

Organization of the Working... must be accomplished by the... themselves.

The NEW YORK Call

The Weather. Fair, continuing cold today... TELEPHONES 3471-3476 WOMEN.

Devoted to the Interests of the Working People.

NEW YORK, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1909.

HOSPITAL BACKED UP

Believes Mrs. Hinkel's... against Essex Institution.

More Evidence Looks Out.

It also developed yesterday that at the last secret hearing of the freeholders' committee...

MORE CHICAGO "GRAFT"

Grand Jury Charges Connors and Rogers with Coal Frauds.

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—Two indictments were returned...

TURATI REFUSES OFFICE

Socialist Deputy Doesn't Wish to Head Employers' Union.

Girl Shirtwaist Strikers and Sympathizers Selling "Strike Special" of The Call on the Streets Yesterday



STRIKING SHIRTWAIST MAKERS AS NEWSGIRLS

"STRIKE SPECIAL" EXCITES COMMENT

Local Papers Feature Campaign of Waist Makers Who Sell Call "Extras."

The appearance in the city's crowded thoroughfares yesterday of hundreds of girls—shirtwaist strikers and sympathizers—selling a special edition of The Call...

The World remarks as follows: "A number of college girls as well as the pretty strike pickets today circulated through hotel corridors..."

And the Journal: "Wall street expressed unbounded sympathy for the girl shirtwaist makers, who are out on strike..."

"Two of the invaders were sixteen-year-old girls, and every messenger boy in the Wall street section constituted himself a committee of one to protect them from insults and jeers..."

Two pretty young women, who constituted a detachment of the army of 2,000 girls who flooded different parts of the city to sell a special edition of The New York Call...

TO PROTECT WORKERS

Railroad Men Want Legislation to Safeguard Life and Limb.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Protective and other legislation affecting railroad employes was under discussion at the White House today.



YETTA GOLDBERG AND SARAH SCHNÜRER WHO INVADED WALL STREET

MORSE LOSES APPEAL

Banker, Crook and Ex-King Another Step Nearer Atlanta.

MORSE, under the law, must be given two days before an order for his commitment to Atlanta is issued.

PRIVATE MINT RAIDED

Secret Service Men Arrest Three Alleged Operators of Plant.

At Bergman's house in Brownsville the secret service men found a big hydraulic press for the counterfeiting of ten cent pieces...

FREIGHT WRECK IN NEWBURGH

NEWBURGH, N. Y., Dec. 29.—The Wash Shore Railroad goes through this city above grade...

GET MURDER SUSPECT

Authorities Apprehend Man Believed to Have Killed Italian.

On the morning of December 13, the body of Flori di Phillippi was found lying on the Erie Railroad tracks...

TRAIN SLAYS FLAGMAN

Aged Employee of Staten Island Rapid Transit Road Dies at Post.

John Corson, sixty-two years old, a flagman employed by the Staten Island railroad at Tottenville...

WOMAN OVERCOME BY GAS

Boarding House Mistress Bars Entrance—C.P. Breaks in Door.

Mrs. Noble, an aged woman residing at 45 Seventh avenue, was found dead in her room yesterday noon...

WOMAN ON SCHOOL BOARD

President Coler, of the Borough of Brooklyn, yesterday appointed Mrs. Hollman, wife of Herman A. D. Hollman, auditor of the Public Service Commission...



MRS. ELSIE LA. G. COLE



MISS ELIZABETH DUTCHER

10 WAIST PICKETS JAILED IN PHILA.

Child Laborers Do Valiant Work as Pickets in Getting Scabs Out of Shops.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 29.—The police have begun making wholesale arrests of the pickets of the striking shirtwaist makers' union...

Director of Public Safety Clay and the police are harassing the strikers in many ways. Two of the striking girls were arrested yesterday here...

Children Valiant Pickets. The members of the Markers and Cleaners' Union, who are officially "fourteen years of age," are doing excellent work as pickets.

GIRLS SELL "STRIKE SPECIAL" OF THE CALL

Labor's Daily Startles New York City With Facts of Waist Makers' Struggle.

EXHAUST SUPPLY IN TWO HOURS

Big Prices Paid for Copies of Scorching Exposure of Bosses, Thugs and Courts—"Extra" is Sensation of the Town.

"Extra, Extra! 'Special Shirtwaist Strike Edition of The Call! Extra!"

A thousand young, pretty and determined girls, striking shirtwaist makers, invaded the principal parts of the city yesterday...

