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COAL OWNERS' THUGS SHOOT DOWN MEN AND WOUND WOMAN

Specials Fire on Crowd Which Answers With Stones.

CARRY RIOT GUNS

Opinion Prevails That Convention Will Turn Down Agreement.

BRANTON, Pa., May 10.—During a clash in the vicinity of the Cayuga mine of the Lackawanna Coal Company, in which a squad of patrolmen and about 400 miners and 800 strikers on the one side, and 200 men on the other, took part, two men were shot, one woman wounded by a bullet and two patrolmen slightly injured.

It was the most serious outbreak in this district since the miners' convention was called on April 1, more than a hundred shots being fired by the patrolmen during the clash.

The injured are: John Selyski, shot through thigh; Frank Kolenski, shot through leg; Mary Petonara, side struck by bullet; Movable Officer Marker, injured about head, shoulders and abdomen by stones, and Paulman Lewis Davis, struck in the eye with stone, two gashes being inflicted. Several other officers and some of the thugs were slightly injured.

Also miners were arrested by the police on a wagon loaded with stones—a crowd of about 1,500 men, women, carrying American flags and singing patriotic songs marched to the plant, Joseph Stark, an independent operator of Plains, arrogantly defied them and declared that he would give them enough to shoot them. The crowd jeered and hurled at him and continued its march to the Delaware and Hudson mines.

WILKES-BARRE, Pa., May 10.—When the 500 delegates convene here next week at the miners' convention, it is known that the majority will favor the rejection of the tentative agreement. The men will demand an increase of 10 per cent, with the sliding scale for a two-year agreement instead of four.

Delegates have received instructions to vote for this proposition. The miners generally declare they will not be satisfied with any other offer. The convention is expected to instruct the committee to go back to the operators and make demands of this nature.

ROOSEVELT SAYS CALL'S JOKE WAS VICIOUS AND CLUMSY, BUT HARTFORD TIMES' EDITORIAL TREATING IT AS SERIOUS WAS INFAMOUS

(By Laton News Bureau.) OYSTER BAY, N. Y., May 10.—Colonel Roosevelt tramped off into the woods about his place early this morning. He stayed in the thicket so successfully that as the afternoon began to roll along and he did not return, James the butler began to fear that he might not get back in time for the Chicago convention. So James sent out searching parties about the hill to beat the brush. Sure enough in less than a half hour the Colonel turned up blithely just as naturally as if he were coming out of the African jungle. The newspaper men had already confronted James with the assurance that the Colonel would certainly be out of the woods by convention time. So James was twice happy.

Colonel Roosevelt found today that he was being published broadcast throughout the country, especially in small towns and country newspapers, as a self-confessed Marxian Socialist. He was shown a clipping from the Hartford Times that had reprinted a joke interview with him from The Call, the Socialist paper in New York, as a real interview, and had commented on it editorially, saying that the interview was doubtless true as it was just in line with all the recent inflammatory utterances of the Colonel.



THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

"Debs is a bully fellow and a great

man," is another Roosevelt quotation in the fake article, and the interview ends up with the Colonel asking his interviewer whether the Socialist party convention can't wait until after the Republican convention at Chicago, as the Colonel says he knows that President Taft is going to steam roller him, but he's going to bolt and start a third party. "I'll need the entire radical and revolutionary support in the country," the Colonel is quoted as saying. "Will not the Socialist party endorse my candidacy or nominate me as their candidate?" The interviewer reckons that it might be possible after the Colonel gets his red ticket.

Today as Roosevelt sat on the porch steps at Sagamore Hill, he was told he had been amused at the publica-

tion of the thing in The Call when he read it several days ago. He laughed at first, though dubbing it as an excessively stupid and clumsy attempt at wit. But when country papers took it up and printed the story as a serious interview, he was at first highly amused at their density and later impatiently indignant.

The editorial stamp of authority upon it in the Hartford Times made the Colonel wrathful this evening. He immediately set down as the postscript and dictated a voluminous statement that tells at great length how atrociously offensive The Call is, but how thoroughly infamous and sunken into deep moral turpitude all the rest that copy The Call are, Mr. Roosevelt says in part: "I never saw Mr. John B. McMahon

to my knowledge. I have never said a word to any representative of The Call, and I am not even sure that I knew of The Call's existence until this incident occurred. But as regards this alleged interview in The Call, that paper is no more to blame than those who reproduce the interview. No man can glance at it for a moment without seeing that it is obviously intended as a joke. It is an excessively stupid joke, but after all it is not quite so silly as for any human being to pretend that he thinks it is anything but a joke.

"It would be difficult to condemn too strongly the paper that published such a ridiculous falsehood as a jest, but after all it is on its face so evidently a mere jest, although both a clumsy and vicious one, that no paper is to be excused for pretending to accept it as anything else. Apparently the point of the jest is to portray me as king, the exact reverse of every attitude which I have always taken, about Socialism of every point, for instance, that I made in the two articles in the Outlook three years ago.

"Another point of the jest is to portray me as intimate with a large number of people whose names I have never even heard. Other features of the jest are, for instance, to speak of Judge Gray and President Taft as fellow Socialists, to praise Mr. Debs and a man named Girard, of whom I have never heard the like."

"Calling it all a stupid and clumsy hoax, Colonel Roosevelt then soaks the Hartford Times.

"The Hartford Times, a copy of which you show me, occupies an infamous position in making a pretense that the interview was authentic, the editorial in the Hartford Times being several times worse than the article in The Call, because any one can see that the writer in The Call never believed that any human being would believe that he was giving a real interview and not a hoax, whereas the writer of the article in the Hartford Times, and his proprietor, of course, know perfectly well that the article is on its face a hoax and pretend to believe it only as an incident in their campaign of frank mendacity and slander.

