. This begets competition and tives, it seems to me, would be rather war and, as a later development, mo at v i' creates a comparatively inconsistent and unnecessary under a full-fledged co-operative commonmains class and a comparative wealth. On the other hand, autono-..... propertiless working class. mous co-operative groups operating sostranders a perpetual struggle becialized machinery at the price of upwe with we two diametrically opposed keep, might represent a form toward

the relation to traction production and distribution to that of collective, or public. al connership. This would be istation and mutual service SULTS OF THE EXPERIENCES OF d competition, monopoly and A GOLLECTIVE AND CO-OPERA-

which society may evolve. However, DETAILS UNDER SOCIALISM CAN-NOT BE PREDETERMINED. THEY WILL INEVITABLY BE THE RE-

ers. WHEN PUBLIC OWNERSHIP BECOMES WHOLLY DEMOCRATIC AND WHOLLY EXPRESSIVE OF THE INTERESTS OF THE WORK. ERS, IT BECOMES SOCIALISM. Hence, public ownership under capitalism and universal suffrage, does ac-

organization and political maturity food!

and political power of the workers.

As the workers develop in this direc-

tion, public ownership becomes les

and less subservient to the interests ing them to freedom under the lash. of capitalism and more and more sub The smell of sweat is sometimes a servient to the interests of the workbetter religions offering than the smell of Myrrh.

Why is it that the smile of a toothless baby is so sweet and the suffe of a toothless old man so bideous?

Better quit worrying over what is to become of the world. It is not wortually represent a certain amount of rying over what is to become of you. substantial and valuable socialization. It all depends on one's position in The struggle to gain possession of the life. While one man is wakened by industries even now, IS ONE OF THE bird, songs, another is roused from REST FOUNDATIONS THAT EXsleep by the whistle. ISTS UPON WHICH TO BASE A

Every agnostic knows that he knows

It is hard to free men without driv

when he says he does not know.

these victories, which are consolidat. who seek to put over their doctrines ing the most thickly populated parts by law and intimidation." of China and the parts where trade union organization and Socialist education have made most progress, the militarists have decided to divide their forces and send a strong army south. lice known as the "Vigilante Commitleaving the Kuominchun still in a tee," financed by private interests. strong position and ready to strike back.

France '

in the French Chamber of Deputies clares trade unionists. have waged a valiant, desperate, but

sume battle to prevent the bankers'

mployes of the Nurre Mir ror Plate Company of Bloomington. from being adopted. Able to muster Ind, were hailed into Federal Court and enjoined from interfering with non-striking employes. Judge Baltzell of in lianapolis granted a temporary order. mainly on the workers by imposing capitalist Press **Admit Lies About Revolt** in Russia

The representatives of the workers cial powers for use against labor," dehave sent 500,000 pounds (\$2.50),000) already and we'll giadly take as mach

Liberal and labor organizations in

Wisconsin are fighting a proposal to

establish a state system of armed po-

"While the proposal is ostensibly to

prevent bank robberies, the experi-

ment would sooner or later develop

into an armed force dictated by finan-

more as they send." James Robson president Durban

every individual would be oner and a worker. It would with "the stress and struggle • • • • baos."

shill give rise to new ecoadditions. These conditions out quite well. the material conditions that me to this new human reof mutual ownership and Emil Herman derly, organized, compera-What I was trying to Mr. Brokaw was that

trans cannot be predeterto thand.

SHE INHERENT IN THE AND CAN ONLY DEVEL-OF EXPERIENCE UNDER **FELATIONSHIP**.

and economic council of the sented opinions of human istice, but these opinions. GROWN OUT OF CONDL TOR TO THE CONDITIONS SHED TO ESTABLISH. NUT BE ALTOGETHER O THE NEW SYSTEM. THET NOT WORK.

did not work, corrections to be made. After cerections were made, it might served that conditions had imother corrections and imte would be made, until, the new collective, co-optatural thing, responding to lies and combines. Shall we leave stem would rise to view. a topulses of life, and far su-those things in the platform and anything human reason !- termine.

