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Do you know what good intentions often amount to. Good intentions are undoubtedly good, but unless action follows, they are as good as nothing.

The Herald into the hands of the people. Order a steady subscription until the coming campaign is over, and plaster your walls with them.

There Are Many Socialisms-- But Victor L. Berger Points Out that there is but ONE Social Democracy.

Names and definitions have often given rise to serious trouble in times of old, sometimes because they were not properly understood, and at other times, especially in the dark ages, because of more prejudices.

But since then Socialism, we might say modern Socialism, has begun its triumphal march over the earth, and, naturally, this diversification has not become smaller, but, on the contrary, larger.

Autocratic Socialism, which aims to rule nations by a strongly concentrated power, constituted in monarchies or delegates, which form of government must ultimately lead to an hierarchy or a strong oligarchy.

In the first place, experience has taught us that all social reforms which contribute to the welfare of the masses of the people, also add additional burdens to the already crumbling middle class, and in that way hasten its downfall.

Socialists charge the capitalist system with destroying the homes of the people and substituting therefor a system of prostitution, with disorganizing the young men down so that they do not dare to set up their own families and bring poverty upon their heads.

A GUM-SHOE CAMPAIGN BY THE PARRY-SITES.

The city of Racine, Wis., is one of the most important of the minor class of manufacturing cities in the United States, and it was no surprise recently when the so-called Citizens' Alliance, which the Parry-sites formed at a convention in Chicago a month ago, should seek to sink some of its roots in an industrial city that is only a comparatively few miles away.

Johnson, a manufacturer who tried by law to legalize night work for women and children; W. E. Miles, the head of the big Racine carriage and wagon works; Supt. Wm. Sobey, Foreman G. Keuntrel, and Foreman Acheson of the Case Plow works; and then a few victims among the working class, such as Robt. Dannhouser, "John the Baptist" Underhill, Ben Stelling and a man named McMellan.

Note that the applicant must pledge himself not to be a member of a union that uses union weapons, and that he must keep secret what the Alliance does in its meetings and in its work for undermining unionism.

The workers, in spite of their great industry, are poor. The capitalists, who claim to work, too, live on the fat of the land, wear sleek clothes and can bring their families up as the favored creatures of the world.

DON'T BLAME BUSINESS MEN.

The modern system of business is essentially hard-hearted and corrupt. One business man benefits by the downfall of other business men. He must try to undersell them, to get their business away from them.

The Milwaukee district attorney says the Republicans will go into the spring campaign on the boodle issue—which is pretty cool considering that the Republicans have been doing their full share of the boodling.

The Herald, ten weeks, ten cents.

Let's have a change in the deal. Let the boodle aldermen turn state's evidence and let the rich bribe-givers go to prison! Why not!

When Carlisle said that modern society reminded him of a basket of vipers, each particular snake trying to get to the top, he painted a vivid picture of actual "civilization" under the capitalist system.

And anxious lot of the worker forms a sad contrast, and that lot would be much worse but for trade unionism. And so any set of men who try to break unionism down are arch-enemies of society and deserve the scorn of mankind.

The American Federation of Labor went on record against what purported to be Socialism by an overwhelming majority at the Boston convention. Three men control and cast the vote that controls the convention.

Debs Comments of Current Events, And Pays His Respects to the Foes of the Workers Outside and Inside the Unions.

The Socialist delegates cut a small figure in the meeting and were sat down upon hard, and now the pure and simple labor leaders and the pure and simple capitalist leaders join lustily in singing the doxology.

At the New Orleans convention last year the Socialists compromised on a milk and water resolution to get the vote of the miners. This year on a resolution that meant but little more the miners slammed them down good and plenty.

But as the Federation convention is controlled absolutely by three or four delegates who have votes enough to do as they please and as these will never change until they are forced to do so by their constituents, it is questionable if there is anything gained in going up against such a brace game.

Every labor skinner in the land is patting the Federation on the back and spewing his fulsome flattery upon its pure and simple saviors.

And the reason the leaders give for opposing Socialism is that they "don't want the labor movement to be the tail end of a political party." Gods! Isn't that just what it is today?

My conclusion is that Socialists would better stop wasting their time on a convention controlled by three or four men who are dead set against Socialism and progress, and who will never move an inch until they are lifted by the rank and file.

Between the pure and simple labor leaders and civic federalists and the Socialist agitators there is war and the place to fight it out is not in an Alamo where they outnumber us a dozen to one, but out in the hearing of the working class, who shall know the truth and smite their misleaders to the earth.

