

MELANCHOLY DAYS have come for the iron barons the United States. Overproduction prevails. For many rs we have not heard this ominous word. Now it is ng up again. The boom is over, the crisis has begun. is regarded as the barometer of the industrial marke.t

ng rises; if it falls, everything falls. Iron is mak-

BY VICTOR L. BERGER.

ing, and the end is not yet. is year a drop in the price of iron has taken place. It the Mercutio's wound, but it was enough. Day before onference of the iron manufacturers of Bast Pennsylvania any met in New York and considered the situation. Whenr the situation, this means that there is something It was stated that the stock of iron was accumulating manner, and they deliberated as to what must be done.

as not deemed practi il to form an association for fixing was it considered advisable to limit production in order to production, which must result in a still greater decrease of al pig iron. The question of the present high cost of pro-res discussed, and it was stated that within a few years a raise ars a ton had taken place, but it was admitted that there ay to decrease this except by a thorough-going cut in wages,

some time comes the news that the blast furnaces of the na Iron and Steel Companies in Lebanon and Cornwall are

de of months ago the demand for iron and steel was so at large quantities were imported from Germany. A year or er, a regular steel famine prevailed, and manufacturers it for months till their orders were filled. Now follows

al is no wonder. In fifteen years the productivity of can blast furnaces has increased from six to twenty-one mils year. The whole gigantic product was utilized and was scient. But every thing has its limit and now the limit has the first to feel the turning of the screw. Their works, are situated and have mostly become old. They can remain only if the price reaches a certain height. If it sinks be-bey must close, while the works in the west, in Mahoning ango Valley still work at a profit. The iron barons of eastern Pennsylvania and New go Valley still work at a profit. Thus we can easily see stern manufacturers are striving to prevent a further decrease and know no other way of preventing it than by limitations These are certainly to be preferred to the cessation of

gentlemen are not-the deciding factors. If they limit is only a drop in the bucket. The decision rests with , it Trust and the other great producers in the west. The Steel being temporarily "repaired," which is a good excuse for limitnot. To be compelled to grant this, would have been ab-en financial grounds. The Morgan syndicate, which was ert the preferred shares of the trust into bonds, thus savwas left with them on their hands and with falling Trust Common Stock at 17, Preferred at 58 and bonds at comon Slock, that means that Steel stocks are extremely the present quotation. And stil they sink. The public st the fair weather, does not buy stocks, and would buy they discovered that production is to be limited.

rust recently announced that it will now pay especial atteneign trade. Of late years this has not been necessary; it was pied with the home market. If it now wishes to unload es from a glut at home. If it can keep up the prices will flood England especially with steel and iron at two-thirds size prevailing at home. The tariff permits this. But paying on the common stock is a thing of the past.

call attention to the resolution of the manufacturers who met by York, that the lowering of wages was not "expedient." They by pay less than the trust and the western manufacturers, and if make a beginning, of course it would be "inexpedient" for manufacturers to attempt it. The trust however has very orbitical motives for postponing a reduction in wages at least avember 1904. Although its men were as well informed as tion of things and the outlook in June as the "outsiders" r, it granted the former scale of wages for another year. uliar construction of capitalism in the United States may which involved five million dollars, was the signal for a in this country. Today the Ship Trust, the Lake Su-y, the Asphalt Trust etc., with hundreds of millions of h in

Labor will be the under dog in society as long as it is content to be! It is when the wage-worker has to battle with sickness in his family that he realizes the insecurity of his position in society.

from it. In making a show of fight ing corruption it is merely fighting its own shadow, and does not know it. What is wanted is that Socialist'

should have the nerve, courage and amount of electrical power. In determination to keep their prin- connection with it is a specially built determination to keep their prin-ciples plainly before the people sc as to counteract the false impression that the capitalist press has been surface. With this typewriter parch-drilling into people's minds for ment stencils of the addresses are vears.

In New York City the public prints through them on to the schools opened for the Fall term, wrappers. If you will look at your ed away for lack of accomodations, ters in the address are formed of while seventy-two thousand will dots, and you will understand better have to be content with half time the foregoing description. classes. More capitalistic business stencils are preserved and used over

either.

We notice, just the same, that the reachers and the capitalistic edibreachers and the capitalistic early will be the more equal to the indignation over the reign of capindignation over the reign of capitalistic anarchy in Colorado. They would rather shed crododile tears the fund stands: over the wrongs of the non-union behest of the money-bags is a matter "Weary Willie," eity..... of no importance!

Capitalistic ignorance and malrightly has broken out in virulent form at Faribault. Minn., where a capitalist district judge, Republican or Democrat, we don't know which, and his capitalistic clerk of courts have published a ruling in the local ignity has broken out in virulent p form at Faribault, Minn., where a have published a ruling in the local H. C. Freitag, city.... press to the effect that no Socialist S. B. Marcau, city,.... will be granted naturalization pa-pers, on the ground that Socialists ire Anarchists, and the law forbids Anarchists from becoming citizens. It seems as if all the monkeys arc not confined to the hot zones.

There is one thing that men em-There is one thing that men em-ployed by the government under the guarantees of the civil service law ought never to lose sight of: That they are still full citizens even if they are still full citizens even if they do work for a government con-trolled by a capitalist political party. They still have the right to walk erect, to exercise their full citizenhis political rights.

The managing capitalist who sees oor, and their daily tread-mill drudgery grows irksome, and it ought to. Man was not created to be a physical drudge. Nature is filled with delights that beekon him away from ceaseless, unprofitable away from ceaseless, unprofitable, demoralizing toil. Under Social-ism the workers will be able to see the beauty of the earth and will do just enough work to keep in good physical condition. And what they produce will be theirs!

Just a little extra lift this week, comrades, and the addressing machine fund will be completed and occurrences in Washington, a com-The Herald will be the first Socialist paper to be manned with this modern improvement and therefore seem to be in order.

an inflowing subscription list with-It is an ugly shadow that capital-sm casts and it is constantly fleeing who send in the names. You remember what a sensation the type setting machine caused when it was invented; yet this machine as a piece

ting machine and requires the same typewriter with letters formed of needle points instead of a printing made and these stencil slips are taken up by the machine which

with three thousand children turn- wrappers you will see that the let-

The nanagement! Too busy stealing week after week: Milwaukee comeducation of the growing crop of citizens, and New York aint the only city thus cursed by capitalism, interview of the second se fund. Do it by taking stock at five

dollars a share, or by smaller donations. Your reward will be in the feeling that the work for Socialism

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Work on the new headquarters of The Herald is progressing and another week will see us on the move. The electric wiring is being done, the partitions will go up by Sunday,

few steps south of Chestnut street, and about two blocks from historic 614 State street. There is a floor space of over 1,500 feet, hardwood floors throughout and large window ship rights and their political floors throughout and large window independence is just as sacred to them as it ever was. They have able will be the book department. surrendered no political rights whatever, for a citizen's rights includes which will be installed at the front of the building, so as to give the place on entering the look of a regular book store. A larger stock

circles, since the recent mystifying A WORD TO THE YOUNG. mission to investigate the sanity of certain high labor leaders would

The Buffalo Express is worried because Krag-Jorgensen rifles were sent to Cripple Creek to shoot strikers down with. It says a large bore rifle using shot cartridges would do better service. Never havof mechanical genius is not far be-hind it. It is as large as a typeset- unable to pass judgment on its claim!

> If a man has a gun and a burglar gets in his house he thinks he is justified in shooting him. But in Milwaukee, the same as in all other cities, if a capitalistic concern on individual business man robs the city by means of a rascally contract he is punished by being given the chance to do it over again. That's capitalism!

"When President Roosevelt reurned from his vacation Tuesday ie was besieged by high officials of all degrees, but he side-tracked them all to take lunchcon with the president of the United Mine Workers of America."-Press report.

And the dispatch might have well added that when Roosevelt was seen later he had Mitchell in one pocket and Gompers in the other! What a subject for a cartoon that would

make, to be sure!

Capitalistic justice is administered in Detroit as well as in other places, it would seem. Five boys who had been convicted of the awful crime of hitching on street cars were ordered spanked in court by their mothers, but a Dr. Jennings, who had defied the court when it sought to deal with him for breaking a city ordinance against automobile scorching, was let off with a five dollar fine when he finally

condescended to appear.

The gullible employes of the Steel trust who were mollified in their desire to get better returns out of .25 .25 .25 their hard labor, by having a lot of trust stock placed within reach of .25 their dollars, and who fell into the trap and became "partners" of Carnegie and Schwab, are now lookof \$15.00

ever.

ing at the market reports on the fall of iron and wondering if they will ever see their hard earned dollars back again. The Steel trust's game was to make them more contended slaves by making them think that they were on the inside. Now the men know how it feels to have the "short-change game" worked on them.

How fine it would be for the working class to own itself! The only way it can own itself is to own its product. The only way it can own its product is to own the means of production with which it works. And the only way it can own the means of production is to kill off capitalism by massing its great voting strength and taking political possession of the government. Does The managing capitalist who sees will be carried than heretofore and his wealth mount up as a result of his managing activity is always ready to say to his employes, "Why out of town will be received amid of courage needed to take their own do you complain of hard work; I clean surroundings, something that lives as a means of escaping from work hard but never complain." clean surroundings, something that lives as a means of escaping from reas investible in dingy 614 And require more courage than that to cut loose from the old capitalist party and cast a Socialist ticket! Isn't it better to change the system than to give up fighting it and com-mit suicide? You bet it is!

