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EVEN during the civil war President Lincoln set aside the military rule established by General Burnside...

WHEN a nation stands quietly by and permits a woman of 80 years of age to be kidnaped by a big burly beast...

HE release of Mother Jones from the military bastle in West Virginia is a signal victory for the Appeal and the working class. It shows clearly that one of the strongest weapons in the hands of the workers is publicity through the Socialist press.

An Imprisoned Editor

The following letter sent to the APPEAL by Comrade H. Boswell, editor of the Labor Argus, Charleston, W. Va., who was thrown in jail after the paper had been suppressed by Governor Hatfield...

Dear Comrade—I see from the last issue of the APPEAL that the APPEAL to REASON will fill the unexpired subscriptions to the Labor Argus. Allow me to express to you and the APPEAL staff my heartfelt appreciation for this generous act on your part...

DO YOUR LITTLE UTMOST! It is not so very much that the best of us can do by our own individual efforts. But we can do the little that is in our power to do and do it with all our heart.

THE PRICE OF THINGS. A twenty-story skyscraper is built at a cost of say a million dollars. But it costs more than that. It costs human life and that is the real price of it.

Four-Year Sub Cards THE APPEAL can use the money from the sale of 10,000 four-year sub cards.

Unmasking the Villains

By Eugene V. Debs

John Kenneth Turner has had a notable and enviable career as a magazine writer, but all his work of the past, brilliant as it is, is only preliminary to the great work he is now doing in unmasking the villainy which for a quarter of a century has made the state of West Virginia the prey of conscienceless marauders and freebooters and a burning reproach to the nation.

GETTING DISCOURAGED.

No Socialist has the right to get discouraged. There is something the matter with the Socialism of the comrade who loses heart and lets go.

ORGANIZATION.

We Socialists need to be more thoroughly and scientifically organized. The sentiment is not lacking. The people, in rapidly increasing numbers, are turning to Socialism.

CAN'T YOU SEE?

Can't you see that you are only a small part of that wonderful machine called society? Can't you see that when you fail to do your share of the work...

REAL DIVIDING UP.

Experts in the treasury department, in figuring on possible receipts from the income tax, estimate that there are ten persons in the United States who have incomes of more than \$10,000,000 a year.

The Confessions of a Labor Spotter

By W. F. LARRISON

WORKED for the Baldwin-Feltz Detective Agency as a spotter from January to April, 1913, about three months. My pay was \$60 a month and expenses.

THE STRIKE OF THE SILK GARMENT WORKERS

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Follow Wayland's Heart

What a battle we are fighting! How our hearts together beat! We are in this war to win a never will retreat!

The Plute Press Pimp

It would appear that they in hell do not know a thing about it. It takes a man in heaven to tell how superior hell is to the other place.

Appeal Held Up

Turner writes that the APPEAL is being held up in the hands of Hatfield's thugs who will not allow it to circulate.

National Committee Meeting

The meeting of the national executive committee and woman's committee at Chicago last week was unusually interesting.

The Nation-Wide Plot Against Labor

The collapse of the conspiracy against the APPEAL by no means marks the end of the conspiracy of the masters.

At Salem during those dreadful days of pitiable ignorance and superstition. The commanding officer, Lieut. Col. Oscar Straub, is attempting to stamp out the movement at the post.

Washington, April 14, 1913. Martin (Va.) and Fitzgerald (N. Y.), chairman respectively senate and house appropriation committee.

Effective opposition almost hopeless. Nevertheless, demonstration made by a number of new haters to all supporters of the law this shameful proposition would be.

The press tells the story of the arrest of two privates for talking Socialism at Fort Stevens, Ore., and a court martial to follow with assurance of a penitentiary sentence.

Military Tyranny and Persecution. Witches are not being burned at Fort Stevens, Ore., although persecutions are being carried out at that place.

Make This Bicycle and Ride 100 Days. And so many of them, if you want a bicycle, you can't really talk the way you can't really talk.

Earn a bicycle of your own. You can't afford to pay for one, but you can't afford to pay for one.

AMAZING PROFITS. Thousands of dollars in profits can be made in a few months.

Fish Bite Like hungry wolves. If you use the Fish Bite, you will get a lot of fish.

WILL START UP AGAIN. I will start up again in a few months.

PATENTS. I will start up again in a few months.

Free Instructions. I will start up again in a few months.

Agents. I will start up again in a few months.

Guaranteed Five Years. I will start up again in a few months.

