A Comrade Donates $50,000.00 for Socialist Agitation

HAVING recently become possessed of a fortune, a well-known Socialist who wants his name withheld—Comrade X we shall call him—has decided to donate $50,000 to the propaganda of Socialism. Comrade X has been considering different ways of spending this money in order that the greatest possible good shall redound to the Socialist movement. This comrade has for years worked for the Socialist party and the Appeal. In fact, he got his first clear ideas in regard to Socialism from this paper. So it is not surprising that he has finally concluded to use the $50,000 to build up the little old Appeal. Being a shrewd business man, he does not want this sum to be spent in making up the occasional deficits of this paper. Money spent in this way would not last long. So after studying over the condition of the Appeal here in Girard, Comrade X has come to the conclusion that the $50,000 ought to be spent in arousing the Appeal Army into joining the greatest subscription campaign ever undertaken. What he proposes is at first startling, but after you consider this matter I must confess it is the greatest and finest offer any Socialist could make. It is this: Comrade X offers to pay for two subscriptions for every five subscriptions sent in by the friends of this paper, provided they agree to send this number every week for 50 weeks. In other words, for every list of five with $1.25 you send to this office weekly Comrade X will buy from the Appeal two forty-week subscription cards and send them to you free. You can then sell these two cards at 25 cents each and keep the money or give them away to friends of yours who cannot afford to buy them but who would be interested in the cause of Socialism. Now Comrade X insists that 2,500 friends of this paper shall agree to send the Appeal five paid subscriptions every week for 50 weeks, and he agrees to pay for 5,000 subscriptions out of that $50,000 every week. The money he has already put at my disposal, but I cannot use it unless I can get 2,500 comrades to sign the pledge on the last page of this issue before December 15, 1913. I do not think it necessary for me to take up much of your time to point out at length the benefits of this proposition. In a few words, this plan of Comrade X, if indorsed by you, means:

1. Positively a million circulation for the Appeal within a year.
2. A $50,000 donation to the Socialist movement.
3. Putting the Appeal on a self-circulating basis and leaving the editors free and equipped to wage a powerful campaign for the overthrow of capitalism.

A more opportune time for this generous offer than the present we cannot imagine. It comes at a period when the Appeal is struggling for breath—for life. Although the recent victories of this paper have enthused the comrades and cleared the atmosphere, still the little old Appeal has not been materially benefited by them. In fact, the recent victories have won at the expense of our depleted war chest. Our occasional cries for subscribers are beginning to sicken me. I am tired of the frequent appeals for increased circulation. You are, too, I suppose. So what then could be more of a boon to all of us than for the friends of this paper to systematize their efforts and to send the Appeal a stated number of subs each week? And what is more inspiring than to know that your efforts will make it possible for the Socialist movement to be presented with $50,000 in cold cash? I have decided, therefore, to call for 2,500 volunteers to join the Red Card Division of the Appeal Army. This will be the division that will carve its name in history in imperishable letters. What the minute men did for the American revolution the Red Card Division is destined to do for the social revolution.

I do not want you to join the Red Card Division until you have thoroughly considered just what it means to you and to the Appeal. I want you to make up your mind that you will fulfill your part of the obligation. It would not be fair to the Appeal nor to Comrade X for you to sign this pledge in a burst of enthusiasm and then quit after a few weeks of effort.

The Appeal has demonstrated its right to live. In the face of overwhelming odds it has maintained its position on the firing line. It has succeeded where others have failed. It has snatched victory from defeat many times when all seemed lost. From the Colorado coal fields, from the Michigan copper mines, from the hop fields of California, comes the cry for help. But the Appeal cannot undertake publicity crusades for these men and women who are fighting with their backs to the wall while our circulation is decreasing.

Think what such an army of volunteers who work every week would mean to the Appeal! It would solve the circulation problem and give those of us here in the office an opportunity to devote all of our time to making the kind of a paper you want. In the past it has required nine-tenths of the energies of the Appeal staff getting enough subscribers to pay the necessary expenses. The other one-tenth was used in writing editorials and preparing other propaganda matter for the paper. Give us a chance to put in all our time and devote all our energies to producing the paper and making it hot for the capitalist system and its defenders and apologists.

Never in the entire history of the Socialist Party was there such an opportunity to get so large a sum for the propaganda of Socialism. Here is a loyal comrade who has fared well in investments which he had made under the rules of the capitalist game and still wants to use his money to destroy the system that brought him wealth and luxury. He will give $50,000 if you will agree to send five subs every week for 50 weeks. Your pledge must be made before December 15, 1913.

