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# FRED D. WARREN HAS A MESSAGE FOR WORKERS

Editor of the Appeal to Reason Will Tell You Why Capitalist Press and Capitalist Courts Would Like Send Him to Jail - Newspapers Adopt Policy of Silent Boycott.

If you wast to know what Fred D. arren will say at Elmwood Music all on Saturday night, you must go serve yourself and hear him. This is a not to the worker who buys the control of the state of the section. You interest the section was the section of the section was the section with the section.

No doubt, many times those who are esignated to write up working class eakers would like to tell the truth, but tey cannot do so and hold their jobs. capitalist exploiters of labor, and they will not allow their employes to pubanything that opposes their

yranny of the courts.

Fred D. Warren, the editor of the uppeal to Reason, is one of the most yoved, as well as one of the root hated, see in the United States today.

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Warren will arrive in this city some

d of Louis F. Be composed of Louis F Pelon, Patrick O'Bri en, Frank Cas

### ELMWOOD MUSIC HALL.

6:45 P. M. Branch Organizers and ushers gather in hall and take 0:40 F. M. Branch Olganicas and ushers gather in hall and take charge of sections. 7:00 P. M. Doors thrown open to the public. 7:45 P. M. Vice-Presidents take

eats upon platform. 7:50 P. M. Ariel booms announce

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# LEHIGH CAR WORKERS HAVE 2.500 MEN OUT

This is your paper and this is your opportunity. During the month of April we want to double the circulation of the Buttale Socialist. With a lith chalp on your part, this can easily be accomplished. If you and every reader of the paper secure only one subserber during the month the result ble accomplished. Burely this is not saking too much of you? The Buttale Socialist will soon celebrate its first birthday, and though the same and the same always hustling for their paper. Are you cope of those? How many sub-cryptons have you secured?

Sonday, April 20th, will be Burfalo Socialist Day. On that date we except the same and the same same same and the same webscripton.

FRED D. WARREN

# Warren's Fort Scott Speech

the lords of privilege any obnoxious law is promptly declared unconstitutional.

Infranty. There are property interests infranty. There are property interests in the property in the wholesale debughery of young girls, and these property in the people than is vested in any march of the old world.

The late Sentor Hanna boasted that the courts are maintained to buttress property rights. Ex-President Boosevelt property rights, Ex-President Boosevelt in a survival of mediacval times, when including the property rights. The property is the sentence of the working class and in daughters of the working class and in dispersion of priviperulence.

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To the champion, hater of the working class and in the property rights. Ex-President Boosevelt is a survival of mediacval times, when including the property in the pro

# behalf of the Socialists of fittifale. Arge audiences are greeting Warnel. Arge audiences are greeting Warnel which will be company in but shape, every meeting and it is up to the dialise of this city to show the figure of the company in but shape, editor that they are with him in plant of the property of the company in the company in but shape, every meeting and it is up to the dialise of the railroad are industry as by but find that they are getting fight. Association of the Socialists of the railroad are industry as by but find that they are getting fight.

plenty of help.

Many of the men in the Buffalo district are out and the last few days has added several more. Altogether 2,500 car workers are out.

R. H.Örin, fart vice-president of the union, says that everything indicates a big victory. Rolling stock is an avful condition and several bad wrecks are reserved.

Its Passage Would Allow Men to Get Acquainted with Their Families — Entitled to Decent Hours in with with Their Families — Entitled to Decent Hours in with with a condition and several bad wrecks are reserved.

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The firemen's two-platon hill was Now the city charter compels them anaimously reported out by the cities to be on duty, the whole 24 hours with the month of the legislature on Priday, three hours off-for meals. Meal hours were and in the second place it might more and in the second place it might a contract of the legislature on Priday.

bon't come to this meeting alone, added several more. Altogether 2,500 and alone tring at least a dozen others, prefer they non-Socialist, with you. Warran as a message for them.

Make this the preatest Socialist denonatration ever held in Western New fort. This may be the last occasion the people of Buffalo will have to hear warran from the shops at Parketton, Pa., that as to wages the Federal Courts and the federal pairs of the Western and Debs must appear before warran and Port Leavenworth.

We have information from the shops are heldered and the federal prison at Port Leavenworth.