ASKS INVESTIGATION

Senator Henry F. Ashurst, of Arizona, has sent the following to the attorney general of the United States.

Chinese Declaration of Independence

The APPEAL prints the Declaration and Bill of Rights adopted by the Chinese republicans.

Latest About the War

From Clakburg, W. Va., comes word that Governor Hatfield has sent orders to the military.

After Another Editor

Minneapolis, Minn., May 10th. A. E. Georgian, the editor of the New Times, the Socialist weekly of Minneapolis.

Echoes of Old Free Speech Fight

E. E. Kirk and Harry M. McKee, Socialist attorneys at San Diego, Cal., spent six months in jail and pay or work out a fine of \$3000 for their activity in the San Diego free speech fight of last year.

Do You Want a Free Copy?

The Coming Nation was founded by the APPEAL to do things which the limited space of the APPEAL prevents it from doing.

It will be noticed the republican, democratic or progressive national committee has not taken action in behalf of the striking miners in West Virginia.

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Accept My Heartly Congratulations

Accept my hearty congratulations on the late victory for justice and your fighting spirit. I enclose \$1 for four years.

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Just read Judge Pollock's decision

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Some months ago some kind friend sent me a copy of the APPEAL

I see in the Kansas City Star the case against the APPEAL

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Dear Sir - I have been reading the APPEAL

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I know that you express the true and best-felt sentiments of Local Sioux City, Iowa

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Dear Sir - Long live the APPEAL TO REASON

Dear Sir - Long live the APPEAL TO REASON. Its success is now assured.

My dear young lady, I hope you pray God every night to keep you a good girl. I don't have to. I set eight dollars a week.



He "Asks God to Forgive Him." I have subscribed to the APPEAL ever since it was started.

Several comrades in Pittsburgh, Pa., subscribed to the APPEAL. I enclose \$1 for four years.

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The Movement That Moves

Socialists of Hanna, Wyo., elected two school directors recently. The Rev. O. D. Maple, minister of the Christian church at Cameron, Ill., is a new recruit to the Socialist party.

Socialists of Asheville, N. C. made a clean sweep at a recent city election, winning the offices of mayor, police judge, treasurer, tax collector and three aldermen.

The state convention of the Socialist party of Ohio adopted resolutions asking the government to make loans through postal savings banks to the people of the various municipalities.

Socialists of Nauvatu, Conn., carried the entire ticket in the municipal election, recently, electing all the city officers.

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When you answer this announcement, I am going to mail you a brand new pair of my wonderful 'Perfect Vision' glasses.

As soon as you get them I want you to put them on your eyes, no matter how weak they may be.

Or, if you like to go out hunting occasionally, just shoulder your gun and go out into the woods some early morning.

Just Do Me A Good Turn by showing them around to your friends and neighbors, and speak a good word for them whenever your eyes are better.

My age is _____ Name _____ Postoffice _____

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Advertisement for 'Velvet' tobacco, featuring a woman smoking a pipe and the text 'This is the tobacco that put the smoothness in pipe smoking!'.

Advertisement for 'Guaranteed Five Years' featuring a woman and the text 'Guaranteed Five Years'.

Four Long Years
In making your friends to subscribe for the APPEAL...

Mother Jones-An Appreciation
BY EUGENE V. DEER.

ALMOST twenty years ago, in the thick of the Pullman strike and the dark days following it...

When you vote the old party tickets mere bread or bullets is what you get out of it.
WITH all that you can do for Socialism, Socialism will do very much more for you.

Debs Going to Jail
Turner writes: "If Debs makes a speech in West Virginia he will surely be thrust into jail."

Watch the Vote Grow
Total: 1,015,825
Socialist vote, November, 1912... 906,349

Chilton and Goff
William E. Chilton, democrat, and Nathan Goff, republican, represent, ostensibly, the state of West Virginia in the United States senate.

The Union Label
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BLUE-BLOOD BUTCHERS.
Frederick William, the son of William, is the crown prince of Germany and heir to his father's throne.

HIGHEST LIVING COST.
From a report just issued by the bureau of labor at Washington, it appears that the cost of living reached a higher altitude in the latter part of 1912 than at any time during the past twenty-three years.

MAN-KILLING MINES.
The frightful disaster in the Cincinnati mine in Pennsylvania in which over a hundred miners perished, many of them horribly, brings to mind once more the fact that the American mines are the greatest man-killers in the world.

THE LUST OF PROFITS.
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