"The Socialist writer in The Call has been guilty of atrociously offensive bad taste in putting out such a hoax, but the editorial writer in the Hartford Times, who affects to believe it, stands upon a far lower plane of moral turpitude."

INTERBORO MANAGER CAUSE OF TROUBLE

DARROW CASE WILL PROBABLY BE DELAYED

LOS ANGELES, May 10.—An effort to secure the postponement of the trial of Clarence Darrow, the Chicago attorney indicted for bribery of jurors in the trial of James B. McNamara, will be made when the case is called May 15.

Attorney Earl Rogers, who represents Darrow, is suffering from throat trouble. The effort at sustained speaking required by the trial would be too great for him, he says, and he will ask for a postponement for this reason.

BRANDT LOSES IN HABEAS CORPUS PLEA

Former Schiff Valet Back in Tombs En Route to Dannemora.

The Appellate Division yesterday reversed by a unanimous vote the decision of Supreme Court Justice Gerard sustaining the writ of habeas corpus obtained on behalf of Folke E. Brandt, the former valet of Mortimer L. Schiff, who was sentenced by Judge Otto A. Rosalsky in the Court of General Sessions to thirty years in State Prison and already has served five years of the term in Clinton Prison at Dannemora.

Brandt was taken into custody after the decision was announced and was held in \$5,000 bail by Judge O'Sullivan in the Court of General Sessions. In default of this bail he was sent to the Tombs.

Unless execution of the order accompanying the decision of the Appellate Division is stayed, Brandt will start back for Dannemora on Monday.

As soon as the decision was handed down Detective Al Thomas, attached to the District Attorney's office, was sent out to Douglass, L. I., where Brandt has been staying for the past week or so to bring him in. Detective Thomas and the former valet arrived at the Criminal Courts Building just after 4 o'clock. Accompanied by Assistant District Attorney Nott, they immediately went before Judge O'Sullivan, of the Court of General Sessions.

Nott informed the court of the decision of the Appellate Division and asked that the existing bail of \$2,500, on which Brandt had been released, be doubled. Mirabeau L. Towns, counsel for Brandt, was not present, and there was no one in court to represent the prisoner. Nott said that if Brandt's counsel should desire to argue the increase of bail he would be prepared to answer on very short notice. Judge O'Sullivan then held Brandt in \$5,000 bail and committed him to the Tombs until the bail should be furnished.

The order of the Appellate Division based on the decision was not filed yesterday and it was understood that it would not be filed until Monday.

As soon as the order is filed Brandt will be started on his way back to Dannemora to resume the thirty years' term, which was interrupted by the habeas corpus proceedings, unless, meanwhile, the Appellate Division should grant a stay pending an appeal to the Court of Appeals.

Mirabeau L. Towns, lawyer for Brandt, said last night that he will take the matter before the Court of Appeals.

BRITISH PRESS ON MANN'S CONVICTION

LONDON, May 10.—Commenting on the conviction and imprisonment of Tom Mann, the labor leader, the Chronicle (Liberal) today says: "We regret both the trial and the sentence of Mann, and we would welcome some revision of the law, that the convictions might be prevented in the future."

The Daily Herald, a labor paper, writes an emphatic protest against the "hard and fully earned" three months' term. It says that the law is "unjust and that it is necessary to have a law which would prevent the conviction of men like Mann."

The Herald continues, saying that the law prohibits freedom of speech and to say words which are conditions of education, government or constitutional liberty.

Men Who Would Not Be Arrested.

The men yesterday arrested in the case of Mary Williams in the case of the apartment on the ground floor of 117 Fort Green place, New York, who refused to answer to the police, are: Charles J. O'Connell, 117 Fort Green place; Charles J. O'Connell, 117 Fort Green place; Charles J. O'Connell, 117 Fort Green place.

The police yesterday arrested twenty of the laborers. Policeman O'Connell's injuries are serious. O'Connell is not dangerously hurt.

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APPEAL TO REASON TRIAL POSTPONED

Fearing Effect on Elections, Prosecution Puts Case Over Until November.

(Special to The Call.) FORT SCOTT, Kan., May 10.—Once again the enemies of the working class have shown their cowardice. Fearing the consequences of their course at the polls in the coming elections, the prosecutors of the Appeal to Reason, the fighting Socialist propaganda weekly of Girard, Kan., today postponed their case against the fearless editors of the insupportable sheet until after the workers of the United States have voted next November.

This is the second time that the hounders of the Appeal have resorted to this trick in an effort to wreck their vengeance on their indomitable foe and still place themselves beyond the reach of the judgment of the American voters. In the last great trial of the federal authorities against Fred Warren the same thing happened. But even so, the powers that be did not dare send the fighting editor to jail and responsive to the pressure brought to bear by his terror-stricken masters, President Taft issued an unconditional pardon to the fearless Warren.

From the Leavenworth Penitentiary, the house of shame and hell hole of brutality and degeneracy, which was exposed in the Appeal to Reason and for doing which three of its editors are now to answer to the charge of having sent obscene matter through the mails, Fred Warren had summoned sixteen guards to testify.

But the prosecution argued that if the prison service would be crippled if the guards were all permitted to come to court and agree to permit the taking of their testimony by deposition.

In the meantime, the Appeal will continue its battle with the corrupt and tyrannical federal judiciary and even though Warren, Wayland and Plifer are convicted in November, there are those who are ready to take the places that will be vacated by them and carry on with undiminished intensity and relentlessness the war on the capitalist courts.

200 FREIGHT HANDLERS ON STRIKE IN DETROIT

(Special to The Call.) DETROIT, Mich., May 10.—More than two hundred freight handlers at the Detroit and Cleveland Navigation Company's docks struck this morning. They demand \$2 a day. This is an increase of 25 cents a day over the present wage.