NTIL RECENT YEARS the young were not supposed to be wise enough to do much of anything excépt to follow in the footsteps of the old, the wrinkled and gray of hair. The physician, the judge, the lawyer, the author must all have the testimonials of Old Father Time before being accounted Severe . fit and proper to attain eminence in their respective profession.

While the world has lost none of its reverence for age, it nevertheless has changed in reference to the old notion that gray hairs are essential to wisdom and that physical infirmity is the beginning of mental maturity.

BY EUCENE V. DEBS.

The young man and the young woman are in demand today as never before in the world's history, and an examination of its modern activities discloses the fact that in every field of endeavor they are achieving victories and winning the laurels of fame.

This does not signify that the aged are to be relegated to the rear or discarded—quite the contrary—their wisdom, gained from experi-ence, their knowledge, the fruit of study, are to be recognized at their true value, but in the intellectual and scientific era now dawning mere age is no longer to be a guarantee of wisdom, nor callow youth the synonym of ignorance and folly.

The antiquated notions of the past are being discarded in these days of keen and searching investigation. Only that which bears the test of practical utility, of common sense and of having the attributes of progress escapes the ruthless iconoclasm of this revolutionary age.

And this is as it should be. The past has had its day and its hoary traditions survive to tell us whence we came and help us determine whither we are tending.

The world today is aflame with the ardor of youth and trembles beneath the power of action.

Old things are passing away. The new, the vital, the progressive are in demand. Ideas and ideals are swiftly changing.

It is glorious to be young and to have a hand, a heart, a brain and soul in this marvelous Twentieth century reformation.

Victor Hugo prophesied that the present century would abolish poverty. He was gifted with prescient vision. He foresaw the day when all the earth would be fair and beautiful and all mortals brethren, the day and the dawn gilded his noble brow, fired his soul with passion and inspired his pen with immorality.

Victor Hugo was proud to avow himself a Socialist. That is the noblest word in modern language and the proudest title mortal ever bore.

A Soldier in the Grand Army, of Universal Peace!

. Rulers will disappear, millionaires will sink into oblivion, or, like Dives, lift their eyes in hell imploring for a drop of water from the Lazarus they spurned, titles will turn to dust and the gilded trappings of our cruel commercial civilization will be spared as relics only, but the thoughts and deeds of the young and active, inspired evangels of the coming day, who are organizing the world's crusade to abolish the barbarous reign of capitalism and humanize the earth and glorify the

race with brotherhood, will live and throb in the heart of humanity for-Equit orla Terre Haute, Ind.

We have received the following from Charade Debs:

Dear Herald: My last trip to Oklahoma was my third in that territory in the last three months and by far the most successful, although at a financial sacrifice, as I covered considerable territory at a large expense. But I am sure it will bear fruit many fold for Socialism. The small farmers I met out there are among the most class-conscious and revolutionary in the movement. No sacrifice is too great for them to make in carrying on the propaganda. They spend money freely. to make in carrying on the propagata in They homes, drive them long stretches to hold meetings in the country and work day and night for the cause. The man who repels that element on the ground that it does not properly belong in our movement, is not only foolish and ig-norant of conditions, but the foe of Socialism.

On the last trip to Oklahoma I spoke at the following points: Oklahoma City, Norman, Moore, El Reno, Yokon.

At Norman the state university is located and after my address at Opera House, I was invited by a committee of students to address the university the following morning. I accepted and the auditorium was crowded. For forty minutes I talked Socialism and never were my words received with greater appreciation. The entire faculty was present, including the president, and all thanked me warmly for the address. Such incidents are of consequence, indicating the change of sentiment towards Socialism and its agitation.

From Oklahoma I went to Sioux City, Ia., where the tour closed with a fine meeting at the Opera House under the auspices of the local branch. The comrades out there are all right—the stamp of those in

have failed, and scarcely a breath of air is stirring. The banks ly unmoved, money may become a little dearer, to say High finance has mightily strengthened itself since those a longer falls into any trap. In industry it is the same. The I not be closed at one stroke, but the work will be gradually are is no longer an industrial thunder-storm, only rainy t does not pour, it drizzles. But at last, in one way or the all be wet to the skin.

workingmen will have to feel this. An immense immigration The many millions of people into this country within a few this immigration is still continuing, while business here is depressed. A contraction in the labor market will slowly begin is and the dollars and cents

go the way of all flesh.

Victor L. Bergu.

OCIALISM means life, liberty, and the rsuit of happiness; it means fraternity in its completest form. Under Socialism my hands will make light work. Two siping each other do the work of four. ocialists are working to establish a witem of co-operation, where all will be qual partners in the opportunities to the the life worth living. : : : : : : : : : :

COMPETITION means strife, struggling minst each other for a chance to live; it war, despair, death. The present "petition among the workers for the to work results in a care living. "petition is the opposite of Co-operaand must produce opposite results. No ving person will deny that Co-operais in every way preferable to Compe-Join the Social Democratic Party, belp to change the system. : : : : : : : work hard but never complain. was impossible in dingy 614. And lives as a means of escaping from But the wage-workers see no rich was impossible in dingy 614. And the horrors of capitalism. Does it mansions and wealthy possessions we expect, too, that these pleasant accrue as the result of Their labor, and their daily tread-mill themselves in The Herald itself.

The vulgar rich in Milwaukee

Municipal ownership of public utilities is working satisfatorily in Galveston. It has its own water-works, electric lighting plant and sewerage system. Notwithstanding of each other and the idiots, male the effects of the great storm, the and female, who buy tickets for the earnings of the waterworks now equal those of the largest in its pre-vious history, and the sewerage calcimined faces of the city's most plant is earning 11 per cent on the investment. So says a newspaper dispatch

that managed to slip by the capital-ist press censors. In Yankee Amer-that is a natural accompaniment of ist press censors. In Yankee Amer-ica where that most disceputable creature on earth, the politician, abounds, municipal ownership runs the gauntlet of this and other pluck-ing processes and still comes out a winner in the race against capital-int mission of the second of the blush. Girl: well know in "society," whom we could name if we cared to, engaged in errors the included maudity ist private ownership. It shows that the principle is sound. And municipal ownership is a sort of diluted draught of Socialism—a diluted Socialism with some con-taminating ingredients. In Eng-land municipal ownership (muni-cipal trading the plute papers call ii) has succeeded so well that the investment and corporation capital-ists have been trying to head it off, by systematically using the daily press to spread lying reports about it, gleefully reprinted in the plute sheets of this country. They have to fight it by stealth, however. ist private ownership. It shows in orgies that included maudlin

The following is from a specia cable in the capitalist press:

"Paris, Sept. 19 .- The kaiser has had no very pleasant time of it since he returned from his annual trip to

Norway. To be sure, he enjoyed the maneuvers very much, though have decided not to give a charity the maneuvers very much, though ball this year. It has been the habit the Saxon generals had the bad taste some few weeks ago put an end to the kaiser's pet scheme of a fortified representation and sharp practice. palace at Pichelswerder, is busy telling Emperor William how extremely uncomfortable they will make it for the imperial government when

> up a hired hand and stole a patent furious. His press gag law, by which he has forbidden any Socialwagon spring from him, got it patented himself, drove the original istic paper to mention his name, or stand trial for lese majeste, shows inventor crazy and he committed plainly his state of mind, and, what suicide. Then this bold beggar stand trial for lese majeste, shows went into other greater schemes of conquest. He is declared to is worse, it has had just the opposite effect desired.

have held up a defenseless widow out of \$34,000, and his neighbors "Some of the editors seem to take a special delight in being arrested of their papers immensely, while others no longer use the name of the declare he never offered a cent of it back. His neighbors say he actuothers no longer use the name of the ally borrowed this vast sum from a task is an analy becomes harder for the derived the constantly becomes harder for the derived the deri for another man as his representa-tive, without the knowledge of the like that of Jehovah, ordinary mortals are not allowed to use in third party, and the woman came vain.' In this way the kaiser is on to the man for the interest be-

prospect !

Milwaukee.

Have just received my revised schedule from the Bureau for my southern tour and leave tomorrow for Straun, where I open on Monday evening Oct. 5. I am booked clear through to the 25th and the principal points and dates are as follows:

Ft. Worth, Tex., Oct. 6th, Austin, 9th; Galveston, 13th; San Antonio, 14th; New Orleans, La., 17th; Atlanta, Ga., 22d; Chattanooga, Tenn., 23d.

EUGENE V. DEBS.

Terre Haute, Ind., Oct. 2.

It is generally true that a man city of Indianapolls several times who will lie will steal. The quali- to secure special privileges for the ties that make a man a success in equipment of his factory with railbusiness under capitalism are not road facilities, and one time when all of them honorable ones. The the city authorities got so close to successful business man must not him for "holding up" members of have too fine scruples as to mis- the council with his ill-gotten swag as to send one of them to the penit-Thus Parry, the capitalistic vocal entiary for alleged bribery by Parry. the great Parry skipped to England thug who has been calling trade the great Parry skipped to England unionists all the disreputable names and was in hiding till the affair the can lay his hands on, is now blew over! All this would seem to charged with having a past. An show that Parry is a true repre-Indianapolis paper says that when sentative of his class.