" words, the true function there and directive bodies ing with all its power the return of them, WILL BE TO FIND those formerly Kalser-owned railroads T INTO EFFECT THAT to private corporations. These roads WORKS OUT BEST FOR are now operated by a republican gov-Will OF ALL, RATHER ernment, which is a little more proges-DETERMINE A SYSTEM ON ABSTRACT THEORIES TY OR JUSTICE. That is ably in a few years, the workers will ... going on in Russia. Rusher dictatorship, which, ... is slowly passing. is graviry to those economic con- they start out to take the industries to collective ownership of Germany over and organize them

autumn the solution as capitalism during this black period of week.

would do away with classes. TIVE SOCIETY. I made the sugges tion about autonomous co-operatives because a leasing system, wherein socialized plants are leased to co-operative societies, has been inaugurated

in Russia, and seems to be working

Pans Editor

"What is the big idea? Do you in-SHIP OF COLLECTIVE tend making the Appeal an organ of AND COOPERATIVE the Nonpartisan League, rather than an advocate of Socialist science?

"Surely, you, as a Socialist, must know that state ownership is not Socialism, nor even (necessarily) a step sepahie of America might toward it. Remember, that the Kaiser's government owned the railroads and the telegraphs.

> "With best wishes, I am yours, Emil Herman, Buffalo, N. Y.

We wonder what Comrade Herman is going to do about the Socialist platform? It advocates the public owner ship and democratic operation of the means of production and distribution. It also specifies as steps to Socialism the public ownership and democratic operation of such great industries as the railroads, the telegraph and tele-

phone systems, the banking system, the coal industry, the great monoponever say a word about them?

The Social Democratic Party o Germany, by the way, has been resist sive and a little closer to the workers than the Kaiser's government. Probcontrol the government of Germany. Will they not find these publicly.

owned railroads a handy asset when along true Socialist lines?

TO BASE PROPAGANDA. It affords a direct way, by actual contact with and developing in them, now, a desire tently. Then his bill was directed to

possession valuable to them. TEACH- swallowed it with a sense of great ING ABSTRACT. THEORETICAL VIEW. SOCIALISM WITHOUT ACTUAL IN?

TEREST IN THE STRUGGLE TO GAIN POSSESSION OF THE INDUS. TRIES, NOW, IS A BARREN TASK. cating its very life away."

SOCIALIZATION, WHICH BEGAN WITH THE DAWN OF CIVILIZA-TION. IS THE FUNDAMENTAL for himself. PROCESS OF SOCIAL INTEGRA-

TION. IT IS THE BASIC ASSET. SPIRITUALLY OF THE SOCIALIST MOVEMENT.

There would be and could be no conception of a Socialist society if the world were not half socialized already.

The amount of socialization in the world today measures the actual amount of material Socialists can utilize to bring Socialism. Without such material, they could not even think of Socialism.

THE AMOUNT OF SOCIALIZA. TION THERE WILL BE IN THE WORLD WHEN THE WORKERS HAVE POLITICAL POWER ALSO MEASURES THE AMOUNT OF BUILDING MATERIAL THE WORK- Canadian Labor Party, and John Mac-ERS WILL HAVE TO START WITH Donald, president of the Canadian La-WHEN THEY BEGIN TO BUILD bor Party, were chosen, among others, THE CO-OPERATIVE COMMON-WEALTH. WITHOUT BUILDING Seats. There are two tendencies in MATERIAL, THEY COULD NOT the Canadian Labor movement-one START TO BUILD THE CO-OPERA- section has already not and indorsed TIVE COMMONWEALTH.

The Question Box editor is extremely sorry that he cannot answer all the interested or indignant quizzers or

BEST FOUNDATIONS I PON WHICH The Woodpecker and the Worm

A Woodpecker sat on the side of living issues and developments, of the dying tree, and with his bloody reaching the workers and arousing head cocked to one side, listened in-

for collective industrial possession and the tree in a series of energetic pecks, a desire for the necessary political resembling the motion of a trip hampower that will make such bollective mer, and he drew forth a Worm and

> "It is what you do gree," said the Woodpecker, concerning the Worm. You were killing thi beautiful tree

It is thus that one exploiter berates another, and always fads justification



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Canada

The Ontario section of the Canadian Labor Party conversed in Toronto Saturday and launched the campaign to place a group of Lubor representa-

tives in the parliament this fall. Jamus Simpson, who is vice-president of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, as well as 'reasurer of the to contest for two of the Toronto 130.000.

