THE returns from Vermont election justify what I have said in these columns about the effect of the Roosevelt campaign on the Socialist vote. Two years ago, the Socialists cast 1067 votes in Vermont. This year, according to the dispatches, the Socialist vote is 1157. Vermont is not, strictly speaking, a typical state, but it serves as an index of how we may expect, unless every Socialist worthy of the name goes to work with the single purpose of showing the nation who and what this man Roosevelt is and the interests back of him that expect to profit enormously by his election, as they did during his former administrations. Do all you can think to do and then in addition do what the Appeal tells you to do. In October, definite date to be announced, later, the Appeal will issue a real Roosevelt number. We will go into our record carefully from the time he entered public life to the present day. Most of these facts are familiar in a general way to our old readers. But we should remember that we have thousands of new recruits who are not yet thoroughly grounded in the principles of our movement. These are the men and women to whom Roosevelt is making his specious plea when he refers hypocritically to the "Democratic". Delbe, branded as an undesirable citizen when he was the chief executive of the nation. There are now 25 million voters, men and women, who have been registered voters, and it is to these people we must go with our message and the fact of Roosevelt's chekedered political career. We are going to win—yes, but we want to win now—not some day in the distant future. I know, and so do you, that the Roosevelt wave is but a passing one, and unless we take vigorous action now, this very day, to counteract that wave, it will serve this campaign to do just what the promoters designed it—that puts us on the side track. This is what has, to all appearances, happened in Vermont. What they do this year will be the whole story, with the steel trust millions, to do next year. Roosevelt has said the old party politicians have lied about him, but he has never said the Socialists have lied about him. He is depending upon the more religious character of the steel trust millions to smother our propaganda and to make very such noise that the people will forget long enough to give them their votes in November. The Appeal has never made a statement about this man that it cannot prove. Furthermore, our offer of five thousand dollars to anyone who will disprove our charge that Roosevelt knowingly used his official position while governor of New York to aid Harriman in selling sixty-two million dollars will be revoked and millions will be paid throughout the nation. You are taking the charge, and in answering it they will convict their leader of the greatest piece of political highway robbery ever pulled off in this country. This Roosevelt edition to come will be a startling bit of political history to these millions of unsuspecting people who have fallen into the trap laid for them by the steel trust and the harvester trust with the Oyster Bay artful dodger as bait. Let me repeat—this is a real fight, and we must prevent the national calamity foreseen by Sidney and McCormick. We are fighting for our children and for our wives and for the freedom of the working class!
Socialism for Beginners

The Democratic Idea

I've had a hard working ass on my hands, but I don't make no big mistake. That's what I get for not working hard. Last winter we had a real hard time but I made the best out of it. This year, I'm gonna make sure I've got a steady job and a place to live. I'm not gonna let anything get in my way. I'm gonna be strong and hard working.

Another good thing about socialism is the democracy. I've never seen a place where the people have more say in what happens. It's like a big family where everyone gets a say in what happens. It's a lot better than having a boss tell you what to do.

When you're in a socialist place, you don't have to worry about anything. You can just focus on your work and your family. You don't have to worry about the boss watching over you or the government telling you what to do. It's like being in a big family where everyone is treated equally and nobody is left out.

Revolutionary Song

We Go Marching On

The Young People's Socialist League is organizing, preparing to lead the movement. Socialists of Park county, Mo., held a great meeting last week. There were good crowds and good speakers. The movement is spreading all over the country.

The Socialist idea of winning votes is spreading all over. People are paying more attention to the socialist party, and more and more are signing up to vote for them. The group is very active and they are doing great things.

SEEKING FREEDOM

From the beginning of the struggle for greater freedom, while our work is still in its infancy, we are opposed to the employment of force against the opposition of the free man. His right to resistance was not given him by the government, but by the unalienable right that he enjoyed as a member of a free society.

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Perhaps we can't do it again. We can't go back to the old days. But we can improve on what we have now. We can make things better for everyone. We can work together to make sure no one is left behind. We can make sure that everyone has a chance to live a good life.

Oppressed

Why do we have to be oppressed? Why can't we have the same rights as everyone else? Why can't we have a say in what happens in our lives? It's not fair. We deserve better than this.

Another Great Cartoon

Worried Over the Money

Two thousand dollars a year and a place to live. That's what I've been working for. The trouble is, I'm still not sure I can make it. I'm worried about the money. I don't know if I can keep up with the payments. I'm worried about the future.
Socialism or Rooseveltism

That is the issue of the day and the question is—is Socialism going to be the result of the election, and in case it does, the new Congress will be the first Congress since 1903 to be dominated by Socialists? Rooseveltism, on the other hand, is the issue of the day and the question is—will Rooseveltism be the result of the election, and will it be the first Congress since 1903 to be dominated by Rooseveltists?

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Impractical.

The ballot as a Tool for Doing Things

BY E. L. ROVER.

It is the policy of the party of reason to be practical, and, as the ballot is a tool, it is necessary to determine its efficiency as such.

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