Although the girls did not start selling before noon, by 2 o'clock the papers were all gone and another edition was run off.

The girls all had large, white badges pinned to their jackets which bore the inscription, "Ladies' Waist Makers' Union on Strike for Better Conditions." They approached everybody...

But the slowest district was in the vicinity of Wall street, according to the statement of Miss Roddey...

The Call Shall Be Heard!

It would seem quite likely that Hubbard cribbed the idea of publishing The Philistine "every little while" from William Lloyd Garrison...

Like The Liberator, The Call is published in a garret; like Garrison, The Call's editors and other employes, judging from their irregularity with which they receive their pay, must frequently content themselves with sinkers and coffee...

But through it all there have been a few who would not "pull a single inch"—who have determined that The Call SHALL BE HEARD. They have become habitual and incurable readers.

A STRIKE 'NEWSY'



AS SHE LOOKED TO ARTIST LOEB.

Their papers, sold them and... Mrs. J. Ghent was in charge of the stand of girls at 78 Forsyth street.

That Murray's statement was well founded was proven by the fact that the manufacturers were greatly annoyed by the plan, some of them even going so far as to call the strike 'newsies' beggars.

Become Conscious of Your Power.

You support The Call because you want to see Socialism advanced. You work for this paper in various ways, we know.

SIG. KLEIN and Assistants MEN'S AND LADIES' FURNISHINGS

Once a Customer Always Gets Fraas & Miller The Furniture Center

Setting to Rights Our Stocks Which became somewhat broken in displays during the holiday rush, Offers You Carpets

PRESENT ULTIMATUM Big Four Telegraphers Put Wage Question Up to Road's Officials.

BATH TUB CASE Murdered Woman's Involved Relatives Will Be Removed to N. J.

TO FIGHT TAX LAW Indiana Manufacturers Hire Legal Sharps to Attack Corporation Act.

PHILA. WAIST STRIKE (Continued from page 1.)

TEA. Meals Taste Different because of variations in appetite, food and cooking; but there is never the slightest change in the established excellence of

White Rose Ceylon Tea 10c. Package Makes 40 Cups.

WOULD LEASE DOCK TO LOWEST BIDDER Mayor Asks Commissioner Spooner to Explain—Counsel for Mallory Line Implicated.

The Sinking Fund Commission yesterday took up the recommendation of Dock Commissioner Spooner to lease Piers 15 and 16 on the East River front to the Mallory Steamship Company.

Dock Commissioner Spooner began an explanation. He said there was another equity besides dollars and cents which induced him to recommend the awarding of the lease to the Mallory Company.

That is very true, replied the Mayor, but the Mallory Company, in combination with the Clyde Steamship Company, the New York and Porto Rico Company and the Atlantic and West Company, now control eight piers in New York and a pier in Brooklyn.

When Mrs. Martin heard that they would be removed she told her counsel, Samuel Fine, that she wanted him to protect her and her sister from the camera men.

Another exemplary presentation of Franz Schubert's unfinished symphony by the Philharmonic Society was had under the leadership of Gustav Mahler in Carnegie Music Hall last night.

WOMAN BURNED TO DEATH. BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 28.—Mrs. Jane Dorland, widow of Dr. Ellis T. Dorland, died this morning as a result of burns received last evening.

BEELIAN SOCIALISTS BUSY. BRUSSELS, Dec. 28.—The Socialists in the Chamber of Deputies opposed the civil list of the king, which amounts to \$660,000, yesterday and reaffirmed their allegiance to a republic.

FRANK'S DEPARTMENT STORE. N. E. Cor. 33d St. & Ave. A, N. Y. ALWAYS SOMETHING NEW.

FOR THE HOLIDAYS, WINES and LIQUORS JOHN ZIMMERLING 1454 FLATBUSH AVE., NEAR AVE. I

McEnery's Furniture Investment. The New Year is to be welcomed here with a sale that will appeal to YOU.

MUSIC "AIDA." Metropolitan Opera House. Interpreted by a distinguished solo cast and directed by Arturo Toscanini.

IS ELFRIEDA IN THE BRONX OR HAMBURG? Cablegram Says Missing Hoboken Girl Is Across the Pond, but Letter Says, No.

LES CONTES D'HOFFMANN. Manhattan Opera House. For last evening's performance of "Les Contes d'Hoffmann" (The Tales of Hoffmann) at the Manhattan Opera House,

BOILERMAKERS WIN American Locomotive Company Abolishes Objectionable Time System.