the United States A. F. of L. nonpartisan political policy, as the Canadian unions are affiliated largely with the American Federation of Labor; the other section, following British precedents will enter the campaign as an roasters on the waiting list this week. independent Labor Farty. The "non-If the Appeal readers would like to partisans" are up against the proposi-

program, championed by Poincare. only the 102 Socialist votes, the 29 communist votes and a few radical votes, they interposed every factic and method known to parliamentary law in the light to prevent such measures as the new tax law which falls

mainly on the workers by imposing These taxes will amount to seven bil lion france next year and will be paid mainly by the workers. Another measure resisted to the limit by the workers' representatives was the measure to turn over \$750,000,000 worth of stock in the state tobaccu monopoly to private interests and introduce a new squeeze on the poor through increase in tobacco prices. The elements backing the imposing of these burdens on the poor were the ones that defeated the Socialist plan to France for a levy on the wealth of

the capitalists. Porto Rico

The statement of the Socialists that they won the last election in Porto Rico and were counted out is being sustained by the recount. The first town where the recount was completed, Fajardo, gives a Socialist majority of six. The reactionaries will be have not stirred Moscow newspapers ousted and the Socialist candidates to reply. will take their places. The insular

board of elections will report on the town of Yauco next.

Germany

Conceptration is going forward in the German unions, says the bulletin of the International Federation of Trade Unions. The District Food and Drink Workers' Union and the Union gone away on a two months' vacaof Butchers and Allied Trades have decided in principle on anialgamation. The union resulting from this fusion will have a membership of



Fascist Bluck Shirts even club and kill women if they refuse to join the Fascist union, as this story from the London Daily Herald shows: A squad of Fascist militia was ordered to round up a party of 30 women

Country Ponceful-Peasants Gather Crops — Industry Is Working Full Capacity

The following news dispatch is from capitalist sources and is an effective refutation of the recent flood of lies about Russia from the same source: Moscow, U. S. S. R .- The wild stories of revolution, arrests and executions in soviet Russia, emanating from the imaginations of correspondents in various western European capitals.

Even last month's squabble in the communist party, which apparently started a fictionists' competition abroad, has dwindled here. There is only an occasional ponderous news-

paper essay discussing the issues from a doctrinarian standpoint.

G. E. Zinoviev, who was the central figure in the recent incidents, has tion and the others who were concerned have scattered to resorts in Crimea and the Caucasus.

Numerous Americans who recently arrived here are leaving this week on tours to the Volga region, to the Ukraine and Crimea. They expect to

return by the end of this month. The peasants are now busy barvesting their crops while the factories are working full time and are far behind on needed production. Even party is-

peasants working in a grain field, in until the meetings of the third inter. buy.

sues are dormant and will remain so

Miners Assn.; Paul McKenna, agent for the Scottish Miners and British Miners Federation executive member; Oliver Harris, treasurer South Wales Miners Federation: Ben Tillett of the Transport Workers representing the British Trades Union Congress, on whose general council he sits; and Ellen Wilkinson, Labor member of narliament and representative of the Women's Relief Committee, comprise the rest of the official delegation seeking aid for the striking British min-175

lars-or five-to the million striking

British miners," declared Joseph

Jones, general secretary Yorkshire

Miners' Association and executive

member British Miners Federation.

upon the arrival of the British

workers delegation in the United

States. "It is a critical time. We

have been out 14 weeks and we need

more help from American workers

The Russians, from all their unions,

All of them tell the story of the miners' privation and suffering; years of under-employment, unemployment and the breakdown of private capital in management of the industry. "Nationalization is the only solution " emphatically asserted McKenna, with the rest agreeing. "Of course, if Labor had the government it could tax the coal lords out and take control of the mines. Labor would sweep in if there were a general election now." "If premier Baldwin told an American news service that there is bo suffering among the British miners. all we can say is that he lied." stated Harris. "Five years of unemployment hasn't given the miners any savings. The strikers and their families -a tenth of the population-depend on relief. They are fighting for their very lives."

"The government refuses to let Guardians of the Poor pay relief to any single miner." added McKenta "Only the wives can get a bit. But it's the women who are bearing the brunt of the fight. The miners' women manage somehow. They get out and work in the soup kitchens from dawn on, their spirit never better."

The British delegation is placing itself under the guidance of the American Federation of Labor and the United Mine Workers.

Plutocracy has already restored chattel slavery to fifteen countries and child slavery to the United States. It is wholly reactionary.

We kick about our lawmakers, and yet they are the best that money can

Better be dead than be a slave or a

American Appeal

Reason and Remedy for Farmers' Present Condition

In this issue of the American Ap-] farmer. peal are government figures which show that American farmers last year realized a total average income of only \$879.

