PROPHECY APPROACHING FULFILLMENT.

Wayne McVeagh was Attorney General of the United States in the Garfield administration. He is known as a man of erudition, a lawyer of high repute and a close student of politics and current affairs. The prescience of this capitalist statesman is quite remarkable in the light of recent developments. We are indebted to a coram de bruto for bringing to our attention an address delivered by this same Wayne McVeagh to the Phi Beta Kappa of Harvard College in 1901, almost seven years ago. The address at the time was widely copied and variously and vigorously commented upon. It was a most remarkable utterance to conventional class platitudes, being always careful to remain in the rut of their party, and while skimming enough on all occasions utterances being careful to avoid saying anything.

If there were to be found a more true prophet of coming events, of none and self respect it is a capitalist party politician who must agree with democracy, disagree with none and hold himself by the sufferings of the worker. Wayne McVeagh furnishes a Refreshing exception to this class. As a man of brains and foresight he had something to say, and a man of character he had the honesty to say it. His words were understood clearly enough by Socialists when they were first uttered, but by scarcely any others. Many thousands can now understand his meaning who were quite impervious to what he had to say when the message was first delivered. The subject Mr. McVeagh was discussing at Harvard was that of ethical ideals in politics. In opening his address he said: "Unhappily there is no immediate danger even of the most distant approach to a realization of such ideals—no alarming prospect that the noble conditions of human life such ideals encourage will soon brighten the earth. They will probably always remain unrealizable; but they are none the less always worth striving for and hoping for, and as certain as anything can be that to keep such ideals constantly before the minds of the plain people born in America, as well as before the minds of the hordes of untaught immigrants who are flocking to our shores from every quarter, is the best way to wholesome aspires, to lessen their ambitions, to encourage them to bear with greater patience the bitter and ever-growing contrast between the lives of idleness and luxury and the toil and struggle and the lives of labor poverty which they and those equally dear to them are condemned to endure; for there is no longer any pathway open by which many men who live upon the labor of others have hands to pass into the class of those who are called the labor of other men's hands. The stock certificate and the corporate bond, in return for their many conveniences, have destroyed that possibility, as well as wrought other serious evils to society in divorcing the possession of wealth not only from all moral responsibility for the ways in which it is created, but even from all knowledge of the men and women whose toil created it. Mr. McVeagh then quoted as follows from Daniel Webster: 'The freest government would not long be able to tolerate the tendency of the laws to create a rapid accumulation of property in hands and to render the great mass of the population dependent and helpless. In the nature of things those who have no property and see their neighbors possess much more than they think they need cannot be favorable to laws made for the protection of property. When this class becomes numerous it becomes dangerous. It looks upon property as its prey and plunder and is naturally ready at all times for violence and plunder. Proceeding with his address, Mr. McVeagh developed the real prophecy of his subject and in a few words embodied the substance of his prophecy:

The party of the contented will be ranged under one banner, and the party of the discontented will be ranged under the other, and that alignment will steadily develop increasing sharpness of division, until the party of the discontented, being the majority, has obtained the control of the government, to which under our system they are entitled; and then they will be sure to remodel the present system for the distribution of wealth, unless we have previously done so, upon bases wiser and more equitable than those now existing. The one party will be, under whatever name, the party of capital, and the other party will be, under whatever name, the party of labor. These words are pregnant with meaning. Had they been uttered by a Socialist there would be nothing essential to change in them. McVeagh foresaw what Socialists foresee and what all social evolutionaries have foreseen in many countries, that struggle and accepts its doctrine. Mr. McVeagh is entitled to the unique distinction of being the only capitalist statesman of prominence to clearly receive the trend of the social upheaval and accept the worship of the social revolution through the overthrow of wage-slavery and the emancipation of the working class. We venture to suggest that our Socialist contemporaries reproduce as widely as possible these excerpts from Wayne McVeagh's Harvard oration and that Socialist orators and propagandists incorporate them in their speeches and arguments.
SUICIDE IN HIGH LIFE

It is one of the claims of those who would dispose of the suicide problem that every man has a right to choose his own path in life. It is a claim that is made in defense of the idea that suicide is a natural and necessary aspect of human existence.

Telephone booklets are the only means that print the whole truth about the suicide business. They are published by the Duplex Phonograph Company, and they contain advertisements of a nature that are intended to attract the attention of those who are considering suicide.

For this reason, they are usually distributed by hand, and they are often left on streets and sidewalks, in addition to being posted in various public places.

It is a fact that these booklets are widely read by people who are considering suicide, and they are often used by those who are already suffering from emotional distress.

A number of cases have been reported in which people have attempted suicide after being exposed to these advertisements.

In conclusion, it is important to recognize that suicide is a serious problem, and that it is necessary to take steps to prevent it. This involves understanding the factors that contribute to suicide, and taking action to address them.

CHARLES R. BISHOP

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Etiquette

MORALS AT THE WHITE HOUSE:

It is a matter of common knowledge that the White House is a home for many high officials, that there has been more than one scandal involving the White House and its occupants, and that there has been a lot of speculation about the behavior of the president, his family, and his staff.