The story is being circulated—for what reason may be surmised—that the American Railway Union and its president never paid a dollar of the court costs assessed against them during their trials and that they also left their attorneys' fees and other claims unpaid.

In this connection it may be said that it cost a fortune to reach the supreme court of the United States to be told there that the lower court had final jurisdiction in a contempt proceeding. The writer was opposed to making the effort, but was overruled, the plea being made, especially by the lawyers, that the decision would be of incalculable value as a precedent to the working class.

It is true that we agreed to pay some of the lawyers still more in case the A. R. U. recovered financially, but it was distinctly understood that if the organization did not recover its financial standing there should be no claim and the large fees already paid were to be accepted as payment in full.

The A. R. U. did not recover, for all the railroad corporations combined to crush it. Therefore the contingent fees were not due and were never claimed.

The lawyers were well paid and every dollar due them was settled in full according to agreement, and every dollar due on every other claim was paid in full.

The A. R. U. nor its president owes any court or any lawyer a dollar, and any assertion to the contrary is a lie and a calumny.

How grand these lines of Longfellow: "The world rolls into light! It is daybreak everywhere."

There is light ahead and all about us, and the sun of Socialism will soon rise to meridian glory.

The Wisconsin state secretary requests us to inform our readers in Wisconsin that an extension of ten days has been made to the time of closing the referendum vote on the new state executive board, as the constitution permits, where the vote has not been a representatively large one.

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These are the times that try men's consciences!

The over-kissed Hobson wants this country to spend billions of dollars on an increased navy. In other words he wants this nation, in spite of the security of its geographical situation, to go into the wholesale killing business the same as the king ridden nations of Europe.

Every man has it in his power to help on the cause of Socialism. Some can make an open fight. Others can help on the fight by contributing from their means. Some can do both. Don't look to see how much the other fellow is doing—do all YOU can.

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HOW THE HERALD STANDS.

We have grouped below several pages from two interesting booklets lately issued by the advertisers...

The first hand points to its position in the booklet entitled, "Leading Newspapers..."

Complex advertisement for 'Leading Newspapers' and 'Class and Trade Papers' with various statistics and lists.

THE TRUE STRENGTH OF TRADE UNIONISM.

It is very difficult to get exact figures on trades union membership. The records kept by the national or international unions at their respective headquarters...

any change that could in any way affect industrial conditions. The Letter Carriers' association has been agitating the question of uniting with the American Federation of Labor...

The bricklayers are not affiliated with the American Federation of Labor. Then there is the American Labor Union, a strong central organization which is beginning to be the vest...

What We Social Democrats Are After.

(Adopted by the Socialist Party in National Convention at Indianapolis, Ind., July 31, 1907.) The Socialist party, in national convention assembled, reaffirms its adherence to the principles of International Socialism...

Books on International Socialism.

Table listing various books on international socialism with authors and prices, such as 'Revolution and Counter-Revolution' by Lenin.

Advertisement for 'SHUR-ON' eyeglasses, featuring an image of the glasses and text describing their benefits.

Advertisement for 'F. G. FRISCH' featuring an image of a razor and text about grinding razors and shears.

Advertisement for 'Teeth Extracted' by Dr. Young, promising painless extraction for 25 cents.

Advertisement for 'Jullius Lando's Optical Institute' located at 419 East Water Street.

Advertisement for 'It's' featuring an image of a hand holding a coin and text about laundry services.

Advertisement for 'Teeth Extracted' by Dr. Young, repeating the offer of painless extraction.

Advertisement for 'Social Democratic Herald' with subscription rates and contact information.

Advertisement for 'OUR UNION LABEL' featuring an image of the label and text about laundry products.

Advertisement for 'WHAT TO READ ON SOCIALISM' featuring an image of a book and text about socialist literature.

Advertisement for 'Social Democratic Herald' at 344 Sixth Street, Milwaukee, Wis.

Advertisement for 'CREAM CITY FUEL CO., WOOD, COAL, SLABS & EDGINGS' with office and yard locations.

Advertisement for 'BORCHARDT BROS., TAILORS AND FURNISHERS' at 347-349 Grove St.

Advertisement for 'RICHARD ELSNER, LAWYER' with office at 140 North Avenue.

Advertisement for 'JACOB HUNGER, PRINTER' at 602 Chestnut St.

Advertisement for 'WHEN ORDERING SUITS DEMAND THIS LABEL' featuring an image of a suit label.

Advertisement for 'SEE THAT THIS LABEL' featuring an image of a tobacco label.

Advertisement for 'DRINK Schlitz' featuring an image of a Schlitz beer bottle.

Advertisement for 'RUSKIN College' with literary department and various courses.

