

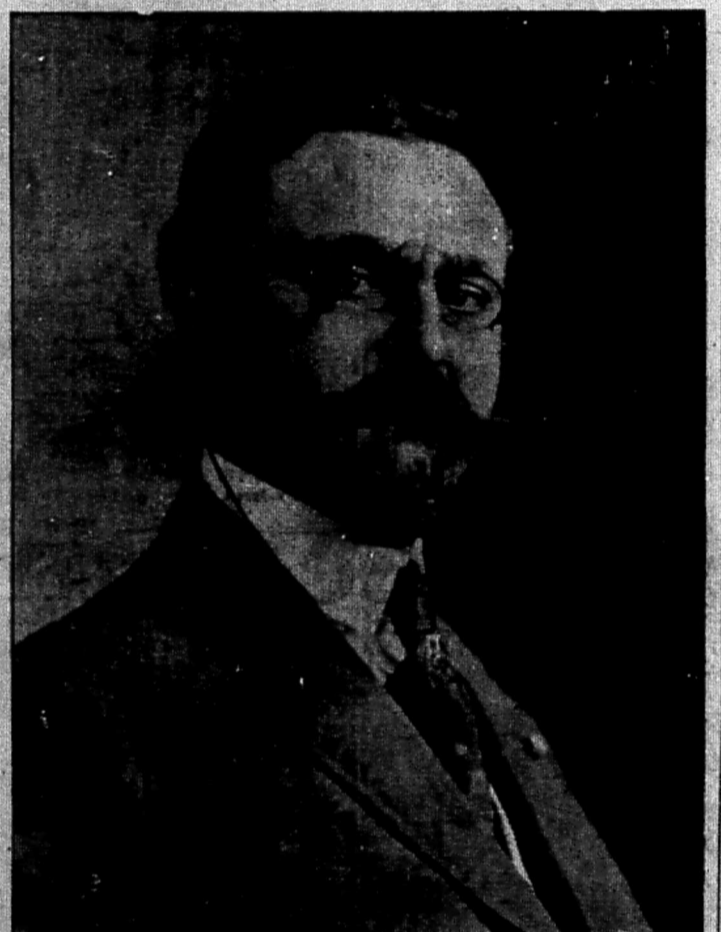
POLES 'O PROTEST DOBI SKY'S MURDER

Executive board of National Alliance Holds Special Meeting to Take Steps Against Police Brutality

Seventy thousand Poles in Illinois were stirred to action by the police brutality in Chicago that cost at least two lives this week. Pressure was brought to bear upon the Polish National Alliance to take action as a body on the killing of John Dobiński, who was murdered by detectives of the East Chicago avenue police station yesterday morning.

brutal against any man. Some of our policemen believe that the club and revolver are given them to use as instruments to punish any one they think ought to be punished. They forget that life is dearer to humanity than property. They forget that the policeman is to protect both property and life. They shoot too freely in Chicago. This is not the only case on record. The police department ought to get rid of the cowards and brutes or at least ought to give them special instructions. The case of the biggest policeman, former Chief Shipley, is still fresh in our memories.

