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# IS POLITICS REALLY A GAME?

The GAME of political lan't that a curious sort of phrase, he knew you couldn't use them, but he

your class is invariably the loser? osity, the present incumbent, in 1904

And to long as you regard politics Why? merely as a game in which you are Was it because they thought the old About 30 additional Socialists have allowed to participate to the extent of plug, whom most people consider a been elected as common council men one vote, it can have no other result "dead one," could provide YOU with in the recent municipal elections in

you should look upon it as a game, the reason, do you think? Around about election time your ears. Or was it because they thought discovered in Northern Belgium the posed candidates. You cannot take up to better advantage? newspaper without reading of specuturned down, entered or withdrawn, by Democrat-and yet that made no difgang, or other combination.

With the change of a few terms Republicans to a man. these descriptions would apply equally attraction, so in an election you see rings around the so-called thoroughnothing but the candidates.

But is that all there is to it? Are merely to give YOU a little sport?

mine operators open a "barrel" to chip ly a pastime. it because they want YOU to have candidates are only their tools. You some fun at their expense? Or do you can have all the fun in supplying them imagine that they love the individual with these tools; if they can only use candidates so much that they want to them, they don't grudge you the sport. see them placed in good offices at fat They suggest what they want in that He was followed by Comrade Lowther

tiontimes,levies tribute upon brothels, able to take the greater part of what gambling houses, calcons, policemen, you produce; so that the wealth creat city employes and others, that their ed by your labor may go to enrich object is merely to give YOU a good their class; so that your class may just

ployer throws out hints as to the ad- wealth for them. For them, politics is visability of your voting for some not a game, but a serious business. particular candidate, that he is afraid They get out of it those solid, matter YOU won't be able to enjoy yourself of fact, things we have mentioned; properly without instructions?

threatens to close his factory if Mr. So and security. What do you get?. bet on that particular individual?

and badges, out of his own pocket, is worse. foretaste of the delights to come on

These people are never, or hardly even candidates themselves. Why? If fellows get? why don't they become candidates?

If securing office in en very importent If it is really all there is to an

admitting that politics is ething more than a game—a temry diversion got up specially for

gour banefit. The truth is that it is by no means ent that certain candidates if hold office, so it is who shall hold idates after they are elected.

And it is never your class that helds but the other, the property own . They contribute the cash. and you contribute the votes. It may GAME for you, but it is BUS NESS with them every time.

Sometimes these people expose the et they hold for your idea of and often it is printed in the ers, but you never seem to get on ciety of masters and slaves.

Old Jay Gould-he's dead now, bu nds of your class are still aring the harness he fitted on them unce said, "In Republican districts am a Republican, in Democratic mecrat, and in doubtful ts I am doubtful, but I AM AN ERIE BAILROAD MAN ALL THE

Don't you think old Jay was a sport of the first water? He never was a o to get a gip on the winners

excitement of racing the candidates-

You who have voted for Republican And only a few months ago Morgan ticket in the field for the approaching or Democratic candidates year in and and Jim Hill and some of the Wall spring campaign. year out, of course may consider it street wire-pullers were talking of runsuch, but did you ever stop to think ing old Grover Cleveland as a "safe" that no matter how the game ends, conservative man" against His Strenu-

But after all, it is not so strange that than the high spirited coit? Was that reported.

are constantly dinned with alternate Grover was so thoroughly broken to Socialist deputies are trying to have praise and condemnation of the pro- the harness that they could use him the deposits worked by the state rather

You know of course that between fations on the chances of Mr. So and Teddy and Grover there is apparently So, or how far. Such and Such a one a great gulf fixed-that their political has been dropped out of the running, ideas are utterly opposed; that beor how other aspirants have been tween them lies all the tremendous knifed, boomed, slated, scratched distance between a Republican and a this or that machine, clique, club, ference to the people who hinted at Grover's candidacy, even if they were

But they had all the confidence in well to a horse race. And as in a the world that they could resurrect horse race, the horses are the central the encient plug and make him run bred. Who?