Advertisement for 'AND. BUEHLER, PRINTER' at 614-616 East Water St.

Advertisement for 'WM. R. BEITZ CO.' at 125-127 West Water St.

Advertisement for 'ATTORNEY AND SOLICITOR' with contact information.

Advertisement for 'Demand this Label on all Packages of Beer, Ale or Porter' featuring an image of a beer label.

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Large advertisement for 'WIENER' beer with the slogan 'That's for Beer Quality' and 'Always the Same Good Old Blatz'.

Advertisement for 'HAND-OUT SOCIALIST MAKERS' offering propaganda leaflets.

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Large advertisement for 'A GREAT BARGAIN!' featuring 'THE TRIUMPH OF LABOR' magazine and 'SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC HERALD' subscription information.

THE COW WITH THE BROKEN HIP, And its Human Duplication. — By A. L. Benson.

Out in the country, 20 years ago, there used to be an occasional cow with one hip "knocked down."

The tide had turned; that for which they had sacrificed the nation's blood and treasure was beginning to come to pass.

That kills 300 Moros because they would not "stand still" is no better than a farmer that knocks down a cow's hip for the same reason.

If they be unthinking men, as their fathers are today, they may go with glad hearts, firm in the belief that they are discharging a patriotic duty.

Some few there be who go to war for the glory of doing a good thing well; but most nations, nowadays, go to war for gold and not for glory.

THE COW WAS STANDING STILL AND EVERYTHING WAS LOVELY. Six days later, there was a different story. The animal, perhaps grown tired of the milking process, had kicked, and a dispatch from Manila told how Gen. Wood had "knocked down" her hip by killing 300 Moros.

Incidentally, the dispatch contained the first news that there had been a fresh revolt in the islands by giving the assurance of Gen. Wood that "the indications are there will be no extension of the uprising."

Now, it would be idle, perhaps, to argue that an exploiting nation leaving them only enough to live upon from day to day. There those bees work and work. Never stopping for a moment except to get a wink of sleep now and then.

You give him the biggest share of what you produce, while you keep only a bare living for yourselves and little ones. That's all! And then you kick about hard times!

The Specialist daily journal of Rome, Avanti, edited by Prof. Enrico Ferri, M. P., has severely criticized several members of the new ministry.

Do something for Socialism—do all in your power. It adds so much more to the total sum of effort and will make the final victory so much nearer at hand!

It is easier to fight for Socialism than it was twenty or thirty years ago. So you have no excuse if you are not putting up a fight.

NOTES FROM YANKEE LAND. The Socialist gain in Brooklyn amounted to 811 votes. The S. L. P. loss was 1,255.

ACROSS THE HERRING POND. The Berlin Fifth District Socialist club received 47 new members in its last meeting.

FROM NAT'L HEADQUARTERS.—Omaha, Neb., Nov. 28: The following contributions have been made to the National Organizing Fund since last report:

What must we do to be saved? A new propaganda booklet, designed to interest non-socialists and prepare the way for a study of Socialism.

Wisconsin Treasurers Report for the Month of November. Cash on hand \$158.11, Receipts from state secy. 132.80.

English advocates of free trade are quoting the comparative rates of wages from the recently published Blue Book. According to those statistics in 15 skilled trades, the average wages in London are \$9.08 and in English provincial towns \$8.64 a week.

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Three Yearly Postal Subscription Cards and Two of these Fifty Cent Cloth Bound Books: The Origin of the Family, Private Property and the State.

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Dec 1st. P. J. Hyland has finished in Wyoming. M. W. Wilkins is in Montana, and John M. Ray is working through Alabama.

OHIO.—The state committee of Ohio met in special session at the state office on December 3rd.

NEBRASKA.—State Organizer Schieffeler has completed a most successful tour of the state.

WISCONSIN.—Comrades! do you believe in the referendum? Well, then attend to it when it is in operation.

FROM NAT'L HEADQUARTERS.—Omaha, Neb., Nov. 28: The following contributions have been made to the National Organizing Fund since last report:

Local Essex, N. J. \$1.00, Joe A. Thomas, Medford, Ore. .25, A. Comrade, Medford, Ore. .25.

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HOW ABOUT THAT \$2.00 BILL? Or are you one of the fellows eternally "kicking" but never "hustling"?

Social Democratic Herald. Make your neighbor read The Herald. Ten weeks for ten cents!

GET THE HABIT of attending the Entertainments of the Social Democratic Party. It's easy after you have made the first attempt.

The MONSTER Mask Carnival At the "EXPO" Jan. 30, 1904. Social Democratic Party.

