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SPORTS

BASEBALL SCORES.

Table with baseball scores for National League and American League, listing teams and scores.

AUDIENCE DOUSED

Crowd at Socialist Party Open-Air Meeting Angered by S. L. P. Men.

Working men and women assembled at the corner of Second avenue and 10th street last night at an open-air meeting of the Socialist party were treated to an exhibition of disgraceful hoodlumism as the meeting was about to close at 11 o'clock.

J. W. Roberts was chairman of the meeting, and the speakers were J. C. Frost and Louis A. Baum. The audience was asking questions, which Baum, the last speaker, was courteously trying to answer, when a couple of S. L. P. men butted in. Then the trouble began, for trouble-making is the forte of their ilk.

BARREL CRUSHES OUT LIFE.

SOMERVILLE, N. J., June 3.—In an effort to move a 300-pound barrel of oil unaided, J. A. Seltzer, a hardware merchant of this place, lost his life today. Seltzer passed out of the rear entrance of his store about noon and finding a barrel of oil in the way he attempted to move it. The barrel was on a small bridge over an open arway, eight feet deep. John De Phillips, foreman of the store next door to the hardware establishment, saw Seltzer struggling with the barrel. When he turned again to look at the man and the barrel Seltzer had disappeared and De Phillips believed he had gone into the store for assistance.

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TAFT "DEPLORES" RISE OF SOCIALISM

Expallates on Benefits of Private Ownership, but Admits Social Movement Must Be Considered.

ADA, Ohio, June 3.—President Taft, in an address to the graduating class of the Ohio Northern University here today, denounced Socialism and eulogized the system of private ownership of all property, besides giving advice to the young men and women and discussing at length the opportunities and limits of the various professions and business pursuits.

His speech was full of the deploring, regrettings, too-haddings, etc., which largely make up the speech-making vocabularies of conservative and reactionary men of his type. He demonstrated, as usual, his complete ignorance of the meaning of the stans of the times and his uncomprehending attitude toward modern tendencies.

In discussing journalism he took occasion to denounce "muckraking" and expressed the belief that the unjust phase of newspaper activity soon would be a thing of the past. In this connection he praised Theodore Roosevelt's decision of muckrakers. Socialism was denounced, but was referred to as one of the problems that will have to be considered during the next generation.

What he said about muckraking came near the close of his address, in discussing opportunities in journalism. Among other things, he said:

"While the editor occupies the position of an instructor of public taste, and ought to exercise the function as such with more constancy and courage than he usually does, the limitations that there are upon him by reason of the public demand, those of us who would criticize the press hardly appreciate. Certainly journalism is a profession in which men of discriminating intelligence, of high courage, of accurate judgment, of a love of truth and real patriotism, can find a sphere of usefulness unexcelled in any other, and such men are needed; for, if the standards set by some of the most successful of the newspapers in lack of truth, in coarseness and in unfairness of criticism, shall not improve in the next generation it will vindicate the pessimists of today."

Muckraking. "I refer to a class of newspaper and of magazines that are properly criticized as 'muckrakers,' that rely for their circulation on the vicious and unfounded attacks upon the honesty and upright character and patriotic motives of men in public life and upon those conspicuous and prominent generally."

"Thus muckraking is an outgrowth and probably the unavoidable aftermath of a laudable and necessary attack upon abuses which had shown themselves in a form of corporate greed and control of politics. It was necessary to have a housecleaning in this regard, and Mr. Roosevelt led the movement and much has been accomplished in clarifying business and political methods. In the doing of it, he was himself the foremost to denounce those who took advantage of the general condition of popular suspicion and filled their purses with unfounded attacks upon men in public office, struggling conscientiously to do their duty. But this muckraking episode will pass. Indeed, I hope it is passing, and for the best of reasons, because the people are beginning to see what it really is, and thus are not making the contributions to the pockets of the muckrakers which is their only motive for conducting their business."

"In political questions, the struggle which is constantly going on is toward purer government of the nation of the state and city. Much has been accomplished in this regard in the national government, less in the state governments, and still less in municipal governments. But the movement for better things is evident everywhere, and while there seem to be some retrograde steps from time to time, the whole movement is forward."

