

OFFICIALS IN MOVE TO DENY CITIZENSHIP TO SOCIALIST ALIENS

"Do You Believe in Socialism or Anarchy," Question Asked Them

CINCINNATI IS STIRRED

Attorney Klein to Take Matter Up With Washington Authorities

(SPECIAL TO THE DAILY SOCIALIST.) Cincinnati, O., Oct. 3.—That the federal government is not only blood-

hounding the Socialist press, but that it is also seeking to rob Socialists of their constitutional rights as citizens of the United States, is shown by the recent action of Morton A. Sturgis, chief naturalization examiner of the department of commerce and labor.

"Do you believe in Socialism or anarchy?" was the question asked of applicants for citizenship papers by Examiner Sturgis, who had been sent to Cincinnati to examine applicants for citizenship naturalization.

Klein Objects to Course

Nicholas Klein, an attorney and one of the Socialist leaders of Cincinnati, with several other Socialists, was in the courtroom at the time the question was asked. They had come to court with several of the applicants. After the naturalization court had adjourned, Mr. Klein took issue with Mr. Sturgis, who said that he looked on "Socialism as the first step in a mental process that frequently leads to the entertainment of anarchistic and nihilistic views."

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BAKERS IN SPIRITED CALL FOR FUNDS TO AID SWEDISH STRIKE

Urging the American Federation of Labor to wake up in the matter of the general strike in Sweden, the Bakers' Journal and the Deutsch-Amerikanische Backer Zeitung, the official organ of the Bakery and Confectionery Workers' International Union of America, devotes considerable space to the industrial struggle in Sweden in its current issue.

Across the top of the paper is a big headline, carrying the appeal, "Do not forget your fighting brothers in Sweden, donate liberally and quick!" The Bakery and Confectionery Workers' Union of America has already contributed \$250, while the locals of Chicago, New York, Brooklyn and Hoboken have made liberal donations.

Appeal to the Bakers

The article in the Bakers' Journal dealing with the strike is in part as follows:

"Fifty thousand dollars each week are needed to help our Swedish brothers win this fight, and it must be won. Every one of our locals ought to do its share and donate something to the cause of the Swedish proletariat. Excuses, like the one we recently read in the report of a local union (we shall be charitable enough not to mention its number here) do not go.

"No local must say: We are short ourselves and cannot give anything! Just imagine the impression such a reply would create among these striking men and women if it ever would come to their notice.

"The support of the Swedish army of striking proletarians is the duty of the hour of the working class of the entire world. Solidarity expressed in hollow phrases will not lead these fighters to victory. Here money is needed and money again and again to relieve the pangs of hunger among the strikers and their families. Heartrending are the descriptions of the sufferings among these brave fighters and any man reading them and not being induced to dig down into his pocket for his mite, must have a heart of stone.

Americans Lag Behind

"The capitalists of Sweden are trying to starve the strikers and thereby force them into submission. Thanks to the readiness of the working class of Germany, which so far has forwarded to Sweden the sum of 600,000 marks (about \$102,000) the strikers have been enabled to hold their own. American

said Mr. Klein. "I would take this as a mistake of the individual were it not for the fact that Mr. Sturgis is the chief of naturalization examiners and his voice is beyond a doubt the voice of this administration. I shall push this matter and settle it as soon as possible, as applicants are frightened and dare not apply for their citizenship papers when they are tackled like this."

The incident is furnishing the capitalistic newspapers of Cincinnati with good "copy." The Times-Star, special organ of Charles P. Taft, pampered brother of President Taft, came out with a story on its first page headed, "Barr 'Socialists.'"

Will Push His Objection

Mr. Klein says he will write a letter to U. S. Judge Thompson on the subject to have the question, elided in the future, and if necessary he will petition the president and congress for a special law to prevent the asking of what he considers an objectionable question.

"The examiner might as well inquire whether the applicants are Republicans or Democrats," said Mr. Klein. "Socialism is a political party in the United States. It has a place on the official ballots of our elections and is entitled to at least a little respect.

"I am amazed that an examiner has seen fit to find in Socialism the first step of a mental process that leads to anarchy."

Local Socialists Busy

While this federal official is venting the latest spite of the present administration against Socialism, the Socialists are going right ahead and making votes for the coming municipal election, which takes place November 2.

There are to be three separate ballots for this election. The larger one will be the regular one with the candidates for mayor, councilmen and other city officers. The Socialists have a complete ticket, which will appear in the third column of the ballot, with the party emblem of the Ohio Socialists at the top.

There is a special ballot for the school board having no party emblems or party names. Those desiring to vote the Socialist ticket must hunt up the names of the Socialist candidates. The candidates at large are Pearl Munroe, superintendent of the Socialist Sunday-school, and Margaret Edwards Groat, president of the Woman's Union Label League. Among the ward candidates are: Sixth, Elmore Stinger; eighth, Bishop W. Mason; twelfth, Clara Walker; fourteenth, Lotta Burkert; twenty-fourth, Magdalena Neumister.

Third Ballot Printed

There is another similar special ballot, called the assessor of real property ballot. The Socialist candidates on this ballot are: George Wesels, Albert Klein and Nicholas Klein.

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WOMEN WANT A LABOR PARTY

Socialistic Body Like That in England Is Asked For by Delegates

Calling on the American Federation of Labor to form a Socialistic labor party like the Independent labor party of Great Britain, though that organization was not mentioned by name, the National Woman's Trade Union league has closed its convention. Before adjournment it had refused an invitation from Marshall Field & Co. to visit that store. The refusal was based on the ground that the company is the foe of woman's trade union organizations. It might have been added that by the same measure the company is the enemy of womanhood, but that was not stated so clearly.

Ask Government Recognition

A resolution was also passed calling for the appointment in the department of commerce and labor of a bureau headed by a woman, this bureau to have as its special work the investigation and regulation of the condition of women and children in industry.

