Every Local Should Enter Municipal Campaign

Comrades—get ready for the battle of the ballots. Get ready to launch the biggest and most telling protest against capitalism and its wars, militarism, as well as its abrogation of freedom of speech and press that has ever been launched at any time and any place.

No better opportunity to propagate Socialism ever presented itself than is now at hand. That man or woman is indeed a rare specimen who today does not want to know how to end wars forever.

And we Socialists KNOW how to end wars forever. We know that only by putting an end to capitalism, the cause of wars, will peace, both industrial and international, at last be permanently established.

WE’VE GOT TO TELL EVERYBODY HOW TO END WAR.

The very best way to tell is to enter municipal elections; hold campaign meetings; explain our position upon war; make thousands of Socialists and sympathizers by so doing, and not aulton receive the largest vote ever cast for our party in municipal elections.

Fact is comrades, that at this time it will be almost a crime not to place a municipal ticket in the field. A crime against our party; against the better judgment of the majority of comrades in the party. Locals which have made a determined stand in this crisis; locals that have held mass demonstrations and educational meetings are ready to attest that the mass of people are hungry for the Socialist message.

And the best time to give this message is immediately. NOW, WHETHER YOU CALL IT LOCAL CULTURAL. No matter how small your local, begin today and prepare the field. Begin today, nominate your candidates, plan your campaign.

The State Office stands ready to give all the help within its power. Elsewhere we give rules to be followed by locals who must nominate by petition. Read these rules, roll up your sleeves, and to work in the GREATEST municipal campaigns this state has ever witnessed.

Organization Preparations Continue

State Orangizer Chas. Baker is still at the state office, outlining his tour, assisting in the voluminous amount of state office work by day, and filling speaking engagements by night. The first party owned automobile has been ordered, but has not arrived as yet. In the meantime excellent work is being done by the state organizer in and near Cleveland.

Comrade Baker has spoken lately in Akron, Portsmouth, Conneaut, Hamilton, Youngstown and Ravenna. At the latter place he organized a local of 60 members. Besides this, Local Cleveland has employed him in various parts of the city.

Socialist newspaper subscribers in the state have now been alphabetically filed by him; a new map has been prepared, upon which red pins show the alive and doing locals and white pins show the dead locals. Charter applications for defunct locals dating as far back as 1910 have been gone over, and all this will help as basis for the thorough organization work we are to undertake.

It will not be many days now, until the organizer leaves Cleveland, seated in a new Ford roadster, speeding towards the first city that needs his good services. Watch for announcement of the routing. Lend your valuable assistance when he reaches your town.

SELL THOSE PINK STAMPS

It’s the national office Party Building—Anti-Militarism assessment stamp we refer to. Sell them quick. Sell them to all local members. Induce each local member to buy at least two. And then send the money received from their sale to the state office right away.

Many locals have ordered more of these stamps. Local secretaries wish the state office saying that members are anxious to buy more than just one of them... Members-at-large have already begun the buying of these stamps. Many of them have purchased three and four.

The state office has sent locals 4,000 of these stamps. Let’s sell every one of them.

A “Henry” asked me if I was ready to go to war. My answer was this—"If anyone would ask you to go to hell, wouldn’t it make you mad?"—O. O. Alsop, Bluffton.

HOW TO NOMINATE MUNICIPAL CANDIDATES.

1. Nominations of candidates in municipalities of LESS than 2,000 population should be made by petition, signed in the aggregate by not less than 25 per cent of the legal voters for a candidate. The number of signatures are required for candidates for the school board.

2. Nominations of candidates in municipalities with a population of MORE than 2,000 must be made by petition, signed by at least 1 per cent of the electors who voted at the last preceding election.

3. Nominations of candidates for School Boards in municipalities with a population of MORE than 500 But LESS than 2,000, must be made by petition, signed by not less than 2 per cent of the electors voting at the last preceding election. LOCAL ELECTION must be secured.

4. Petitions must be filed with the Deputy Board of State Supervisors of Elections NOT LESS than 60 days prior to the day of election.

5. A committee of five to fill vacancies shall be named in the petitions.

6. Petitions must contain a provision that the signer will support and vote for the candidates thereon.

7. Signatures must be written upon petition in ink or indelible pencil.

8. One of the signers of a petition must make oath before a notary public that the signatures contained therein are true.