Driven Out of Politics!

"The activity of corporations in political matters tended to corrupt them and this even though the part they took was in many cases forced upon them. But the result of the last six or eight years has been to drive corporations out of politics, and it has been greatly for the benefit of politics and the public weal."

"The most discouraging problem before us is that of municipal government. It is said that systems have been adopted in some cities which make it possible to administer the municipal affairs with greater honesty and effectiveness than ever before. We have yet to be convinced upon that subject by accumulated evidence generally of the issues which are likely to be presented to you in the future. I think the issue of most importance will be the question of the preservation of our institution of private property, or its destruction, and the substitution of a certain kind of cooperative joint enjoyment of every-

FREE SIXTY SOCIALIST BOOKS

HEIKE PUTS BLAME ON HAVEMEYER, DEAD

Sugar Trust Secretary Delivers Opinion—Queer Explanation of Accounts in R'd Figures.

Charles R. Heike, secretary of the American Sugar Refining Company for the last nineteen years and the highest official thus far indicted by the government in connection with the sugar frauds, went on the witness stand in his own defense yesterday on the trial in the United States Circuit Court Heike put the responsibility for the frauds upon Henry O. Havemeyer.

Heike swore that he had noticed the discrepancy in weights on the statements in the Wall street office of the trust and had reported them many times to Havemeyer without the latter making any extraordinary comment, he said. He also declared that he had called to Havemeyer's attention the false tests that were made of sugar, the object of which apparently was to cheat the sugar merchants, and that Havemeyer every time he did so had "put him off." "I can see now why he did it," he said on the witness stand.

Time and again Heike let loose a perfect hurricane of words, oftentimes on a technical subject, and it was almost beyond the power of any one to stop him. Frequently the stenographer gave up in despair. Comets and comets' tails figured in one of these rapid-fire explanations, but nobody was able to understand it.

TOO MUCH ROOSEVELT

Boston Dealers Refuse to Handle Book Exploiting Theodore.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., June 3.—That Roosevelt is not popular in Boston has been demonstrated to Raymond Gros, of this city, whose book, "T. R. in Cartoon," was refused by the booksellers of the Hub.

Gros made public today a letter from his publishers, setting forth that the Boston agents for his book, which contains 450 cartoons of the former President, had been turned down everywhere in Boston on the ground that the people of that city "have no use for Roosevelt and refuse to purchase any Roosevelt book."

ASK MORE PAY

Firmen's Request Referred to Committee on Salaries.

When the Board of Estimate met at its regular weekly meeting today communications from members of the fire department were received asking for an increase in their salaries. All the communications were referred to the committee on salaries and grades. The deputy chiefs asked an increase from \$4,200 to \$7,500 per year. The chiefs of battalion requested an increase from \$3,300 to \$5,000, and the engineers of steamers want \$1,800 a year.

BULL GOES MAN AND SON.

UTICA, N. Y., June 3.—Charles Jewett, an Oriskany Falls farmer, and his son, Earl, are in a serious condition tonight following an encounter with a maddened bull. The elder Jewett was gored by the animal and sustained internal injuries which it is feared may result fatally. His son had several ribs broken and was otherwise mutilated. The bull first attacked the younger Jewett, whose ribs brought his father.

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HEARST IS CALLED A TOOL OF DIAZ

(Continued from page 1)

Titles under which the broadside defense of President Diaz is fired. The first is written by the editor of the Cosmopolitan himself, the second by Othman Stevens, the reporter who was hurried from Hearst's Los Angeles office to confer with Diaz and his trained purveyors of misinformation, and the third is written by Alfred Henry Lewis, the bright particular star in the Hearst Milky Way of regularly hired writers.

"It is worth a good deal of money for a magazine like the Cosmopolitan to be always on time on the newsstands. Did you notice that the March issue was ten days late—that it arrived ten days after the usual time of its delivery? The main body of the Cosmopolitan Magazine was run off the presses on time, but it was held in the bindery ten days' overtime waiting for Lewis' article on 'The Maligners of Mexico.' In other words, the magazine was printed, the presses were stopped, but afterward the magazine was held in the bindery and the presses were started to working again merely that Lewis' belated article might be inserted. Proof of this may be found in the magazine itself. Lewis' article was arranged for only after the rest of the magazine had been paged and printed, so instead of being paged regularly, Lewis' article was paged as 432a, 432b, 432c, etc., etc.