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# STOCKHOLDERS ATTENTION

# **ALMY WOULD CHECK**

as we a cay for unskilled labor.

Frederic was preaching to the Progressive Club at the Teck Theater building the other night on "A Minimum Wage," and he stated that he believed a man could not support his family on less

# MINERS WILL STRIKE

Our colonist forefathers, imbased with the high fideals embedied in their immortal Declaration, shouldered their gens and shot to death the divine rights in growing distruct to the part of kings, and then the cunning enemies of democracy rised in its stead the source rout, with its many federal arms reaching out into all the states of the Union.

The supreme court, with its many federal arms reaching out into all the states of the Thion.

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For the champion hater of the working class the Buffalo Express rate the solal. In commenting on the arrest W.m. P. Cuttell it took opportunity, usual, to take a crack at the working is in a underhand way. It shall be the solal in commenting on the arrest W.m. P. Cuttell it took opportunity, usual, to take a crack at the working is in an underhand way. It shall be the Buffalo street car comployees on the street car work on the stree as usual, to take a crack at the working class in an underhand way. It stated that the Buffalo street car employees did not need outside men to come here and organize them. "If they want to organize they could do it themselves, says the Express. Very likely. But remember one thing, Mr. newspaper Writer, they are working for a living and are slaves to the capitalist class like yow's except the property of the direction of organizing means immediate disminsail, therefore the first work must be done by someone not now in the employ of the International.

We feel confident that the street car men will soon have a union, even though

A snort time ago considerable tumult was caused by the government sending a squad of soldiers to what is called the North Pier at the entrance of the Buffalo river and taking possession of the property, which rightly belongs to the people.

the people.

At the people and the people are withdrawn and the Secretary of War kindiy
grants the Lackwanna a license to use
the pier until it can prove that it owns
it. What do you think of that for being generous!—with the people's prop-

# MOLDERS STRIKE AT DUNKIRK

# DOES STREET RAILWAY **BRIBE POLICE FORCE?**

Gives 100 Tickets to Officials Every Twenty Days - Explanation of Activity of Police Department to Serve the Interest of the International - Central Trades and Labor Council Endorses Union.

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the International Railway Company derade the International Railway Company derade in the International Railway Company in the International President Conpany's charter gave rise to this act of
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# TRADES AND LABOR **COUNCIL ENDORSES** CAR MEN'S UNION

# OBSERVATIONS ON THE TRIAL OF W. F. CATTELL

employees by demanding the letters and literature that was handed to them by the organizers under a threat of disclarge, and have gone so far as to attempt to use the police department of our city to assist them in prosters to the employees unging them to store the employees unging them to store and the store of the employees unging them to store and the store of the employees unging them to store and the store of the employees unging them to store a store of the employees unging them to store the employees unging them to store the employees unging them to store the employees the emp

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Becond—Swing mus to be completed within 13 consecutive hours.

Perth—Time and one half for all thours to pay 9 hours times.

Perth—A fast rate of wages, 32 cents per hear: were the daily schedules.

Bitch—The right to have your grievances presented to the company committee of your organization.

HEAR FRED WARREN AT ELMWOOD MUSIC HALL, APRIL 5th

# **POLICE** ARE AFRAID TO **ENFORCE THIS LAW**

he people from un-vehicles, etc., but to enforce it.

police are afraid to enforce it, his law was made when poor people were provided in the process of the process and a combinate of shricks, howis and chokings we in to impress us with the immediate process of the proc

of shrines, we in to impress us we take of the owners. The come of the horns attached to those i wagoos make noises that are ewough kill a person with a weak heart, and mild be suppressed. These internal and heart is a supplied to the heart of the publishing party are the latest and worst aing in noise and should be suppressed. The publishing party are the latest and worst aing in noise and should be suppressed a short order, not out of any respect for the Republishing party, but beauth of the Republishing party with the Republishing party will be the Republishing party will be supported as above the Republishing party will be the Republishing party will man with the Repub inforce, because bicycles were cheap and the iders in most cases were poor people. The police court was constant-ing filled with bicycle riders arrested for searching or making too much noise with bell or whistle. Remember how active the police were in throwing clubs in the wheels of the bike and chasing ap a poor kid that put on a spuri! All is different now that the owner of an auto is supposed to be of some account in order to possess a machine. And the autoist knows it, and feels his position. It takes a real policeman to