9. Petitions can be secured from the Election Board in your city.

10. Petitions should ALWAYS be filed ahead of time, that is, more than 60 days before the date of election, in order to give in time for the elections to be made to signatures and so that you have enough time to secure additional signatures.

11. Petitions should always contain MORE NAMES than required in order that you may be sure that you have enough genuine signatures.

12. For further information of any kind about nomination of candidates by petition, see your Board of Elections.

13. There are a few locals in the state located in municipalities in which the Socialist Party cast 10 percent or more of the total vote in the last fall. These locals will have to enter the primaries.

HELD UP: As we go to press, The Socialist News, the weekly paper of Local Cleveland is still held up by the postal authorities. The Cleveland postmaster claims he can not give a reason. This is the latest evidence that we enjoy the full rights of the press. He has instructions from Washington to hold it up. It’s being held up. And that seems to settle it.
WHO WILL BE EXEMPT?

WASHINGTON—What will the administration do about the "conscientious objector"?

"This is in no sense a conscription of the unwilling."

Are these words of President Wilson sincere? Does the administration mean what it says? Or is this merely a pious expression, susceptible of being explained away when it comes to the pinch?

These are the questions that every one in Washington and to the registration of which the American Union Against Militarism is devoting its energies.

The organization is working to establish in the regulations, which are shortly to be sent out to exemption boards, definite provisions protecting the conscientious objectors. Under rulings by Provost Marshal H. E. Crowder, it doesn't matter whether the conscientious objectors so recorded themselves on registration day or not. If their names are drawn in the draft, they will be notified that they should not serve. At that time and place they can state their conscientious objection to bearing arms and the board will be bound to pass upon it. The American Union is attempting to convince the war department that regulations can and should be broadened so as to exempt the man who has conscientious scruples against war, even though he does not belong to a "well-recognized religious sect whose creed forbids participation in war."

Comrades wishing to place themselves in direct communication with the American Union Against Militarism are asked to address the New York office at 70 Fifth avenue.

WARNING!!

There is now before the locals the referendum pertaining to amendments to the national constitution. This, we do not doubt, is the Ohio delegates to the recent national convention at which changes in the constitution were considered, will join with the state office in warning the locals to pay particular attention to those amendments, which have been placed upon the ballot by a small minority of the delegates who failed in their efforts to have the convention change our party laws to permit fusion and compromise on the part of party members.

Therefore we desire to call every local's attention to the first amendment on National Referendum "C," which is hereby Article II, Section 2, and the amendment on the back of the ballot which is headed Article X, Section 2.

Both these amendments, to which are signed the names of comrades who have for years tried to compromise our party and permit fusion within its ranks, should be voted down. To vote against these amendments and retain the original sections of the constitution, all members should vote "NO."

We speak this strongly at this time because we take it for granted that the delegation selected by the membership of Ohio represented the majority opinion of our party membership upon this question. The local members of the delegation voted NO upon these amendments at the convention. The fusion amendment of the independents by the fusionists at the convention were voted down by a large majority of the delegates.

We feel that the Socialist Party does not want to lose its identity as the political revolutionary expression of the working class by becoming a mere party of traders and compromisers.

DO YOU DESIRE A RAISE OF FIVE CENTS IN DUES?

Note also Article X, Section 6, upon National Referendum "Gen" before you. This section if carried as amended, will increase dues five cents. Locals are asked to give the vote for this question in dues good consideration. The state secretaries of Illinois and Pennsylvania gave the state office giving it as their opinion that it is entirely inadvisable to raise the dues. Why not do the Ohio locals think about it?

The Ohio state office only calls your attention to this proposed change so that all comrades may vote with their eyes open.

REPORT OF NATIONAL COMMITTEE MAN

Alfred Wagenknecht, State Sec.

Dear Comrade—

Following is my report as National Committee man, for the month of March and April.

I voted against the motion proposing that the report on the Non-Partisan League be made public until after action by the National Committee.

Submitted to the National Committee a motion that the National Office endeavor to secure the use of the platform from which "What's War?" was printed, with the view of bringing out a new edition of Comrade B." The motion was carried.

Submitted to the National Committee the motion that a proposed leaflet on compulsory military service, "The High Cost of War," be submitted to the National Committee for approval before being printed. This motion was carried.