SHOOTING IS UP TO STEWARD

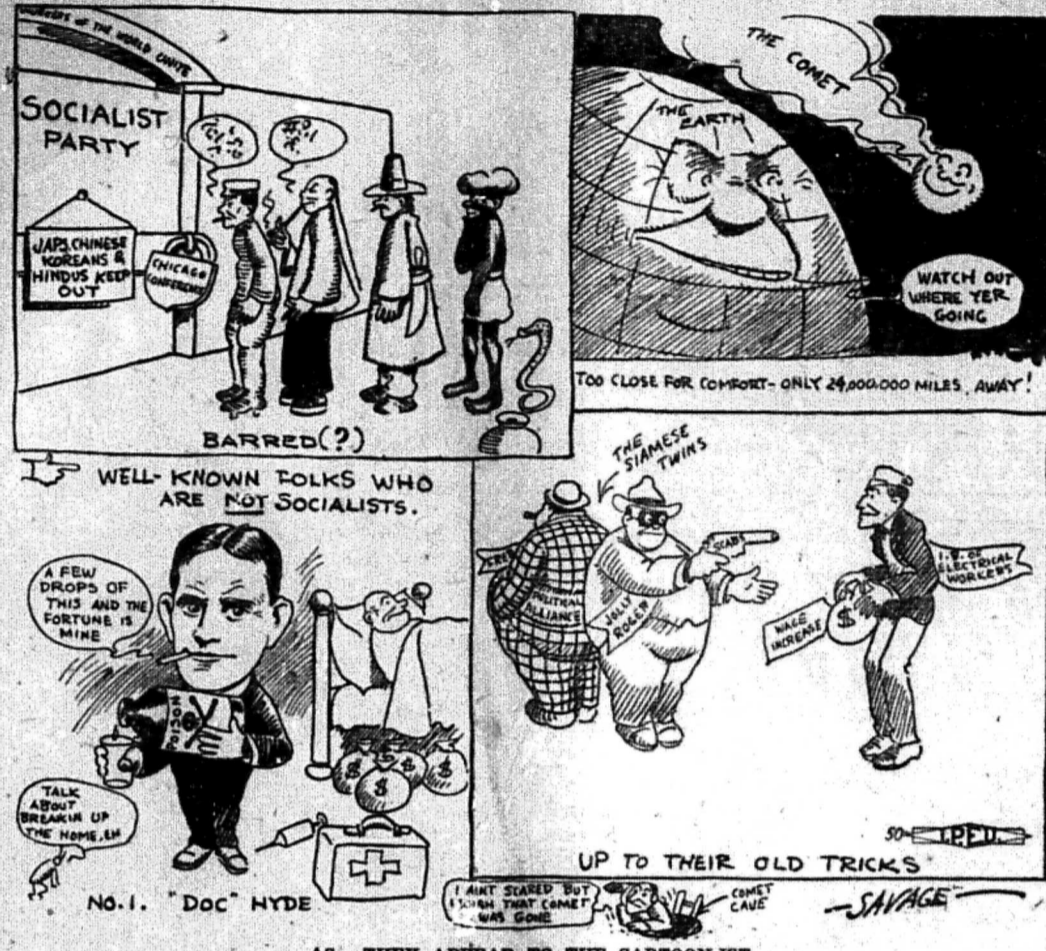


LEROY T. STEWARD, CHIEF OF POLICE, WHO REFUSES TO ACT AGAINST THE SLAYERS OF A MINER WHO WAS INNOCENT OF ANY CRIME. STEWARD THUS SHOWS HIMSELF UNFIT TO HOLD OFFICE.

years old, committed suicide after the police tortured him for fifty-two hours. Zacak was accused of killing Policeman Patrick Mella, an officer shot on the night of April 27 while watching the Santa Fe railroad yards. A full charge of buckshot was fired into the policeman's breast from a sawed off shot gun. His murder was similar to that of two railroad employes that were killed by box car thieves.

four detectives who fired at Dobiński and his brother and his friend, a pure case of manslaughter. It was stated that the action was probably due to a recent order from the chief to shoot to kill. The firing of the detectives was found to be justifiable in no manner.

SOME TOPICS OF THE DAY



AS THEY APPEAR TO THE CARTOONIST.

BLOW AT CLOSED SHOP IS EXPOSED IN BRIEF

Defense of Street Car Men Shows That Court Writ Aims to Wreck Unions

The fatally far-reaching result of a confirmation by the Illinois State Supreme court of the anti-closed shop decision of the branch Appellate court for the First district of Illinois against Division 241 of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees, is clearly exposed in the brief for the defense filed before the Illinois State Supreme Court. No language could be more plain than that in the brief prepared under the direction of Attorney Samuel Alschuler.

SULLIVAN BREAKS LAW; POLICE AID

Democratic Star Boss' Scabs Use City Poles Without Permits

Jolly Roger Sullivan can get anything he wants from his dear political Siamese twin, Mayor Fred A. Busse of Chicago, so that when the scab electricians of the Cosmopolitan Electric company, Roger Sullivan's private portion of the electric light and power trust, put its wires on the city's poles, without permit and in violation of the law, what is more natural than that a police officer should stand by and aid the lawbreaker?

EXPOSES DEATH PITS

Washington, May 19.—Charging that many of the steel plants in Pennsylvania are "slaughter houses," Arthur E. Holder, of the American Federation of Labor, made a sensational argument before the senate committee on public health today in favor of the question of a federal department of public health.

SUGAR MEN ARE HARD HIT

(By United Press Association.)
New York, May 19.—Damaging evidence directly implicating several former employees of the American Sugar Refining Co. was produced today at the trial of Charles R. Helke, secretary of the sugar trust, and his associates, for conspiracy to defraud the government.

SOCIALIST NOT ARISTOCRAT

Dora Montefiore happens to be born of a family of some social position in England, but she has come to America as a Socialist and her long and proven fidelity to the principles of international socialism constitute her only claim to a hearing. She desires this fact to be known and we heartily approve of it.

Peary Sells Famous Ship

(By United Press Association.)
New Albany, Miss., May 19.—Commander Robert E. Peary's famous ship the Roosevelt has been sold to Harry Payne Whitney and Paul Rainey, known the world over as sportsmen, according to friends of Rainey here.

SOCIALISTS DEBATE ON WOMAN'S BALLOT

Question of Action With Middle Class Organizations Comes Before Congress at Today's Session

TAFT MAY PROBE FATAL EXPLOSION

Llewellyn Lewis Will Take Up Matter With President at Once

Cleveland, O., May 19.—Llewellyn Lewis, vice-president of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers, who will call upon President Taft to investigate the Canton Steel Trust boiler explosion, which killed 14 men Tuesday, came to Cleveland today.

Blow at Closed Shop

On page 30 occurs the following: "The Appellate court takes the position that this in effect was a controversy for the 'closed shop,' for which term the majority of that learned court seem to entertain a special aversion."

Manila Is Reassured

(United Press Cable.)
Manila, May 19.—There is an utter absence of solid matter in the nucleus of Halley's comet, according to the expert astronomers who viewed it at the Jesuit observatories here and at Antipolo and Baguio. Weather conditions for viewing the transit across the sun were most favorable. There was a light layer of clouds intervening, while three natural sun spots shaded the bright light and facilitated the search for solid matter.

Police Hunt Convict

Chicago's entire police force today hunted for James Murphy, a convict serving twenty years for murder who escaped from Joliet penitentiary and is believed to have boarded a Chicago-bound train. Murphy, with three hundred other convicts, was working in a stone quarry a short distance north of the prison when the escape was made.

Need of Trade Unions

"To say that men may lawfully threaten to strike, and may threaten to strike individually or collectively, and may agree together, and conspire together and pull together to strike for further improvement in wages and other laboring conditions, and then to deny the right to strike to augment or maintain the integrity of these self-same unions, which, in their proper relation, have been a most potent instrumentality in the benefits already

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