Want a Labor Party

The resolution on political action reads: "Whereas, It is believed that the time is now ripe for the working classes of the United States to forward their legitimate interests by political action; and

"Whereas, It is believed that the above interests can be best served by the formation of a political labor party pledged to an undivided loyalty to the cause of labor; and

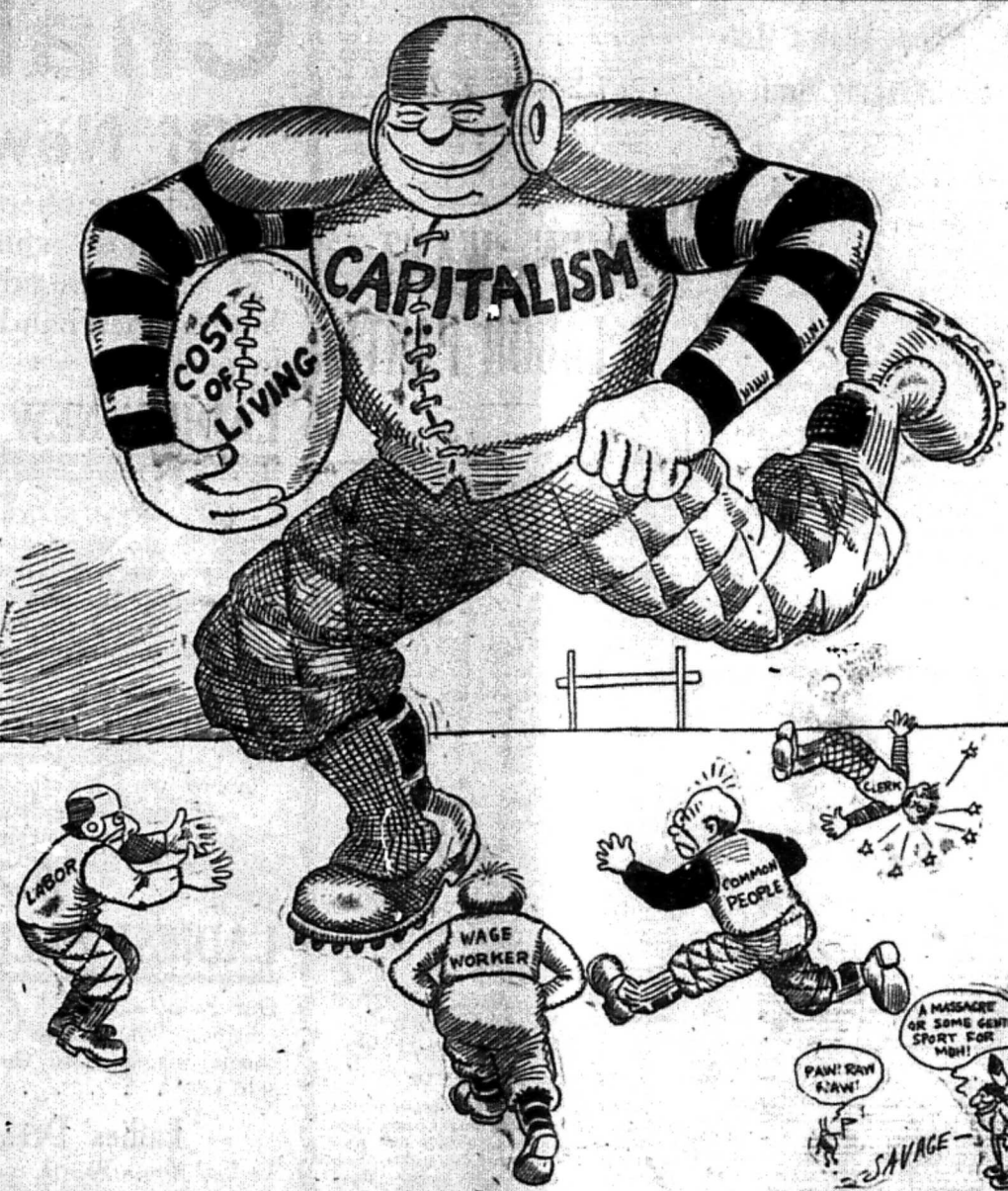
"Resolved, That the delegates of the National Women's Trade Union league, in convention assembled, do urge upon the American Federation of Labor to take action toward the formation of a labor party, which party shall be pledged to the single purpose of forwarding the higher interests of the toiling millions as against the selfish interests of a privileged minority, and which shall welcome to its membership all persons of whatever other affiliations who shall subscribe to the above lines of action; and be it further

Socialist Money Coming

Up to the end of the month of September \$1,342.13 has been contributed to the aid of the Swedish strikers as a result of the circulars sent out to the Socialist locals of the country by National Secretary J. Mahlon Barnes on September 22. It took the circulars several days to reach a large number of the locals and as the matter was finally delayed until the next meeting the results are just now beginning to come in.

An enthusiastic gathering greeted C. E. Tholin, the Swedish delegate, at Phoenix Park, Division and Sedgwick streets, last night, listening to him for nearly two hours as he told of the

A HARD PROPOSITION TO TACKLE



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SAYS PAY-AS-YOU-ENTERS MENACE PASSENGERS' HEALTH

John P. Wolf, chief deputy United States marshal, has complained to M. E. Hereley, city traction expert, of draughts in the big "pay-as-you-enter" cars. He believes half the passengers in the cars will be stricken with pneumonia this winter unless the doors are kept shut.

"These are now in my office ten men who have caught pneumonia riding in the big cars," said Mr. Wolf today. "I caught it myself and know many others who have caught cold in the cars. The doors in front and behind kept open by the trainmen or swung wide open with the draught. This means a regular gale of cold air on persons in the front seats. They have no protection and when they get to their journey's end the seeds of disease are sown."

Plenty of ventilation is obtained, says Mr. Wolf, from the upper windows of the cars. Mr. Hereley will investigate the complaint.

MITCHELL URGES BAN ON ALIENS

New York, Oct. 4.—The American Federation of Labor, through Vice President John Mitchell, who is also chairman of the trade agreement department of the national civic federation, has issued a public statement declaring that certain steamship lines are bringing undesirable immigrants to this country and suggesting that Amer-



JOHN MITCHELL

ican wage earners advocate the incorporation of the following restrictions in the immigration laws:

1. That in addition to the restrictions imposed by the laws at present in force the head tax of \$4 now collected should be increased to \$10.
2. That each immigrant, unless he be a political refugee, should bring with him not less than \$25 in addition to the amount required to pay transportation to the point where he expects to find employment.
3. That immigrants between the age of 14 and 50 years should be able to read a section of the constitution of the United States, whether in our language or in their own language or in the language of the country from which they come.

THIS WEEK TO LAY BARE GRAFT

Wayman Gives the Sheriff a Long List of Grand Jury Witnesses

State's Attorney Wayman, refreshed by his rest, appeared early at the criminal court building Saturday and made his usual comment of "nothing to say." Then he retired into his office and soon his representatives sought the office of Sheriff Strassheim with a long list of subpoenas returnable today and other days in the "fore part of this week."

Immediately rumors spread that Wayman's trip had borne fruit and that today and Tuesday will see a throng of politicians, policemen and business men hastening to the grand jury room.

"Nothing Sensational"

William Lupper, who acted as state's attorney while Wayman was away, breathed easier, and when asked what the day's developments would be said, "Nothing sensational," and laughed.

Meantime anxiety continues in the city hall and in those circles in which business and politics mix with criminal traffic of various sorts. In the south side levee district there is consternation.