PRENS ON HEARST RANCH.

"Why does Mr. Randolph Hearst, who has at times been characterized as 'almost a Socialist,' rush so hysterically to the support of slavery and a king of slave drivers?"

"At least a part of the answer can be given offhand. In the state of Chihuahua, Mex., and near the border line of the United States, Mr. Hearst owns a ranch, a ranch which has frequently been spoken of as the finest in all Mexico—and in Mexico there are wonderful ranches.

"This ranch of Mr. Hearst's comprises more than one million fruitful acres. A report of its resources some two years ago gave it, in round numbers, 150,000 sheep, 50,000 cattle, 10,000 horses, besides thousands of other live stock—goats, burros and hogs. Year in and year out upon this great ranch labor scores of Mexican peons, who live in dirt floor huts and receive from their employer a living of beans, tortillas and rags. Upon the ranch Mr. Hearst maintains a palatial residence and when, on occasion, he visits it, he is received with all the pomp observed in some lands toward a hereditary potentate.

"How many millions of dollars this great ranch, or hacienda, is worth, few people know. Its value is not estimated on the tax rolls of the Mex-

HUNDRED YEARS OF PEACE

BUFFALO, N. Y., June 3.—"Peace hath her victories no less renowned than war" is the motto of the international committee representing the Niagara frontier, which is arranging for the border celebration of the 100 years of peace with Canada enjoyed since 1812. It is proposed to make this an occasion of international rejoicing.

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RAYWOOD FRIGHTENS MICHIGAN PLUTES Mine Owners in Upper Peninsula Urge Men to Work on Day Big Minor speaks.

(Special Correspondence of The Call.) IRONWOOD, Mich., May 31.—Over 600 miners filled Palace Hall, in this city, Decoration Day evening, in order to hear William D. Haywood speak of the class struggle in the West and other parts of the United States.

When the mine operators heard of the Socialist meeting arranged for Haywood, they notified employees that any who wanted could work that evening, notwithstanding the fact that notice had been given beforehand that the mines would be closed.

WORKINGMEN'S CHILDREN DEATH FUND FOR THE U. S. OF A. 5-27-10 Executive, Tom Schwan, 1108 Home Bldg., 12 Astor Place, N. Y. City. Officers: Members and Prizes from 1 to 5 p. m. Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 8 to 12 a. m. and 1 to 3 p. m. The Executive meets at the same place.

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ROB WORKMEN OF PREVAILING WAGE (Continued from page 1.) New York \$5 per day for carpenters, and paid the carpenters only \$2 per day, then the said company illegally made a profit of \$3 per day on each carpenter employed by them, or if the Bradley Contracting Company was doing said work under a net contract price, then they violated the labor law by either paying carpenters less than the prevailing rate of wages, or employing handy men to do carpenter work on a public improvement.

From this you will readily see that the information asked for is absolutely necessary to determine the nature of the responsibility of the Bradley Contracting Company in regard to violations of the labor laws in the construction of the Duane street sewer.

It is hard to tell what circumstances there may exist that would put a state official on the side of an employer when the interest of a workman is concerned. Whatever it may be, Henry B. Seaman, the chief engineer of the Public Service Commission, wrote a letter to the attorney, in which he stated that the information could not be given "in view of certain circumstances."

"Your letter of the 25th, asking for certain information as to the employment and remuneration of carpenters in construction on the Duane street sewer, has been referred to me. "In view of certain circumstances, it is deemed advisable not to make public the information requested at this time. If, however, this information is desired by the controller's office in connection with the labor complaints now under investigation, I think the commission will be willing to give it to them upon their request."

"This is a cute deal," said Bearman. "He knows that the controller's office has decided against me and will not make the demand. The lawyer pointed to the minutes of the proceedings and showed that Jacob, who presided at the hearing, had ruled in a manner that would indicate that he sided with the representative of the contracting company. "Jacob did not even show me the courtesy of informing me of his decision. I obtained it from him when I came across him accidentally," Bearman said.