A SOCIALIST BOOK STORE. Has been opened at 344 SIXTH STREET, Milwaukee, Wis.

Federated Trades Council of Milwaukee. HEADQUARTERS: 318 State Street, SECOND FLOOR. The Regular Meetings of the Council are held first and third Wednesdays at 8 o'clock, at 298 Fourth Street, Second Floor.

The executive board also submitted the business agent's report. It reviewed the status of labor throughout the country, where workers were being laid off and wages reduced. Locally he said that an added grievance against the Gimbels was that the electrician was still out of his union. The Stumpf controversy with the painters was added to by the claim of the plasterers for a certain part of the work.

Union Barber Shops. UNION SHOP. THE UNION BARBER SHOP, 311 Third St., Opp. Steinmeyer.

AL. F. DRESSEN, 117 Lincoln Ave.

J. N. GAUER, 454 Reed St., corner Scott.

M. C. KAMMERER, 454 Reed St., corner Scott.

W. L. SMITH, 454 Reed St., corner Scott.

BARBER SHOP, 311 Third St., Opp. Steinmeyer.

UNION BARBER SHOP, 311 Third St., Opp. Steinmeyer.

W. L. SMITH, 454 Reed St., corner Scott.

J. PETER, 1023 Vliet Street.

Model Bakery, 1023 Vliet Street.

S. J. WINNIK, 1023 Vliet Street.

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The Herald office has been still further furnished by the installation of a handsome clock from the jewelry store of A. H. Stecher, Third and State streets. It is proving a true time keeper and keeping up to the reputation of the store it came from.

Director J. E. Fitzgerald of the Milwaukee Boiler Company makes affidavit that his company paid out \$1,000 to bribe the aldermen. Edwin Reynolds is president of the Boiler company. It is not believed that the company could have paid out \$1,000 without its president having guilty knowledge of the fact!

Comrade May Wood Simons, of Chicago, will lecture at National Hall, Grove street and National avenue, Sunday afternoon, Dec. 6. Subject: "Woman and the Home."

That entertainment and ball of the Twenty-first ward branch, at Pabst park Sunday, Dec. 6, promises to be something pretty fine. Mayr's orchestra will make the music, the Crescent quartette and the Socialist Maennerchor will sing.

workers were scarcely considered. The most important matter of the jurisdiction fights was not straightened out, as the rulers would not do a thing by which some of the national officers might lose their jobs.

Hour of adjournment. Rules suspended. It was decided to send out circulars for a meeting on building trades section on Dec. 12. Moved and seconded that council sanction a metal trades section.

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L. SACHS, The Jeweler. 418 National Ave. EDE PLAU HATTER & FURNISHER HATS - CAPS GENT'S FURNISHING GOODS.

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WISCONSIN STATE FEDERATION OF LABOR DEPARTMENT. EXECUTIVE BOARD: O. N. CALIF, 1210 Banks Avenue, Superior.

The secretary reported that a Citizens' Alliance had of late been organized in Racine. After discussion the matter was referred to the secretary. Reference was made to a circular supposed to have been issued by one of the Milwaukee unions.

Monthly Pledges to S. D. Party for 3rd Quar. Collected by J. C. Kramer. J. Hendrickson \$25.00, C. Kuchengeker \$75.00, R. E. Ruhe \$75.00, Geo. Ruel \$135.00, Con. Ruel \$75.00, A. G. Wilson \$45.00, Miss H. Hensford \$4.00, H. F. Wartebe \$15.00, Frank Wojciechowski \$20.00, H. E. Briggs \$75.00, John Zintarski \$30.00, L. Hinger \$1.00, Jos. Knott \$30.00, Jul. Felske \$30.00, Max Franz \$30.00, W. Radke \$30.00, W. X. Taylor \$30.00, Gus Rogahn \$30.00, Herm. Buech \$75.00, Henry Schmidt \$150.00, Ole Olson \$30.00, Martin Mies \$75.00, Stephan Gajdosik \$180.00, Chas. Felker \$30.00, H. J. Borchardt \$30.00, H. L. W. \$50.00, Frank Davis \$1.50, James Davis \$1.50.

SHERIFF'S SALE. STATE OF WISCONSIN, SUPERIOR COURT - MILWAUKEE COUNTY. Carl Zeig, Plaintiff, Gustav H. Leopold, Elizabeth W. Zeig, et al., Defendants. Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, SUPERIOR COURT - MILWAUKEE COUNTY. COUNTY COURT - IN PROBATE. In the Matter of the Estate of Eva Gilsdorf, Deceased.