Wayman's reply to the municipal court judges was to the effect that his treatment of their cases was similar to that which they usually received from the higher courts. Justice Olson of the municipal court said that the municipal court did not as a body intend to criticize Wayman and the incident was closed.

Merriam Gets \$10,000 Fund

The Merriam committee was given a boost when the council finance committee agreed to recommend \$10,000 for preliminary expenses.

The city comptroller issued a book giving the figures for the year 1908 and showing it to be the most expensive year on record in the city hall. Whether or not this money has been properly expended, whether it represents the growth of the city or the growth of the greed of politicians and business men is for Merriam and Wayman to find out. The figures are significant.

They show an increase of 550 city employees between the year 1907 and that of 1908. They show that in 1908 there were 11,851 city employees on the payroll and that at the close of 1908 there were 12,745, an increase of 8,154 since Fred A. Busse became mayor.

Expenses Are \$47,055,629.63

The total expenses of the city of Chicago for all purposes are shown by the report to have been in 1908, \$47,055,629.63, the largest in the history of the city. The increase in city employees given does not include the employees of the board of education or of the library board. There seems ample ground for the general public belief that Busse is building up a machine of city employees and that various interests, both Democratic and Republican, are being led up to the trough and fed.

EMPLOYEE AT SWELL HOTEL BEATEN FOR BEING AN AGITATOR

U. S. FINDS HEIR TO \$10 AFTER A FOUR YEARS' HUNT

Washington, D. C., Oct. 4.—Success finally has rewarded the efforts of the government to locate an heir to the estate of Postmaster George W. Weart of Deal Beach, N. J., to which the post-office department owes \$10.

When Mr. Weart was postmaster of Deal Beach, in 1905, a registered package, valued at \$10, was reported lost and he was forced to make good the loss. Subsequently, inspectors discovered that the package had been delivered to the addressee.

After retiring from office Mr. Weart went west and, shortly afterward, died. For nearly four years the department has been searching for his heirs to refund the \$10.

A few days ago the story of the search for the heirs of Mr. Weart's estate was sent out. Today the postoffice department received from James T. Weart of Portland, Ore., a communication conveying information that he was a son of former Postmaster Weart and the administrator of his estate. The \$10 will be forwarded to him at once.

COMMITTEE TO EXTEND SCOPE OF LONDON DRAMA CENSOR

London, Oct. 4.—It is understood that the joint committee of the house of lords and the house of commons, which was appointed to inquire into the censorship of the drama, will report in favor of retaining the present censorship of plays and extending the supervision of the censor to music hall sketches.

GOMPERS SAILS FOR NEW YORK

Paris, France, Oct. 4.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, accompanied by his wife and his daughter, left Havre Saturday on the steamer Savoie for New York. Mr. Gompers has been attending a series of labor meetings in Europe.

BANQUET TO BE GIVEN LEWIS' OPPONENT TONIGHT

On the eve of his departure on a speaking tour that will cover 14,000 miles, John Z. White, lecturer for the Henry George Association, who will debate with Arthur M. Lewis at the Garrick tomorrow, will be given a dinner this evening by friends at Kimball's cafe. Mr. White leaves Monday for the Pacific coast, where he will deliver 250 lectures in more than 100 cities. As a candidate for congress on the Populist ticket Mr. White was twice defeated by Senator Lorimer in the old second district.

GIRL SWIMMER ATTACKED BY DEVIL FISH; NEARLY DROWNS

Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 4.—Miss Mary Seymour is recovering from injuries inflicted by a devilfish which nearly drowned her in the surf at Long Beach yesterday. Miss Seymour, who is an expert swimmer, went beyond the life line near the pier, and the octopus grasped her with its tentacles. Screaming, she struck for one of the pilings of the pier, while the monster wound itself about her legs. She managed to lay hold of the pile and her shrieks brought life savers to her aid. When rescued she had swooned.

MOORISH DEAD NUMBERS 400

Madrid, Oct. 4.—A dispatch received from Melilla tonight says that the Moors had more than 400 men killed in the recent fighting and a proportionate number wounded.

FOREST FIRES ARE RAGING IN THE EASTERN PART OF TEXAS

Houston, Tex., Oct. 4.—Forest fires are said to be raging in Liberty, Polk, Harding, Angelina, Tyler, Kasper, Newton and other eastern Texas counties. The drought of the last few months has caused an accumulation of wood refuse.

Red oak trees are said to be suffering from the fire, because their rooting is not deep. Fences are being destroyed and many people are compelled to fight the fire with wet sacks to save buildings.

3,000 CHEYENNE INDIANS IN WYOMING ABOUSE FEARS

Cheyenne, Wyo., Oct. 4.—Restlessness among 3,000 Cheyenne Indians on the reservation near Sheridan, has caused apprehension among white settlers in that vicinity. The red men have been engaged for four days in the sun and willow dances. The government recently distributed \$40,000 among the Indians. Since that time indications of trouble have been noted.

Bullinger to Inspect Irrigation

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 4.—Secretary Bullinger will leave here today on a journey of inspection of irrigation projects. At the president's special request, he will pass several days in the Hetch Hetchy valley, where San Francisco is seeking a water supply.

Made Victim of Brutal Attack at the La Salle; Two Are Arrested

Charles About, an employe of the La Salle hotel, was brutally beaten by a hotel official this morning because he protested against doing work which did not properly belong to his duties. He was told that he was discharged and told to leave, but, not waiting for him to obey that order, three men, an assistant manager of the hotel, the silver room boss and another man assaulted About and beat him brutally, according to the man's story.

IS CLIMAX OF EXPOSE

Bosses at Hostelry Made Desperate by Revolt at Inhuman Conditions

These conditions were exposed by the Daily Socialist and better conditions secured. About was taxed this morning with being a troublemaker. Later, when he was handling silver in discharge of his duties, the boss of the silver room swore at About and told him not to make so much noise with the silver. About took the abuse and went about his work. Then, failing to nag him by that method, the silver boss waited a moment and then told About to do some other work. About objected that he had been hired to work in the silver room and was responsible to another man who had hired him.

Is Called a Socialist

The silver boss then went for the assistant manager of the hotel and the three men came back to the silver room.

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"You are fired!" shouted the silver room boss. "I was not hired by you," said About. The assistant manager then backed up the silver room boss. "All right," said About. "You get out of here!" roared the silver room boss and struck About in the right eye. Then some other men set on him and after beating him they hit out on the street. About had worked at the hotel three days, having come from San Francisco.

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Efforts to learn anything concerning the beating of About at the Hotel La Salle were futile. Charlie Laquerre, head chef and ear of the kitchen, who has already fired several of the men working under him to whom he had taken some sort of dislike, claimed that nothing had happened at all.