Because your class look upon polthese things gotten up, do you think, itics merely as a GAME. You are only the fellows who are running for Holland, Comrade Troelstra the So-Do you suppose that when Pierpont office, and fail to see the crowd be cialist recieved 2,476 votes. A second Morgan, Jim Hill, John D. Rockefeller hind them whose interest it is to make ballot will be necessary. or the bankers. Wall street jugglers or a business of what you think is main-

in to the campaign fund, that they do! They are the real politicians. The

Democratic party in this city at electinue a system under which they are get enough to keep body and soul to-Do you imagine that when your em- gether, in order to create still more

good food, clothing, shelter, warmth, is it your opinion that when he recreat h, comfort, luxury, education,

and Bo is not elected President, that Wages! And that means poor and he does so because he has an election scanty food, cheap and insufficient clothing, unsanitary Houses, coal fam-When he gets up a parade of his ines, never ending toil and drudgery, employes, for his favorite political en- lack of education, and continual untry, and furnishes you with caps, canes certainty that things may not be still

> enjoyment you get in running capitalist candidates for office. Would you like to exchange it for what the other

You would. Then you must look upon politics as a serious business. You ed. Local charters have also been ismust elect candidates that YOU can sued to New Oricans, La., and Spring-USE, and give up the idea #1st the on, why don't they enter for the mere running of them is the main con-

> Twenty thousand strong in this citythree bundred thousand strong in the country and growing rapidly. Its platform declares that your class shall have for their own use and enjoyment all the wealth created by their labor. and all its candidates will be used if elected, to attain this object.

> They stand for collective instead of private ownership of the means of tire They stand for the right of the laborers to own, control, and enjoy all that their labor produces, as against that of the capitalist to despoil them of it. They stand for a change in present society that shall transform the human race into free men, women,

The Morgans, Hills and Rockefellers never back our candidates with their money, and they never will. They have no USE for them. Their class has no USE for them. Our class has. In short they are the only candidates our

They run for office, not for the sake of the running, but to do the will at that office may confer upon them for

ic, always carry out the in

their power towards that end. They

Upon which side does your interests as a workingman lie? In playing the capitalist GAME of politics, or making it the BUSINESS of your class?

Think this over, And remember that the SOCIALIST PARTY has a full

## News Notes.

a better show and more amusement Germany, so far as these have been

An immense coal field having been than allow them to fall into the hands of private capitalists.

A new factory law has been passed in Switzerland, which is very welcome to the workers as it prevents reductions of wages in many cases and abolishes fining and the "truck" system.

Socialists of Rome, Italy, are preparing to establish a large reading room and library at their headquarters. Plans for a federation of all employers against labor organization are be ing arranged in Germany.

The Archbishop of Canterbury is dead but his \$75,000 a year salary still goes marching on.

In a recent election at Amsterdam,

Comrade Fred O'Hare has been hold ing very successful meetings in Strea-

Comrade Jones of the Strickland and Iones combination gave the boys a taste of his quality in an hour's speech at Headquarters last Saturday. line, and you vote at their suggestion. of Ruskin College in a short address. Have you any idea that when the They use those candidates to con- Both speakers impressed the audience favorably

The Detroit "To-Day," the new Socialist daily of that city reprints from the Chicago Socialist, the article entitled "Can Socialism be Defined?" which appeared in the issue of Dec.

In last week's issue the amount pledged for the Campaign Fund was

Socialist pupils of the Mills School have sent a letter of congratulation to Father T. McGrady, on the stand which he took when asked to retract his Socialist principles.

Socialist agitator here a year ago was recently married in Sau Francisco to Miss Clara Powell, another Socialist

the following places in Arkansas: Huntington, Burma, Montreal and Prairie Creek Mine. State organization of Arkansas will soon be perfectfield, Vt.