# Which System Do You Prefer? FIREMEN'S TWO-PLATOON

Under Socialism.
men who work will get their

From Sofia, Comrade Dimitroff, the DEMOCRATS FORCET PLATFORM PROMISE them, which go be a secretary of the Bidgarian Tradition, which go be a second to be a man hand dut a few letters asking his fellow workers how to the union for the company of the com

# BILL BEFORE LEGISLATURE

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The same who work, will get their different products, which are also dischards as the same who work, which ye dischards a same who work the same and the sam

the matter is probably settled for the year, though the senate is still to act on similar petitions.

As but 11 votes more would have been needed to pass, the measure and as 26 democrats voted, against it is absolute disregard of the pledge of the democratic platform to the people of explaining this fall on the stump, it is also equally clear that the measure will be a very definite issue this year which is 40 be held on Satuplay evening at Elimonod Music Hall. The Ceving, Issue the stump, in many districts.

# **SOUTH BUFFALO FLOODS**

# **WICKED SOCIALIST**

The Buffale Express prints the following is in goosuly from Breilin superior control of the Interview of I

# From The Abyss

(By Berton Braley.)
Our feet are set in pathways unto shame
Our womanhood is trampled in the mire;
Know you the bitter road by which we came
To sell our youth and joy to your desire!
You masters who are niggard in your hire,
Who starve us and who drive us day by day,
Who wring our slender strength until we tire:
You set our weary feet upon the way.

The gymnastic exhibition announced for Staturlay sight originally has been changed to Sunday evening, April 6th, so the changed to Sunday evening, April 6th, on account of the Warren meeting, which is 30 be held on Saturday evening at Elimwood Music Hall. The Collembia Ture Verein will give one of the best performances ever given in this city, and we hope that they will be courtey extended to the Socialist party in changing the date.

The financial gessius of the Board of in changing the date.

Por the last thirty years our efficient greeted by a large audience, through the courtey extended to the Socialist party for fine holders and business men have dehand and adjustment of the flood missance in South Buffalo, yet last week after the heavy rains that The daily payers of this city never fall to give an a reason fact the dafeast when the salministration was affected to be found to be supported by the plate. We found that any working man out of the hop and put him in office and if he hap and put him in office and if he hop and put him in office and if he hap and put him in office and if he hap and put him in office and if he hap and put him in office and if he hap and put him in office and if he hap and put him in office and if he hap and put him in office and if he hap and put him in office and if he hap and put him in office and if he hap and put him in office and if he hap and put him in office and if he hap and put him in office and if he hap and him the antifact has a fine that he hap and him had been a reaso

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Till the viper wealth has turned fr

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one out from Newport, it has been dis-covered that one of the Vanderbill bays has just the right height, weight and uright physique that makes the "man-dy form." He has no need for "man-dy form." He has no need for "carrier, regular meals of daily life." Get any part of that, you work-ing women "with your beat backs, harded hands and emaciated hodies?

acks, harded hands and emaciated odies?

How would you like to stop your laily toil long enough to try and just traighten up! How would you like he knowledge that your children would sense of the opportunity for a healthy offer that the properture of the propertur

and your children will be slaves of ame system unless you are willing your part toward freeing your. The remedy lies just the length e will of the united working people from them, and it will always re-so until they awake to a realiza-of their power.

so until they are if their power.

It blame Mr. Vanderbilt and his they are only taking what you, insist on giving them. If are, then you are indeed easily satisfie and deserve what you are getting, by if you believe that the makers of things should enjoy the use of things then do something for the consummation of that belief.

THE SOCIAL EVIL

AND ITS MEMBER.

All reformers take their turn at coming into the limelight, holding the attention of the people for a few weeks and then, if the doing away with any particular part of the evil that needs "reforming," would be inimical to busing the people of the peop orming," would be inimical to busi-said business through its controlled begins to find excuses, states that case has been misrepresented and trawn, crowds the subject out by in-cing some new fad or theme to the thoughts of the public away inquiring too closely into some amental wrong.

active daily press is the committee of t

men and men in order that t marry if they like and live or remain single and live the Secondly, or perhaps it should the

### OPEN LETTER TO NG PEOPLE'S SOCIALIST LEAGUE ORGANIZATIONS

WINNIE E. BRANSTETTER.

