We Fail to See the Difference

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A Socialist Mayor and An Al-most Mayor
By M. Lee Tupper Meynard

[Text about a socialist mayor and an almost mayor, discussing their positions and policies.]

The Educational Value of Life in the Army
When the shock of battle has come, when the bullet has struck, when the shell has crashed, there is not much room for sentiment or philosophy. The soldier's life is one of struggle and hardship, of constant danger and uncertainty. The things that he values most are those that he is able to take with him on the battlefield.

[Text about the educational value of life in the army, discussing the harsh realities and the lessons learned in battle.]

Socialism is the New Patriotism
[Text discussing the new concept of patriotism in socialism, emphasizing the collective interest over individual gain.]

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The Steady Growth of Socialism

San Francisco. The tide of the Socialist party has pressed upon the ballot in the Grand Army of the Republic convention of yesterday, and the so-called socialists have been steadily growing in numbers for two years. During these two years, the party has steadily grown in strength, and the so-called socialists have been steadily gaining in power. The Socialists have steadily gained in numbers and strength, and the party is now in a position to make itself heard in the coming elections. The Socialist party is now in a position to win the next election, and the party will be in a position to make itself heard in the coming elections.

The Parliamentary Fight in "Merrie" England

The Liberals Had to Talk to the People in Our Language. A Speech by Chancellor Lloyd George

Liberal politicians are fighting for their own existence. They are fighting for their own existence because they know that their time is coming to an end. The Liberals are fighting for their own existence because they know that their time is coming to an end.

And there are reasons to believe that they are fighting for their own existence because they know that their time is coming to an end. The Liberals are fighting for their own existence because they know that their time is coming to an end.

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The Builders' Column

By A. W. Mayo

“Ring Out the Old, Ring in the New, Ring Out the False, Ring in the True.”

The year is past.

The year is here with all its possibilities. What are we waiting for to make it so? I can hardly believe I am not dreaming, when thinking of what we actually see all around us. It is not the year that makes the difference; it is the way we make the difference.

Our Part Just As Important

During the coming year the Socialist and Industrial Socialist unions in this country will be growing stronger. In what ways can we make this growth more effective?

As a Member of the National Executive Committee of the American Socialist Party, I am able to say that I have every reason to believe that the Socialist movement in this country is going to make a great stride forward in the coming year.

The New Press Will Soon Be Going

In a sense it is true that we cannot afford to wait. The new press which we are going to see in action will be a powerful factor in the development of the Socialist movement.

Progress Edition January 25

Don’t fail to order a copy of the Progress Edition of the Milwaukee Social-Democrat. This edition will be in your hands by January 25th.

The Engineers’ Strike

The Engineers’ Strike is one of the most important events of the year. It is not only a strike for higher wages, but it is a strike for the right of workers to organize and bargain collectively.

Another Socialist Mayor

The election of a Socialist mayor in Milwaukee is not an isolated event. It is part of a broader movement for Socialism in the United States.

Socialism is the only solution to the problems facing our society. It is the only movement that can bring about real change and progress.

By H. M. Cook

“Socialism is a new way of life, a new way of thinking, a new way of working. It is not a dream, but a reality. It is not just a theory, but a practical program. It is not just a movement, but a way of living.”

The Milwaukee socialists

The socialist movement in Milwaukee is growing stronger every day. The Milwaukee Social-Democrat is the voice of the socialist movement in this city.

Socialism is a way of life, a way of thinking, a way of working. It is not just a dream, but a reality. It is not just a theory, but a practical program. It is not just a movement, but a way of living. It is the only solution to the problems facing our society.
Robbing Tax Payers!

A few weeks ago a number of acrobats were engaged in performing in a circus called "Kabanoff," which was organized by the king of the acrobats, Mr. Kabanoff, and was making its way to the west coast. The actuaries calculated that the probability of the success of this enterprise was approximately 95%. This prediction was based on previous performances and the acrobats' previous success. However, the actual result was quite different. The audience was not impressed, and the performance was a failure. This failure can be attributed to the fact that the acrobats had not taken into account the strong winds that were expected to blow in the west coast. As a result, the circus was forced to cancel the remaining shows and return to the east coast.

The Milwaukee Electric Railway and Light Company

Increased Cost of Street Railway Operation

While the price which THE MILWAUKEE ELECTRIC RAILWAY AND LIGHT COMPANY gets for its street car service has been sliding gradually downward, the cost of producing the service has been climbing steadily upward.

In the last ten years the rate of fare has been cut down several times. In spite of this the demands upon the Company by the city and the public have become greater each year.

All this time, the cost of every important item that figures in the Company's expenses has been increasing.

Very few of the street railways of the country have so low a fare as the Milwaukee Company. All of them have had the same kind of experience with increasing cost of service.

Over 50 per cent of the total expense of operating the Milwaukee street railway system is labor cost. The amount of labor and the amount of labor required are increasing all the time.

The rate of pay of the Milwaukee conductors and motormen within ten years has increased over 40 per cent, while the average revenue per passenger in the same period has decreased over 20 per cent.

The Milwaukee Company's statistics show that the average yearly pay of the individual wage earners of all the street railways of the United States in 1907 was $685. The average yearly pay of the employees of The Milwaukee Electric Railway and Light Company in 1907 was $725; the average in 1900 was $720.