The law is explicit and provides that contractors on city work should pay the prevailing wages. Article II, section 3, of the labor laws, reads: "The wages to be paid for a legal day's work as hereinafter defined, to all classes of such laborers, workmen or mechanics, upon all such public works, or upon any material to be used upon it in connection therewith, shall be not less than the prevailing rate for a day's work in the same trade or occupation in the locality within the state where such public work is done, or in connection with which such labor is performed in its final or complete form is to be situated, created and used."

The refusal to show the specifications to the attorney may be construed in more ways than one. If it should be discovered that any of the officials are acquainted with the systematic robbery of workmen, the law provides ample punishment. Article II, section 1, of the same laws, says: "Any officer, agent or employee of this state, or of a municipal corporation therein, having a duty to act in

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MEN WHO SWEEP STREETS PARADE Five Thousand Men in White Pass Before the Mayor on Fifth Avenue.

The men who have the homely task of keeping the streets clean paraded yesterday afternoon on Fifth avenue. There were 5,000 of them, as true a lot of marchers as ever you saw in your life outside the army, and they seemed to be proud of their work. There were a couple of thousand dump carts, too, newly painted inside and out, drawn by the city's horses, some of which wore blue ribbons worn on Monday in the work horse parade.

Along with the Mayor and the chiefs of departments were three officers from the 7th regiment, N. G. N. Y., who were to judge the men for military excellence. They were Colonel Daniel Appleton, Major Francis G. Landon and Major Robert McLean. Last year they awarded the prize cup to Brooklyn, with Manhattan second and the Bronx third. Yesterday the Bronx had climbed to the top of the list, leaving third place to the biggest of the horses and the middle to Brooklyn. The cup the men from the Bronx yesterday was offered by Commissioner Edwards.

White, Wadsworth and Woodruff Will Select the Investigators. White, Wadsworth and Woodruff held a conference at the office of Timothy L. Woodruff yesterday to decide what members of the legislature would go on the commission that is to investigate legislative bribery. Lieutenant Governor Horace White has been in the city several days, and James W. Wadsworth, Jr., arrived Thursday night.

Those familiar with the inside doings of the legislature say the idea of this bunch appointing corruption probes is enough to make a Coney Island hobby-horse laugh.

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RAILROAD MAGNATES DICTATE TO TAFT CHICAGO, June 3.—A direct appeal to President Taft is to be made by the twenty-five railroads comprised in the Western Trunk Line committee, when a committee consisting in part of presidents of railroads centering in Chicago will journey to Washington next week to confer with the Chief Executive of the nation regarding his attitude toward the proposed increase in freight rates. This was decided in secret when the heads of the various roads, together with their attorneys, met and discussed the stand which the President and the interstate-commerce commission have taken.

"Our plans have not been definitely formulated regarding the visit to President Taft," declared one big railroad president today. "As I understand it, he has not yet granted us an audience. It was suggested at a meeting which we held late yesterday, that it was possible that the President is mistaken as to the attitude which the railroads have taken in regard to a proposed advance in rates for freight transportation, and it was with the idea of setting the Executive right upon the matter that the trip was proposed. The definite make-up of the committee, at whose hands the matter will be entrusted, has not been decided."

BOY SLAYER IS RELEASED. MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., June 3.—Melvin Teed, of Montgomery, the thirteen-year-old boy who killed Elmer Frost with a Flaherty rifle Wednesday night, when Frost was attempting to enter the Teed home, was discharged from custody today by Justice Cox.

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SWears CAPITALISTS CONTROL IN ALASKA WASHINGTON, June 3.—Charging that Alaska faces domination by a "triple or run gang," backed by the Morgan-Guggenheim syndicate, M. A. Barnhill, Assistant District Attorney at Juneau, Alaska, in an affidavit presented to the subcommittee of the senate judiciary committee today, asserts his belief that: "The Attorney General and the President have been deceived and misled as to the true condition of affairs or the removals would never have been made."

ROLLS MADE NICE FLIGHT. DAYTON, Ohio, June 3.—"Captain Orville Wright today when asked for an expression regarding the Englishman's feat in making a round trip over the English channel. "It was one of those spectacular achievements of which we may expect more right along."

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