Eight hundred and seventy-nine dollars is less than \$75 per month for the farmer and his family.

This represents the total income of the average farmer-all that he receives in cash for produce sold and all he consumes on the farm of the produce he raises himself.

His cash income amounts to only about \$480 a year OR \$40 PER MONTH!

IF IT WERE NOT FOR THE PRODUCE RAISED AND CON-SUMED BY THE FARMER. HE WOULD STARVE: NO FAMILY COULD LIVE ON THE CASH IN-COME OF THE FARMER AT PRES-ENT PRICES.

The farmer's income is less than that of the unskilled American worker, which, according to figures issued by the Department of Labor, is 4042 cents per hour. Making due allowance for loss of time by the unskilled worker, it is probable that his yearly income is greater than that of the There is an agricultural population

This condition has been reflected in a rapid depopulation of the farm. A half million more persons left the farms of the United States last year than the total increase by birth and movements to the farms amounted to. There are only a little over 6,000,000 farmer families in the United States. Such depopulation would soon leave this country without producers of

food. Every natural condition favorable to the prosperity of a farm population are present in America.

The American farmers have among the largest average farms in the world. The soil generally is as fertile as any soil in the world.

THE AMERICAN FARMER USES LABOR-SAVING AND HIGHLY PRO-DUCTIVE MACHINERY MORE EX-TENSIVELY THAN ANY OTHER

FARMER IN THE WORLD. institutions and widespread scientific knowledge of agriculture. The natural conditions for near.

ready markets could not be better.

of about 30,000,000 to supply an indus- | sider the income of five leading indus- | his income. They take as much as | present system is strikingly illustrat- | ing system of market monopoly and trial commercial population of 80,-000,000 with food and raw materials. billion. That industrial and commercial population is the greatest consumer of food and raw materials in the world. It is enormously wealthy.

WHAT, THEN, IS THE MATTER WITH AGRICULTURE IN AMER-ICA? There is just one answer to that

question. AMERICA IS RULED BY A FINAN-CIAL AND INDUSTRIAL REGIME. OTHER ELEMENTS OF THE POP. IS IMPOVERISHING THE PRO- nelf unless he gets complete control

AND INDUSTRIAL POWER.

cial and industrial oligarchy.

trials amounting to nearly a half a Consider the unparalleled income of the railroads amounting to a billion and a half dollars.

Consider the General Motors, one company, which created in one session of its board of directors, \$600,-000,000 worth of dividend drawing wealth!

THE MAGNATES HAVE CON-STRUCTED & MACHINE FOR EX-TRACTING WEALTH FROM ALL CEPT A STARVATION EXIST-THE MOST COMPLETE AND POW- LINES OF PRODUCTION THAT IS ENCE. ERFUL IN THE WORLD, WHICH BECOMING MORE POWERFUL. It is a situation that is beyond re-FIXES THE CONDITIONS FOR ALL AND PERFECT EVERY YEAR AND forms. The farmer cannot save him-

ULATION.' THE FARMER IS DUCERS MORE EVERY YEAR. STARVING AND LEAVING THE There is no class that the costs of FARM SOLELY BECAUSE OF THIS this gigantic wealth extorting ma-

peal as a contrast to the story of the just lying out doors to invite these. Then he will have to entirely re-The country is full of agricultural pitiful income of the average farmer vultures. The farmer is at the mercy move the system owned and conare stories of incomes realized last, of the financial system owned by the trolled by organized capitalism and year by branches of this great finan-, maknates for a medium of exchange, establish a system owned and con-

they want and leave as much as they ed by the development of the capital- speculation. They could be nothing want. Motor stock dividend, railroad ist promoted farmers' co-operative more than a subordinate link in such dividends and industrial and financial marketing system. The drive was a system maintained for political efdividends of billions come largely launched during the Harding admin. fect. from stolen values in the exchange of istration under the open patronage

of the very magnates who were grow-THE FARMER IS STARVING BE ing wealthy and powerful from the CAUSE HE HAS LOST ALL CON- present marketing system. Every big TROL OVER THE CONDITIONS OF capitalist daily in the country and HIS EXISTENCE BECAUSE HE HAS every banker favored these farmer cooperatives. Attempts have been pass laws voting federal aid to them.