# PROLETARIAN CLUB SELECTS ITS EMBLEM

With the selection of the permanent will debate the subject. "Resolvedt which now awaist the approach of the awaist the approach of the about the subject of Directors, it is believed that the new club will take on such definite form that its membership will grow by leaps and bounds. The charter will renain open until May 1, and it behooves those who expect to join the club or

ectors, a number of applications are received, and there seems to be no reason to doubt that the club will reach the marrhameter. the membership of 1,000 by May 1st, which the Directors have been counting

# Socialist Party News

than is given it by the vast majority of our fellows. All welcome. Admis-sion is free. Remember the place, 1244 Lovejoy street.

NEW BOOKLET, THE FARMER

"PROPS TO CAPITALISM"

of the Best Published.

pressed with the great need for a pam-phlet written in a simple casy style that would answer in a common sense manner the various objections to Soc-ialism and would discuss in an interest-

oklet by John W. Slavton

he Secular Club on Sunday, April 6, t 3 P. M., at 1244 Lovejoy street. Both principals are members of the occulifst party, Comrade Joseph Mols-eing connected with Branch One and Socialité party, Comrade Joseph Meing connected with Branch One of Comrade Eddy Grein an active me ber of Branch Six.

The subject, "Inflammation, Chuse and Remedy," will be hand elecutifically and all who attend warely enjoy the discussion and greening the subject of the sub

Return cash and all unsold ticket for the Warren meeting not later than Friday evening. This is important.

CENTRAL COMMITTEE MEETING The next meeting of the Central Committee will be held at the head-quarters, Franklin Hall, 52 West Eagle street, Wednesday evening, April 9th.

BRANCH ONE, SUNDAY SCHOOL.

The Socialist Sunday School of Branch One meets at Lefand's Hall, walden and Bailey avenues, every Sunday morning at 10:30. Send your chil-

MESTINO MARUI SOLAR-Chairman Steel, Vice-Chairman Lee Heacock. Minutes of previous meeting approved as read. Twenty-five applications for member-ship approved and one rejected by Branch Six referred to the Excentive Committee. Minutes of the Excentive Walde and Balley avenues, every Sunday Typopolity's SOCIALIET.

LEAGUE ORGANIZATIONE.

The realization is being frored upon and the second property of the secon Committee, Minutes of the Exécutive Committee approved as read, The report of the organizer was re-ceived. Branch Four turned over \$8.68 to the Building Fund Committee as a result of their dance. The report of the May Day Committee was received, Delegates from the various branches reported showing good progress being made in every branch. Lyceum Courses -TM 'successor.

but the entire community is aroused.

Frior: to last cleation he spoke in two
points of the local churches and challenged
them upon their owar ground. There is
electric or the local churches and challenged
to charge of admission to this meeting,
to charge of admission to this meeting.
Be on time if you wish to secure a seat.

"Resolved: That Craft Unionism is
Benefit to the Working Class," will
be debated Friday evening, April 4th,
the headquater of Branch 7, At
the the headquater of Branch 7, At
the committee the committee to second the motion
lamif: Hall, 357 Broadway, between
of Michigan relative to unity with the
teams representing Branches 2 and 7, 8 L. P.
Branch 7 choosing the affirmative.
It is desired that as many members to

HOLD SERIES OF LECTURES.

The first of a series of lectures on socialism will be given Sunday aftersoon, April 6, 3:30 o'clock, by Fred

noon, April 6, 3:30 o ctoca, oy exe-crick Haller, under the auspices of Branch 3, at La Touraine Hall, East Utica and Verplanck streets. Frederick Haller is a speaker and writer of exceptional ability, and it is urged that every member of Branch 3 and their friends, make a special effort

to hear him. We can assure all who at-tend an intellectual treat.

On Sunday, April 13th, Stephen J.
Mahoney will address the Branch on 'Socialism and Revolution.'

Sunday, April 20th, Lee F. Heacock will speak under the auspices of the Branch on 'Basic Principles of Social-

Address, National Office Social Party, 111 N. Market St., Chicago.