The company's man, McIntyre, made an effort to conciliate the men by offering to buy them drink but the strikers are incensed over what they characterize as "a dirty trick." In the absence of men to handle the freight, all the boats at the docks remain unloaded. The company officials have called upon the police who are on duty at the docks for what they term protection.

B. & O. CLERKS STRIKE

CHICAGO, May 10.—The clerks of the B. & O. struck today when asked to take the striking freight handlers' places.

WILLIMANTIC WEAVERS EXPECT QUICK VICTORY

WILLIMANTIC, Conn., May 10.—After attending a mass meeting today, the striking weavers of the Windham Silk Company went to the office and drew their pay as did the other employees who have been forced out of work by the officials closing the plant. The mass meeting was addressed by several labor leaders.

It is the opinion of the employees that the mill will start again in the near future and that rather than lose their dividends the stockholders will be willing that the weavers shall be given the 15 per cent increase asked for. Other mass meetings for organizations were held tonight.

WAGE RAISE IN ROCKVILLE

ROCKVILLE, Conn., May 10.—Notice was posted in all the woolen mills here today of an increase in wages of 7-1-2 per cent to take effect next week. About 2,500 workers are affected.

FORTY-SEVEN KILLED BY QUAKES IN MEXICO

MEXICO CITY, May 10.—Three slight earthquake shocks were felt in Mexico City today. There was no local damage, but the greatest excitement was caused by the event, following the disastrous quakes of yesterday.

HOUSE HOT AFTER COMMERCE COURT

WASHINGTON, May 10.—The House today by an overwhelming vote passed the legislative bill which carries an amendment providing for the abolishment of the Commerce Court on July 1 and another provision that paves the way to wiping out the tariff board.

The action today was foreshadowed by yesterday's proceedings in the House, acting in committee of the whole. The section of the measure bearing on the Commerce Court provides for the transfer of all the cases pending before it to other federal courts. Republican House leaders bitterly contested the provision aimed at the Commerce Court but they were overwhelmed.

IMPORTANT BATTLE ON AT TAHUALILO

Federals and Zapatistas Meet in Mules—Every Available Man Being Sent to Border From Colorado.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—Fighting is taking place simultaneously in all the disaffected portions of Mexico, according to advices received at the State Department today.

What seems the most important battle is reported in progress at Tahualilo, in the State of Chihuahua, the forces numbering altogether about 1,000 men. Two carloads of wounded from the battle field near Mencia have passed through Sahilillo, but no definite news of the engagement has been received.

Another fight is raging between federals and Zapatistas in Merolito, near Tres Marias. Fighting by bands not connected with the forces under General Orozco has been reported from Tomalipas and in San Luis Potosi. Several are reported as having been killed at Gomez Parias and marauders are reported proceeding toward Coampo. Still other bands are raiding in northern Vera Cruz, while the organization of the raiders is proceeding near San Diego and near La Barra in the vicinity of Tampico.

THE GOVERNMENT LOSES A POINT IN U. S. STEEL CASE

John Harbo, 571 Broadway, Brooklyn, has received many good points by testifying in the U. S. Steel case. He was called on May 10 at 11:40 a. m. by the government.

MORE THAN 3,000 NOW OUT IN NEWARK

Essex County Threatened With Complete Paralysis of Building Trade.

The strike of the members of the Independent Diggers and Laborers' Union of Newark, N. J., is spreading throughout Essex County. More than 3,000 men are now out and the threat of complete paralysis of the building trade hangs over Essex.

The men are picketing in mass. Wherever they go they are followed by detachments of police mounted on foot and patrol. The men are making every effort to avoid clashes with the blue coats in spite of the fact that innumerable attempts have been made by the cops to precipitate violence so that the strikers might engage in a conflict with the policemen who are equipped for such a contingency. Police have been poured unsparring into the city of Newark and neighboring towns, but the men continue to visit jobs and meet with uninterrupted success in inducing the workers engaged on them to join the ranks of the strikers.

In many cases the strikers are prevented from approaching the men on the different jobs because of the presence of the police with drawn clubs on the premises. When the strikers approach these jobs they are surrounded by the police, who compel them to move on under threat of arrest. But whenever the police, they are instantly joined by their fellow laborers.

Four contractors came to terms yesterday and signed an agreement to pay their laborers 35 cents an hour for a ten-hour day, with double pay for overtime and holidays and full recognition of the union. They are: Anthony A. Maricane, 595 North 6th street; the New Jersey Cement Company, of 150 Park avenue; John E. Healy, and Gen. Danheim, of Silver Lake.

Late yesterday afternoon two policemen were wounded in a clash at Newark and Clinton avenues. Several of the laborers also sustained injuries. The wounded policemen are Thomas Cran and Michael Owens. Cran was shot in the abdomen. Owens was stabbed.

The police reserve arrested twenty of the laborers. Policeman Cran's injuries are serious. Owens is not dangerously hurt.

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ARRESTS IN PATERSON STRIKE

Men Each Get 30-Day Penances—Committee Calls on Mayor.

More members of the Detroit of the I. W. W. which is engaged in a strike with the silk man-

They explained to him that the strikers had failed to meet with their employers. The Mayor of the opinion that men who premeditated and intention-

to stomp Mayor MacBride, for the committee also gave the Mayor

to understand that the strikers mean to continue the struggle

of the largest in Paterson. The strikers in the Collins Silk Mill

of the I. W. W. kitchen at Main street. The strikers were fed

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CHICAGO PAPERS ARE STILL BADLY TIED UP Despite Wholesale Scabbing, Struck Sheets Fail to Defeat Pressmen.

