

CAPITALIST "LAW AND ORDER" REIGNS AT CALUMET

Citizens Alliance Sends Thugs to Meeting Place of Copper Miners and Several Are Shot in Battle for Possession of Hall - Alliance Does Not Heed Injunction - Mine Owners Send Three Trainloads of Armed Men to Scene.

A reign of "law and order" of the capitalist brand is being waged by the Citizens Alliance of Calumet, Mich. Every effort is being made to keep the miners on strike in being made. That the locality is in the hands of the mine owners is readily seen by the reckless use of force in the possession of the hall.

Calumet, Mich.—An attempt by thugs, special deputies and members of the Citizens Alliance to arrest copper mine strikers, who were barricaded in the Western Federation of Miners' hall at South Range, precipitated a fierce battle early today.

All the defenders of the hall were arrested. Thirty rifles and great quantities of ammunition were confiscated and will be thrown into Portage Lake. Two special trains loaded with reinforcements for copper barons at taking form have been sent out from Houghton. About 40 strikers are being surrounded in the federation hall.

MILWAUKEE SOCIALISTS SHOW UP FUSIONISTS

Milwaukee, Wis.—The Socialists of Milwaukee are now fully able to nail to the cross the fusionists who during the past two years go was an extravagant one.

The tax rate is the highest in the history of Milwaukee. The city's portion of the State tax for 1912 and 1913, when the Socialists had control of the city and county government, was \$1,322,608.

The "nonpartisan" government has spent in two years \$3,868,941 MORE in city expenditures than did the Socialist government.

The cost of the county government alone during the last two years was \$74,082 MORE than during the administration headed by Emil Seidel.

The "nonpartisan" city administration had the advantage of revenues \$2,208,971 greater than the administration from the source during the Socialist administration.

The total revenues for 1912 and 1913 which were expended by the "nonpartisan" city administration was \$4,201,691. During 1910 and 1911 the total revenues secured by the Socialist administration were \$2,302,720.

The "nonpartisan" city administration for 1912 and 1913 has expenditures of \$12,704,343. During the two years preceding in the Socialist administration the total expenditures were \$3,221,408.

This means that the cost of the city government for the two years was \$2,382,778 greater than during the two years the Socialists were in power. And this despite the "economy and efficiency" slogan of the "nonpartisans."

These figures the taxpayers have verified by referring to the printed matter on the back of the tax bill. At a rough guess, "lower taxes" as a proposition slogan, the "nonpartisan" administration has proven to be one of largely increased expenditures, with nothing to show for it.

The attempt of the new administration, which arrogantly combined to beat the Socialists, to explain this large increase has fallen flat.

MASQUE AND CIVIC BALL OF SOCIALIST PARTY ON NEW YEAR'S EVE

Once again, as the old year goes out and the new year comes in, the comrades of Buffalo will have an opportunity to be with each other and to enjoy themselves in a night of carol and merrymaking.

Through the morning the fighting continued and before noon a total of half a hundred strikers had been arrested. Included in this number was Victor Valimajki, Finnish federation organizer. The Finnish was shot through the abdomen and the right arm.

Just before noon a third special train carrying deputies and vigilantes was sent to the South Range district, a distance of 27 miles from Houghton. The fire bells were rung in Calumet and Houghton this morning, summoning all members of the Citizens Alliance. Thousands are being held in reserve for instant dispatch to any part of the copper country to war on the strikers.

The first serious outbreak occurred at 9 o'clock, when two deputies were shot down. Labor leaders predict wholesale arrests of members of the Citizens Alliance for violating the injunction issued yesterday by Judge O'Brien, restraining members of the alliance from interfering with federation members. President Charles H. Moyer of the Western Federation of Miners made application for the order following upon the threats to "run all labor leaders out of the state within 24 hours."

have published an "explanation" of his delings in three languages, English, German and Polish, the taxpayers are still in the dark as to the real reasons for the big increase in the levy.