TAKE A GOOD LOOK At our Womens \$2.00 Shoes and see if they are not as stylish and as shapely as any you ever saw.

Louis Ripple, 554 MITCHELL STREET. For Racine & Chicago, 8 p. m. daily. For Sheboygan and Manitowish, 8 a. m. daily except Monday.

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Our Goods are Reliable AND Our Prices ARE THE LOWEST Louis A. Manz, 506 Chestnut St.

FRANK HADERER, DEALER IN Hardware & Stoves. FOR HOLIDAY TRADE We call attention to our fine line of Skates, Pocket Knives, Shears and Table Cutlery.

FRANK NIELSEN, SHOE HOUSE, Full Line of Union Shoes. 460 ELEVENTH AVE., MILWAUKEE, WIS. Repairing Neatly Done.

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JOHN LUELL, MANUFACTURER OF FINE CIGARS, 536 Second Ave., Milwaukee, Wis. MY BRANDS - Santiago de Cuba, O. L. 10c Cigar, Golden Harvest, Lone Star, No. 855 5c Cigar.

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UNION HAT CO. \$2.00 Hats \$3.00 224 GRAND AVENUE. FRED. SIELING, Grinder and Umbrella Maker. Recovering of Umbrellas a Specialty. 703 SCOTT STREET, Near American Ave.

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Town Topics by the Town Crier.

In Milwaukee last week two big concerns were found to have given thousand dollar bribes to aldermen, the influential citizens at the head of said companies saving their necks from criminal prosecution under the statutes by "turning state's evidence." The president of one of these companies was none other than Edwin Reynolds, the world famed builder of the Reynolds-Corliss engines. Few people supposed, when the investigations as to boodling began, that so prominent and so "upright" a citizen would be involved in the rascality, but in spite of this, the representatives of the capitalist class in Milwaukee do not seem to yet realize that one of their members are under a cloud. For just at the time when this man rests under a cloud, there appears an interview in an afternoon paper in which E. A. Wadhams, president of the Merchants and Manufacturers' association, says with characteristic naivete, "Men like Edwin Reynolds are the type of men who do good." And what made it all the worse, he was speaking about getting representative men to discuss current problems in a series of after-dinner meetings. Capitalist morals are wonderful to contemplate. But what of the future citizenship of our young men, who are imbibing such utterances as that we have quoted. Are they to grow up to believe that a business man can give a bribe and still belong to "the type of men who do good?"

Wisconsin comrades attention! Among the referendum returns received by the state secretary was one tallied out on the referendum call sent out from the state office, which came in from one of the branches, but without any mark to show where it was from. Who sent it? For the purpose of better identification we may state that the ballot contained eight votes for each of the following nominees: Fred Brockhansen, Jacob Hanger, James Sheehan, Frederic Heath, John Doerfler, Sr., H. J. Ammann, W. H. Phelps, R. O. Stoll, and Robert Sattler. Also eight votes for Victor L. Berger for national committeeman.

The Nineteenth ward branch will dedicate their new hall, 3109 Lisbon ave., by a mass meeting, Wednesday evening, Dec. 9. Comrade Emil Seidel and others will speak in English and German.

Thousand dollar bribes for little side-tracks is pretty good. Wonder what street railway franchise bribes amount to!

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E. A. Wadhams, president of the Merchants and Manufacturers' association, was one of the vice presidents of that Turner hall mass meeting called to denounce corruption, the very one, in fact, who gave Attorney Bohmrich the tip to make a stampeding plea against the adoption of the Socialist resolutions, which declared that the only way to stamp out corruption was to administer city affairs on Socialist principles. And so it will occasion no great surprise to read his (Wadhams') ingenious eulogy of Edwin Reynolds, just after Reynolds has been discovered to have been mixed up in a bribe-giving scandal. Subsequent events are proving all the straight-from-the-shoulder contentions that the Socialists made at that meeting about big business being essentially corrupt.

The Humane Society is again trying to secure state pap. By the way, where was his hypocritical agent when Mayor Rose let loose several chickens from his carriage on Fond du Lac avenue for the crowd of celebrators to run down and literally tear to pieces? Why wasn't the mayor arrested by this sanctimonious "humane" organization that has so much ferocity for the working class!

The women who recently organized on the South Side have decided on Woman's Socialist Club as their name. They will give a reception to May Wood Simons, of Chicago, who lectures at National Hall tomorrow afternoon. The reception will take place at the Socialist Home, 382 Washington street, in the evening. All women are invited to attend.

The Eighteenth Ward branch will give its first dance at Block's hall, Brady street, corner of Farewell, Saturday evening, Dec. 12. A good time is promised.

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