CHICAGO, May 10.—Despite the efforts of the association publishers to get their editions published and distributed, Chicago today was still unable to get the scab papers except in a few places in the loop district

It was learned today that on one of the large dailies, twenty-five strikers went back to work following

WASHINGTON, May 10.—"Negotiations are in progress, with the end in view of reaching a settlement of the controversy between the pressmen

SLIPPER MAKER IS NABBED FOR PICKETING

While picketing the slipper shop of A. Eisenberg, 161 Ridge street, Joe Schwartz, a striker, was arrested at the behest of one of the bosses on the charge of interfering with the strikebreakers

DELEGATES OFF FOR HISTORIC CONVENTION

Russell Says Washington Is Waiting to See What Socialists Will Do.

More than half a hundred delegates from New York, New Jersey and several other Eastern States left Grand Central Depot yesterday afternoon for the national convention of the Socialist party, which will take place at Indianapolis, Ind., and will have its opening session next Sunday.

A crowd of several hundred friends were present to give the delegates to good send-off, and many of them had made arrangements to accompany them to the scene of the convention in the two special cars which had been reserved for the party.

Long before the train pulled out of the depot at 12:40 o'clock, the delegates and those who had gathered to see them off were on hand. There were firm handclaps and hearty greetings all around, and as each newcomer joined the throng he or she was met with a cordial reception.

The crowd was broken up into jovial groups, which stood about amidst arrays of luggage and discussed the questions which would probably come up for discussion at the great convention. There were many old timers on hand. They earnestly recounted the story of the early struggles of the Socialist movement in the United States, and their faces glowed with joy and satisfaction as they looked upon the members of an assemblage whose deliberations will leave an indelible impress on the complexion of American politics.

Charles H. Matchett, who was the first vice presidential candidate nominated by the Socialists was back in 1892, was on hand, just as full of hope, fire and enthusiasm as in the early days, and confident of phenomenal Socialist party progress in the coming election.

Charles Edward Russell, the veteran journalist, was one of the delegates. He confirmed the predictions of his fellow delegates when he foretold that the Socialist vote in November will be over a million. The eyes of the powers that be, said Russell, are on the Socialist movement and they are awaiting with interest the national convention at Indianapolis. He said that it has moved official Washington to anxious expectancy.

Russell said that the question of the question would most likely take precedence at the convention. When asked whom he thought the convention would nominate to be the standard bearer in the coming national campaign, he said he hoped it would be Debs. He met a suggestion of his own candidacy with deprecation.

Joshua Wanhope, associate editor of The Call, was even more sanguine than Russell on the coming Socialist vote. He placed it at more than a million and a quarter. He agreed with Russell that the question of labor unionism would be pre-eminent at the convention.

Meyer London in speaking of the platform to be adopted by the convention, said that it would be constructive in tone. The Socialist movement, he added, has entered upon its administrative stage.

The train was scheduled to stop at the following places: Albany, to pick up the delegates from Massachusetts, Albany and Schenectady; Utica, to pick up the delegates from Utica; Syracuse, to pick up the delegates from Auburn, Syracuse and Watertown; Buffalo and Rochester, to pick up the delegates from those places. The train is due to arrive at Indianapolis this morning at 11:15.

STRIKE ON IN OPEN SHOP. GARDEN CITY, L. I., May 10.—Twenty men and six women, employed at the publishing house of Doubleday, Page & Co., struck Thursday when in spite of their demands that a man should be placed in the position, a boy was put in the stamping department immediately after leaving the plant, which is an open shop, the strikers placed pickets about the building.

INDIGNANT SUFFRAGISTS SEE POLICE COMMISSIONER WALDO

Charge Carelessness in Handling Great Parade—Mrs. Blatch Submits Photographs to Bolster Up Contentions. Marchers Were Insulted, Robbed and Pickpocketed.

There's no denying the fact that Police Commissioner Waldo, Inspector McClusky, the crowd expert, and Fourth Deputy Commissioner Dillon heaved a sigh of relief yesterday afternoon when the doors of the commissioner's private office closed on Mrs. Harriet Stanton Blatch and the delegation of suffragists who had spent the better part of an hour and a half giving their opinion of the way the police handled the big suffrage parade last Saturday.

The commissioner, courteous and also careful, put the responsibility squarely up to McClusky and Dillon, who did their best to convince Mrs. Blatch that everything possible was done to safeguard the women on their march when the congested traffic conditions, caused by the late hour of the parade, were taken into consideration.

But Mrs. Blatch was hard to convince. She started by saying that Mayor Gaynor was very much in error if he believed that the suffragists approved of the police arrangements.

Then she cross-examined McClusky and Dillon until those two veterans of the department were breathing hard and glancing appealingly at the imperturbable Waldo. Once she told Inspector McClusky that he didn't know what he was talking about when he said Fifth avenue was clear of intersections all the way up from Washington Square when the parade started.

Submit Photographs. The delegation appeared at Police Headquarters promptly at 11 a.m. The suffrage folks make a point of being punctual. Sometimes they score a useful point by it. Mrs. Blatch, cool and determined, led a party of twenty-seven of whom were women and three men. There was Miss Caroline Lexow, Mrs. Raymond Brown, Mrs. James Lee Laidlaw, Miss Florence King, Mrs. Martha Wentworth Suffern, Mrs. Cornelius L. Swinnerton, Madge L. Headley, Miss Margaret Calhoun, Frances Maude Bjorkman, Harriet Park, Mrs. Cyrus L. Field, Mrs. Mina C. Van Winkle, leader of the Jersey suffragists; Mrs. Mary Ware Demott, Mrs. A. F. Townsend and R. C. Beadle, R. A. Wetzel and C. A. Nelson, of the Men's League.