Now comes the alleged scheme of 'oolidge and Hoover, PROPOSING THAT WALL STREET FINANCE THESE COOPERATIVES DIRECT-

Consider such a scheme. WALL PRIMARY PURPOSE IS TO SUP-PLANT WALL STREETS PRESENT VERY PROFITABLE SYSTEM OF

MARKETING. One thing is certain. Wall Street will pay out no money for such a purpose. Co-operatives financed in

The alleged Coolidge-Houver scheme is not one bit more illegical than the plan of any reform party that attempts to remedy evils under the present system while refusing to remove the causes of those evile

The clear difference between the Socialist party and reform parties like the Nonpartisan League and the Farmer Labor Party is that these reform parties never propose to remove the pindering interests requinsible for present conditions, while the Socialists propose to entirely remove these great interests and establish

the complete political and industrial The reformer advocates formers cooperatives under the capitalist sys-

tem. The Socialist Party advocation a

new co-operative system. Every development in the world today is vindicating the Society po-

Sees Socialist Opportunity in Present Farm Situation

Capitalism as Robbery

W. C. Lewis

Newllano, La.

It seems to me that the Socialist Party and its leaders are missing a very important bet. The farmers, especially of the north and west, are in revolt against the republican party. They will no longer support it and, as it cannot live without their support, it must go on the scrap heap.

They don't like to go over to the democratic party. Many of them regard it as their life long enemy. Others realize that it is controlled by the same plutocracy that controls the republican party. The plutes do not care a rap whether the farmer votes the republican or democratic ticket, ro long as he votes one of them. It makes no difference whether they pick his pockets with their right hand or their left, they get his wad either

WAY. It ought not to be difficult to show the farmer that he has nothing to hope for from the government so long as it is owned and controlled by plutocracy. His only hope for relief is to take the government out the hands of plutocracy and he can do that by voting the socialist ticket.

He will be told that if socialism prevails his farm will be taken from him. His farm is being taken from him now, without compensation. His taxes are steadily mounting, and they will certainly not grow less while about the party.

plutocracy is in control. The land may be nationalized some time, but if it is, it will be on- of the last things done, and it will be done with his full knowledge and consent.

After a period of trembling at the knees, due to a very mild exposure of Union labor knows; of course, that its dishonest methods in the American vote their stock and reap the big replutocracy is determined to crush the Appeal and other publications, the labor unions and reduce labor to long masters have resumed the flood of hours and poor pay-practical serfstock issues that is outdoing Noah's dom. They not only have to fight the experience. It may yet drown the employer, but the government. Like whole earth. the farmer, their only hope lies in

That the issuance of stocks is still taking the government out of the hands of plutocracy, and the only way America's greatest industry is illustrated in a dispatch in the Kansas they can do that short of armed revo-'ity Star as follows:

lution is to vote the socialist ticket. Jefferson City, Mo., June 2-It should be made clear to them that an effective socialist vote is the most 'ertification of an increase in the powerful and direct blow that can be capital stock of the Kanses City Pubdealt against the power of the plutoclic Service Company (the old street racy. After they have struck their railways company) was filed late today in the corporation division of the blow, they can decide for themselves whether they want to go further with secretary of state's office. The company has increased its non par value the socialists.

shares from 1020 to 650,000, which the Every member of a real co-operastate today valued at \$100 each." tive association is on the road to An increase from a bare 1020 to socialism. It ought not to be difficult to get him to take the next step. Of tice a little phrase in the above telecourse, the building up of the party gram: "Non-par value shares." That shares." is important, but the matter of suis a new thing in finance. If you will preme importance now is to get as read the financial pages in the newsmany of those people to vote the papers, these days, you will discover ticket, as possible, whether they join that the stock dividends are recorded. the party or not. If you will devote not in per centages, but as so much all your energies to this end, you will per share. It is a good way to confind that you don't need to worry ceal the actual profits, which becomes possible under the plan of issuing "non par value shares." Shares are

usually in the denomination of \$100 each. But for declaration of dividends, they may be reckoned at \$10. A dividend of \$1.25 a quarter on a \$10 share

of Looting American People paying time, another thing to the ; shares" seem to be in evidence again By Lincoln Phifer

sucker who furnishes the capital as ! Second, the dividends are on common "employe-customer" owner; and still stock, after first deducting the earnanother to the big fellows' who alone | ings of preferred stock and also "re-

great these were from the reports giv-The corporation mentioned above is the old street railways company that has just been reorganized and concealment.

through going into the hands of a receiver appointed by the federal court. In the sale of the road, all the old the shadowy form of a new method debts of the company were canceled, of financing, and an evident rift showing that the profit system is a in the machinery of exploitation. great believer in repudiation of debts. and the many cases of damages al- the burden of bonds, or dependence ready won by employes of the company for injuries received on duty

Now comes in the reorganization. the big flood of watered stocks to be is mule to pay, not only for replacean effort to make them believe they

650,000 is considerable, isn't it? No monwealth, and an entirely new line of patter in the "non-par value Keep your eye on that fish who are suckers

turns

were annulled.