TARS STEAL TO ESCAPE GOLD. Deserting Sailors Invade Police Station With Sack of Potatoes.

NEW YEAR FESTIVAL Under the Auspices of the SOCIALIST PARTY of Essex County, N. J.

STRIKE WAITING GAME

Conference in Washington Settle Strike, But Prospects are Doubtful.

CHICAGO, Minn., Dec. 29.—The situation in the Northwest is a waiting game, all further action being contingent upon the result of the conference in Washington.

Chicago Workers Expect to Fight. CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—It is learned from authority today that the representatives of Chicago switchmen, negotiating with the railroads an increase in wages, have little chance of getting an amicable settlement.

They Put Question Up to Taft. WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Interest in the strike of switchmen in the Northwest will be centered in Washington on Friday morning, when H. H. Perham, of the railway department of the American Federation of Labor, will arrive here from St. Paul to confer with Chairman Taft.

PAUL TAUSIG 104 East 14th Street, German Savings Bank Building.

S. CASSEL'S UNION HAT STORE 110 Livingston Street, cor. Ludlow

NEW HAVEN HEDGES

Railroad Officials Begin to Sidestep on Wage Increase Question. NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 29.—At the offices of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad it was admitted to-day that next week a demand for wage increases would probably be made by several of the labor organizations.

M'CLELLAN IS HAPPY "At Peace With All Men," Says Outgoing Mayor. Mayor McClellan estimated yesterday that appropriations which had been passed or proposed within the last few weeks to the amount of \$19,000,000 for various city projects had been cut off by veto or refusal of concurrence by various boards or bureaus.

GAS FOR NEW YORK John D. Plans to Pipe Natural Product to Metropolis. PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 29.—The Standard Oil Company, through the People's Gas Company, of Pittsburg, its principal gas company, is now planning to pipe natural gas from the fields of West Virginia and Western Pennsylvania into Greater New York, giving the metropolis at 50 cents per thousand feet the same fuel which has made Pittsburg famous—Pittsburg now pays 27 1/2 cents per thousand feet for the same.

SPORTS TEST CASE DROPPED Wilkes-Barre Baseball Manager Won't Invoke Anti-Slavery Law. WILKES-BARRE, Pa., Dec. 29.—Manager Clymer, of the Wilkes-Barre Club of the New York State League, will not test the right to sell and buy baseball players under the Thirteenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States.

FOG SPOILS FLIGHT. Capt. Cody Encounters Telegraph Wires and Comes to Earth. LIVERPOOL, Dec. 29.—Captain S. F. Cody, the aviator, made an attempt today to fly from this place to Manchester for the Daily Mail prize of \$5,000, but was compelled to abandon the trial after traveling a short distance because of the prevalence of a heavy fog.

CONVICTED OF BETTING. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—The first conviction under the Walker-Otis anti-betting law was that of Charles Schwartz, who was found guilty in the Superior Court yesterday of having placed a bet on a baseball game. Two years is the maximum penalty.

MEXICAN ENVOY HAS COMPLETED MISSION

But Secretary Knox Will Not Alter His Nicaraguan Plans to Suit Diaz. WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Enrique C. Creel, former Mexican Ambassador to the United States, who has been in Washington for several weeks in connection with political affairs in Central America, has completed his mission and will return to Mexico in the next few days.

CHILDREN IN SAD FIX Father Leaves Five Little Ones, Foodless and Fireless—Mother Ill. Following a clew furnished in an anonymous letter, Agent Coschima, of the Brooklyn branch of the Children's Society, yesterday rescued five hungry and almost frozen children from a basement room, where they had been left by their father.

WIFE BEATER HIT No Excuse for Striking a Woman, Says Justice in Granting Alimony. "There is nothing that excuses a man for striking a woman. This man should go back and make peace with his wife if he loves her. Experience shows you cannot strike your wife and make love to her at the same time."

ALL ITALY EXCITED Case of Enrico Ferri Causes Much Comment in the Press. ROME, Dec. 29.—Practically all the leading political journals of Italy are filled with long editorials regarding the action of Enrico Ferri, the noted criminologist and deputy, in declaring that he was not responsible to the Socialist party, which elected him to Parliament, and that he would work with the new ministry if he thought the interests of the proletariat could be advanced in that way.