Presumably in an effort to soothe the tempers of the taxpayers, to every tax bill the administration has had pasted a tiny containing the following statement in English, German and Polish: "Why your taxes are higher this year."

State and county taxes for 1913, \$233 per \$1,000 higher than in 1912. City taxes for 1913, 13 cents per \$1,000 lower than in 1912. City taxes for 1912, 32 cents per \$1,000 lower than in 1911.

The total amount of money to be collected by February 1 amounts to \$11,428,644.

ADDED TO THE DOWN AND OUTS

Commercial failures in the United States were 429 against 391 the week before; in Canada, 46, against 48 last week.

ARBEITER MAENNERCHOR WILL SING IN ROCHESTER

There is a treat in store for the people of Rochester. Saturday evening, January 17th, the Arbeiter Maennerchor of Buffalo will give a concert at the Labor Lyceum Hall, 375-380 St. Paul street, Rochester, for the benefit of the Progressive Labor Lyceum. Readers of this paper in Rochester are urged to keep this date in mind and to enjoy good music at this concert by all means.

ALDERMEN IN PAY OF CORPORATIONS

Corporation Attorney Hammond is said to have expressed the opinion that some of our city fathers are in the pay of capitalist corporations. Only some of them, mind you; the others, we assume, are capitalists themselves and need not be bribed to do the political business of the capitalist class.

KENDRICK P. SHEDD WILL SPEAK IN BUFFALO ON SUNDAY AFTERNOON

Kendrick P. Shedd of Rochester will be the principal speaker at a meeting to be held at Star Hall, Broadway and Pratt street, next Sunday afternoon, December 21st, under the auspices of the Jewish Branch of Local Buffalo, N. Y.

This will be Shedd's first public appearance in this city and no doubt a large crowd will be present. To many Socialists in all parts of the country the name of Kendrick P. Shedd is well known.

ONE CENT A MEAL TO COOK BY ELECTRICITY IN WESTERN CITY

An extensive electric-cooking installation was put into service a few months ago in the Young Men's Christian association cafeteria of a western city, association cafeteria of a western city, association cafeteria of a western city, association cafeteria of a western city.

OUT OF WORK WILLING TO ACT AS PROXY PRISONERS

The capitalist press is responsible for the following choice bit of news: "New York.—The police today discovered a system whereby, they believe, minor criminals sentenced to short terms have been able to hire others to take their places in prison.

LAKE VESSELS LACK SUFFICIENT SEAMEN

Local Newspapers Knocking Much Needed Seamen's Bill - Influence of Boat Owners Worth More than Lives to Board of Aldermen.

The influence of the capitalist class on the press and politicians is shown to its full extent in the fight of the boat owners against the LaFollette Seamen's bill. The daily papers are bubbling over with sympathy for the companies that will be compelled to hire a few more men on their boats if the Seaman's bill becomes a law.

CHRISTMAS EVE CELEBRATION OF FINNISH BRANCH

Big dinners are promised by the Finnish Branch for Wednesday evening, December 24th (Christmas eve). Liberty Hall, located at London and Woblers avenues, will be the scene of the festive occasion. Singing, speeches and dancing are on the program. To add to the joy of the festive occasion there will be a Christmas tree. It will be a real old fashioned celebration with all the trimmings as the bill for the entire evening.

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At last the lid has been ripped off, exposing to public view that rotten deception called "charity." Reverend H. B. Jones, a solicitor for five different charitable institutions of this city, and intimately familiar with the game, as played all over the United States, makes grave charges which the Chamber of Commerce has investigated and found to be true.

A great part of the blame for the state of affairs existing in Buffalo today must be laid on the doors of the Buffalo Chamber of Commerce, that venerable institution representing all that is good and noble in the business and civic life of the city. Some time ago it took upon itself the regulation of "charity."