The number of families in the German Empire is decreasing in comparison with the number of persons who do not marry. The families decreased from 93.5% in 1871 (the foundation of the empire) to 95.4% in 1875, and went down to 92% in the year 1900. The number of unmarried persons increased dur ing the same time, from 6.1% in 1871 to 7.1% in 1900. This shows

mortals are not allowed to use in vain.' In this way the kaiser is daily ridiculed by his enemies before the German people. And the thought of what may be said in the reichs-tag, where the freedom of speech can not be curtailed, sends cold shivers down the imperial spine.' And there is still more fun in prospect! We Socialists have something to any fore knowing she had been thus fleeced. Then he organized a railroad to run from Indianapolis to the south-of capitalism. They de not want people that he has held them up for \$100,000 and they are suing him prospect! We Socialists have something to any that every man on earth may well give ear to. The capitalist press has pre-indiced people against Socialism, because it will eventually mean the abolition of capitalism. They de not want people to know that it is a thing for their benefit. We must counteract this by stiting our literature before the people. Look over our leafet list elsewhere in this number and order a bundle of them.

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THE WONDERFUL ADVANCE IN GERMANY! What We Social Democrats Are After, BY CLARENCE DARROW, A NON-SOCIALIST.

convinced that it is true. It is only a little more than thirty

years since a few brave, devoted souls organized the Socialist party in Germany. Several years went by before they could really be said to have had a political party. The members were kept so busy dodging the police, and so constantly occupied in jail, that they had little chance to vote. Still, for some mysterious reason, policemen and judges and jails had little effect. In fact, these well worn agencies seem-ed rather to cement them together

and add to the earnestness of their Over and over again these purpose. early builders were sent to prison and exiled, but still they kept up the work.

In thirty years this band of fanatics has grown from a handful of party in the German empire. Then,

with their leaders or read their papers, they will learn that Socialbers, day for the whole program which of collective ownership. It is true

most twice as many votes as the cialist strength. Centrists, still the Socialists elect- As against the

about 80 for the Centrists. In Germany, as everywhere, generally has been found that in the in the other one on second ballot by last analysis all other parties will an anti-Semitic. unite and make common cause

eged class.

Berlin, Sept. 25.—At last I have found the place where the working men—or at least a large part of them—vote as they talk. This scarcely seems possible and yet I am convinced that it is tank. The second of the university of Berlin, not Chi-men.—Note as they talk. This scarcely seems possible and yet I am the University of Berlin, not Chi-men.—The balance are drawn from cago.) In this district on the first al ranks of life. poll the Socialists received 5,300, The Socialist

the Liberal 4,000, all other 3,000. On the second election the Liberal was elected by about 300 votes. Hamburg, the second city of the empire, elected a solid Socialistic delegation, and the party carried every one of the six largest cities in Germany.

Ten cities which the Socialists failed to carry are strongly Catholic and elected Centrists, which is dis-tinctly a Catholic party, organized for the purpose of looking after the Catholic cause. Still, it must not be assumed that all Catholics in Germany are hostile to the Socialist party. The Catholic party is an old organization, and it is only natural

that in a Protestant country it should receive much strength from outlawed men and women until at the Catholic population, but in spite the generations yet unborn. With the last election it polled almost of this fact the Socialists have been twice as many votes as any other gaining in the Catholic portions of men and such a cause to give them Germany almost as rapidly as in when the news of this enormous vote any other part. Munich, which is was flashed around the world, the almost wholly Catholic, sends a wires carried the story that solid Socialist delegation, while the Socialism in Germany is not what Rhine district, wholly Catholic, it once was and not what it is in sends many Socialist members. True England and the United States, it is that the Catholic clergy is genand, in fact, anywhere else on earth. Every one seemed to believe this but this may be said almost the same story except the Socialists. They of the Protestant clergy in Ger-know better. If one will but talk many.

When in London John Burns told me of a conversation he once had ism in Germany is today what it al- with Cardinal Manning. "When ways was-grown, of course, some- will the Catholic church attack Sowhat respectable because of its num- cialism?" asked Burns. "My son," for numbers always make answered the mistaken cardinal, respectability; it is always respect- "the Catholic church will never at-able to do what the majority do, or tack Socialism, but Socialism will respectability; it is always respect able to do what the majority do, or rather what the majority profess to do. In this way Socialism has grown respectable, and has changed. The Socialist party that polled such an enormous vote in Germany at the last election is still the party of Marx and Lasalle. It stands to-day for the whole program which these leaders taught and which has had it is had for the equality of man. In the country districts Socialism to such an enormous which these leaders taught and which has had it is had for the equality of man.

these leaders taught, and which has has had its hardest fight, but here, been their platform since the party's too, it has shown wonderful birth. In short, it stands for tak- strength. In those portions of Gering the earth and all the implements many where the land is owned in of production and distribution from large estates and the farmers are the hands of those who now control only laborers it has an easy task, them, and operating them for the The small farmer is not easy to con-benefit of all the people by means vert. Still, the Socialists have succeeded in carrying one of these disthat, although the German Social- tricts by a majority, and receiving ists have regularly adopted this a plurality in several more, and have platform, and stand for it as solidly made great strides in the last five and persistently today as through years. The country is always the all their history, that still, with this last to accept new ideas, and, of platform, they urge more immediate course, it is farthest removed from eforms and do not refuse to discuss the influence of machinery and busithe pressing questions of the hour. ness centralization, which, after all, Although the Socialists cast al- are the foundation stones of the So-

As against the agricultural dised 81 members, while the Centrists tricts, can be placed Saxony. This elected 100. Under a fair appar-tionment the Socialists would have received 134 members, as against the Socialists elected twenty-two on it the first ballot, and were defeated

In spite of all the drastic meaagainst the Socialists. This is true sures which the German government because other parties differ only as taken in the past, Socialism is to details and minor matters, where- today not only the greatest party in as Socialism is radical and funda-mental and can not be harmonized seriously threatens the kings and with existing ideas of the ownership the established constitutions of the of property and the long accepted lund. It has already won to its theories of the rights of the privil- support the great body of working red class. On the first ballot the Socialists life and degrees of intelligence,

elected 56, while in 100 districts from the humblest workman to the ~~~~~~~

The Socialist party of Germany has a fine building for its head-quarters. This building contains a library which is owned by the party and so well run as to bring in a re venue for the general cause. In spite of the number of editors sent to jail, the German Socialists have

about seventy papers, most of them dailies. Their headquarters is never closed, and their campaign is always on. They are really not politicians, they are religious fanatics, devoted to the rights of man, and while they have no hope of future reward, they give their time, their strength, their money and reputations to the cause. their Their workers from the highest to the lowest forget their small ambitions, and cheerfully risk their liberties and even their lives for the sake of men and such a cause to give them strength and inspiration, it is easy to understand the great victories that they have won in the past, and the sublime confidence with which they look to the future for complete and final triumph.

A Dangerous Development .--- There is

A Dangerous Development.—There is at present a disposition to go into what is called double organization, a combina-tion of the workers into an organization and a combination of the employers into another organization, each one with a

another organization, each one with a small, powerful executive, making a combination between the two to b turned against the general public. The inevitable result of such combination has been to gradually give to the or ganization of capital a control over the organization of labor, and thus with babares flying and music playing is

President Roosevelt travels 13,000 President Rooseveit travels 13,000 miles on the railroads, free of charge, contrary to the interstate commerce law, unless he has done something for the roads in exchange. He would hard-ly like to admit that he had. What does the talk about "decent citizenship" amount to, anyhow.—Warren (Mass.) Hareld Herald.

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The set of production were simple and owned by the individual Formerly the tools of production were simple and owned by the individual worker. Today the machine, which is but an improved and more developed to of production, is owned by the capitalists and rot by the workers. This owned as the capitalists to control the product and keep the workers dependent ent upon them. Dividual ownership of the means of production and distribution is respondent

ent upon them. Private ownership of the means of production and distribution is respensive for the ever-increasing uncertainty of livelihood and the poverty and misery of the working class, and it divides society into two hostile classes-the capitalists and wage-workers. The once powerfal middle class is rapidly disappearing in the mill of competition. The struggle is now between the capitalists class and the working class. The possession of the means of livelihood gives to the capitalists the control of the government, the press, the pulpit and the schools, and each bles them to reduce the workingmen to a state of intellectual, physical and social inferiority, political substructers of the capitalist class dominate one out

interiority, political substituence and variant survey. The economic interests of the capitalist class dominate our entire sedal system; the lives of the working class are recklessly sacrificed for profit, wan are formented between nations, indiscriminate slaughter is encouraged and the destruction of whole races is sanctioned in order that the capitalist may are tend their commercial dominion abroad and enhance their supremacy at heme.

tend their commercial dominion abroad and enhance their supremacy at home. But the same economic causes which developed capitalism are leading to Socialism, which will abolish both the c pitalist class and the class of wag-workers. And the active force in bir ing about this new and higher order to society is the working class. All other classes, despite their apparent or actual conflicts, are alike interested in the upholding of the system of private events ship of the instruments of wealth production. The Democratic, Republican is bourgeois public ownership parties, and all other parties which do not stand the the complete overthrow of the capitalist system of production, are alike peliging representatives of the capitalist class.

representatives of the capitalist class. The workers can most effectively act as a class in their struggle spann the collective powers of capitalism by constituting themselves into a political party, distinct from and opposed to all parties formed by the propertied classe. While we declare that the development of economic conditions tends is the overthrow of the capitalist system, we recognize that the time and manner d is transition to Socialism also depends upon the stage of development raches by the proletariat. We, therefore, consider it of the utmost importance for the Socialist party to support all active efforts of the working class to better in condition and to elect Socialist to political offices, in order to facilitate the at-tainment of this end. As such means we advocate:

As such means we advocate: I. The collective ownership of all means of transportation and communica-tion and all other public utilities as well as of all industries controlled by monopolies, trusts and combines. No part of the revenue of such industries to be applied to the reduction of taxes on property of the capitalist class, but to be applied wholly to the increase of wages and shortening of the hours of labor of the employee, to the improvement of the service and diminishing the rate to the consumers.

the consumers.