Voted in favor of having leaflet by Scott Nearing "The High Cost of War." The leaflet was submitted to the National Committee before being circulated.

Yours truly,

C. E. Ruthenberg
National Committeeman.

The Last Call—Now or Never

AND YOU WHO ARE READING THIS—WHAT HAVE YOU DONE TO GET US WHERE WE ARE?

Comrades who have Organization Fund lists in their possession are requested to make one last effort to raise the contributions and then return the lists and the money secured to the local secretary, who will remit to the state office at once.

We take if for granted that all comrades interested in this fund will contribute to the organization in this state have by this time secured contributions in substantial amounts and that most of the locals will now begin to interest themselves in preparing for the coming municipal campaign.

So make one last effort and we'll thank you for it. The comrades who realized the need for money to make state work have done nobly, and their good services has placed our state at the forefront of all states in financial resources.

Organization fund lists received since last report follow: Maynard S. Slavic Br., list 1099, $2.00; North Star Local list 1344, $2.00; H. M. Kohr, list 84, $1.00; Proctor, list 85, $1.25; G. Sidiun, list 712, $3.50; M. Stromberg, list 782, $6.75; J. L. Abend, list 816, $5.00; Max Neuberger, list 1117, $3.50; O. J. Schwab, list 1118, $6.50; Local Akron, list 1429, $6.25; Local Akron, list 586, $1.90; Ferdinand Ackerman, list 587, $1.50; John Cassiday, list 1172, $1.80; T. M. Meads, list 85, $2.50; R. C. Ricker, list 89, $6.50; H. L. Bovey, list 1651, $5.50; M. Vynovich, list 607, $1.50; Martin Kovach, list 609, $5.00; Alex Neijestich, list 608, $5.50; S. S. Osasto, Martins Ferry, list 625, $2.00; Local Akron, list 1488, $4.50; W. E. Norman, list 256, $1.00; J. C. Nyman, list 709, $3.50; E. Wagner, list 753, $6.50; A. B. Heron, list 753, $6.50; A. B. Hermann, list 754, $4.50; Lettish branch, Cuyahoga Co., list 144, $1.00; L. H. Helchey, list 1500, $1.00; Peter Thomas, list 732, $1.00; Arthur Wright, list 98, $1.50; E. C. Robinson, list 1387, $2.00; E. Krizan, list 529, $2.50; A. B. Ferguson, list 1388, $5.00; Elmer Saxton, list 1387, $1.60; O. W. Frederick, list 1379, $2.50; W. L. Mauntel, list 198, $5.50.

Other contributions were, Local Marlon $2.29; Akron Slovak Branch, $4.00; Local Alliance $2.50; C. H. Mull, $8.00; E. A. Smith, $2.00; Local Conway $3.50; Mr. and Mrs. Yohst 50c; Jos. Bauer, $2.00; Local New England $1.00; Cleveland $6.50; Local Toledo, $2.75.

ORGANIZATION FUND CONTRIBUTIONS BY MONTHS

Here are the totals in contributions for the $1,000 Organization Fund. May, as you see, is the last month of the year on a larger total in contributions for June than we had for May? Let's try.

Contributions for December, 1916, were $33.73; for January, 1917, $135.70; February, $123.56; March, $113.18; April, $145.37; May $294.42.

Total contributed to June list, $765.59.
Official Call for Election of Convention Delegates

State Convention Information and Regulations

To the Locals:

This is the official call to all locals to elect their quotas of delegates to the coming State Convention. The number of delegates to which each local is entitled will be found on other side of this letter.

Here are reprinted, in as concise form as possible, the constitutional provisions which govern state conventions and such other information as may be of interest to locals:

1. The State Executive Committee has decided that this year's state convention shall be held in Cleveland, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, July 20, 21 and 22nd.
2. The convention will be held in the headquarters hall of Local Cleveland, fourth floor, 737 Prospect avenue.
3. Basis of representation is by locals, each local being entitled to one delegate for the first one hundred members or less and an additional delegate for each additional one hundred members or major fraction thereof.
4. Locals consisting of branches may divide their branches into subdivisions, allowing each subdivision to elect a delegate. But the number of delegates so elected must not exceed the total number of delegates allowed the local as per tabulated statement and subdivisions must be so divided as to have in each an equal number of electors.
5. The railroad fare of all delegates, to and from the state convention, will be paid by the state organization.
6. Only those who have been members of the party for one year or more shall act as delegates, unless the local represented shall have been in existence less than one year, in which case the delegates must be charter members of the local.
7. Delegates to the state convention who fail to present their credentials to the credential committee by 3 P.M. of the first day of the convention will not be entitled to mileage.
8. LOCALS Akron, Alliance, Ashtabula, Barberton, Belmont County, Byesville, Canton, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Columbus, Conneaut, Dayton, Hamilton, Lorain, Mansfield, Newark, Salem, Steubenville, Toledo, Warren and Youngstown have foreign speaking branches within their jurisdictions. These foreign speaking branches must be given an equal voice in the election of delegates to the State Convention.
9. Original and duplicate credentials are being sent all locals. Local secretaries will carefully and plainly fill out the original credential and give same to delegate elected, who in turn will give it to alternate elected providing regular delegate can not attend. Local secretaries will also fill out duplicate credentials with care, and mail same to the state office BEFORE July 14th.
10. Local Cleveland has committees at work now, attending to the many details necessary to make the convention a success. Information as to hotel rates, restaurants, convention program and other details will be communicated to the delegates by Local Cleveland as soon as arranged.

Respectfully submitted,

A. Wagenknecht
State Secretary.

SOCIALIST PARTY OF OHIO.

TABULATED STATEMENT, showing number of stamps purchased by locals and number of delegates each local is entitled to will be found on other side.

BEGIN NOW: Waste no time in starting arrangements for July 4th demonstration. The state office may not be able to provide all locals with speakers, but most locals know of some good speaker who holds membership in some neighboring local. Enage him or her and begin planning your July 4th demonstration now.

Jail Anti War Socialists While Pro-War Deserters of Our Party Are Awarded Government Jobs.

While so-called Socialists who are for this war, those of the Charles Edward Russell type, are being rewarded by the government with appointments, the jailing of anti-war Socialists seems to go merrily on. Late advices announce the arrest of Lotta Burke and T. M. Hammerschmitt, of Cincinnati, in addition to the thirteen at first arrested and charged with treason. Among those languishing in jail is John Miller, secretary of Local Cincinnati.

In Tiffin W. O. McClory was jailed, but after being held a day was released.

The charges against A. A. Henney, H. E. Townsley and Cecil Bailey of Columbus have been changed from treason to conspiracy. The bail bonds of the comrades arrested in Cincinnati have been reduced from $15,000 each to $1,500 each.

The cases of Chas. Baker and A. Wagenknecht, arrested in Cleveland while addressing peace demonstrations, have been continued by the prosecution until some time in September. Jury trials were demanded.

Just what portion of this prosecution will turn out to be persecutory in time will tell. The state office will attempt to keep all locals fully informed as the cases develop, and campaigns of publicity and of protest may have to be undertaken to offset the prejudice which the pernicious capitalist press has engendered.

John House addressed meetings at Canton and Coshocton lately. He reports wonderful interest and audiences exceptionally large.

Youngstown and Portsmouth, as well as Ravenna and Crestline are already holding meetings.

Let's see now,—what have I done in the past month that has been of any benefit to the Local?

"They're back in the map," writes C. G. McVay, secretary of our new Ravenna local.

Party candidate's resignation for the Senate can be had by writing the state office.

Wm. Long of Crestline writes that the local will be busier hereafter. A good meeting will be secured and speakers engaged.

Geo. E. Schepp remitted $6.75 for the organization fund and $3.75 for assessment stamps for Local East Liverpool. Another busy local, no doubt.

"Local Piqua will revive again. We are nominated a municipal ticket,"—P. C. Priller.

"For the love of Mike, how the militarists are shooting the people into the Socialist Party. I met a Socialist Militarist in two or three of the local parties last Sunday and more coming every day. Our secretary is complaining of being over-worked."—Mrs. Clara Beery, Mansfield.

"Our local is growing and doing fine. We took in eight new members last night,"—S. B. Smith, St. Marys. This is the result of an attempt on the part of St. Mary's "patriots" to break up a meeting addressed by Scott Wilkins.