In this context, the question of what is considered normal behavior for people in high office is important. It is a matter of concern for many people, and it is often discussed in the media.

A recent scandal involving a member of the president's family has raised questions about the behavior of those in high office, and it has caused people to wonder about the role of the media in shaping public opinion.

What do the people of Kansas think about the current state of affairs in Washington?

They have been asked whether they believe that the scandal is a reflection of a culture of corruption in Washington, or whether they believe that it is the result of an isolated incident.

Many people have expressed concern about the behavior of those in high office, and they have called for changes to be made to address these issues.

On the other hand, some people have defended the president and his family, and they have argued that the scandal is not representative of the behavior of all those in high office.

In conclusion, it is clear that the behavior of those in high office is a matter of great concern for many people, and that it is important to address these issues in a responsible and meaningful way.

The question of what is considered normal behavior for people in high office is important, and it is one that will continue to be discussed in the media for some time to come.
LABOR IN POLITICS

BY CURTIS V. BURD

The press reports about the coming election seem to be directed to the laboring classes of the country. The laboring classes are regarded as the most important voting bloc in this country and the laboring classes are regarded as the most important voting bloc in this country.

The use of labor in politics is not new. In fact, it has been a common practice for many years. The labor movement has been a powerful force in politics and has often been able to influence the outcome of elections.

The labor movement has been instrumental in the passage of important legislation, such as the Minimum Wage Act and the Social Security Act. These laws have provided significant benefits to workers and have helped to improve working conditions.

Labor unions have also been involved in political campaigns, either by endorsements or by financial contributions. These contributions have helped to elect pro-labor candidates to office.

Labor leaders have also been involved in the formulation of public policy. They have often been consulted by politicians and have provided input on a variety of issues, such as labor regulations and trade policies.

In recent years, labor has been involved in debates about trade agreements and immigration policies. These issues have had a significant impact on working conditions and the economic well-being of workers.

Labor has also been involved in the fight against globalization. They have advocated for policies that would protect workers and the environment, such as the implementation of fair trade practices and the establishment of minimum standards for working conditions.

Labor leaders have also been involved in the fight against corruption. They have supported measures to enhance transparency and accountability in government, such as the implementation of open records laws and the establishment of ethics commissions.

Labor has also been involved in the fight against poverty and inequality. They have supported measures to reduce income inequality, such as the implementation of progressive taxation and the establishment of minimum wages.

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Stupendous Achievement

BY EDGAR J. DURS.

THE Working Class of the United States has achieved the most extraordinary victory in all its history. So great is it that not one working man in ten thousand has any real conception of it, and its magnitude will not be revealed for a full quarter of a century.

Ten years ago Mower, Hywood and Pettibone were hanged on the orders of court, shouted down as traitors, and sentenced to the gallows. They were hanged without trial on the ground that they were playing cards with the blacklegs, that they were working for the blackleg syndicate, that they were advocating the overthrow of the capitalist system. The hangman was executed in a most brutal manner, and the body was thrown into the flames of the furnace at the foundry, where it was burned to ashes. The ashes were then cast into a large can, and the can was buried in the ground, where it was left to rot. The hangman was executed in a most brutal manner, and the body was thrown into the flames of the furnace at the foundry, where it was burned to ashes. The ashes were then cast into a large can, and the can was buried in the ground, where it was left to rot.

Moyer Case Dismissed.

Socialists are prepared for the trial of King v. Keating.

On the 12th of November, the case of King v. Keating was tried before Judge King in the Circuit Court of the United States for the District of Massachusetts. The case involves the question of the constitutionality of the Keating Act of 1896, which was passed by the United States Congress, and which provided for the imprisonment of persons who shall engage in any combination or conspiracy to monopolize, control, or restrain the trade or commerce of any State or Territory, or the whole United States.

The case was argued in the Court of Appeals of the United States for the District of Massachusetts, and the decision of the Court will be rendered in due course.

The Philistines of Labor must die.

The Supreme Court of the nation, most august of capitalistic tribunals, confirmed its sentence. The Governors of States signed the death warrant and proclaimed the approaching execution. The leading Minister of the President's Cabinet was dispatched to the scene to express in person the President's desire and pave the way for a reign-of-capitalism and the martyrdom of Labor.

When, lo! A Giant appeared. The Mightiest Colossus of all the ages! The flame of indignation flashed from his eyes and his huge frame, tense, gnawed, awful, quivered as he spoke. All the highways of the jest he had trumped, all the agogies of the ages he had ended, and for the first time this Avenging Nemesis was seen, and for the first time his voice was heard.

The thunders of Jehovah issued from his lips and in his presence the assembled pigmies, bent upon murder, cowered and trembled.

"Let my people go free," is all he said. The Assassins vanished in the darkness, the dungeon doors sprang open and that hour the Sons of Toil walked with Freedom.