 The progressive reduction of the hours of labor and the increase of wages in order to decrease the share of the capitalist and increase the share of the worker in the product of labor.
 State or national insurance of working people in case of accidents, lack eff employment, sickness and want in old age; the funds for this purpose to be fur-nished by the government and to be administered under the control of the weth-ing class. ing ciass.

4. The inauguration of a system of public industries, public credit to be used for that purpose in order that the workers be secured the full product of the

labor.
5. The education of all children up to the age of 18 years, and state and municipal aid for books, clothing and food.
6. Equal civil and political rights for men and women.
7. The initiative and referendum, proportional representation and the right of recall of representatives by their constituents.

of recall of representatives by their constituents. But in advocating these measures as steps in the overthrow of capitalian and the establishment of the co-operative commonwealth, we warn the working class against the so-called public ownerskip movements as an attempt of the capitalist class to secure governmental control of public utilities for the pur-of obtaining greater security in the exploitation of other industries and not for the amelioration of the conditions of the working class.



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pulses. Sometime ago, a council-

News reported : "The purpose of the ordinance is to regulate the social evil and return to the old system of monthly fines. If the proposed

ordinance passes, all inmates of the proscribed district will, it is said, be made to appear in police court once a month and pay a fine. Councilman Evars this morning said that under the present regime, inmates,

when arrested, are prosecuted by the county attorney, and the fines are turned into the state fund. Underthe new system the fines will go to the school fund. (Aug. 27.)

This plan of the Omaha councilman was not a new thought. It was the direct result of a plan to assist certain enterprises. Previous to this effort of Evans, an order was issued that all of the female prostitutes must live in a proscribed dis-

trict. The good people of Omaha thought that was for the protection of decent people, but it was for the protection of the capitalist owners of real estate in the proscribed dis-trict. At the same time all the

wine rooms outside of four large ones were ordered closed. That was for the benefit of the large wine rooms. All of this makes it easier for the police to make their monthly roundups. It also makes it easier for visitors in the city to find such

places, which increases the revenuc so as to permit the payment of fines. so that, after the ward heelers are all satisfied, more money can be turned into the school fund.

Add to that the fact that the House of Lords, in deciding that whether or not there could be fusion school buildings of Omaha, were unions may be sued for damages, with the old parties in districts built from the high licenses that are places the unions at the mercy of the where the politicians were friendly. taken from the saloons, and you and brothels the children of Omaha appeal of the unions to the House are "well provided for in matters of of Commons to enact a law to proeducation

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There is it before the community.

Congress, at Leicester last week, was

a million and a quarter of workers

were represented by nearly 500 dele-

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The greatest debates were upon

gates.

To read a daily paper in Omaha, one would thing that its officials were moved by the noblest of im-

man, Evans happens to be his name, introduced an ordinance to regulate miserable parasite adds to her dis-ment, it is absolutely necessary to the the the transferred the supremacy of Rome. Capital prevents the supremacy of Rome.

no doubt but that Socialists can be explode the opportunist propositions elected in a great many places, if we that are offered by re-actionary poli- the servants of their party, the Sowill but direct our forces were they ticians; to show that "Public Own-will do the most good. And when ership" proposals are simply capithe Socialists are in office they can talistic devices to prolong the life of cmancipate itself. take advantage of every opening to capital; and like Cato, the Censor, show that the working class must to say on all occasions, no matter Omaha, Neb., Sept. 15, 1903.

will make them dizzy.

the Roman forum with the words ary elections.

At the present time, the Social-Every time I read of the cussed, the most important thing for the So- part of that work, it is of the utmost ness of a city politician, I see the cialist movement to attempt is to importance that we take advantage necessity and opportunity for a So- get into municipal and state offices, of every opportunity. By electing cialist councilman to clinch an ar- and from those ramparts to fire Socialists to minor positions, and gument, and what is better, to get broadsides into the ranks of capital. the locals watching over and direct-From such positions, it is easy to ing their work, the working class will learn that Socialist officials are

W. E. Clark.

The British Trade Union Congress London, Sept. 12 .- The annual This commission requested the are about nine to one that the courts session of the British Trade Union unions to submit their side of the will call upon them to pay the bosses controversy, but the organizations a million dollars for strike damages ne of the largest ever held. Over have officially decided to boycott the helped to change their opinions. gentlemen, and the politicians will The political revolution that is now probably hear from labor at the starting is likely to gain tremendoucoming election in a manner that impetus in the near future, and I Office Expense have not the slightest doubt that it Express

The political debate hinged upon will only end when royalty and the Office Equipment

a door-nail in Great Britain, as a Stationery million men are now assessing them- Telegrams capitalists and opens the way for The fusion scheme was knocked in selves from one cent to two cents a Salaries: for political purposes only, and coming election .-

basis of the complete emancipation October 2nd to the largest audience of the workers, the class struggle, of any during the series. In the future he will devote himself to The National-social party had other work and has withdrawn from 27,334 votes in the last parliament- the lecture platform. The miners have reported that

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Isaac Cowen will begin on until the election.

The work of organization gresses in Ohio more rapidly now than ever and the month of Septpromises to even, eclipse this is if present indications to not fail.

Father Thos. J. Hagerty deliver-

ments are being made to rush a man to the mining regions to speak until the election, if possible to secure the proper person. Kirkpatrick, Caldwell, Leeds and Stirton are working steadily on the circuits. Smith left for home suddenly in order to accept a perman-

thousands of miners are out of work

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ent position in Mass., and Leeds was secured to fill his route until another comrade could be secured, as Leeds is needed at home in the propaganda work. These four speakers are averaging six meetings per day, or, 180 meetings per month.

3.00 We will have at least eleven 1.25 comrades at work constantly in the closing hours of the campaign, not ounting the many comrades who are speaking nightly in the larger towns, such as Portsmouth, Cincinnati, Dayton, Canton Cleveland, 24.1 Toledo, Springfield, and others.

W. G. Critchlow. Dayton, Ohio, Oct. 3,

In Nebraska.

A county convention will be held at Grand Island on October 13th. State Organizer Schiermeyer began his tour of route No. 2 at Blair

on Sept. 25th. A judicial convention will be held in the tenth district at Alma on Oct. 8th. National Organizer Hy-land will be present.

State Organizer McCaffrey re-2.10 ports large audiences at North Platte, and says a strong local of 64.47 13.76 workingmen should be organized 30.2579.00 there.

38.27 Comrade P. J. Hyland will make a lecture tour through the state 88.55 while on his way to Wyoming to do 17.25 26.56 organizing in that state. He is speaking under the direction of the

national headquarters. J. P. Roe, State Secy, Omaha, Neb., October 4.

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benefit. Non-union men by refusing to join a union aid the capitalist in keep-ing down wages. By so doing they are aiding in taking the bread from the mouths of children, and preventing union men and women from getting the full benefit of their labor and skill. "The development of the soul should be considered in connection with the considered in connection with the

labor movement. God never intended that men should forever labor in the ditch. He did not intend that millions of operatives shoc'ld remain forever working in factories assisting to create millionaires and billionaires.

"Operatives as well as other people should have time and money to aid in

should have time and money to aid in their mental development. This struggle in Lowell is only one of many against those who believe they are the ruling class. I beg of you in this struggle to remember that your success means bet-ter conditions for your price and better conditions for your wives and children. I say again that in the effort to win you should resist until you are al-most starved by the ditch side."-Father McGrady.

Father Thos. J. Hagerty deliver-ed his last lecture at Dayton on for propaganda. Five for Two Bollars.

At the last meeting of the Berlin dates have already been arranged Socialist Club of the fourth district for him in California alone. which is represented in parliament The Socialist party of Massaby Comrade Paul Singer, Sept. 8th, 136 new members were received. chusetts held its annual convention on Monday, Sept. 28, and nominat-News comes of the death of Enid ed the following state ticket for the Stacey (Mrs. Widdrington), one of the election on Nov. 3rd: For Governor, the hard workers in the Socialist "Three Months' probation" plan by John C. Chase. Haverhill; Licu- movement of England. She made Ohio Socialist Notes. tenant Governor, John Quiney a tour of America several years ago Adams, Amesbury: Secretary of In England, where the nearness of October 19th and work continually State, Olaf Pokelund, Worcester: the towns to one another makes Treasurer, John A. Billings, Rock- campaigning with vans a feasibility. land; -Attorney General, Wm. Carshe was one of the successful van-One hundred and ners. seventy-five delegates were in at-The Social Democratic party of tendance, constituting the largest Finland held a conference in Forssa of new members of any yet. October and most successful convention in from August 17th to 20th.

There the party's history. Representative are at present in Finland 59 James F. Carey acted as chairman, branches with a membership of and John Weaver Sherman, Boston, 100,000: 40 branches were represented at the conference. A pro-Sheboygan is having trouble with gratume was adopted, which on the its Socialist mayor, and if is becom- whole runs on the same lines as Che Wholesome Woman, ing clear that he is not a Socialist programmes of Socialist parties of mayor after all, in spite of his prog other countries. fessions. The Sheboygan Socialists

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will see that with the aid of saloons confiscation of their treasuries. The the head, while the plan to join with month to create a fund to be used the Socialists and co-operators was endorsed by a large majority. I am nearly every prominent union man told that two years' ago the unions, is or will be a candidate for Parliawho represented 350,000 men, were ment in the bitterly opposed to politics. But From letter by Max Hayes, fraterna' this year they changed their minds. delegate from American Federation British and American politicians. Probably the fact that the chances of Labor. **Gleanings from Busy Socialistic Fields!**

ACROSS THE HERRING POND.