The United States Census Bureau statistics show an increase in the year 1907, as compared with the year 1900, of 38 per cent in the cost of fuel, an important item in the operation of street railways.

All materials used in street railway construction have increased greatly and some have nearly doubled in cost. The percentages of increase of some of the most important items in the period from 1902 to 1907 were as follows:

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In addition to the items mentioned, the Companies must enter into increased costs for damages and legal expenses, for maintenance caused by the use of larger and heavier cars, and for increased power consumption necessary for the operation of the larger and heavier cars.

The power consumption per car mile of the electric railways of the United States increased 48 per cent from 1902 to 1907.

Under such conditions no business enterprise could be continued indefinitely. Either the present prices must be increased or the companies before long will reach the limit of financial possibilities.

The solution of this problem is one of the things that are keeping street railway men awake nights.

Wisconsin State Organization

Committee of One Hundred

Jewelry as Christmas Gifts

Bought for everybody.

O. H. Kohl
Jeweler and Watchmaker

C. H. Cook
Jeweler and Watchmaker

G. H. Koehn
Jeweler and Watchmaker

Good Shoes

Fred M. J. and Son

Leather and Shoes

A. A. K. and Son

Molleo's Shoes

The First National Bank of Milwaukee

Laundry

Towels Supply

Photographer

New Method

Laundry

Towel Supply

Ozarks

Callaway Fuel Co.

L. H. Buhler

Louis W. Lambke

H. W. Buhler

S. H. W. Lambke
News of Organized Labor
Conducted by Walter S. Fisher
Address all Communications to 318 State St.

Milwaukee, Wis. — When the Socialist party held its national convention some time ago, the resolutions adopted by that body, as well as the address delivered by General Manager Harvey O. Brown, were noted with interest by the leaders of the different branches of organized labor in Milwaukee.

Unlike the capitalist employers, which are continually making new demands, the Socialist employers have given the workers a rest period of several months, during which time the workers have been allowed to conserve their energy, and to plan their summer and winter campaigns.

The Socialist employers have been careful to observe the laws of nature, and to follow the advice of the Socialistic experts, who are always to be found in the ranks of the Socialist party.

Socialism, the true religion of the workers, is the religion of the future, and will ultimately prevail over the old system of capitalism.

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LET your New Years resolutions include the determination that so simple a household matter as the family milk supply no longer shall be passed on indifferently. Milk, the most common article of food in the world, is now a live issue everywhere. Baby's health, and that of the rest of the family, demands that you should be familiar with the source of your supply and the character of its product. That's why we have been at work for more than twelve years in establishing and perfecting what Public Confidence now pronounces the most sanitary and moderately priced dairy in Milwaukee. The Gridley Dairy is now the city's most important industrial enterprise. To the 35,000 families who look to us for the day's milk supply we send cordial holiday greetings. The future of this company will continue in the direction of maintaining the service of its dairy upon its present plane of undiminished sanitary superiority.

**Furniture Clearance Sale**

Our Annual January Clearance Sale will commence Tuesday, January 24th.
The Fischer Clearance Sale has become an annual affair looked for by the conservative buyers of good furniture.

Every year in January we ticket every broken lot, odd patterns, all pieces discontinued by the manufacturer—and all furniture manufactured by firms who have discontinued business and priced them at —

Discount of 20% to 40%

Every such place is not has the original ticket price and in addition a yellow selling ticket with all the important points for selecting the holiday season and know just what they cost. Here then is an opportunity to buy them at 20% to 40% Discounts.

Sale Commences Tuesday Morning

Those who come early may find the identical piece they wanted during the holidays at a price almost unbelievable. The above are on sale.

During the sale there will be a discount of 10% for cash on all purchases made from our regular stock.

Do not delay—the biggest bargains will go first.

COME EARLY

C. W. Fischer Furniture Co.
217-223 Second St., Cor. West Water St.
**Great Trouser Sale**

The entire Fall and Winter stock of one of America'sForemost Trouser Manufacturers at less than actual Manufacturer's Cost.

**Over 2000 Pairs to Select From**

Workingmen's & Dress Trousers
ALL UNION MADE

- $1.15
- $1.45
- $1.98
- $2.95
- $4.50

**Selection of Trousers For All Occasions**

- Men's Workmen's Trousers in Worker's and Gents, all styles and sizes, extra wide cut, this style...
- $1.80
- $2.00
- $2.45
- $3.00
- $4.00

**Great Grand Mammoth Social-Democratic Mask Carnival**

Saturday, January 28

AUDITORIUM HALLS

For the Benefit of the Campaign Fund and to help pay for the big new four-deck $25,000 Newspaper Press....

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- **$400 in PRIZES for $400**

**Best Maskers**

**Prize Contestants must be on Floor at 9:30**

It is none too early for organizations, branches, unions and individuals to plan groups, characters and costumes—now. In fact, rumors have it that some have been considering this matter even since our last carnival. Let us not be among the few who do not get ready. Let us not be found to be unprepared, or to be in the dark, and be forced to make do without, as has been the case in the past. Nothing would be more embarrassing than to have to turn the punch and non-punch boys back.

**Admission 25c a Person**

At Door 50¢