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The Liberty Loan has been over-subscribed. The newspapers report that another Liberty Loan will be launched in September. In the meantime the banks and millionaires who subscribed to the first Liberty Loan too liberally are going to get some of their money back, and why, ask we, if another call for a Liberty Loan is soon to be made?

It was a "Liberty Loan," understand. One employee of our acquaintance was discharged by his master for not buying two bonds. Underpaid employees of department stores were compelled to buy bonds on the payment plan. Slaves in all the big industries, especially the steel industries were forced to buy bonds. Oh Liberty!

And now we are in the heat of a Red Cross Campaign. Millions are needed to save lives. Everybody is being asked to "save a life." Amidst all of which we are told it is going to take between five and ten million of our lives to win this war.

Kill them in one column and save them in the next. All this we are asked to do thru the columns of our news peddlers.

Subscribe to the Liberty Loan under penalty. Give back to the millionaires all that they over-subscribed!—Who's crazy, anyhow? But then, let's see if there's a ray of hope anyplace. Three million people subscribed by force or voluntarily to the Liberty Loan. There are one hundred million people in the U. S. That means twenty million families. All of which means that one seventh of the families in this country gave money to the war, and what do you think of that?

And what do you think of the fact that 70 per cent of those registering ask exemption. Yes, there's hope of early peace, and the Socialists will have helped a big bit toward that end.

— Either We Are Crazy Or —

The following locals purchased dues stamps during the year of May 1, 1916, but not in sufficiently large quantity to give them average monthly membership of five, and are therefore not entitled to representation.

Ashland 14; Dennison 48; East Palestine 20; Cressline 48; Galion 40; Girard 16; Greenfield 5; Jefferson Tp. 40; Lancaster 20; Marysville 10; Miamiusburg 20; Midvale 18; Mt. Vernon 58; New England 38; New Philadelphia 22; Norwalk 18; Patterson 15; Rosedale 50; Sebring 2; Sullivan 11; Thurman 70; Van Wert 18; Wauseon 46; Wayne Tp. 27; Winchester 42; Urbana 20. Total 784. This total is included in the total number of 49816 stamps bought by the locals as per above tabulation total.

Can you honestly say that your local is profiting by your membership?

When did you pay dues last? When last did you secure a new member?

At a recent Socialist peace meeting in Akron the attendance was so large that another hall had to be secured for the overflow. Marguerite Prevey, Chas. Baker and Attorney Holloway were the speakers.
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A MESS OF HEADINGS

Here are headings picked from capitalist newspapers during the last seven days. They constitute interesting reading. They comprise the best argument for a press of our own.

Anti-war meet here rouses U. S. Jail Socialists for "No Draft" tirade. (Cleveland.)

Protest anti-draft speeches in Square. Mayor will order police to obtain advance notes on addresses. (Cleveland.)

Sedition plot charged to Socialists in Seattle.

Three per cent Socialist tall is absurd enough to imagine that it can wag the 95 per cent dog. (Cleveland.)

Three arrested in Columbus draft plant.

Three Ohians face death for treason.

Nation-wide conspiracy is unearthed in Columbus.

Out of 1,709 offering to enlist only 299 are physically fit.

Anti-war thinkers fight police. Socialists' outlook is bleak and several are beaten. Speakers dragged from rostrum. (Cleveland.)

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The Roll Call

Fifty-seven counties reported this month. Twenty local clubs admitted a total of 353 new members. This is about double the number of locals reporting last month.

Do you know the reason? Ask the locals to whom the pro-sagoda meetings explaining the Socialist position upon the war. These locals will tell you that now is too late to be idle, for the Socialist message is being anxiously awaited by thousands and thousands more are ready to make application for membership and ready to renew their former membership in the only peace party, the Socialist Party.

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SECOND NATIONAL COMMITTEE ELECTED

Marguerite Prevey of Akron was elected national committeewoman over F. G. Shilling for the second ballot in the referendum just closed. The vote was 321 for F. G. Shilling and 55 for Marguerite Prevey. C. E. Rutenberger was elected upon the first ballot.

$1084.69

To the Good

Sounds good, doesn't it? And it is. For the first time in years our organization is counting its balance in four figures. It's a sign of health. It proves there's been excellent progress made since the first of the year. There's probably no other state organization that can boast a balance to the good of $1084.69.