FOR SUFFRAGE PLAYS. Plans on Foot to Appeal to Public Through Stage. CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—Advocates of woman suffrage in Illinois propose to use the stage to advance their cause. Three amateur companies are proposed in Chicago to give plays appealing for "Votes for Women."

Grand Entertainment and Reception OF W. E. CLUB, 477 Atlantic Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y. Friday, New Year's Eve, December 31 At 8:15 o'clock.

MEN WANTED

Who want to buy the best and most stylish suits and overcoats at moderate prices; men and boys who know the difference in suits and overcoats which are bought from

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Lester F. Ward (Professor in Brown University, Author of "Pure Sociology," "Applied Sociology," etc.) WILL LECTURE ON "THE RISE OF THE PROLETARIAT" AT THE Rand School of Social Science, 112 EAST 19TH STREET. THURSDAY, DECEMBER 30, 8 P. M.

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GIRLS USE HAT PINS

Victims of Police Mania for "Mugging" Make Brave Fight. Sadie Stahl, of 319 Lafayette avenue, Brooklyn, and Tillie Katz, of 11 East 112th street, Manhattan, who were arrested on complaint of Mrs. A. E. Mitchell, of Stamford, Conn., wife of the president of the Wyckoff Pipe and Crocoting Company of this city, were discharged in Centre Street Court yesterday afternoon when Mrs. Mitchell failed to identify them as two women whom she accused of robbing her of her handbag containing jewelry valued at \$1,500 and a sum of money while in an uptown candy shop.

HE DIDN'T KNOW Judge Gave Him 90 Days for Wife Beating, Nevertheless. NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 29.—With her sides black and blue, her wrist swollen and her face a mass of bruises, the wife of Frank Johnstone appeared in police court against her husband today, charging him with wife beating. Johnstone was present, but his memory was badly muddled.

EXPLOSION KILLS 5 Blow Up of Boiler Flays Havoc at Electric Plant. READING, Pa., Dec. 29.—Five men were instantly killed early today by the explosion of a boiler at the new plant of the Metropolitan Electric Company in West Reading.

BOSSSES PROSECUTED New Jersey Authorities After Violators of Child Labor Laws. TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 29.—During the past year there were forty prosecutions for violations of the child labor laws in manufacturing establishments of the state, according to the annual report of Lewis T. Bryant, Commissioner of Labor.

TO SUE MACHINISTS. Slander Alleged Against Vice President of International Association. WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—A suit for libel is to be brought in the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia against the officers of the International Association of Machinists and others by James A. Schofield, formerly the New York representative of the association.

SEUBERTS WIN IN SUIT. Lived Up to Agreement in Comedy Theater Case, Says Court. That the Seuberts had lived up to their contract with Walter N. Lawrence in regard to the control of time in the Comedy Theater, was the decision of Justice Dowling yesterday in the Supreme Court.

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ISN'T HE EASY?



And They Don't Use Stovaine, Either! THE PRESENT AND THE FUTURE.

By Robert Hunter.

SOCIALIST PARTY QUESTIONS. We have received several communications, intended for publication, advocating the election of this or that candidate...

Possibly the writers of these communications think that because we have been publishing articles and letters representing opposite views on questions of party organization and policy...

But is it not in the nature of an anomaly that the Socialist press is, or should be, debarred from discussing a question submitted to the vote of the entire membership of the Socialist party?

We are well aware that in attacking the democratic fetch we are treading on dangerous ground. Many well-meaning and otherwise well-informed Socialists think that the referendum and the general vote are not only the surest, but also the only way of ascertaining the true opinion of the party membership...

In the first place the result of a general vote does not necessarily reflect the opinion of the majority of party members. It only reflects the opinion of the majority participating in the vote.

But furthermore, it is not merely the opinion of the party membership that is needed in the decision of questions, but their best opinion, their intelligent opinion based on a free and full discussion of the questions at issue.

But frequent Socialist party conventions are imperatively needed not only for the purpose of deciding intelligently upon party questions, but also for the purpose of preventing the formation of factions and cliques.

It is unnecessary to add that only such conventions can exercise any real control over the national officers of the party.

A few years ago, when a charity agent was told that a family was starving and I went to give them assistance. Shortly after my arrival there was a timid knock at the door...

In unsanitary factories, in dangerous mines and living in foul, overcrowded cabins and tenements. Brave unionists, fighting for shorter hours and better conditions, are singled out for the blacklist and driven from town to town...