The records at the Harrison street police station, however, show that Conrad Miller and Nick Varris are two of the men who attacked About. They were put under arrest by Detective Andy Rohan charged with assault and battery. Their cases will be heard in the Harrison street branch of the municipal court next Monday morning.

PROHIBITION WAVE CAUSES BREWERY AGENT TO END LIFE

Washington, Ind., Oct. 4.—George Killion, agent of a Terre Haute brewing company at Loogootee, which went "dry" in the Martin county option election, killed himself last night because his business had decreased and a mortgage on his horses and wagons had been foreclosed yesterday. Killion, who was 34 years old, drank carbolic acid.

RATE WAR ON COAST MAKES TRAVEL AND MEALS CHEAP

Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 4.—The West Coast Steamship company, which operates steam schooners, took part in the rate war on the coast yesterday and reduced the fare between this city and San Francisco to \$1.85 first class and \$1.25 second class. The distance is 450 miles and a ticket includes meals and berth.

Mining Congress Near End

Goldfield, Nev., Oct. 4.—The twelfth annual session of the American mining congress will come to a close today, the only business being the adoption of the report of the committee on resolutions.

Murder Case With Jury

Warrenton, Va., Oct. 4.—The case of J. D. Harris, charged with the murder of W. A. Thompson, was given to the jury in the night.

NEW YORK FETE STIRS UNIONISTS

Allege That They Were Discriminated Against in Giving Out Work

(SPECIAL TO THE DAILY SOCIALIST.) New York, Oct. 4.—Non-union men at non-union wages did the work of the Hudson-Fulton celebration. The lavish expenditure of hundreds of thousands of dollars did not benefit organized labor in the least...

Arch Fox to Labor "Edwards is the worst man we have ever contended with," said Featherston. "He uses non-union men whenever he gets a chance. He engaged laborers to do the carpenters' work on the stands that he erected."

Didn't Want to Pay Scale "None of the additional jobs went to union men," said Kleinman. "The hotel keepers did not want to pay the union wages. They offered to take some men to work on a 10 per cent commission basis, but we rejected the offer."

Bartenders Out of Work "The number of bartenders out of work is very large, due to the fact that the summer season is now closed. On the many boats that are doing service during the festival there is not one union bartender employed."

PAINTERS CENTER OF STRUGGLE

Both Building Trades Organizations Seeking Their Affiliation The Painters' District Council is now the center of the struggle between the old and the new factions in the building trades in Chicago...

Forces Sparring for Time Both forces in the Painters' District Council, the central body of the Brotherhood of Painters, Decorators and Paperhangers, are now sparring for time...

Body Stuffed Behind Couch The body of the murdered girl was stuffed down between the couch and the wall. Her left hand was across her face as if to ward off a blow, and she had been shot in the mouth and side of the head...

Shooting at Union Pickets Tin Trust Strike Breakers Fire at Workers at Elwood, Ind. Elwood, Ind., Oct. 4.—There is great indignation over the action of the strike-breakers who fired on union pickets yesterday at the mills of the American Sheet and Tin Plate Company...

LABOR SPIES INVADE MEETING Attend Conference of Cloak Makers; Agitators Are Discharged Labor spies gave evidence of some more of their "clever" work in reporting the attempt of the employees of Ferguson Bros., 538 Milwaukee avenue, to secure higher wages.

LABOR SPIES INVADE MEETING (Continued) The cloakmakers employed by Ferguson Bros. held a meeting Thursday at

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City Sealer Displays Much Ire When Shown Letter Charging Graft

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The Offending Letter A reporter for the Daily Socialist visited the city sealer's office on the fourth floor of the Chicago Journal building. The cause of the quest was a letter to the Daily Socialist, which read in part as follows: "To the Editor: "Dear Sir: While in Chicago for the past three months I learned some interesting facts regarding graft in the city sealer's department. I will give you one incident which may help the investigation now on foot in your city."

Boos to Hit Ceiling The reporter showed the letter to a deputy inspector, who said, "Wait till the boss sees that and he'll hit the ceiling." The words were prophetic. The reporter then showed the letter to the chief-deputy. The chief deputy is an "experienced official. He is cool and calm. He went to the ordinance and showed that scales under three tons capacity must be tested once annually and heavier scales twice a year. Then he produced the record to show the test of a fifteen-ton scale on September 24, for which \$150 was charged. He could find no other records of scales tested at the company's place."

SPURNED, KILLS GIRL AND SELF

A double tragedy occurred at 5:45 a. m. today at 518 Rush street. Enraged at her refusal of his offers of marriage and a further angered by the cause she spurned, Charles Miller, 41 years old, an engineer at the Hofbrau cafe, crept into the room of Phoebe Armstrong, 23 years old, a bill clerk for the W. M. Hoyt Grocery company, and when she betrayed his presence by screaming shot and killed her and then committed suicide at her feet. The shooting was in a rooming house conducted by Mrs. H. Moffitt.

Great Appreciation Shown The office was filled with employees and great appreciation was manifest on their faces. "You are welcome to investigate, to see all the records," and the city sealer was as good as his word. He instructed the deputy to look for the records of the tests on the other scales. They could not be found. "It is what I have always told you—no card system is no good," said the city sealer. Finally he called up the Garden City Wrecking and Lumber Company. "This is the city sealer," he fairly roared. "How many scales have you?" "One," came back the answer. "You tell me one and here I have a complaint charging graft and saying you have three. Tell the truth now, how many have you? No, I did not call any one a liar, but I want the truth. You have one—only one—now the truth, remember. I am coming out to see. Oh, you have another but it is in storage. Well, have you any weights for it? You have no weights—the truth, remember?"

A Damnable Thing to Do "They have only one scale," he said, turning to the reporter. "What do you think of that—a man to charge graft like that? It's damnable." The reporter ventured a few matter-of-fact suggestions. "Will you let me keep the letter as a matter of courtesy to me?" said the city sealer. This was refused. "But I have the name, anyway," and he wrote a name. It was the wrong name, for the city sealer was agitated. But he says he is going to the Garden City Wrecking and Lumber Company himself.

MARY HARRIMAN TO WED GOELET

New York, Oct. 4.—Society here is expecting the wedding of Miss Mary Harriman, daughter of the late railroad magnate, and Robert W. Goelet within two months, although no formal announcement of the engagement has been made. It has been admitted by relatives of Miss Harriman and of Mr. Goelet that had the financial wizard lived a few weeks longer, there would have been an elaborate wedding in the Newport castle at Arden. And now they admit—since a decent interval has elapsed after the burial of the master of Arden—that the wedding will soon take place, anyhow, only it will be a quiet one.