Every one of them had an experience to relate in the nature of a complaint about police lacky. They told stories about mounted men who sat their horses indifferently while the sidewalk crowds broke bounds and overflowed into the avenue, of cut-purses who snatched women's handbags, of women who were annoyed or insulted by roughs that reached out and grabbed their arms or made ugly remarks, of children that were roughly handled and injured and of disregarded appeals for protection.

Mrs. Blatch was armed with notes, photographs and letters from women who complain of the treatment they received.

The commissioner received the delegation politely, with a bow all around, then sat down at his big desk, a stenographer at his elbow. Mrs. Blatch slowly arranged a package of papers, looked about the room which was pretty well crowded with leaders of the votes for women movement, and began to speak quietly. Her colleagues listened intently. There was no smiling. The women were very much in earnest and in no mood for levity.

"Personally," said Mrs. Blatch, "I know very little about the disorganization because I was at the head of the column, and it was for that reason that I, in all innocence, started in to commend the policing arrangements at Carnegie Hall and was met with derision and hisses.

"We seemed to have had no police protection whatever, even at the head of the procession when we were forming. I reached there at ten minutes before 5 p.m. and just inside the arch at Washington Square, where we were to form, omnibuses, cars and automobiles broke in on us. We had considerable difficulty in forming.

"I have brought some photographs with me which are interesting in that they do not show the worst of the affair. The photographers placed their machines so that they could get the best photographs, but when they found they were getting only disorder they moved to another place."

Mrs. Blatch handed the pictures one by one, to the commissioner, who scanned them closely. She made the point that most of them showed no policeman, although they indicated that crowds were pushing and jamming and disrupting the parade.

Then Inspector McClusky tried to explain to Mrs. Blatch and the delegation what an unexpectedly hard task the police found themselves confronted with. He said: "If any of these ladies were at the head of the parade they will know that what I am saying is true."

"Well, sir," cut in Mrs. Blatch, "I was at the head of the parade and I know that is not true."

After the interview, Mrs. Blatch and her aide said that they had an idea that the next parade would be considerably better handled.

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SOCIALISTS SHOULD AID SUFFRAGE FIGHT

Woman's Committee Wants Party to Take Active Part in Campaign.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 10.—Closer relations between the Socialist party and the woman's suffrage movement in the United States was asked here today in resolutions adopted by the Woman's National Committee of the party. They will be presented to the Socialist national convention, which opens here Sunday.

The women will ask that women organizers be sent to States where suffrage campaigns are pending this year, and that a stronger woman's suffrage plank be placed in the party platform.

Other recommendations include the establishment of a teachers' bureau in connection with the party's National Office in Chicago, and the indorsement of industrial education in the public schools.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 10.—In the city that saw the birth of the present Socialist party nearly eleven years ago, the stage is now set for the opening of the 1912 Socialist party national convention. When the gavel falls at Tomlinson Hall, Sunday morning, May 13, nearly 300 delegates will be in attendance.

This gathering meets as the class conscious political expression of the American working class, rallied beneath the banners of Socialism—heralded by Mark Hanna, the late political tool of capitalism, as the issue in the Presidential political struggle of 1912.

This convention meets to plan the immediate future and determine the policies that shall carry the working class of the United States on to bigger and grander victories. It is different, therefore, from the coming conventions of the Democratic and Republican parties, which will be mostly concerned in keeping decaying capitalism alive and thwarting the workers of the land in their efforts to free themselves from wage slavery.

After the National Secretary has rapped the convention to order the work of the meeting will begin immediately and there will not be one let-up until the gathering finally adjourns. This will be made possible by the fact that committees were chosen two years ago to frame the reports to this year's convention. Many of these committees have already reported, and every delegate has been given an opportunity to study the work that is expected of him before his arrival in this city.

The Committee on Rules has set no definite time for the nomination of the Presidential and Vice Presidential candidates of the Socialist party in this fall's campaign. It is expected, however, that this important work will be made a special order on some day agreeable to the delegates, when this matter can be considered apart from the other business.

Among the other important matters to be considered are the following: The building of the Socialist party platform for the Presidential campaign. It is not expected that there will be many changes made in the 1908 platform.

The amending of the party constitution to meet the needs of the growing organization and new problems. The consideration of plans that will continue the efficiency of the present organization of the foreign language peoples of the United States into the Socialist party.

The problem of again stating the relation of the Socialist party, as the political expression of the working class, to the trade union movement, as the economical expression of the nation's toilers.

The work of further planning of the Socialist propaganda among the working women of the land, and their relation to the Socialist party.

The determining of the attitude of the Socialist party toward the farmer and the framing of the farmer's program of the party.

The discussion of the part that the Socialist party is to play in the growing co-operative movement of the United States.

The agreement on a municipal program and municipal program that are coming to the front as the result of the capture of numerous towns and cities by the forces of Socialism.

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tude of the party on vocational education, which particularly affects the working class. The position, if any, that the party is to take during this year's campaign on the negro problem. This is especially demanded in the Southern States. The initiating of plans for the carrying on of the Presidential campaign. The discussion of the success and continuance of the National Socialist Lyceum Course, and the jurisdiction of the State and national organizations over the touring of speakers. The question of establishing a national Socialist print shop and of publishing Socialist literature. The taking of action to prevent the deportation of political refugees from this country and of fighting capital punishment. The question of the American Socialist party's stand on the liquor question, brought to the front in European Socialism, may come up in the Indianapolis convention. The problem of determining what the Socialist party organization is to take in aiding the growth of the ecologically Socialist Society and the Young People's Socialist League. The fixing of more regulations to improve the referendum of a revenue of carrying on the business of the party. The determining of the party's attitude on the immigration question, especially Asiatic immigration, which is more and more coming to the front in the Western States.

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PLEDGE SUPPORT TO BELMONT STRIKERS

Vast Gathering Promises Assistance to Revolting Fellow Waiters.