April 27th, Branch 3 and Branch 1

### BRANCH 7

of the Best Published.
A veteran of the Socialist movement
is John W. Slayton of Pittsburg, Pa.
Ber twenty years he has been active in
working class organizations. As a
speaker he is in the front rank and has
lectured in almost every state in the
union and in many cities of Canada,
wiffle as a writer of popular booklets on
Socialism he is equally well known.
During his travels Slayton was impressed with the great need for a cam-Sam Atkinson delivered cture "Socialism—An

Agreet that it was one of the heat they had ever listened to.

As a result of the success of this meeting, the churades have arranged to have Comrade Atkinson again on April 18th. This time the subject will be "The Evolution of Conscience." manner the various objections to make the interesting way the props to capitalism. Mr. Slayton well realized that to write such a work is a tedious task, but decided that if no one undertook the task, he would do the job. This he has done with the result that we naw have before us his new pamphlet entitled "Props to Capitalism."

This booklet should be in the hands of everyone, Socialist an well as non-Socialist. It contains a world of information and if yoo have it read "Props to Capitalism."

The Women's Club will bold a rubber social at Franklin Hall, 52 W. Eagle street, Saturday evening, April 19, 1913, for the benefit of the Buffalo Socialist. Admission 15 cents or a bundle of rubbers. Cards and dancing. All members are urged to attend this social and bring their friends.

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of all the work of oftuninous coal min ing. 78 per cent of the work in the woolen mills, nine-tenths of all the work in the cottom mills, nineteen-twen tieths of the making of clothing and the making of hats and shoes, four fifths of the building of furniture, four

fifths of the building of fermiture, four-fiths of the making of leather, nine-teen-twentieths of the refining of sugar, and half the manufacture of cigars and tobacce is done by immigrants but re-cently imported from European coun-tries for the purpose of doing this work. These men were brought in, not for the good it would do them, but in order to, with them, cut down wages in

the good it would do them, but in order to, with them, cut down wages in America. It has created a problem in America which no European country can have. There, instead of receiving millions upon millions of foreign la-borers every year, they are sending them out.

them out.

While it is true that every man has a moral right to go anywhere'he may please to work, and while this could be done under Socialism without injuring anyone, under capitalism it a severe test for America. It means, not only a tendency toward reduction of wages, gungen and ideas which necessity after the country of the count lect greatly the future of the land. This is saying nothing whatever against the immigrant. Most of them are working men and women who are imbued with the best of intentions. It is merely de-claring that no country on the earth has ever wrestled with such a problem as

If Socialism prevailed the prould be settled. Buf if Socialis would be settled. Buf if Socialism pre-vailed there would be no special occa-sion for this immigration. It is purely a capitalistic problem.—Appeal to Rea-son.

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### "SCHEMING TO MAKE TROUBLE"

"Scheming to Make Trouble" is the headline of the Express over an article showing how the police had arrested an organizer of the new street-ear men's union, at the instigation of the International. That's it. Scheming to make trouble for the master class: Horrible crime, that! Something akin to murder in the eyes of the Express. If it had been only a little matter like murdering a few workers, as the International did at Lockport a few weeks ago, the Express would have been all sympathy—with the International. When it is a case of trying to organize the workers to sective a few more loaves a week, the Express is up in arms on the instant.

The theory of the Express is, that when it is merely a case of murdering the workers, they will go to heaven for an improvement of their conditions.

But, Great Scott, man, when you come to talk about organizing a union, and causing the pride and joy of the eity, the Delaware Avenue capitalists, a little worry over their regular dividends, it is quite another matter!

Clearly, the Express is class-conscious, from the capitalist point.

Clearly, the Express is class-conscious, from the capitalist point of view. Any assistance the Express can render in the way of keeping the International slaves in subjection will be most cheerfully given.

Hear Fred Warren at the Elmwood Convention Hall.

### THE "PERMIT" TO LIVE

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The outlawed union of the street ear men is asking for a priceless privilege. It is endeavdring to secure a "permit" to hand out messages to other citizens asking them to join the union.