NOTE: In some states the organization is known as the Socialist Party, in others as the Social Dem-

ocratic Party. Where the term "local" is used it does not refer to trade union locals, but to the l of the Socialists. In some states these are merely called branches, so as not to offend the unions. Where the term "local" is used it does not refer to trade union locals, but to the local body

NOTES FROM YANKEE LAND. 14th, St. Louis on the 16th and Springfield on the 19th. Seventeen The Bakers' Journal comes out with a new engraved heading. Eugene V. Debs will speak at

Sheboygan, Wis., November 6. Λ. M. Dewey will speak there Oct. 18. Father Hagerty speaks there Oct.27. By referendum the Washington (state) comrades voted down a large majority.

Reports from all over the country indicate a most remarkable growth of Socialism. Thus are our dreams of the past more than fulfilled. Who roll, Lowell. ays dreams don't come true!

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plaints against him, has been decid plaints against him, has been decid ed in favor of Mills by a majority movements for some time, and the ning of August and will continue of two. The controversy still rages. culmination came last week when till about the middle of this month. BINT BINT National Secy. Mailly requests he appointed a Republican politiomrades in various localities who cian and two Democrats of the same while want to organizing services of stripe on the library board. His whole the Socialists stand, however, Comrade Origo, the Italian agitator, appointment some time ago of a city alone, and have in several con-to drop him a line, at the head-physician from outside the party stituences scored very well. As the quarters in Omaha, so he will be the was possibly excusable on the better prepared for routing the ground that he owed it to the city-CONIZATI TO U to consider peculiar fitness for the tour.

to

work. No possible excuse, of course,

WISCONSIN NOTES.

as secretary.

From a long communication re-ceived at this office it appears that can be made for not putting Socialists on such a board as the library that prize political scoundrel and fakir, Prof. Kharas, is still trying to board, and we understand that the Sheboygan Socialists will not flinch muddy the Socialist waters in Nebraska. The Kharas-Ricker comthe state board will not have to act. bine was about the rottenest thing An unfortunate thing about the Sheboygan situation is that blank, that ever developed in that state, the memory of which prevaileth unsigned resignations were not re-quired of the candidates by the party to this day.

The Herald's announcement that before election. the Milwaukee Beer Bottlers had

subscribed for this paper for every member out of its treasury, calls forth this comment by Labor. of St.

Lonis: "Three Cheers for the Mil-wankee Beer Bottlers' Union!" It headquarters. may be well to add that we have several other big unions in Milwau- the line of ward organization, and Manitowoc is now following in

has three fine ward branches. kee that are also progressive.

Father Hagerty's lecture in Ke-After a controversy between Com nosha on Sept. 26 was a success, rade Flanders, Mayor of Haverhill, Mass., and the local board of alderand was listened to by nearly a thousand people. men, he has succeeded in securing

representation for the Socialists as counters of the votes at the state cepted the resignation from the social party advocated a kind of So-election. It it the first time this party of H. C. Berger (no re-cialism which has never shown ithas ocurred in the state and inaugurates a new policy which is likely to obtain in all the other cities and towns as the Socialist party grows. of Socialism and slandering party archism at the same time, it worked

Ben Hanford got caught in a railroad wreck in Indiana last week, but escaped with a whole hide and says he is still in the ring for labor's A very interesting and instructive discussion followed the maneipation. The wreck occurred just after the train leff Marion and prevented his meeting at Connors- ville as planned. He speaks at Bloomington, Ills. Oct. 11, at the miners' demonstration at Mt. Olive on Oct. 13, at Decatur, Mo., on the members. Ben Hanford got caught in a railroad wreck in Indiana last week,

In some instances the Socialists and Radicals support each other, on the stituences scored very well. As the FOUR BOOKS IN 1 VOLUME. members to Parliament are not elected directly by the voters, it is **I. SEX AND LIFE.** difficult to say in how far the So-

cialists will be successful.

The Spanish Socialists discuss at present the advisability of work- U. TOKOLOGY. ing together with the Republicans in their duty in the matter, so that at the next municipal council elections. The men who advocate such an alliance maintain that the reac- III. CHILD-CULTURE. tionary government can only fought in such a manner. The council of the party, however, op-poses such tactics because they **IV. HEALTH AND HYGIENE.**

lose their independence would through it; and it would moreover be impossible to criticise the Re-Racine comrades will hold a social publican party in the same energetic on Oct. 20 in honor of their new manner as hitherto.

The National-social party of Germany was dissolved in a convention attended by over 205 delegates, it Goetingen, Aug. 29. The Socialists gain by it, for some of the former members of the disbanded party have declared the intention of join-Branch 10 of Milwaukee has ac- "Vorwaerts" says: "The National-

lative of Victor L. Berger). The same branch has expelled Robert Miller for violation of the principles it advocated democracy and monpolitically for measures favoring the





IT TEACHES: =

That poisons are not remedies.

That symptoms and pains are not the disease, but only the messengers bringing warning of the disease to the brain; that to silence the messengers and leave the disease unchecked is folly.

That prevention is better than cure; that the great elements of prevention are: knowledge of self; cleanliness, physical as well as moral and mental; bygiene and sanitation.

bygiene and sanitation. That mind and thought have their influence on bodily health no less than physical and material conditions. A healthy body needs a healthy mind, and a healthy mind makes a healthy body. Dr. Greer's book treats of all the topics and theories connected with the health of mind and body. "Investigate all things; hold on to that which is good," is the author's motto. Follow the teachings of wise Mother Nature. The chapters on Child-culture and Education are sure to have a beneficent effect on the well-being of future generations, and the carnest warnings against nnnecessary surgical operations add not a little to the value of a volume whick can work only good to those who follow its teachings.

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TO SAFEGUARD THE CAUSE.

"Neither in England nor on the continent has the lawyer any such part in political affairs as in America. In neither the English or German parliament are one-quarter

of the members lawyers, while with us three-quarters would be nearer right. I cannot help thinking that they are wiser abroad than we are." We quote the above from a newspaper letter written by an Ameri-

lawyer now travelling in Europe. Some years ago, and it may be the case still, there was a law in England requiring that no butcher should be permitted to sit as a jurer in murder trial. The theory was that while butchers were very estimable-and necessary !- factors in our present day civilization, still their trade was one that permitted no niceties of feeling as to the taking of life and the shedding of blood. It was felt that to one habituated to the killing of sentient animals, the enormity of murder might not be so striking as to a person having some less

sanguinary occupation. A somewhat analogous case in this country is found in the long standing provision of the Knights of Labor forbidding saloonkeepers. lawyers and bankers from joining the order, or requiring them to withdraw if they strayed into those vocations while members. Personally estimable these men might be, but the Knights found that there was safety in the rule and adhered to it.

All this sort of thing proceeds from the conviction that a man's vocation tends to influence his conduct. Primarily the Knights specified these callings because they represented non-productive labor, but back of that, especially in the case of the lawyer, there was the belief that the man skilled in the subleties of the law and the insincereties of legal practice might at times prove a menace to the sincerety of pur-pose that marked the objects of the order.

There are exceptions to all rules, but the lawyers from the very There are exceptions to all rules, but the lawyers from the very nature of their training and practice deserve only too well the reproach-ful nickname, applied to them by a wit of old, of "Messers. Either-sides." Their calling prepares them to take any side of a question and to make sudden changes of "convictions." Their sincerety is un-der suspision. They are trained to be subtle, crafty, insinuating, to say things they do not believe with every show of candor and con-viction. They are the subtle in planning measured for the terms. Their work in court and in planning maneuvers for their viction. clients tends to strongly develop these traits. They take to politics like a duck to a mill pond. It is their element. When the people's cause is not pled with sincerety great danger exists.

One of the best and truest men that ever got into the Socialist movement in this country was a lawyer, but he was a lawyer with a So-cialist conscience. And his advice, oft repeated, was "Don't let the Socialist movement fill up with lawyers."

It is rather a strange fact that the movement in this country has thus far attracted few lawyers. The capitalist parties present a better, field for their peculiar talents, so that those who did come to us were rather exceptional men, men of character enough to be safe in spite of their calling. Let us hope that the percentage will stay as it is at present.

The Socialist advance is a rugged, candid, clear-cut advance. It does not deal in subtleties. It does not need adroit language to con-vert the masses. What it thinks it says. Its motto is horse-sense. It is scientific, it is plainly demonstrable. It has no sophestries requir-ing the arts of a dialectician to befog the common understanding with. It does not succeed by bewildering and hypotizing.

So that we are inclined to think that the criticism of the writer quoted in our opening paragraph is one that the Socialists must also make, and that, moreover, when this country is conquered politically by the rising tide of Socialism, the ranks of the advancing army will not be composed of a horde of glib and special-pleading lawyers, but by the plain spoken, true minded people themselves, that is, by the working or producing class.

HOW THE TWO CLASSES VIEW CORRUPTION:

THE CAPITALISTIC CLASS FIGHTS EFFECTS BECAUSE OF ITS CLASS INTERESTS. THE WORKINGMAN AIMS HIS BLOWS AT THE CAUSE.



(From pencil suggestion by Comrade Emil Seidel, Milwaukee,

Workingman. - The dead leaves on that tree are due to that parasitic vine. I am going to kill the vine or it will be the ruin of that tree.

Sleek Capitalistic Lawyer. - 0! My friend-no party politics! We are here to damn the dead boughs and leaves. If you touch that vine you betray the people who want to show their indignation against corruption!