Assistance to the waiters who are out on strike against the Hotel Belmont was pledged by about 1,500 waiters who packed Bryant Hall to its capacity, last night.

Some of the waiters told of the intolerable conditions under which they had to work and of the unbearable fines they had to pay for minor offenses, such as talking to the cashier and ordering a small steak for two while intended for one, and appealed to their fellow workers to stand by them in the fight and help beat the management of the Hotel Belmont.

Joseph Elster, organizer of the International Hotel Workers' Union which is waging the fight against the Belmont, opened the meeting with a short talk depicting the conditions that led up to the strike.

After the meeting was over about 2,000 workers marched down to the Hotel Belmont and paraded around the hotel for about an hour.

Patrick L. Quinnian criticized the hotel managers for making the cry of the strikers being foreigners and told the audience that the workers are Americans when they stay at work and don't organize, or scab if when there is a strike, but as soon as they strike they are called foreigners.

Elster challenged the hotel proprietors to prove that they gave the amount of the fines collected to charitable institutions, denounced the press for playing up statements from the bosses while giving little attention to the strikers and lauded The Call as being the only paper that stood by the strikers.

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The hall was adorned with signs of which the following are specimens: "Hotel uniforms are spreading more diseases than house flies."

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C. F. U. HOLDS SHORT, BUT BUSY SESSION

The meeting of the Central Federated Union last night was taken up with the settlement of some internal jurisdictional rows and was the shortest session held in a long while.

The delegates were entertained with a humorous address by the well known comedian Major Doyle.

Secretary Bohm read a voluminous report of the session of the General Executive Committee which looked into the case of Harry De Veaux, who claims to have been expelled from the White Rats Actors' Union.

Bohm reported that he had written to the Socialist party protesting against the formation of a dual union and asking that the matter be reconsidered.

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STRIKE RENEWED IN HAVANA HARBOR

HAVANA, May 10.—The stevedores, lightermen and coal handlers resumed work this morning at 8 o'clock, but struck again at 11 o'clock, and the traffic of the port was once more completely paralyzed.

When the longshoremen and lightmen resumed work this morning in accordance with the signed agreement of last evening, the members of the Firemen's Union refused to return to work, alleging that they were not included in the agreement.

All negotiations for another settlement have been suspended, and the strikers now threaten to make the American steamship lines are now conferring as to whether, under orders from their home offices, in the event of the continuance of the strike, all American vessels shall be withdrawn from Cuban waters except the Key West mail boat until the strike is over.

It is hoped that this threat, together with pressure brought to bear on the Cuban Government by reason of the suspension of the customs duties, will compel the government to take action calculated to break the strike.

The agreement reached last night between the steamship agents and the labor leaders provided for the appointment of a joint commission to arrange a wage schedule within fifteen days.

HARLEM TAILORS HOLD SUCCESSFUL MEETING

Several hundred tailors gathered at the Harlem Terrace Hall, 210 East 104th street, last night to discuss the question of improving their conditions and to lay the foundation for a union of workers employed in shops in Harlem.

D. Wolf, one of the organizers of the brotherhood, acted as chairman and appealed to all present to enroll as members of the United Garment Workers, and lay the foundation for a union in Harlem.

Max Pine, former secretary of the United Hebrew Trades, and at present helping the United Garment Workers in organizing the tailors throughout the country, told of the organization spirit prevailing among the workers throughout the country and said it was time for the workers in this city to improve their conditions which are now worse than ever before in the history of the garment industry.

R. Schweitzer and M. Zametkin made length addresses in Yiddish and Andrea Marotta delivered an address in Italian. About 200 workers enrolled as members of the United Garment Workers.

TWENTY RUSSIAN TARS SEIZED BY POLICE

ST. PETERSBURG, May 10.—Twenty sailors from warships stationed at Helsingfors were brought here in irons charged with a revolutionary propaganda by the secret police.

The charges made on the ground that they attempted to hold a requisition mass for the victims of the soldiers at the Lena gold mine.

Numerous haters of the police, who hold that they provoked the row at Lena, are indignant over the affair. Moderate opinion condemns the arrest as a serious blunder which is likely to cause trouble.

TO WATCH THE "MOVIES."

National Board of Censorship Approves of Folks Measure.

The proposed Folks ordinance, which gives the Mayor inspectors whose duty it is to safeguard morally and physically motion picture theaters, is approved by the National Board of Censorship of Motion Pictures in a statement sent out yesterday over the signature of the Rev. Thomas B. Slicer, chairman of the executive committee.

While the public opposition to the Folks ordinance, says the statement, is being pushed by two civic organizations, the real private opposition, much more effective, is being carried on by the cheap theaters and vaudeville interests, which desire that motion pictures shall be kept on as low a plane as possible and which object to the competition that will ensue from the construction of enlarged, sanitary and attractive motion picture theaters.

NEW AVIATION RECORD MADE.

LOS ANGELES, May 10.—Surpassing the achievements of aviators who have flown across the English Channel, Glenn Martin, of Santa Ana, today brought to California a world's record when he flew from the mainland, to Avalon, Catalina Island, thirty-four miles, and back again. It was the first aeroplane flight to Catalina, and the people on the island gave the aviator what he called the greatest greeting of his career.

PARK SHEPHERD A SUICIDE.

Orlando Ostrander, 73 years old, familiarly known in Prospect Park as "Old Ben," was found dead yesterday in his furnished room at 245 6th street, Brooklyn, with the gas escaping from the range and a rubber tube close to his mouth. He had been employed in the park as a shepherd for twenty-five years, and had been living alone since the death of his wife about two years ago.