As yet the Odd Fellows, Eagles, Masons and other fraternal organizations have not applied for a "permit" to ask people to join their various organizations. We are watching every day to see some of them arrested for asking people to join their orders. It appears that they must have such "permit", according to the evidence sub-hatted by Chief of Police Coons of the International Railroad.

Our hearts misgive us when we think of the great number of members of these orders who are in daily danger of the "majesty" of the law by asking people to join their organizations without the sacred "permit". Why, there must be ten thousand people in Buffalo who have asked people to join something without a "permit". All, all, poer unfortunates that they are, in danger of being prosecuted.

That is to say, they are in as much danger as that other class, deep-dyed criminals who have stepped abourd a moving car on a laternational im. It has got to the point where the police will be a man's home and rout him out of bed in order to arrest him or having stepped aboard a moving car.

Here is another ten thousand or more who are in mortal danger! on see the International, in watching with loving care over the people of Buffalo, is worried less some accident happen to people who, and a moving car. Some of the cynical Socialists may say that it ould be in better tasts for the International to worry less about the sophe who loard a moving cars, and take a little more care of the dand mer's lattons." When do not shut off the power; the brakes and do not work, the headlights that do not light; the nailing to-their of the cars that are ready to give up the ghost after 18 years (faithful service, and other things that would cost something to put to shape.

into shape.

Base thought! Don't these renegades realize that anything of that nature would mean cutting into PROFITS while Chief of Police Coons can enforce many sleepy ordinances against TNION ORGAN.

IZERS "for the saving of life" without touching profits at all—in fact, belying to save profits.

Why, it's as easy to use capitalist laws to keep down the working class as it is for two waiters and a bartender to carry a chief of police out of the Parkhof or, a New Year's night.

To be just with ourselves is more difficult even than to be just

### HUSH! KEED 'FM ASLEED!

HUSHI KEEP 'EM ASLEEP!

God's right hand man, Col. Roosevelt—(or is it God, Col. Roosevelt's right hand man, anounces with much pompous gusto that "the conservatives will yet come to realize that it is better to have social changes made by the Progressives than to have them come through evil sources."

Sure That is to say, better for the "conservatives" or big capitalists. This is exactly what the Commander-in-Chief at Armageddon has been contending for right along.

The Colonel is eager to do the best he can for the wealthy and it makes him percysh when he realizes that they don't appreciate his efforts. Certain foolish folk who fall for all of the bunk that is passed to them have had foolish notions that he intended to do some good for the working class. Nothing could be farther from his thoughts.

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To be sure he southed the working class by telling them that they had to be stalled off by "reforms" in order to prevent them from seizing the centrol of all seviety. It tacked some of the poor simps to be told that they really ought to have a slice of the bread—in order to prevent their seizing the whole loaf! Some off the capitalist think it isn't really necessary to give them a slice; but Col. Roosevelt holds that if the masters of the bread do not give the working class a little piece of it, that the workers will take it all.

He is right.

He is right.

When a man holds a gun to your head and tells you that he will slip you a through ticket to the Kingdom Come if you don't hand him all you possess, you would think you are lucky if you could stall him off by giving him street-car fare, wouldn't you?

Well, Col. Roosevelt is urging the capitalist class to hand the working class street-car fare, BECAUSE THE WORKING CLASS IS HOLDING A GUN AGAINST THE HEAD OF CAPITALISM.

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The capitalists believe that they can keep the working class divided, just as they have done for many years in the past. The capitalist class does not realize that the constant use of the social tool, machinery, has taught the working class to think in terms of social

production of HEALTH, LIFE, HAPPINESS and the good things which it produces.

Col. Roosevelt appeals to the capitalists to walk soffly lest they wake up the worker. Some of them sooff at him. They say that the some the worker has already slept so long that he will never wake up.

The Socialist asks no "favors" from the capitalists in the way of walking softly. They say that the some the worker is awakened the solution of the sooff enders of t

### WHAT IS TO BE DONE?

# **VERY GOOD AND REFINED PEOPLE**

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# WHAT KIND OF IT?

The hottom rock of moders bourgets involving to profit. Whatever yields profit is good, right and reasonable; whatever tends to endanger or lessen profit is back, vrong and unreasonable. This is modern morality in its working footnes.