The above Cartoon was Suggested by the Recent Mass Meeting of Citizens in Milwaukee, at which the Socialists uncovered the Hypocrisy of the Representatives of the Capitalistic Class.

CORRUPTION WILL EXIST AS LONG AS THE CAPITALISTIC SYSTEM CONTINUES.

HALF HOURS IN THE HERALD SANCTUM.

Don't expect Figs from Thistles.

have followed your controversy with Comrade Spargo about "cheap" and "expensive" Socialistic speakers with great interest. This contro-versy involves a principle of the greatest importance to the move-ment in the United States. The other side presents the principle of cheap Socialism," of half-starved, shabbily dressed, homeless, soapbox oratory, of underpaid and overworked editors, of Socialistic publications filled to nausea with hash and rehash of what the old masters said under different conditions decades ago. "Cheap Socialism" means, in the eyes of such comrades and their adherents, "genuine So-cialism," "orthodox Socialsm." According to such views a Socialist high prices for excellent services, if publication is only "genuine," we really have the interests of the "clear-cut," etc. when it is devoid propaganda at heart. We never hear of all originality of thought, when it is ungrammatical, when it is published on paper unfit for even closet shelves, when it is printed so that

to read it is to ruin the eyes. The chief thing is, according to them, "cheapness, not quality. Socialists of this stamp would fain make a

virtue of a necessity and perpetuate it. In the pioneer days of Socialsm "cheapness" was a necessity for

mercantile system is the law of de-Editor Social Democratic Herald: mand and supply. We cannot ex. the need of such sacrifice as that, pect to have talented writers, effi-cient agitators and gifted speakers, needed. No man in my judgment of labor without allowing itself to be if we are not willing to maintain is big enough or fit to represent the made the ally of any one division of them at a certain economic standard Socialist ideal who measures his the trade union movement as against commensurate with decent living. our meas and our ideals to triumph, a strange product—A SOCIALIST must abandon the policy of "cheap Socialism," if we want to have So-AND SOUL. cialist papers and books that com-

mand a national or even an international reputation. If we want leaders possessed of statesmanship speakers who are able to command high prices for excellent services, if

of working men pleading for lower wages, yet we have some Socialists like Comrade Spargo, who pretend to be proud of being underpaid. "O! Ye gods and little fishes!"

I. Ladoff. Schenectady, N. Y., Sept. 21.

The "Grafter" Again. Dear Herald: If "Father" Mc-Grady expects me to honor his letter in your issue of Sept. 26 with a

The movement has grown out of "services" by "what they will bring in the capitalistic market." He is We also declare that we deem it J. Spargo.

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The National Committee of the Socialist party in annual session as-sembled, hereby reaffirms the attitude didates of such parties or of the party toward the trade-union movement as expressed in the resolution on the subject adopted by the In-dianapolis convention of 1901.

After Labor Day. - The filowing facts and figures are taken the its United States Census (Manufacture), We consider the trade-union move Part 1, page 3): In 1800 labor produced an average value of \$842. ment and the Socialist movement as inseparable parts of the general labor movement, produced by the same economic forces and tending towards In 1900, \$572. In 1890 labor received an average early wage of \$445. In 1900, \$437. In 1900 producing \$30 more labor, pa the same goal, and we deem it the duty of each of the two movements

to extend its hearty co-operation to the other in its special sphere \$8 less In 1890 the capitalist got a ymrh profit from the average wage worker o of activity. But we are also mindful of the fact that each of the two movements has its own special mission to per-form in the struggle for the emancipation of labor, that it devolves upon the trade unions to conduct the eco nomic struggles of the working class that it devolves on the Socialist party

to fight the political battles of the working class, and that the interests labor as a whole will be best conserved by allowing each of the movements to manage the affairs within its own sphere of activity without active in terference by the other. The Socialist party will continue

to give its aid and assistance to the economic struggles of organized labor regardless of the affiliation of the trade unions engaged in the struggle, and will take no sides in any dissensions or strifes within the trade-union movement. The party will. also continue to solicit the sympathy

Whereas, The history of the labor novement of the world has conclusively demonstrated that a Socialist party is the only political organiza-tion able to adequately and consistently conduct the political strug gles of the working class, and

Whereas, All "radical and reform parties, including the so-called "Union Labor Parties," have, after a brief existence, uniformly succumbed to the influence of the old political parties and have proven disastrous to the ultimate end of the labor move-

Whereas, Any alliance, direct or indirect, with such parties is danger

TAILORS UNION ous to the political integrity and the



we must be willing to pay for it. This may sound a triffe materialistic in the ears of some of our philistine friends, but it is the truth. We ought to rejoice that we have a few speakers who are able to command

Fond du Lac, Sept. 27.

Wm. MacFarlane.

Comrades: I have according to the conditions published S. D. H. Sept. 19, fund, enclosed a money order for \$5.00, which please acknowledge by paid up share of stock and oblige.

And woe be it to our cause if it is not so!

We discovered years ago. that development" meant simply that in We discovered years ago that development meant simply that in there was no sense in denying or re-futing the falsehoods of the New York People, for the S. L. P. lead-such sins? Why the S. L. P., of ers, as a rule, have the trick of being which the People is now the mouth-able to manufacture lies faster than piece! But the wording of the because of the sense of the sense of the sense of the sense of the because of the sense of t an honest man could run them original resolution was somewhat ambiguous, as it might be taken to political and semi-economic move. Molecular to refute all the falsehoods arbitrary of the New York paper would be to mean that a future stage of developdowa. To refute all the falsehoods of the New York paper would be to turn our pages over to that sort of thing and to have no space left for in spite of this it may be wise to pay attention to a very nice, adroit, plauly and directly and unequivo-foxy little falsehood which appeared preaching and teaching Socialism. Was made as now constituted says of today is not the Socialism of there is no point at all) today are very size, adroit, plainly and directly and unequivo-faxy little falsehood which appeared cally that the Socialist party is prohibited from fusing with any splaining." The gist of other party.

"Several months ago... its Na-tional Committee took a bath. It tion pronounced against fusion in the future and damned the practice." But this be of the reopic, which we here expose, is but of a piece with hundreds of others with which is followers. It is becoming microscopical and pusil-the future and damned the practice. and quarters at Omaina, makes rt, in which this passage oc-A motion to strike out the At the present stage of ment of the Socialist move-of this country there is adopted by the National tee at St. Louis, was adopt-s adopted by the National resent stage of 17 to 5'. In other the legislature by the influence of the posidered and repealed and posidiet movement. The Weight and the state and generation of the Socialist move-sotialist movement. The legislature by the influence of the posidered and repealed and posidiet movement. The Weight and the state and sympathizers. With the legislature by the influence of the posidered and repealed and posidiet movement. The Weight and the state and sympathizers. With the sympathizers with the sympath Seven months elapse, and now the lanimous. National Secretary of the concern, with headquarters at Omaha, makes a report, in which this passage occurs: words: At the present stage of development of the Socialist movement neither necessity nor excuse for such an alliance' from the anti-fusion resolutions adopted by the National Committee at St. Louis, was adopt-ed by a vote of 17 to 5'. In other words, the decision not to fuse has been reconsidered and repealed and at the present stage of development of the Socialist movement of this country there is both necessity and excuse for fusion." Which, again, means that the concern has decided to resume business at the old stand, and is not have business at the old stand.

to resume outsides at the ofa stand, and is now laving its pipes to fuse with any old thing." The funny thing about that re-multion against fusion is that its reference to the "present stage of

prof. W. Clark: "The answer of So-cialism to the expitalist is that society can do without him just as society now does without him just as society now and even the very existence of society." William Morris: "I feel sure the time will come when people will find it dif-famil to believe that a rick community it is not only a question of ethics, but of policy. We live in an age of mercantilism, with which we have to reckon, even against our will. One of the fundamental laws of our

considered a great favor to take reply

all Socialists. At that time it was he is mistaken. I am prepared all Socialistic publications free of to discuss the question at issue with any charge, to listen to a speaker any comrade who approaches it in without contributing anything to good faith. No discussion of this wards the maintenance this for wards the maintenance of his fam-ily, to expect work in the interests able to the party unless conducted

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borers in these localities are organized. The counties in which the efforts have

been most successful are Knox. Da-

vless, Martin, Pike, Dubols, Lawrence, Orange, Crawford, Perry, Gibson, Po-

sey. Vanderburg and Warrick, forming a corner in southwestern Indiana and

comprising to some extent the territory

in which farm wages have always been

Then, too, the wages of the miners

have been steadily increasing since

1897, and, as this increase was attrib-

value of the plans presented to them

Child Labor in Omaha.