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EISLER LEADER IN DENVER PROBE

Former Chicago Socialist Head of Body Investigating Water Scandal

(SPECIAL TO THE DAILY SOCIALIST.) Denver, Colo., Oct. 4.—George Eisler, at one time a prominent Socialist of Chicago, has gained the unanimous support of the Trades and Labor Assembly in the fight which he is making for the municipal ownership of Denver's water plant.

Eisler is secretary of the water committee of the assembly and has handed in a lengthy report, covering the water situation in Denver, which was adopted with but one dissenting vote.

"Speer Czar of Denver"

"Boss Speer," said Mr. Eisler, in submitting his report, and referring to Mayor Speer, "is practically the czar of Denver, though he became mayor professing to be the representative and champion of the people. He has betrayed them and they are powerless, under the present charter, to prevent him from continuing to do so.

"I charge that he has committed malfeasance in office in his attitude on the water question. He has on all occasions shown himself haughty toward those people who dared to question his acts. Why should the people be subjected to the unrestricted rule and insubordination of their servants?"

Eisler's committee recommended specific amendments to the city charter, covering the initiative, referendum and the recall. The committee also proposes the voting of \$7,000,000 bonds with which either to purchase the present water plant or to construct a new one quite independently of the water company's.

Denver Paper in Crusade

"Dr. Speer's manipulation of Denver for the benefit of the water company is striking," declares the Denver Times. "He sits in the water company's meetings; he forces the city council to legislate for the water company's campaign. With a water election pending he refuses to give out to the public the information he is possessed of and keeps it wholly in the dark as to when or in what particular form the election will be held."

PROSPERITY IN GREAT BIG GOBS

"Full operations in both production and distribution have started out under the most encouraging conditions," says the Weekly Review of Chicago Trade made by R. G. Dun & Co. "Not only does the accumulation of forward work in the leading industries compare favorably with the best times, but heavy undertakings announced indicate a remarkable extension of activities in manufacturing and transportation.

"Payments through the banks evidence active exchanges, the aggregate for September and this week being largely in excess of the corresponding periods last year. Money finds an ample outlet in commercial circles and the banks are enabled to secure more profitable returns."

Bradstreet's Seed Boom

New York, Oct. 2.—Bradstreet's says: "With the advent of cooler fall weather this week a bar to fullest trade development has been removed and final distribution has been enlarged. Railway traffic is expanding and idle cars have almost disappeared as the crop, industrial and general merchandise movements have expanded. Industrial reports are still of expansion, and the trades allied to the iron and steel industries are returning reports of full or extra time."

RAID POKER GAME IN THE AUDITORIUM AND NAB SEVEN

Detectives raided a poker game in room 356 at the Auditorium Hotel last night and arrested seven players. Twenty-five decks of cards and 200 paper chips were confiscated. At the police station the men gave the following names: William Barry, said to be running the game; James Johnson, H. G. Wilkes, Arthur Thompson, Edward Kaskell, Larry R. Stevens and Robert Jones. All were released on bonds.

So quietly was the raid conducted that the management of the hotel did not know of it until three hours later. The hotel register showed that room 356 was rented Thursday night to "W. B. Roberts, St. Charles, Ill."

Frank Goldman, arrested yesterday in room 22, 125 Washington street, and William Wallace, arrested in a room on the fifth floor of a building at 17 Dearborn street, are charged with operating handbooks.

SUFFRAGISTS OF ILLINOIS OPEN NEW HEADQUARTERS

The suffragists have begun their winter campaign by opening a state headquarters in room 740 of the Fine Arts building. The Illinois branch will here conduct its part of a campaign which will be national in extent. The leaders throughout the country hope to get several millions of signatures to a petition which will be presented to congress next session. The petition will ask that the word "male" be stricken out of the constitution in the section governing the right to vote.

"In these headquarters," said Mrs. F. Gurney Stubbs last evening, "we hope to get votes, and also in the booth which is going to set up at the state fair in Springfield. The latter will be in the nature of a school."

PROFIT SHARING PLAN HAD A STRING ATTACHED TO IT

The Crane Company yesterday filed a bill in the Superior Court to enjoin Adolph F. Gartz, member of the board of education and former officer of the Crane company, from prosecuting a suit for \$150,000 against it in the Circuit court. The company also seeks to have the courts compel Mr. Gartz to surrender \$100,000 worth of stock in the company on payment of its par value with interest. The profit sharing principle of the company, which was established more than a decade ago, is involved in the suit.

The bill states that when a holder of such stock as that of Mr. Gartz leaves the employ of the company he must surrender it for its par value, with interest at 8 per cent for one year.

From 1888 to 1904, the bill avers, Mr. Gartz received \$113,741 as extra compensation, \$81,713.33 as dividends on his stock and \$146,000 as salary, in all amounting to \$325,512.33.

The bill avers that while Mr. Gartz was treasurer 1,200 shares of stock were transferred by employees who were discharged or who left the company's employ, and that he knew that when he quit he should have done the same.

MORE ARRESTS MADE IN SPAIN

Cerbere, France, Oct. 4.—According to reports reaching the frontier from Spain, the authorities continue to make arrests throughout Catalonia. Yesterday the mayor of Port Bou, Senor Torrella and his brother were thrown into prison upon the discovery that they had been in correspondence with Senor Ferrer, the great educator, who seeks to establish modern schools in Spain.

The strict censorship over news dispatches continues to be enforced throughout the province of Catalonia, Spain. A press dispatch for a point outside of Spain must be submitted to and receive the approval of the military governor.

Disarming the Peasants

According to news that reaches here, military searching parties are scouring Catalonia, disarming the peasants.

Reports from Madrid say that great excitement has been caused by the publication in Espana Nueva of an article signed by Julio Cereva, a republican deputy from Valencia, declaring that: "We must try every means in order to put an end to the shameful situation which is placing Spain in the eyes of Europe on the same level as Russia and Turkey before the revolution, for I doubt whether the Young Turks would submit to what is being endured in this unhappy country. Abuse of law, justice, equity and right will always justify the use of violence."

Ask Aid of Socialists

The first and second articles of the resolution passed by the republican senators and deputies merely declared that their party would ask the government to re-establish the constitutional guarantees. For this purpose they form a union with all parties of the opposition from the liberals of the right wing to the Socialists.

But the third article says that in the event of non-compliance with this demand, which is made without any idea of resorting to violence and is therefore eminently patriotic, the Republican minority will understand that the moment has arrived for stirring up a profound agitation in the country in order to save liberties and national interests jeopardized by the obnoxious policy of the government.

DIG UP JUG OF WHISKEY OF THE VINTAGE OF 1823

Spencer, Ind., Oct. 4.—Workmen engaged in tearing down the old Owen county court house found a gallon jug of whiskey buried in a crevice in the foundation stones. The jug was sealed with sealing wax and bore on one side a discolored paper label, inscribed as follows:

"As posted by Joseph Freeland, 1826; distilled in Owen county, 1823."