MATTIE LOMAX GETS RESPIRE.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—President Taft today granted Mattie Lomax, the woman sentenced to be hanged here on May 19 for the murder of her husband, a respite of ninety days. It is contended that the woman is dying of tuberculosis. The President has received many petitions to commute the woman's sentence.

SPORTS

GIANTS SLAM CUBS

Apply Liberal Coat of Whitewash to Chicago Crowd in First Clash of Series.

CHICAGO, May 10.—The Giants got the jump on the Cubs today and won the first game of the series, also the first game the two ancient rivals have played this year.

Ames pitched the kind of ball which always wins. When there were no men on bases the Cubs found him easy. When there were men on bases and when a hit would have raised havoc, Ames tightened and there was nothing doing.

It was a corking game to watch, and an interesting one for the reason that the Cubs were always threatening. They outhit the Giants, getting nine hits to the eight accumulated by the fellows from New York.

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JUNE BASEBALL MAGAZINE OUT.

The June issue of the Baseball Magazine is a live wire. Ban B. Johnson has a stirring article on the American League in which he compares it with the old National and makes a few comments on the new United States League.

MANY SCRAPS TONIGHT.

Week-end bouts are offered at the Fairmont, Olympic, St. Nicholas, Brown's, Sharkey, Gowanus, National and Liberty clubs.

JACK WHITE BEATS CONLEY.

LOS ANGELES, May 10.—Jack White, of Chicago, won from Frankie Conley in twelve rounds of a scheduled twenty-round match at Vernon Athletic Club today.

GAMES SCHEDULED TODAY.

National League. New York at Chicago. Brooklyn at Cincinnati. Philadelphia at Pittsburgh. Boston at St. Louis.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Table showing the standings of various baseball clubs in the National and American Leagues.

YANKEES WIN A GAME

St. Louis Aggregation Falls Before Quinn's Masterly Pitching—Wolverton Makes Two-Bagger.

Wolverton got into the game yesterday as a pinch hitter and rammed out a two-bagger.

Then errors by Laporte and Pratt enabled the Highlanders to grab the game.

Baumgardner was effective with men on bases, but received poor support, while Quinn pitched a masterly game all through and the Yanks won by a score of 3 to 2.

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OTHER BASEBALL GAMES.

National League. At Pittsburgh—Philadelphia 0-11002000-4 7 2. At St. Louis—Boston 0-00010000-18 4 8. At Philadelphia—Cleveland 2-00002511-11 3 5.

ROYALE OFFERS GOOD BILL.

The Royale A. C. will stage three ten-round bouts tonight, at the Clermont Avenue Rink, Brooklyn.

MEMBERSHIP OF N. Y. INTERCOLLEGIATE 250

Local Chapter Meets at Home of Jessie Ashley, President Laidler Speaks.

The New York chapter of the Intercollegiate Socialist Society met at the home of Miss Jessie Ashley, 60 West 89th street, Thursday evening.

President Laidler, in speaking of the past and future activities of the New York chapter, said: "The New York chapter of the Intercollegiate Socialist Society begins its fifth year of activity with a membership of some 250, an increase of over 100 more than last year."

The active committees during the past season have been the Legal, Teachers, Lecture, Library and Press. The chief contribution of the Legal Committee has been the preparation of a list of laws declared unconstitutional by the federal courts, with annotations concerning each.

The Teachers' Committee has sent out a leaflet to several hundred progressive teachers in New York City and vicinity, giving ten reasons why teachers should be interested in Socialism; the leaflet being accompanied by the society's book list.

The Lecture Committee has been instrumental in arranging for a large number of lectures by members of the chapter before many Socialist and non-Socialist groups.

The Library Committee has, through personal correspondence with the members of the chapter, encouraged them to urge and secure the purchase of Socialist books in the public libraries.

The Press Committee has corresponded with several writers in the Socialist movement, and has requested them to prepare articles dealing with the relation of their profession to Socialism.

"It has been suggested by some of the members that the society, during the coming year, conduct a larger number of informal discussions than it has previously done; that it establish study courses, elementary and advanced, on various phases of Socialism; that it arrange more lectures bearing directly on Socialism and the Socialist movement, and that it create needed committees and endeavor to secure greater activity from those already formed."

The new committees suggested are: A Research Committee, whose function will be that of collecting and publishing in concise, readable form, industrial facts concerning the city, State or nation, regarding which information is especially needed; an Extension Committee to co-operate with the organizer of the general society in forming and strengthening I. S. S. chapters in New York City and vicinity; a Publicity Committee to give write-ups in the Socialist press of the various meetings of the New York Chapter; a Reception Committee, to aid in acquainting members with one another, and a Music Committee.

The Legal Committee should endeavor to correspond with the non-Socialist press, whenever, in its opinion, Socialism has been misrepresented therein, or the occurrence of any event makes it desirable that the Socialist viewpoint be emphasized. It should, it is urged, also aid in the publication of needed pamphlets on special phases of Socialism.

The chapter will probably be permanently located in the same building with the Rand School, when it moves into new quarters. The last meeting of the year will be held in the month of June.

The officers of the chapter are: Harry W. Laidler, president; Jessie W. Husham, first vice president; Rev. John Haynes Holmes, second vice president; Margaret G. Batchelder, treasurer; Rene E. Hogue, secretary; Nicholas Kelley, delegate to the N. E. C. Applications for membership in the chapter should be addressed to Secretary Hogue, 151 Riverside Drive, New York City.

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QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS... Troy, N. Y.—The address of the International Hotel Workers' Union is 44th street. J. Elster is or-



MEETINGS TODAY... MANHATTAN AND BRONX... Business Meetings... Murray Hill German Group—1032 First Avenue... Dance of Woman's Committee...

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Branch 7 Entertainment... An entertainment and dance by Branch 7 will take place on Saturday evening, May 25, at Laurel Hall, 75-79 East 116th street.