When union men organize the strike and battle on the picket lines, the hungry understand the meaning of that battle. Indeed, wherever the movement moves it satisfies men now. It leads to action. Its leaders are at the head of strikes, fighting with the unemployed, battling for every immediate as well as for every remote interest of the working class...

WALL STREET AND POLITICS.

By John D.

Wall Street is already in the field for the 1912 campaign. Frequent conferences have been held at uptown clubs and downtown lunch organizations, between Herbert Parsons, member of Congress and chairman of the New York Republican County Committee, and W. R. Hearst, and some of the most prominent financiers connected with both the Republican and Democratic parties...

Colonel Roosevelt will be asked to head a new organization, and Hearst at this writing is on record to support him and work for his election in 1912. Plenty of money is in the hands of the men who are already in the field for the next Presidential campaign, and if their plans work the program outlined above will be carried out.

Wall Street is anxious to clip the wings of any radical party now getting the upper hand, and can be depended on to do everything in its power to prevent such a happening in the future. Your correspondent will keep the readers of The Call posted on future developments of this very important action of Wall Street as the scheme gradually unfolds.

ON THE FIRING LINE.

The fear of Socialism produces many queer capitalist expedients. The liquor interests will now work libidally for Taft, in return for that liberal definition of whiskey. The President recommends that newspapers and magazines be made to pay more postage, but he does not recommend that the fiscally habit of paying the railroads eight times as much for hauling mail matter as they get for carrying express shall cease.

The Delaware & Hudson Railroad is discharging men because they do not weigh over 150 pounds and are over forty-five. Senator Chestnut M. Depew is reported as saying that it is "untimely to think about the increased cost of living. True, true, with a purse well filled with gold fished from the Equitable, we can afford to pay a little more for truffles and really not mind it."

Prof. Cesare Lombroso. In the death of Lombroso the world has lost a unique and interesting personality; a man who made the world think, and whose writings on the whole contributed to the world's intellectual advancement. But he was a genius and we are very far from subscribing to the characterization of him as "one of the loftiest mental phenomena of the nineteenth century."

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

RUSSIAN METHODS IN AMERICA. Editor of The Call: That you may be posted upon the free speech fight here and give your readers a correct idea of the whole matter, I will say: That when the first arrests were made the charge was for "street speaking" and all prosecutions were under this charge until the police court judge declared the "street speaking" ordinance invalid and unconstitutional. Thereafter the charge was "disorderly conduct." The speaking and disorderly conduct consisted in the workmen reading that part of the Constitution relating to peaceable assembly and free speech and free press, or by starting out saying, "Fellow workers," and before more could be uttered the throat-men would grab the men by the throat and drag them to jail, while none resisted the police in the least.

FRENZIED CAMPAIGNING. Editor of The Call: In a half-page advertisement of the forthcoming issue of the International Socialist Review, the editor purports to quote the answers of several candidates for the national executive committee to his question, whether they "favor merging the Socialist party into a Labor party."

THE CONSUMER LEAGUE. Editor of The Call: The article of Joseph D. C. in your issue of the 25th is so unfair to the Consumers League. Mr. Cohen had taken the pains to inform himself he would have known that "instead of patronizing places where the workers are paid and not overworked, the league has its work done by firms employing non-union men," is a statement contrary to fact.

MARY R. SANTOPI. New York, Dec. 28, 1909. PULLING THE CHESTNUT DESPOT. Carlo De Fornaro was sentenced November 3 to one year's hard in the penitentiary for having one Espindola, a Mexican who keeps the store in the interests of the despotic President Diaz. Our members with their usual keen element of what is important and is unimportant, have devoted a few lines to this item, and in so doing have done a great wrong.

CO-OPERATIVES IN THE WEST. Editor of The Call: Since the publication of my article upon the co-operative movement and its relation to Socialist propaganda, I have received letters from all over the United States asking for further information and for detailed plans, etc., etc.

Yes, conditions in this country are becoming serious. Irresponsible uncultured officials constitute a self-chosen despotic government. Every scoundrel who does the dirty work for the bloody despotic Sultan of Turkey, for the Sultan Persia, etc., who has at one time or another felt the lash of honest discipline will get courage and will attempt to clap his uncultured and uncivilized hands upon our people.

Under this process the co-operative movement is being slowly but surely suffocated by the unscrupulous and unprincipled actions of those who are in power. The movement is being crushed by the very hands that it seeks to free.