SKINNER'S STATEMENT

I, James S. Skinner, who was employed at present by the Weed Hardware Company of Buffalo, N. Y., do hereby depose, that on or about the last of November, 1912, I was an employee of the Volunteers of America, 93 Broadway, Buffalo, N. Y., and that I remained in their employment until about the middle of December of the same year.

BETTER PUT MOTORS ON P. O. SKATES

Chicago—Roller skates were brought into use in the postoffice here to accelerate the movement of clerks in the checking room. Experts claim that the rollers skates and more will be equipped if the innovation proves efficient. The skaters have a stretch of concrete in the basement of the postoffice.

WISE MR. O'BRIEN

As if to show what a good politician he is, Mr. O'Brien is speaking before the Delaware Ave. N. Y. Chamber of Commerce on "View and Moral Implications of the New Year."

HOLIDAY GIFTS

Backed with every copy of the Buffalo Socialist this week is a list of special holiday offers outside the gift. Every issue contains a card for reading to the children. It is carefully selected. Send the Buffalo Socialist and a book to your Socialist or non-Socialist friend.

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PROPOSITION. "Mr. Wright said that I represented myself as a Discipline minister... I was a minister. He also stated in his report to the Chamber that I was never connected with the Volunteers of America in Erie...

TAKE DONATIONS FOR THE PERSONAL USE of the donors... The producers of "From Dusk to Dawn," which will come to Buffalo for two weeks, beginning December 27th...

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DELEGATES TO CENTRAL COMMITTEE.
 Hereafter the Central Committee will meet at 327 Madison, over the Happy Hour Theater, the first and third Wednesday evenings of each month.

NEW MEMBERS.
 At the last meeting of the Central Committee 28 new members were admitted to the party.

TO ALL MEMBERS.
 In the past many of the Branch business meetings were very dry and uninteresting. Now everything has changed. The Rand School courses make the meetings a source of enjoyment and interest. If you haven't attended your Branch meeting for a while come to the next meeting. You will be surprised and enthused.

PRIZE WINNERS AT THE FAIR.
 The following are the lucky winners at the fair: Gold ring, Arthur Fryer, 135 1/2 Madison street; doll, Fred B. Linemann, 120 Russell avenue; quilt, George Rommel, 166 Ludington avenue; squash, Mrs. Freeborn, 204 14th street.

WOMAN'S CLUB OF BRANCH TWO.
 The Woman's Club of Branch Two will meet at the home of Comrade Grinold, 41 Hunt avenue, on Friday, December 19th, at 7:30 p. m. This meeting will be of vast importance to the women of Branch Two, as the work of the committee winter is to be discussed.

BRANCH TWO.
 Branch Two had a very large attendance at its regular meeting, December 14th, at 7:30 p. m. This meeting was of vast importance, as the work of the committee winter is to be discussed.

BRANCH THREE.
 Branch Three Study Class grows stronger every week. New members have been taken in at each meeting. This course, prepared by Algernon Lee of the Rand School of Social Science, is surely filling a most important want.

BRANCH FIVE.
 Branch Five, composed of the Socialists in the 25th, 26th and 47th wards, meet at the Rand School on Friday, December 19th, at 7:30 p. m.

SCHOOL OF SOCIAL SCIENCE.
 Our attendance at the last three Sunday lessons has been record breaking, and the interest manifested by the children is inspiring to the entire audience.

BRANCH SEVEN.
 The Rand Study Class held its first session in our new quarters, Germania Hall, 245 Seneca street.

Y. P. S. L.
 The Debats, "Resolved, That Socialism is Scientifically, Economically and Morally Sound" proved to be an excellent one. Comrade Miss Miller, who took the affirmative, was very good on all points which she claimed that Socialism was sound Economically, Scientifically and Morally.

FROM DUSK TO DAWN
 The great Socialist moving picture in five reels entitled "From Dusk to Dawn" will be toured through western New York by the Buffalo Socialist Party. Eleven thousand people, including some of the most prominent figures in the Socialist and labor movement in western New York, are expected to see it.

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