This shows that the liquor is about eighty-six years old. The jug was of an old time pattern and showed the marks of age. About half of the contents had evaporated.

The liquor is now in the possession of the county auditor, who has purchased a new spoon, preparatory to dealing the precious liquid out in limited quantities to the county officials and others who have been making an active part in establishing the new courthouse.

Students and music lovers generally who have felt that they could not afford to concert goers in the past will profit by the policy of popular priced Sunday orchestra concerts to be given at the Auditorium, beginning October 31.

The plan is in a general way an adaptation of a principle successfully applied in Europe and more or less of a copy of the "popular" concerts that have been so successful in New York.

IMMIGRATION HEAD IS OUSTED

Chief Inspector Davies Is Suspended for "Sleeping On the Job"

Daniel D. Davies, chief immigration inspector at Chicago, has been suspended for general incompetency by Daniel J. Keefe, commissioner of immigration, following reports from the department of commerce and labor that Davies was asleep on the job. Agents of the latter department have been in Chicago for the last several months at various times, and Davies, fat and jolly and lazy, feared for his official welfare and sent his agents over many of the trails followed by the commerce and labor men.

Case Which Caused Ousting

But it was useless. Things happened right under Davies' nose were first reported to him in voluminous form by the department of commerce and labor for his prosecution. Davies spurred on his sleuths, but to no avail.

The case of Mrs. Salvy, an alien woman removed from a disorderly resort, is said to figure in Davies' troubles. It is claimed that this woman, with her two children, came to Chicago from South Africa, where her husband is said to be interested in gold mines, on a visit. Misfortune met them, and the mother entered or was enticed into an Armour avenue resort; at any rate, being found there. She and her children were ordered deported whence she came. In the meantime, while she was under the care of the immigration department, her children disappeared. She was sent to New York, where she pleaded piteously for her children, and the authorities ordered the children to be recovered. This was done.

Plummer Succeeds Davies

Davies was stationed at Sault Ste. Marie before he was sent to Chicago. He pretends to be a smooth and crafty and even an efficient sleuth. Inspector Plummer, head of the Chinese branch of the immigration department in Chicago, has been temporarily placed in charge as Davies' successor.

Walsh Backers Seeking Delay

Negotiations are on between the guarantors of John R. Walsh's note for \$7,121,887.12 and the Chicago banks to which Walsh has failed to pay the \$7,121 due as quarterly interest on the debt.

The guarantors are going on the theory that Mr. Walsh may be led to turn over his holdings, which potentially are of value to the banks. If he does so it is considered plausible that rather than force payment at once the banks will be inclined to develop the Walsh properties to their utmost and perhaps make them mills to grind out a golden stream to prevent a loss on the Walsh note. In such a case the guarantors themselves will have passed the present crisis by a narrow, but safe margin.

Lessing Rosenthal, legal representative of John M. Smyth and Maurice Rosenthal, the two guarantors most heavily interested, admitted last night that meetings are being held. The prospects for adjusting the relations between the guarantors and the banks with amity, he earnestly declared, to be "far from hopeful."

Mr. Rosenthal said, but the tone of the lawyer indicated gentle optimism.

THAW TO MAKE ANOTHER FIGHT

New York, Oct. 4.—When the Court of Appeals resumes sessions next week it will be asked to pass upon the question of the legality of the commitment of Harry K. Thaw to the Matteawan State Hospital, and also whether oral betting is a violation of the anti-race track gambling laws.

The court will hear Thaw's appeal on Wednesday from an order of the Appellate division, which upheld the decision of Justice Mills at White Plains dismissing a writ of habeas corpus for the release of Thaw. Counsel for Thaw contend that he should have been given a jury trial to determine his sanity.

BOOK BARGAINS

"Socialism and Religion," a ten-cent pamphlet, by Omar Neredi, very good for propaganda. Only five cents. Get your orders in early before the edition is exhausted.

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Traffic of the Metropolitan elevated is now averaging the largest in the history of the company. The daily average is from 150,000 to 165,000 passengers. The best business the company ever enjoyed was for the month of October, 1907, when the daily average was 157,088.

The company had a poor year in 1908, but since the beginning of 1909 the traffic has grown steadily. The daily average for December, 1908, was 147,896 passengers. Resumption of operations in the factory district is responsible for the growing traffic, since the Metropolitan serves a manufacturing territory.

COURTIS TO MAKE SERIES OF FLIGHTS AT HAWTHORNE

Chicago will have an opportunity of seeing Glenn H. Curtiss, the aviator, in a series of flights at Hawthorne race track on October 9, 10 and 11. Mr. Curtiss will leave New York today for Hammondsport, N. Y., and will start to Chicago Monday night previous to going to St. Louis, where he is to make flights under the auspices of the Aero Club in connection with that city's celebration.

LOAN SHARK SUES ANITA'S PRINCE

Vienna, Oct. 4.—Prince Miguel of Braganza, who married Miss Anita Stewart of New York at Tulloch castle, Dingwall, Scotland, on September 15, has been sued by a money lender for \$1,200 in the commercial court of justice here.

The money lender charged that the prince, whose marriage was attended by a brilliant company of American plutocrats and Austrian aristocrats, borrowed \$1,200 when he found himself unable to pay his hotel bill in Paris.

Furthermore, the inexorable money lender averred, the eldest son of the pretender to Portugal's throne said he had not money enough to buy a railroad and steamship ticket to Scotland, where his future bride awaited him.

The judge, who plainly sympathized with the young nobleman who was driven to borrow money, persisted in questioning the money lender about the exact amount of cash he had handed the prince, and the interest he had demanded.

There is a strict law against usury in this empire. The money lender evaded the judge's questions and finally withdrew the suit.

Besides, it had been intimated strongly to the court that the prince's aunt, the grand duchess of Parma, would be delighted to pay any of the prince's debts, but not at usurious interest.

STATE OF OREGON TAXES THE HARRIMAN ESTATE \$500,000

Salem, Ore., Oct. 4.—The state of Oregon will collect from the estate of the late E. H. Harriman, as soon as the appraisement of his railroad property is made, approximately \$500,000 as an inheritance tax.

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The league headquarters, 180 Washington street, have been thoroughly remodeled, cleaned and decorated in preparation for a big season of work and play, and now presents an appearance which does credit to the organization.

Band Has Been Organized

A Y. P. S. L. band has been organized to furnish music for its many entertainments and social functions. In the poolroom there is a brand new table and everything is spick and span and the deck is all cleared for a forward movement along the line.