Will you help get that $50,000?

Will you help give the Appeal a million subscribers?

Are there 2,500 Socialists in the United States who will join the Red Card Division of the Appeal Army to achieve this grand result? Will you be one of the 2,500 or will you fail to help take this most important step in winning a world for the workers?

The question is before you. In the name of the greatest cause the world has ever known I ask you to enlist in the Red Card Division of the invincible Appeal Army, and keep your paper—this paper, that does things— at the head of the fighting forces for the Revolution!
The Appeal Wins in Lasater Case

The Appeal won in the Lasater case which was decided in the United States Supreme Court. The victory was a significant one as it upheld the constitutionality of certain provisions of the law which had been challenged by the defendant.

The defendant had argued that the provisions of the law were unconstitutional because they violated his right to a fair trial. The court, however, ruled that the provisions were valid and that the defendant had been afforded a fair trial.

This victory is significant because it strengthens the constitutional protections for criminal defendants and helps to ensure that they are given a fair trial.

The Appeal has now won in the Lasater case and is likely to be appealed to the Supreme Court of the United States. The court has already scheduled a hearing for next month.

The Appeal is an organization that works to protect the rights of criminal defendants. They have been successful in winning many cases and have helped to ensure that defendants are given a fair trial.

The Appeal is committed to ensuring that the rights of criminal defendants are protected and that they are given a fair trial. They work tirelessly to help defendants navigate the complex legal system and to ensure that they are treated fairly.

The Appeal is a vital organization that plays an important role in ensuring that the rights of criminal defendants are protected.

A Way They Had in Judea

The people of Judea had a unique way of celebrating the holiday of Sukkot. They would build temporary shelters, known as sukkot, and spend time in them during the holiday.

These shelters were made of palm leaves and other natural materials and were designed to resemble the huts in which the Israelites had lived in the desert during their long journey to the Promised Land.

The people of Judea would spend time in their sukkot, eating, praying, and socializing with family and friends. They would also decorate their sukkot with colorful decorations and hang up lights to create a festive atmosphere.

The sukkot were used to celebrate the harvest and to give thanks for the bounty of the land. They were also a reminder of the biblical story of the Israelites and their long journey to the Promised Land.

The way the people of Judea celebrated Sukkot was a unique and special tradition that has been passed down through generations.

The Tramp Problem

The problem of tramps has been a significant one in the United States for many years. Tramps, also known as hobos, are individuals who travel from place to place, often living in shelters or on the streets.

The problem of tramps has been a concern for many reasons. They can be a burden on public resources, as they may need to be provided with food, shelter, and medical care. They can also be a threat to public safety, as they may engage in criminal activity.

The government has tried to address the problem of tramps in various ways. One approach has been to create shelters and other facilities where tramps can be housed and given the care they need.

Another approach has been to provide employment opportunities for tramps, so that they can find work and become self-sufficient. This has been a difficult task, as tramps often have a history of addiction or other problems that make it difficult for them to find and keep a job.

Despite these challenges, there have been some successes in addressing the problem of tramps. The government has provided some funding for programs that help tramps find employment and housing, and there have been some successful efforts to provide care and support for tramps in need.

The Tramp Problem continues to be a significant issue, and there is a need for continued attention and effort to address it.
Leaves $1,100,000 for Socialism

Loren P. Harootunian, the well-known attorney of the Social Democrats, announced yesterday that he had left $1,100,000 for the propagation of his ideas in his will. This was the largest sum ever bequeathed by any person to the cause of Socialism.

Significant News

The Panama canal, which is now nearing completion, is expected to be opened to traffic next summer. The canal will revolutionize the shipping industry and will greatly reduce the time and cost of transatlantic transportation.

The Appeal's Influence

The Appeal, a newspaper published in New York City, has been very influential in the political and social life of the city. It has a circulation of over 100,000 and is read by many of the leading politicians and social workers.

At the Country Store

War with Mexico.

The United States has declared war on Mexico. This is the first time that the United States has declared war since the Civil War.

Deafness

The sensation of hearing is due to the vibration of the air. Sound waves travel through the air and are received by the ear. The ear then transmits the sound waves to the brain, which interprets them.

Agricultural News

The cultivation of the soil is one of the most important activities of man. It provides food for the human body and raw materials for industry. The methods of agriculture have been greatly improved in recent years, and the yield of crops has increased considerably.
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Socialism is Sweeping the Land

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