The Nebraska state labor commission

has been for some time secretly inves-

tigating the charges that child labor

was used to a large extent in the south Omaha packing houses, and Commis-sioner Bush has now served notice on

the packers which will release nearly a

working for small wages. Most of the children are foreigners.

and the largest of them receive as

much as 90 cents per day. But a vast majority receive about half that

amount. Of the total number of chil-

Nebraska laws are very stringent re

garding the employment of child labor,

and after a conference between the

packers and the commissioner the for-mer agreed to discharge all children un-

der fourteen within thirty days. Cudaby, Swift, Armour and the Omaha Packing company each employ-

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it then inhor and do all thy and John v. 7, "My father litherto and I work." a Rehalck said in part: "The lass been familiar to us from, I as a part of the fourth com-tion in the same learned it in our and repeated it over and in. The chief iden which, it ear minds is the duty of not the Sabhath day. Some the Sabbath day. Some of this so much that most the day of rest. But that is the bar couveyed by the text, teaching us to keep the to work, we all have work, but no one should overbese are the principles of ch I would add another-

that we ought to see the spirit-ficence of labor. arst pince we all ought to a first pince we are ought to but is a duty resting upon us, should does not believe it, even ally. Chero sold that all arti-sugaged in a disgraceful occu-and Aristofle sold that the best ad cities should not permit a me-to be a citizen, for he could not

the story of Eden is not free of work, and this is largely today. Some hold is largely today. Some hold foll to work, especially with . If they can wear good d keep their hands clean it ad, but the dust and dirt of the not for them. And the t is that they believe they instrial, better stuff, some rs, than the workingmen iss in the streets, reduce the whole thing to

many mouths to be fed and ny to feed them. Where is hies or religion or common busis for the theory that see should toll doubly hard et these should toll doubly hard port etims in idleness? The the-ind not go very far when starvasts at Jamestown Cantain John Smith took the helm

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and competend all the line gentlemen to | such ve and competied all the line gentlemen to work who would cut: "Common sense, inuste justice, teach-es us that in this work do have a night to work to have their mus-ner with the intermeters, es us that in this work do have a night to work to have their mus-trained. A frightful neglect of human society has come through the belief that it is undignified to be a son carry a bundle through the streets and work some one has given you, you are not to bulker the source of human work some one has given you, you are not exempt. Either you must till the soil and reap the crop or handle the ex-

and reap the crop or handle the ex-change or you must enrich the brain of others or you must fire the heart of man and cause him to see himself as the image of God. But farmer, mer-chant, teacher, lawyer or preacher-there is no difference in the dignity of inbor in God's sight. The difference in dignity is in the way you do it. dignity is in the way you do it. "Related to this proposition that all men ought to work is the corollary

that men ought to do the work for which they are best fitted. Misfits are the saddest things in life. Some men who know the Word plow when they ought to preach; others who have gifts of cloquence and devotion are tying tape when they ought to preach; others are preaching when they ought to be following the plow. Some false no-tion of dignity has got into their heads.

"In the second place, all have a right to work. Out. in Rock Creek park working on the roads is a gang of men clad in stripes and guarded by bullets. They are working in sullen submission because they have to. This gong is known as the chain gang of the District of Columbia. They are our fellow countrymen in chains, slaves in the land of light and law. Their imprison-ment may have been due to heredity or it may have been due to environment. but another thing we know it is often due to, and that is idleness. Men are out of work, and they get desper-ate. They break the laws, and then they are put to work. When will peo-

ple learn that it is cheaper to put laborers to work before breaking the law than after? To be sure, the finding of work is part of the discipline, but still there is the army of the unemployed. Men are sometimes thrown out of employment through mere whim. The government cannot interfere, but it could buy a plat of ground and make it for the man who will work to possible

earn a living wage. "Everybody has a right to work. Children of the rich should not be deprived of work. Their parents often say that their children shall not work as they had to, and they do not realize that their spiritual strength and char-acter were obtained because they had

The minister argued quite as strongly that we should not overwork. though the harvest is ripe and the la-borers few." he said, "the entire responsibility does not rest upon us. B7 overwork we lose enthusiasm and pence." He snid, further, that no man should be compelled to work among conditions that degrade.

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Trades Unions Self Help.

Trades unions have benevolent as well as militant features. They protect their members from capital. They also save their members from destitution. The west side district of the bureau of charities is bounded by Chicago avenue. Tweifth street, the river and the city limits. Its population is about 300,000. During the last two years the number of cases which have received attention from the bureau of charities in this district has been about 7,000. In only ten or eleven of these 7,000 cases was the indigent person a mem-

ber of a trades union. This in itself is illuminating. But go further. Analyze the ten or eleven trades union cases. In almost every instance the person concerned was either "not in good standing" with his union a member of an exceedingly new and exceedingly poor union. If it were not for the way in which the trades unloss of the United States support their members through sickness and through hard times our charity societies would be much busies

than they are. They are busy enough now. Which is better, trades union self help or private and public poor re-lief?--Chicago Tribune.

A Timely Demand.

A resolution for the restoration of the bureau of labor to a nonpartisan basis was recently adopted by the Economic O. M. club. The resolution declares that under the former system with a bureau of labor the interests of the laboring people of the country were intrusted to a commissioner who was not a member of any political party and who ad-ministered his trust in a strictly impartial manner. The creation of a department of labor and commerce places the

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Conciliation and Arbitration.

The General i ederation of Trade Unions of Great Britain has proposed an amendment to the conciliation act of 1896. It advocates inquiry into the causes and circumstances of disputes. the taking of steps to bring disputants together, the appointment of a concilia-tor upon application of either side or an arbitrator on the application of both parties. It is then proposed to constitute a national board of eight members -three employers, three workmen and two co-opted members-such board to act on the application of any representative body, to make inquiry and publish results, or, if the dispute is pro-

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In the Matter of the Last Will and Testa-ment of Eva Gilsdorf, Deceased. WHEREAS, An intrument in writing, pur-porting to be the Last Will and Testament of the second second second second second and county of Milwankee, has been deliv-end and deposited with the above named (Court; and whereas, application has been made by John Gilsdorf, the executor named in said Last. Will, praying that the same be proved and admitted to Probate, according to the laws of this state and that Letters testamentary be granted thereon according to the laws of this state and that Letters testamentary be granted thereon according to law to said John Gilsdorf. TI IS ORDERED, That said application be heard before this Court at a regular term thereof, to be held in the 'ounty Court room at the Court House in the City of Milwaukee, on the first Tureaday of November A. D. 1003, at D o'clock A. M., or soon thereafter as the same may be reached on the calendar. AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That invotic of said application and hearing be given by publishing a copy of this order for three weeks successively, once in each week. POLISH BRANCH meets first Sunday 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at 777 Seventh ave. M. Gorecki, Secy., 424 AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED. That notice of said application and hearing be given by publishing a copy of this order for three weeks successively, once in each week. In the "Social Democratic Herati." a order hearing, and balarchic and and hearing, and balarchic proof this order particle and the prince of the paradian destate, at least ten days prior to said day of hearing. Rogers

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an angle or get done, which the efficient terminal schools, what is there that endpoint of the sense is there in pretending that the rainers could not get coal unless they paid trent to a capitalist, or, that the railways could not carry coal unless they paid dividends to a company, or that the waver could not make, eloth, the milling bounds, or the hatter lints, just as well for the nation as for Mr. Gotrocks, the capitalist?
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Do not believe them. You HAVE the capital. Where? In your brains and in your arms, where ALL capital could be true—if the people are not able to do anything for themselves as well as the private dealers or makers and of the the "Impossibles" tell us be true—if the people are not able to do anything for themselves as well as the private dealers or makers and of it for them, -the gas and water companies ought to have no fear of being cut out in price and quality by any city corporation or municipality.
But the "Impossibles" to dispose of. Today it can be silenced by the logio of accomplished facts. Municipalities own and manage waterworks, gas works, street cars, telephones, electric lights, markets, baths, piers, does, parks, farms, when the silence tarss, end as so on. Many of them also provide concerts, open alf symmasiums, science classes and lectures. How then can Socialism be called in possible?

possible? As a matter of fact Socialism is only a method of extending state manage-ment (and ownership) as in the post office, and municipal management, as in our school system, our public streets, and other things, as shown above, until state and municipal nanagement becomes universal all through the nation, or the

and municipal hanagement becomes universal all through the nation, or the civilized world. Where is the impossibility of that? If a city or town can manage water, gas and other systems, why can it not manage bread, milk, meat and other supplies? If the German, Austrian, French, Italian, Belgian and other govern-ments can own and manage their railways, why cannot the government of the United States manage those in this country? If government can manage postal and telegraph services, why cannot we operate our own coal mines, our own oll Industry, and the like? The answer is that they can and have already done so. How can it be maintanhed then that Socialism, but they are Socialistic: they are the BEGINNINGS of Socialism. They are the educative outposts of the coming complete socialization of industry, the necessary change from the competi-tive to the co-operative principle in soclety.

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ommendation that strike of Glass Workers be endorsed. Request of Board of Businesss Agents that 1,000 circulars be printed for the Electrical Workers' Union No. 83-Meets every Friday cor. Prairie and 3rd sts. Nick Dalinden, Seey., 839 Gimbel trouble in a fair way toward Gimbel trouble in a fair way toward Electrical Workers' Union No. 420 settlement. Business agent instruct-(Cranemen).--Mike Pural, Secy., 811 ed to answer Washington Central body that there was some political

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714 23rd st. Federated Trades Council — Meets 1st and 3rd Wednesday at 298 4th st, John Reichert, Seey, 318 State st. Federa and Job Pressmen Union No. 27. Meets first Triday of each month at 3rd and State sts. Leonard Hunger, Seey, 1111 Chestnut st. State st. State

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Objection to seating of a Beer cipal corruption on the ground that Bottler delegate. Chair's ruliug little of value to labor could come

Or, anization committie reported of the system could bringineal relief. that the interior Freight Handlers Report from business agent showed and Warehouseman's union, al-that trouble at Schlitz brewery with though but two months old, now the Metal workers was settled and also the old trouble between Joseph

That part of executive board report referring to citizens' committee approved. Glass Workers' strike enand 3rd Monday. A. Kersten, Secy., but would notify committee if it dorsed. Matter as to Bulding Trade the Coopers No. 35 and second prize section approved.