The lecture season opens Sunday night, October 3, at 8 o'clock, with a lecture by James B. Smiley on the subject, "The Problems of Evil," with musical selections by Hazel and Edyth Black.

On Wednesday evening, October 6, Prof. J. Howard Moore will give the first of a series of four lectures on "Napoleon Bonaparte, Genius and Head Hunter." Moore's lectures will be given each Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Professor Moore has outlined his lecture series as follows:

Wednesday, October 6th

1. When the Sward Is Fair.
2. Bonaparte and His Pictures.
3. The Great Number One.
4. The Two Factors of Fate.
5. Hitting Up the Hurricane.

Wednesday, October 13th

6. A Magee Plaster.
7. As a Warrior.
8. As a Statesman.
9. Titan and Malefactor.

Wednesday, October 20th

10. Bonaparte's Religion.
11. Minor Traits and Habits.

Wednesday, October 27th

12. An Island and a Man.
13. A Human Prometheus.
14. All Is Well That Ends Well.
15. Falling from the Sky.
16. Bonaparte Born Too Late.
17. Conclusion.

Sunday Evening Lectures

The following well known speakers will lecture each Sunday evening at 8 o'clock on the subjects mentioned:

October 7—"The Problem of Evil," James B. Smiley.

October 10—"Necessary Reforms in Public School Education," Dr. Mina C. McEachern.

October 13—"The Rise of Capitalism in America," A. M. Simpson.

October 16—"Musical, dramatic and literary entertainment."

October 20—"A Legal View of Socialism," by a lawyer, Thomas J. Morgan.

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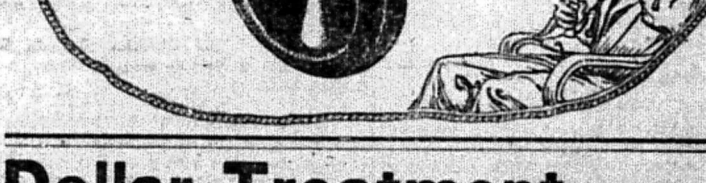
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Socialist Urges Party Not to Heed Attacks Made by Swedish Minister

Charles H. Sand, chairman of the Lakeview Scandinavian Socialist Club, in a letter to County Secretary G. T. Fraenkel, advises that no attention be paid to the recent attack on Socialism by Rev. Carl Benson, pastor of the Swedish Mission Church.

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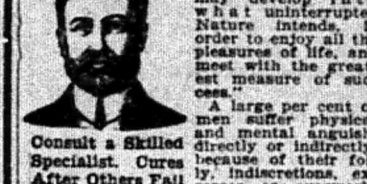


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MAN COMMITTS SUICIDE ON STEPS OF HALL OF FAME

New York, Oct. 4.—The steps to the Hall of Fame at New York University were chosen yesterday by an unidentified suicide for his last look at life. The man shot himself in the head, and when found still grasped a revolver. The body was removed to the morgue.

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Knock Down That Three

Say, it is about time to demolish the figure 3 at the head of "balance to get"...

We can do it with about \$250. That amount ought to come by next Tuesday or Wednesday...

Today No. 1 gave 50 cents, No. 2 \$1, and No. 3 \$2. The easiest part is the one neglected...

When we get Socialism? Yes, and it isn't near as far off as you think. The capitalists will soon pounce down upon us...

The revolution is a settled fact. It will come, and come soon. But how shall it come?

If we let the workers remain in ignorance they will simply rise up without plan or knowledge of the real solution of the problem...

If we educate and organize the workers they will revolt in a well planned way. They will remove not only the oppressive rulers...

To thus educate the workers and lead them along is the task of the Daily Socialist. Can you afford to let this teacher and leader suffer?

I donate \$1 a day for 5 days. I donate 50c a day for 10 days. I donate 10c a day for 30 days.

Original amount to be raised \$5,000.00. Previously reported \$2,028.74. Received Friday 15.25. Total so far 2,044.03.

What we MUST get, and get soon \$3,255.97. By order of the Board of Directors. J. O. BENTALL, Secretary.

THE SOCIALIST PRESS

The Socialist press is the right arm of the Socialist movement. More people are made Socialists reading Socialist papers than through any other means...

Police Inspector McCann's Conviction

In the conviction of a Chicago police inspector for grafting on vice, the state's attorney may or may not have won his first skirmish in a war upon official corruption in Chicago...

TO THE EDITOR

Preferential System of Voting. The preferential ballot is the only completely fair system of voting yet devised...

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As She Is Spoken. "English is a funny language, after all, isn't it?" "Why?" "I heard a man talking of a political candidate the other day say: 'If he only takes this stand when he runs he'll have a walk-over.'"—Baltimore American.

"THE EXTASY OF GREAT PROFITS"

BY ROBERT HUNTER

Socialists sometimes speak of a capitalist this or a capitalist that. We speak of capitalist parties, capitalist presidents, capitalist courts, capitalist newspapers...

PREVENTIVE MEDICINE

BY DR. E. JENTZSCH, M. D., CHICAGO, ILLINOIS.

Because of their recent convention A. M. A. has gone on record to advocate a study of preventive medicine as the chief duty of a physician. It is, I believe, entirely proper as well as profitable for Eclectics to inquire closely what is meant by preventive medicine...

THE CHICAGO DAILY SOCIALIST

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There Are Others

A certain amount of egotism is essential to success in a dog-eat-dog society like the present. Therefore we should not be too hard upon State's Attorney Wayman, even though he is developing one of the worst cases of "swellheadedness" ever seen in public office.

He refused to consider the charges of the Daily Socialist, and declared that it did not produce a "scintilla of evidence." Nevertheless, he has done little since except follow up evidence presented in this paper.

Then Wayman announced that "he was running the grand jury." Shortly afterwards he was rudely awakened to the fact that he was but the servant of the body he thought he was ruling.

Now he is blowing and blustering about the municipal court judges and the charges they have made. Stripped of the very carefully guarded judicial verbiage, these judges have practically charged that Wayman is in collusion with certain attorneys to lease criminals between the municipal court and the grand jury indictment by using his influence on the latter body.

Wayman replies to this by strutting about his office and shrieking that he will pay no attention to "anonymous charges." He does not seem to consider that no one is particularly interested in the character of the persons who made the charges. They are not yet on trial. They have stated certain things to be facts. Wayman knows whether they are facts or not. Why does he not confine himself to a discussion of those facts?

He took a very high and mighty attitude toward gambling until the Daily Socialist showed that the gambling graft had left tracks that ran very close to his door. In fact he has been called down so many times from his strutting posture that it should begin to be impressed upon him that "there are others."

Wayman has a magnificent opportunity, as the world measures such things. He can make himself the most powerful man in capitalist politics in Illinois. He can put a large portion of the present administration of the city of Chicago behind prison bars.