The possibilities are that on the first or next month we will not have so much money in our treasury. You see stamps will pay the organizer's auto this month, and that will put a big hole in our wallet. But then, if the comrades who have Organization Fund Lists in their possession will buy themselves a bit, and make remittances before the last of this month, there's no reason why we shouldn't report more than $1084.69 to the good July 1st.

Read this financial report. Post yourself.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR MAY, 1917.

Receipts.

Dues stamps, regular... $216.20
Dues stamps, dual... 19.50
Dues stamps, Foreign Br. 108.80
Intelligence stamps... 76.75
Organization stamps... 242.15
Ohio Socialist Subs... 8.20
Supplies... 9.77
Literature... 26.00
Miscellaneous... 21.25

Total receipts... $729.27
Balance on hand April 30... 824.19
Grand total... $1563.46

Expenses.

Dues stamps... $100.00
Postage... 60.63
Organization... 67.65
Ohio Socialist... 36.50
Literature... 3.00
Foreign Br. dues to locals... 33.23
Printing... 20.50
Wages... 100.00
Phone and telegraphs... 5.74
Office expenses... 12.20
Miscellaneous... 2.52

Total expenses... $478.77
Balance on hand May 31 1917... $1084.69

Funds.

General fund... $279.63
Organization fund... 676.66
Milage fund... 128.40

SOCIALISTS OUST CHAS. EDW. RUSSEL.

NEW YORK, June 10.—Charles Edward Russel, member of the Root mission to Russia, was today ousted from membership in the Socialist party of New York by a two-thirds vote. His pro-war stand was the cause.

A. M. SIMMONS AND W. R. GAY-LORD ALSO EXPELLED

These two former Socialists were expelled by the Socialists of Milwaukee for playing the part of "informers," in that they petitioned the government to prohibit the circulation of the party's anti-war proclamation.
Nominations for State Secretary and State Executive Committee

The following members have been nominated for the offices of State Secretary, State Executive Committee, and State Communications being sent them all, requesting their acceptance or declination of the nominations. These acceptances and declinations must be in the hands of the state secretary by June 30th. Names of those who are not heard from will be considered as declining the nomination. To be eligible, nominees must have been in good standing for 12 consecutive months.

NOMINATIONS FOR STATE SECRETARY

C. H. Baker of Hamilton by Local Belmont County.
J. G. Willert of Cleveland by Local Cleveland.
Harry G. Meenan of Dayton by Local Dayton.
A. Wagenknecht of Cleveland by Locals Marion, Portsmouth, Youngstown, East Liverpool, Sandusky, Seneca County, Coshocton, Lima, St. Marys, Lorain, St. Bernard, Conneaut, Toledo, Cleveland, Columbus, Akron.