James Sheehan and F. E. Neuman nominated for A. F. of L. delegate. Bros. Acker, Jensen and Wachtel tellers. On appeal Delegate Rooney secured the floor to demand that delegate be instructed before he Wm. Smichel, Seev., 1018 Clark long and late hours of grocery clerks makers, asking that the council's in Labor Day issue of Social Demo was elected, his union, the Pattern- that money secured on advertising street. Cooks' Union No. 554 Meets on the second and fait hours of grocery clerks makers, asking that the cour delegate to Boston offer himsel a candidate against Gompers, Second stat. Se delegate to Boston offer himself as cratic Herald and paid over to a candidate against Gompers, in action. of which Shechan received 94, Neuman 28, Rooney 1 and Brockhausen to buy an acetylene lamp at a cost

> against organized workers at Sault firms violating the law in inquiring Ste. Marie, who had announced that as to the union membership of they would not work with Milwau- applicants for jobs. Moved and kee men because they belonged to carried that grievance committee a different national body than the give Butcher Workman a hearing. Steamfilters at the Soo; although Time of adjournment arrived. On both national bodies were affiliated motion time extended. A statement in A. F. of L. Later in meeting it of slack barrel Cooper's strike made was decided to issue credentials to and council endorsed the position of Milwaukee Steamfitters having work the men in their fight for decent reat the Soo.

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Resolved: 1. That we condemn the use of politics, in the capitalist sense, by trade unions, that is, the use of politics simply for the purpose of get-ting a few men into office. Be it also Resolved: 2. That we condemn the practice of certain trades union leaders ind even some trades unions who act as tools of capitalist parties and politi-cians; and that we condemn it irres-pective of whether it is done for Re-publicans or Democrats, for Roosevelt or Hearst. Be it also

Resolved: 3. That we recommend that Il trades unions in the United States make use of polities for the emacipa-tion of the laboring class as such, and for the elevation of their class as such. Ba it also

Be it also Resolved: 4. That holding this view of the matter, we refuse to take any stand on the so-called "Miller" case.

To fill a vacancy on .executive. board, Delegate Chas. Nicolaus was the only nominee and secretary, on instruction, cast one ballot for him. Report of Labor Day parade judges read, awarding first prize to

to Brush Workers. Report was signed by the judges, W. C. Young, C. B. Willis and F. B. Evcleshymer. Approved.

Final report on Labor Day turned over to secretary and committee discharged. Moved by Brockhausen council be returned. Amended by o make a beginning. No Rooney that stock in paper Number of votes cast 124, bought with the money. Carried. Label section asked permission

Bro. Sheehan declared elected. of about \$10. Granted. Grievance committee brought up Moved and carried that delegates the trouble of the Steamfitters give business agent information of turns for their labor and against

The following resolutions were boy labor. Strike of Brass Workers presented by Delegate Brockhausen at Polacheck plant endorsed. The in the Miller case, and passed : sum of \$15 appropriated to buy

> Receipts for evening; including Labor Day profits, \$1,559.26. Dis-

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- IN PREPARATION: -

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A Serious Affair.

working class. There is no salary attached to the positions, but the power wielded is of a sort that is It seems that we are to have another lesson in the necessity of closer very important in such an educaorganization of the Social Demotional movement as that of the So cratic party machine throughout the cial Democratic party, in that state, in the experience of the comit makes possible the putting of standrades at Sheboygan. Whether the ard literature of our movement in situation proves as serious as it first appears, or not, the failure of the the hands of the people. This we can be sure the men appointed would not naturally do; while Socomrades there to secure from all the candidates the previous signing cialists in the same position would of resignations from office, which make an especial effort to do so. is our only means at present of at-The men appointed are especially tempting to enforce the "imperative mandate," has put us in a position odious to the Socialist movement,

in that one of them is proprietor of great difficulty. it seems at present that the folof a scab newspaper, by name Aug. lowing charges might hold against Pott, publisher of the Sheboygan Chas. A. Born, the man elected on Zeitung, an open enemy of organ-Zeitung, an open enemy of organized labor in that city and an old Republican politician. The others the Social Democratic party ticket as Mayor of the city of Sheboygan:

are Schilder, former candidate for In appointing new members of City Treasurer on the Democratic the Library Board he appears to ticket; and Joerns, candidate for have appointed to public office those who will be likely to use this office Assessor on the same ticket. to, the detriment of the organized

Mayor Born also appears to have movement for the betterment of the ignored the counsels of the local omrades of the Central Committee in his actions with reference to the CREAM CIT Business College granting of a franchise for an electric trolley line to a neighboring city. and East Water S His whole course since election MILWAUKEE. eems to have been shaped, not with A Practical Education within the reach the purpose of helping the working class in their struggle with capitalof Everybody. ism, but with a view to pleasing the DAY AND NIGHT SCHOOL. capitalist class and especially the CLASSES NOW ORGANIZING. old party politicians. you cannot call, send in your nam

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like it!

Supervisor Becker, the young aristocrat who is playing at politics On the front of the program of the Peoples Pulpit appears this to relieve the monotony of being too rich to have to work, is now active significant information : "Mr. Barr's address is the Hotel

Pfister. Beyond doubt that was the address he delivered last Sunday after-

noon! This may sound like a joke but we are not in a joking mood, just the same. Some serious truths must be told about this kept preacher and the impudent game he is putting up under the name of the people. For the Rev. Barr is about as cheap a specimen of the clerical special pleader for capitalism as we have noticed in many a day. The Peoples' Pulpit movement was started allegedly to be of service to the cause of the people. Already, in Milwaukee at least, it has discredited itself and proven recreant to the high ideals of its originator, Dr. Thomas, of the Peoples' Church, Chicago. As now constituted it is plutocratic trap, a capitalistic capitalist class is a hopeless hope. picket line.

Barr blew into town with great promises as to what a peoples' oulpit would do. After a number of citizens had been banded to-gether to give it color, it developed that Barr had enlisted, as a creature of Pfister. He preached sing-song sermons in which there was nothing the people were vitally interested in and it becams evident that he was intent on readering service to the big Republican boss in return for the free board and room which the latter provided for him at the Hotel Pfister! (And board and lodging at the Pfister costs \$21 a week!) Later he achieved unpleasant notoriety by being sued for tailor billswe don't know what capitalist came to his rescue, but the suit was settled later on.

In last Sunday's address the Rev. Barr threw off his mask and came out flatly as a creature of the parasitic rich. He rapted against the

Socialists who dared to point out the fact that it is the rich who, through their corporations, railway companies and individually corrupt legislation, and ended up with the following:

"The other illustration is in the min-ority resolutions presented at the mass meeting last Monday evening: "Whereas, It is a well known fact that the very capitalists and business men who are looked upon as the stand-ard bearers of public honesty and public morality are also the very men who directly and indirectly buy up and cor-rupt the business men elected to public office."

That is a stigma flung at the 900 grocers of Milwaukee and the thousands of small investors, just as truly as at the great corporations." Oh, those crocodile tears for the

900 grocers! But Mr. Barr well knows that it was the big fellows we were uncovering—but then the Hotel Pfister was pulling the strings, and his board bill had to be paid! "What profiteth a man if he gain a plutocratic lodging and selleth his own soul!"

ALHAMBRA THEATER.



Hall on Broadway and the Morgenroth-McCoy place on West Water street. Among those arrested were workingmen as well as business

E. H. Thomas, State Secy.

Comrade Peterson's hall, 2714 1.1 North a enue, Friday evening, Oct. 14. There will be German and Engish speakers and music by the Singing Society Vorwaerts. It will be too good to miss!

People who are informed know ALHAMBRA THEATER. Driven From Home, which is to zations have made wonderful headbe presented by Patrice and her way in England and have become company at the Alhambra theater, very rich. The principle, which is beginning tomorrow (Sunday after-noon) is claimed to be one of the waster of competition, is the one most beautiful scenic productions after all, that has made the big that has been seen in some years privately-owned department stores

Slaughter's gambling house was timely, it seems. On Tuesday a named Kanneberg made several efforts to get a warrant for the raiding of the den; but was practically laughed at by the clerk

of the municipal court and the city attorney's office. Not to be crushed this remarkable exhibition of official misconduct he went into open court and forced the, issuing of a search warrant. While this was go-

is added evidence of the partnership that exists in Milwaukee between the human pirates called gamblers and the rascals that make up the department of "justice." How do you

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Should this view of the situation prove to be correct, there is evidenty but one thing that can be done

by the comrades of the city and the state, and that is to repudiate the man and his actions in every possible way. After that we must be more careful in our choosing of those whom it is necessary to put into public office.

Good and honest Socialists will be willing to submit to any precautions which the comrades see fit to take. All others, who may by accident or their own scheming be placed upon the list of our candidates, must be made to submit, and the first sign of unwillingness must be taken as an indication of their unworthiness,

and of the necessity for their instant repudiation.

The Northside comrades are go ing to try the soapbox idea. This Saturday evening Comrades Melm-and Seidel and a good German speaker will speak in the open air Twelfth and Center streets.

Northside comrades are asked to be resent.

The Twenty-first ward branch, Milwaukee, will give an entertain-ment and ball Sunday, Dec. 5, at Pabst Park hall. A good time pro-

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of the press from the different cities institutions and which has made where it has been seen. It has won their owners rich. There is no doubt about the principle, so long as praise from many prominent clergy-men throughout the land, and its moral teaches a lesson that has earned all the praise bestowed upon it STAR THEATER.

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good, faithful management is coupled with it. While this principle not brought out entirely clear in the effort to found a co-operative department store in Milwaukee, as will Manager Trottman will present be seen by the advertisement which to his patrons on Sunday at the Star we print on another page, yet it is

in the direction of the trend toward thrown round it certain safeguards against a few getting final control. The Social Democratic orchestra The Herald neither endorses nor

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