But he can do none of these things by any cheap blustering, strutting and posturing.

We Must Have Them All

The Socialist movement is based upon the class struggle. This struggle is between those who live by working and those who live by ownership and the exploitation of the workers.

In such a movement the workers are invincible. No power can stand against them. Divided they are helpless. When the divisions are turned against each other the workers whip themselves.

No single division of labor can wage the class struggle to a victorious outcome. Some would limit it to the unskilled. There are less than three millions of these in the country, and they form a majority in no state. Some would ask for the co-operation of factory workers alone. These, again, are too few in number to hope for victory. Politically too many are disfranchised to make their domination possible save in a very few states.

Yet these must set the pace. They are the ones that best express the spirit of labor today. BUT THEIR HOPE OF VICTORY LIES IN SHOWING THE OTHER DIVISIONS OF THE PRODUCING CLASS THAT THEIR INTERESTS CAN BEST BE SECURED BY FOLLOWING THE CLASS INSTINCT OF THE WAGE WORKER.

Unless this can be done, unless the great mass of men who gather the raw materials from the earth—farmers can be enlisted in the Socialist movement, there is little hope of victory. This is true, no matter what weapons are used. A general strike of city laborers, with a hostile agricultural population, would have a short life and certain failure before it.

Unless the workers move as a whole they will move only to defeat. This is another reason why every possible weapon must be kept within reach. There are places where political action alone can unite enough of the working class to insure victory. There are times where the hardest blows can be struck upon the economic field by a compact organization of the factory wage workers.

Any campaign based upon the class struggle must include all divisions of the working class. Any movement that neglects any portion of that class, or any method of action that includes but a part of that class, is not only hopeless, but has no right to claim the name of Socialism.

How Many Will Be In at the Finish?

One of the strangest facts in the world is that Protestant Episcopal Dean Sumner, two Methodist ministers, several Catholic priests, half a hundred prominent Chicagoans of every faith and the Chicago Daily Socialist, all are speaking strong words in praise of former Police Inspector McCann now on trial.—The New World.

That is all right for the start. Now, how many of these will stay until the finish of the fight on graft and white slavery and exploitation? Will the New World be with us?

Up to Her. Irate Woman—"The photographs you made of myself and husband are not at all satisfactory and I refuse to accept them. Why, my husband looks like a haboon." Photographer—"Well, that's no fault of mine, madam. You should have thought of that before you had him taken."

SONG OF AUTUMN

By George E. Bowen.

Just the other side of summer waits the woe of leafless trees, Here a leaf and there another fall and flutter in the breeze. Friends are fair while fortune favors, siren songs sing sweet success, Friends may fail but friendship never—friendship has no gala-dress.

Plume your pride while days are golden, hold its folly all in all, Thro' the gloom of glory fallen hear the voice of sorrow call.

Cherish still the heart of summer, save its music for your cheer, When the night winds, cold and cruel, have no joyous note to hear.

WHAT HE WANTED TO SAY

"Hello!" "Hello!" "Hello, confound you! What do you want?" "Is this 645?" "Of course! Why don't you go ahead and talk?" "Oh, you needn't get mad about nothing."

A GOOD ONE

The dapper little traveling man glanced at the menu card and then looked up at the pretty waitress. "Nice day, little one," he said. "Yes, it is," she answered, "and so was yesterday, and my name is Ella, and I know I'm a little peach and have pretty blue eyes, and I've been here quite a while, and I like the place and I don't think I'm too nice a girl to be working in a hotel; if I did I'd quit my job, and my wages are satisfactory, and I don't know if there is a show or a dance in town tonight and if there is I shall not go with you; and I'm fresh from the country and I'm a respectable girl, and my brother is a cook in this hotel, and he weighs 250 pounds and last week he wiped up this dining room floor with a fifty-dollar bill, and I've been here since I was a date with me. Now what'll you have?"

What's in a Name?

An amusing story has been told concerning Mr. Phillips' classic drama, "Ulysses." When it was being played in America, two young girls were sitting together in the stalls at a matinee performance, and before the curtain rose the following conversation was heard: "Say, Maude, I know this play is going to be funny." "What makes you think so?" asked Maude. "Why, anybody could tell that from the name!" was the reply.—M. A. P.

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The family cat was crying and spoiling papa's reading of the evening paper, and he was irritated that his small daughter put her feet out of doors. This she did very unwillingly, and coming back seated herself at her father's feet with the remark, "you don't ought to see the look on 'ar cat's face, papa!"

On the Firing Line

BY MONOSABIO

The old order always dies hard. A cold hot time and a hot cold time: The Ice Trust is through with us for a season—now for the tender mercy of the Coal Barons.

The tremendous activity of Mr. Loeb will no doubt be followed by his candidacy for some higher office. He learned the "reform" business from an adept.

The treasury department has decided that there is a duty on Chinese josses imported into this country. This should encourage an infant joss industry right here in America.

Some hired or misguided conductor on a western railway is reported as "starting a movement for a monument to Hartman." All right, but put it in large letters: "Alton Steel."

Mayor McClellan of New York recently told the farmers at the New York State Fair that "the spending of money intelligently is an art that cannot be acquired in a moment." Certainly not; it has required many years' practice on the part of Tammany.

The Bell telephone monopoly has "acquired" \$16,000,000 of its stock formerly held by the Western Union Telegraph company. And who furnishes the cash which this big deal is put through? Surely not the subscribers, who are all pleased with the excessive rates which they pay.

Suites at \$22.000 rent per annum are announced in one of New York's latest apartment houses. Wage earners, think of the price of a five-dollar a week hole in the wall which is deemed good enough for you. And why is it deemed good enough for you? Because you must help to pay that rich rascal's \$22,000.

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The Other Kind

"Certainly you will," the doctor assured him. "Well, then, you're a wonder. Doc, I never could believe—Everybody's

One Last Chance

She was shopping. She drifted into the place where they sell blankets. Roll after roll was deposited and spread out before her. Still she listlessly asked for more. Finally, with brazen face, she remarked as she rose: "Oh, well, I don't really mean to buy any. I was only looking for a friend." "Pray wait a moment, ma'am," said the attendant suavely. "There is one more blanket on the shelf. Perhaps your friend is in that."

A Helpful Hint

Be careful! Will you be engaged tomorrow, Miss Sophy? Sensible Sophy—I may be, Mr. Weak-knee, if anybody has nerve enough to ask me.

A Boomerang

Bluff—I look upon you, sir, as a rascal. Bluff—I am privileged to look upon you in any character you desire to assume.

Organic

"Going up to hear that lecture on appendicitis today?" "Now, I'm tired of these organ recitals."—Cornell Widow.