In its holiday attire it presents a different aspect, but this is only 'for resist,' and the rock, but this is only 'for show,' as far as the profit managers are concerned, though the working pends and every day. For them, the fundamental have drived in them the fundamental have draw of them is wrong and the other right on, the neally included the very day. For them, the fundamental have draw of the fundamental have draw of the same of the same

### THE "GOOD SOLDIER"

(By Jack London.)

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Young Men: The lowest aim in your life is to become a soldier. The good soldier never tries to distinguish right from wrong. He never thinks; never reasons; he only obeys. If he is ordered to fire on his fellow citizens, on his friends, on his neighbors, on his relatives, he obeys without hesitation. If he is ordered to fire down a crowded street when the poor are clamoring for bread, he obeys, and sees the gray hairs of age stained with red and the life tide gushing from the breasts of women, feeling neither remove nor sympathy. If he is ordered off as a firing squad to execute a hero or benefactor, he fires without hesitation, though he know he bullet will pierce the neblest heart that ever beat in human breast.

A good soldier is a blind, heartless, soulless, murderous machine. He is not a man. He is not a brute, for brutes only dill in self defense. All that is human in him, all that is divine in him, at brute, for brutes only dill in self defense. All that is human in him, all that is divine in him, conscience, ave, his very soul, are in the keeping of his officer.

No man can fall lower than a soldier—it is a depth beneath which he cannot go. 'Keep the boys out of the army. It is hell.

Down with the army and the navy. We don't need killing institutions. We need life-giving institutions.

# THE WORKERS' THIRST FOR KNOWLEDGE

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(By Karl Kautsky.)

One of the most remarkable phenomena in modern society is the thirst for knowledge displayed by the prolectaint. Whe few rid.

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And this thirst for knowledge is entrirely disinterested. Knowledge cannot help the worker at the makine to under the prolectariat and the prolectariat and the prolectariat and the prolectariat and the surface and the prolectariat and the surface and the prolectariat and the little land of Greece, so will the source of culture. Only the triumph of Socialism can make possible under a pr

# THOUGHTS OF THE WORKER

Those who know nothing can be thousands of useful men and women taught, but those who know "every-taing" are unteschable.

Who will be thousands of useful men and women and the control of the universal slave-owner and shave-trader of modern time. Even every year. So you think a system of that Rud ought to be perpetuated? If and promising children are sacrificed every year. So you think a system of that find ought to be perpetuated! If you do not, why do you not join those who are fighting it?

# THE PASSING WEEK

Sidney Morse of the Buffaie Ad Club is at least frank, so far as limited lights permit him to see. In hooting at the idea of a free press before the Ad Club, Morse predicts a mighty civil war in America to result from alignment of the hostella force of the Rockellane and Morpas groups, with the common of the hostella force of the Rockellane and Morpas groups, with the More of the Advances of the

Socialism has no more to do with religion than any other scientific doctrin-has. If science were to busy itself with metaphysics it wouldn't be a science.

The capitalist preachers say that the floods of this spring are due to "God's will." In other words, God is putting on a little exhibition of that mysterious sabotage of which we have heard so much from people who can't even pronounce it right.

TEACHING THEM PEACE.

Just to prove that the Boy Scouts of Buffalo are not permitted to breathe the air of militarism, or to think in terms of soliciting, the Buffalo Courier pinted on Sunday a few pictures of them in their "barracts" and the picture of their "buffary's sounding military calls, in the full regalis of the murder-of their "buffary's sounding military calls, in the full regalis of the murder-of-military calls in the full regalis of the murder-of-military calls in the full regalis of the murder-of-military calls in the full regalis of the full regalis of the full regalis of the murder-of-military calls in the full regalis of th

bund.

The Courier says: "This is the second annual barracks experience of the youngsters. THEY HAVE BEEN UNDER STRICT DISCIPLINE FOR THEEE DAYS. Cots are arranged according to patrols in the large dormitory and each South is required to keep his cot and camp equipment in SOLDIER-LIKE condition. The BARRACKS is in charge of THE REVEREND R. H. Miller, patrot of the church and boorary seculimater. All meneuves were governed patrol of the church and boorary seculimaters. All meneuves were governed fourth [segiment.]