Branch 8 Literature Distribution... A literature distribution will take place Sunday at 10 o'clock... Branch 5 to Reproduce Plays...

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Branch 8 Open Air Meetings... Branch 8 is waking up the upper West Side section, and will hold another open air meeting tonight at the corner of 181st street and St. Nicholas avenue.

Branch 9 Dramatic Section... Today a week will be the season's closing of the Dramatic Section, Bronx Labor Lyceum.

Branch 10 Dance Tonight... If fun and laughter make you sick, Karl Heidemann.

Yorkville Forum Lecture... Timothy Murphy will deliver the fourth of his series on the "History of Philosophy" tomorrow night at the new headquarters of Branch 5, 442 East 88th street, New York City.

Children's Festival... The East Side Socialists Sunday School children will celebrate their May Day festival and the closing exercises of the school season tomorrow forenoon from 10:30 to 1 o'clock at 266 East Broadway.

Minutes of Circle 2, Y. P. S. F. Circle 2 of the Y. P. S. F. held its regular meeting last Sunday. The meeting day was changed from Sunday afternoon to Friday night.

Circle 3 Lecture Tonight... "Oscar Wilde, Poet and Pretender," will be the subject of the lecture tonight by Hubert H. Harrison at the clubrooms of Circle 3, Young People's Socialist Federation, 120 Rivington street.

BROOKLYN... Brownsville Captains to Meet... All captains of Branch 2 of the 23d A. D. will meet tomorrow from 12 to 3 o'clock at headquarters, 1701 Pitkin avenue.

Bay Ridge Dance... The Bay Side Social Club will hold a shirtwaist dance this evening at the Bay Ridge Forum, 215 47th street, Brooklyn.

QUEENS... The regular meeting of the Central Committee, Local Queens, will be held

"Socialism and the National Flag" will be Bouck White's subject at 157 Montague St., Brooklyn (Borough Hall Subway Station), Sunday Afternoon, May 12, at 3:30.

WESTCHESTER... The next regular meeting of the County Committee will be held in White Plains tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

RICHMOND... There will be a meeting of the Central Committee, Richmond Borough, tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock, at the Labor Lyceum, 22 Roff street, Stapleton.

BERGEN COUNTY, N. J. The propaganda meeting at Carlstadt has been postponed until May 25.

PHILADELPHIA... A protest meeting against the cruel and barbarous treatment by the Russian Government of the Socialist delegates of the second Duma will be held in Royal Hall tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

18th Ward Open Air Meeting... There will be an open air meeting of the 18th Ward Branch, Socialist party, this evening at 8:15, at Schackamaxon street and Girard avenue.

35th Ward Branches... This evening at 8 o'clock the Cheltenham and Rockledge branches will give a grand musicale, dance and lecture. The speaker will be Charles W. Ervin.

SHAMOKIN, PA. The open air meeting of May 7, which had been arranged for James H. Maurer, the Socialist member of the Pennsylvania Legislature, was called off because of the rain.

CO-OPERATIVE NOTES... The Co-operative League has inaugurated a summer course in the study of the history, practice and principles of industrial co-operation.

WHERE CHILDREN PUNISHED? All parents are requested to immediately let the secretary of the Children's May Conference know of any cases where children have been punished or in any other way harmed on account of their taking part in the May parade.

SPECIAL NOTICE... THE FAIR COMMITTEE OF THE Workers' Educational Ass'n., MEET EVERY MONDAY UNTIL THE FAIR AT THE BRONX LABOR LYCEUM

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ETTOR AND GIOVANNITTI MUST LIVE, SAY THOUSANDS... Working Class Solidarity, Power That Beat Cotton and Woolen Kings at Lawrence, Will Wrest Labor Champions From Death.

LAWRENCE, Mass., May 9.—Returning to this city after a lapse of a few weeks is to receive almost a shock. No longer does the eye see the glitter of bayonets and the khaki uniforms of militiamen at every street corner. The Metropolitan Park Police, Massachusetts' growing edition of the Pennsylvania Cossacks, are gone. The special police sworn in to create disturbance are disbanded and slunk to their familiar haunts. Essex street, which a few weeks ago swarmed at all hours of the day with strikers massed in an endlessly moving army, is practically deserted. The city seems dead, for the mills have sucked its life through their iron gates. Peace reigns in place of war. Or so it seems.

CLASSES... The Co-operative League has inaugurated a summer course in the study of the history, practice and principles of industrial co-operation.

VARIED OPINIONS ON VARIED SUBJECTS... MORE FLAG COMMENT... Editor of The Call: I have decided to display the Stars and Stripes during the entire session of the Socialist convention.

SINGLE TAXERS TO DINE... The veterans of the Henry George 1866 campaign will hold a dinner this evening at 6:30 o'clock at Kall's Restaurant, 14 Park place.

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CARPENTERS' UNION, 476... At the meeting of L. U. 476, held on the 7th inst., William Karlin, representing the New York Call, was granted the privilege of the floor.

THE CIVIC FORUM... Prof. Charles Gray Shaw... "SELFHOOD AND SERVICE" SUNDAY, 8 P. M.

had never been so well off in this country, in the mills of Lawrence, as in the mills of Bury. She got more actual money, but it did not permit saving. So she stayed, hoping always to escape. At the termination of the strike, which had been a nine weeks' vacation to her, as to thousands of other strikers, she returned to the Wood mill. I saw her again after three days of the mill and the speeded machines. Her ruses were all gone. Her eyes were dull, her face drawn and at her brain was numbed. Her entire nervous system was affected, and that was in three days. It is her normal condition. She will last perhaps ten years, being a naturally strong girl, and at 30 or thereabouts will be a nervous and physical wreck for the rest of her life.

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