NOMINATIONS FOR STATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Walter Thurling of Cleveland by Local Cuyahoga Falls.
Lottie Aldrich of Toledo by Locals Portsmouth, East Liverpool, Sandusky, Seneca County, Coshocton, Lima, St. Marys, Lorain, St. Bernard, Conneaut, Toledo, Cleveland.
August Malm of Cleveland by Local Cuyahoga Falls.
C. A. Hollebrough of Florence by Local Marion.
A. H. Cook of Canton by Local Canton.
F. G. Strickland of Dayton by Locals North Star, Alpha, Cleveland.
F. O. Sevart of Conneaut by Local Conneaut.
T. L. Totten of Alliance by Local Alliance.
Scott Wilkins of Wapakoneta by Locals Marion, East Liverpool, Sandusky, Lima, Elyria, Seneca County, Coshocton, Dennison, Uhrichsville, St. Marys, Fairview, Conneaut, Cleveland.
J. P. Baker, of Columbus by Local Columbus.
E. R. Banks of Columbus by Local Columbus.
O. G. Van Schuyck of Columbus by Local Columbus.
T. O. Marshall of Cuyahoga Falls by Local Cuyahoga Falls.
E. D. Orr of Marion by Local Marion.
J. J. White of Toronto by Locals East Liverpool, Seneca County, Fairview, Coshocton, Dennison, Uhrichsville, Cleveland.
W. E. Willrich of Massillon by Local Canton.
John House of Coshocton by Local Coshocton.
Jacob Spitz of Cleveland by Local Cleveland.
Minnie Rivkin of Cleveland by Local Cleveland.
C. E. Runenberg of Cleveland by Locals Marion, Portsmouth, Belmont County, Sandusky, Elyria, St. Marys, Lorain County.
Jas. T. Marsh of Northwood by Local St. Bernard.
Geo. Schabenker of Cleveland by Local Cleveland.
Frank Midney of Youngstown by Locals Marion, Youngstown, Elyria, Cleveland.
H. Cheek of Cleveland by Local Cleveland.
M. A. Tovey of Toledo by Local Cleveland.
Comrade Evans of Zanesville by Local Cleveland.
John Frangie of Cleveland by Local Cleveland.
Comrade Pinter of Cleveland by Local Cleveland.
Julius Bayer of Cleveland by Local Cleveland.
A. L. Hitchcock of Cleveland by Local Cleveland.
J. D. McManus of Cincinnati by Locals Portsmouth, Zanesville, North Star.
John Parfitt of Cleveland by Local Cleveland.
W. A. Henach of Cleveland by Local Cleveland.
Marguerite Prevey of Akron by Locals Portsmouth, Youngstown, Sandusky, Elyria, Cleveland, North Star, Lima, St. Marys, Lorain, Fairview.
Albert Stock of Mansfield by Local Lorain.
Max Hays of Cleveland by Local Portsmouth.
W. E. Fry of Portsmouth by Local Portsmouth.
A. Wagenknecht of Cleveland by Local Cuyahoga Falls.
E. L. Hitchens of Norwood by Locals East Liverpool, Zanesville, Seneca County, Coshocton, Dennison, Uhrichsville, Cleveland, St. Bernard, Dayton.
Geo. Renko of Franklin by Local Belmont County.
E. M. Motter of Dayton by Local Alpha.
W. J. Jackson of Sandusky by Local Sandusky.
John Grill of Dayton by Local Alph.
J. A. Smith of Crooksville by Local Zanesville.
Frank Martin of Marietta by Locals Zanesville, North Star.
Vernon Akers of Local Cuyahoga Falls, Akron.
Jos. Coope of Youngstown by Local Youngstown.
E. Z. Miller of Lorain by Local Elyria.
Geo. Bundy of Warren by Locals Youngstown, By Local Erie County, Conn.
John Brackett of Cincinnati by Local St. Bernard.
Tom Clifford of Cleveland by Locals East Liverpool, Sandusky, Elyria, Seneca County, Cuyahoga Falls, Coshocton, Lima, Dennison, Uhrichsville, St. Marys, Lorain, Fairview, Cleveland, St. Bernard, Conneaut, Akron.
Fred Wachtel of Belpre, by Local Belmont County.
L. B. Myers of Xenia by Local Alpha.
John P. Farrell of Dayton by Local Alpha.
J. J. Hoge of Martins Ferry by Local Belmont County.
H. Hering of Bridgport by Local Belmont County.
J. A. Rehm of Springfield by Local Alpha.
Comrade Davis of Byesville by Local Zanesville.
C. E. Shillings of Washport by Local Zanesville.
Leo Backman of Akron by Local Akron.

IS YOUR LOCAL LISTED HERE?

If your local is listed here, then your local is one of the locals which has one or more foreign speaking Socialist Party branches within its jurisdiction. This being the case, it becomes the duty of each local to give these foreign speaking branches equal voice and vote in the election of delegates to the state convention. You can do this either by calling a mass convention of all party members, foreign and English speaking; or you can elect your delegates by having ballots printed and giving every party member an opportunity to vote.

These various locals have foreign speaking branches within their jurisdiction. If you do not know the names and addresses of the secretary of your foreign speaking branch, write to the state secretary and he will inform you.

At the Akron, Alliance, Ashland, Bartberton, Belmont County, Byesville, Canton, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Columbus, Conneaut, Dayton, Hamilton, Lorain, Mansfield, Newark, Salem, Steubenville, Toledo, Warren and Youngstown.

STATE PICNIC

TO BE HELD AT Puritas Springs, Cleveland

Sunday, July 22nd,

GEO. R. KIRKPATRICK

America's Foremost Anti-Militarist
Will Be the Principal Speaker

Every Comrade in the State Is Invited