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martial.law. The boys were given across mistake on our part to suppose that So, you see, it must have been a cruel mistake on our part to suppose that socuts are not tought to hat the very thought of soldiering and marder! We understand that by "barracks" is meant a church basement, where children are taught to "keep their camp equipment is soldierilise con-

Besutiful thought, that, of turning a church building into a barracks, in-which to train children to "keep camp equipment in soldier-like condition." Also, taught to respond to the bugle calls and the like. Doesn't it remind you of the lowly Jesust Wouldin't there he a storm raised if a church were used for a camp by minestrikees of West Virginia, for cample, who have been ejected from their homes by the grown up soldiers of that state and forced to starve in the hills!

Would Jesus he in the camp with the starving miners or in the "barracks." training children for the murder-band! Guess.

The purpose of the Socialist movement is not the election of this man or that man—but the education of a world-wide working class. The political form of organization is used, simply became it includes all types and groups of people, and is the ONLY type of organization, outside of the industrial union, which CAN include all types and groups of workers.

We are told that the "near-side" cars are much better than the old and ter-ventilated type. But we notice that on the line where the rich live—Elmwood Avenue line—the near-side cars will be installed LAST. etter-ventilated type.

### NATE FENTON HAS AN "IDEA."

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Not the least amusing of the events recorded is connection with the privately-conducted "vice crusade" put on by the Times in its effort to get. Chief Regan's goat, was the experience of Nate Peaton, the notorious joint-keeper on Brandway.

A great idea percolated through Nate's dome last week, and when the Times began to bawl out Regan, Nat allowed that if he was going to keep under cover, the thing to do was to advertise in the Times. So he blossomed' forth one lay in a four-inch ad in the Times amounting his "cabaret show" in Derhans Regan would not have fetts be add hout it if it were anything but.

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in the Breadway resort.

Ferhaps Regan would not have felt so bad about it if it were anything but a Pitrastrick organ in which the ad appeared; but when Nate made that break, it was too much for Regan's surcharged feelings.

And so there isn't any such thing as a cabaret show at Penton's. In fact, if you can hear the still insull squeek of the piano or the harsher squawk of what Nate is pleased to term "high-blass entertainers direct from Nos Yawk," you sure have some enra-or you're standing closer in than the curlet of the property is always a more or less precarious one.

The attack of the Buffalo Times on Chief Regan might be considered indication that the old Conners-Fitzpatrick feud has broken out again Democratic party. The Times is a Fitzpatrick organ, Regan is one of Comen. That, is what the capitalist reformers consider a "purity" crusside.

Carlossly, the working class must consider the terrible floods in the Ohio Valley as a blessing, because it will provide "work!" Anything that gives the working class an improved opportunity to slave for the masters is a blessing! Such is capitalities.

### LIVES OF "GREAT MEN"

What with Teethadere Rosevelt telling the story of his life and exploits on the first page, and "Bald Jack" Rose telling the story of HIS life and exploits on the second page, it would seem that the average youth of our city is bound to secure all of the dope, in the way of past performance, of our most prominent citizens.

Although Teethadore doesn't drink any more than Old Doc Abbott, as he puts it, he shows a lmarked degree of pride in the fact that one of his paternal grandfathers two centuries back, at in at a boosefest in honor of a visiting aristocrat at which they scaked up wine valued at 84 pounds sterling or about 400. Quite a Bittle party, by Incidentally there were 60 wineglassebroken and 8 decanters broken in the course of the affair, so that, even if the elder Roosevelt were not a strict teetolater like his sanctified decendant, he had some qualities in common with him, as evidenced by the broken glassware!

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As a study in glaring egotism, Roosevelt is, as usual, readable almost to
point of acute nausea; but as an instructive treatise on anything else, his
tings are only mildly amusing.

Have you noticed any "reduced cost of living" since Wilson was inaugurated? Well, then, what did you Democrat workingmen wint"

We can't quite imagine Jesus being sworn in as a deputy to-batter the heads of the workingmen, if he should chance to go to-Akron, O.

The Cleveland chief of police, Kohler, has been canned for gross-immorality. Aren't you glad that Chief Regan is such a pure and unsullied Sir Galahad?

Curiously enough, we hear a lot about the church winning back the working class; but we never hear of any churches starting soup-kitchens for striking slaves.