The action of the street railways company of Kansas City is not an exception but merely illustrates a tendency. Let us consider merely one other report appearing in the same paper from which the former dispatch was taken:

serves for renewals and replace-Russia. The speech was delivered ments." It is impossible to say how July 22 to the central committee at

Moscow. It is a striking corroboraen the public on these "public utilition of the correctness of Socialist ties" so called. It all savors of fraud criticisms of Zinoviev and the communist extremists.)

Behind the report, however, appears There is clearly an effort to escape upon the new dominating force in industry, the banks. This is done in two ways. The earnings are so blg and so well concealed, that the public

sold to "employes and customers" in ments and enlargements, but also, in the end, for the whole investment are introducing the co-operative com. Then, in most cases the so-called public utilities make appeal to their employes and customers to buy what leader of the infinitesimal element in ever stocks they may choose to issue phrase. It is dangerous for you little on a "non-par value" basis, until they at Zinoviev), whose ceaseless uttertoo shall become the actual owners

of the enterprise under the shadowy hope that they will first become capitalists and then bring about a sort of Socialism, and then they may be frozen out just as easy as pie. .

The point that counts is this: Capitalism that was is clearly mak ting a fight on the new dominating

speech by Stalin, Loning's successor those in America against what they as head of the government of Soviet | have termed "world revolution.

Enough of that idiotic slogan!

That person (still pointing his fager at Zinoviev; has alienated the sympathy of every Socialist against At times I myself feel almost in-

surmountable difficulties in directing We knew Russia, and, because we the affairs of Soviet Russia - Our efknew the Russian mind, our resultforts are constantly thwarted by opposition theorists; theorists who take

tion was successful. But did we know the mind of the

theorists who have great programs on paper, but illu-ory; critics who are

ing at Zinoviev), we have learned considerable of the attitude of the working class in every industrial country And that attitude is against us.

The time has come when we will have to take a stand against the destructive activities of those represented by that person (pointing at Zinovieve as well as against the reformists who will enter into unholy temporary matrimony with capital.-m. represented by that person othes time Zinoviev), through his unguarded idlpointing at Trotzky).

We agree with a considerable settion of his criticism, but I have no paforeign bureau to come to any meas-ure of agreement or understanding — again talk, talk, and more talk, and at the end of it we hear him say. "L myself, have no remedy-

Then, what will we do? Recall tearism^{*} No.

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GREAT PLUNDERING FINANCIAL chine fails upon more heavily than with the other workers in the cities TEM OF MARKETING WHOSE rule of the people. upon the farmers. The farmers have and established political control of In this issue of the American Ap- very visible and tangible property the government.

It is at the mercy of their marketing trolled by the real producers. In contrast to the farmer's cash system for access to markets. They

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farm products.

"dividend" of \$40 per month, con- fix all the conditions that determine character of mere reforms within the anything at all harmful to the exist- its complete realization.

ECOME A SERF IN A SYSTEM THAT TAKES EVERYTHING EX. made by politicians of big business to of the conditions of his existence. He cannot get control of his own existence until he has first joined STREET IS TO FINANCE A SYS

The foolishness and misleading this way would not and could not do sition and bringing nearer and the

the time of our conferences with de-

structive criticism, but no remedy;

constantly pointing out past mistakes,

but never giving us credit for the work

These people are annoying. They

retard our successful functioning.

But they are not as menacing as the

our party councils (pointing his finger

ances are broadcast as representing

That person (again pointing at

otic utterances, has brought about a

situation, making it impossible for our

foreign bureau to come to any meas-

with the outside world, without whose

Soviet Russia's frame of mind.

accomplished.

Idiotic Tactics of Zinoviev Alienated World Socialists,

Says Stalin, Soviet Leader (The following is a report of a fallenated even the sympathics of

Enough of that talk!

("The world revolution.")

us throughout the world.

American proletarian?

We did not.

But, thanks to that person (point-