Comrade Sam Robbins, well known as an organizer in Chicago writes from Los Angeles for a bundle of the special edition of the Calcago Socialist for distribution in that city. He reports that fusion has brought confusion, but is hopeful that matters will soon be straightened out. Comrade Robbins stands for uncompromising . Socialist action and has had debates on that sub-

Comrade E. J. Riegel of Mendots. Ill., is hustling the Chicago Socialist in that town. He reports that the local workingmen are forming unions and comsisers that they furnish a good field for Socialist agitation.

ject with the local champions of fusion

Cartoonist Fowler has severed his connection with the Seattle Socialist and will edit a paper of his own at

Carl D. Thompson will mit in Janu ary in an agitation tour through Wis-

To Locale in City and Vicinity.

Do you want to increase the Socialfor your branch at the same time? If Washrough to bring their stereopticon end moving pictures along.

RICE WASSROUGH 175 E. 22nd street.

Prof. Geo. D. Herron will speak at

How The Workers Shared Their Masters' Prosperity.

## ANNUAL "CHARITY"

Wages and Commodities Rise and Fall Together. A Convenient System for Exploiters.

A Happy New Year! What are we up against?

The last flickering days of the year just closed have surely given the workers something to think about.

quantity than ever before.

The workers who produced wealth through the activity of their

And the capitalist class who have absorbed the wealth created by the seek outside assistance in a novel way, So heavily gorged are they with this be to the giver, however much it may he calls his "conscience."

starving and ragged mortals who were fed on the leavings and clothed in the cast-offs of the plunderers, through the instrumentality of the Salvation Army and 15,000 through the Chicago whom you send a copy of this letter. American, we should feel thankful-a thankfulness that implies loss of manhood and self respect.

But when it is admitted that it is impossible to in any way meet all the distress, which under capitalism, accompanies every winter, it makes us tremble when told that "prosperity" is going to stay with us.

The Building Trades are to go on strike to raise their wages to 60 cents per hour. They won some time before what appeared to be the goal of orgiven as \$191. It should have been ganized labor, 50 cents an hour, only partly because he wanted the paper, their "victory" that the new wages didn't buy as much as the money of the

in his answer to "divine providence" Baer, that the advanced gained a year temptation to at least look inside of it branch and distributed free. The cirbefore had been more than swallowed and read a little, it went the same cular is reproduced here and it might

still harder to satisfy their necessities. The fact is that when "labor" is "vic torious" the defeated capitalist adds the increased wage and compensation for his "defeat" to the price of labor's product, and the "victorious" union man gets 10 per cent increase in wages while his vanquished opponent gets 20 per cent increase in prices.

Oh yes! More "prosperity" in ing. And the Socialists are here to tes of the wage system.

how could we have A HAPPY NEW

B. BERLYN.

Do you live in these Towns-that is that part of them, lying inside the mits of the city of Chicago: Evanston, Jefferson, Norwood Park, Morris, to the undersigned, as he desires to found organizations there as soon as welfare. sible, and desires your assistance | 1 wonder if there are not many Get to work, comrades!

THEO. MEYER. City Sec'y, 181 Washington st.

Funds for Organization.

How can every county in Illinois ba roanized between new and the prosidential campaign of 1904 is a question that can best be answered on February 4th next.

ested in that question goes without say. avenue. (North Side). ing. That every Socialist would like ades to advance the only practical solub or Dr. J. W. Rouf, 187 W. Division fellow the addresses.

street, Mrs. Peter Sissman, 56 Evergreen av., O. Rubenstein 71 Newberry ev., J. V. Levinson, 404 Maxwell street, L. Benneushon, 156 Blue Island av., M Massowich, 242 W. Division st., H. Stein 643 N. Maplewood av., L. Bodine, 36 Marion court or State Sec'y, Jac. 5. Smith, 181 Washington street.

In arranging for a theatrical performance at Glickman's West Side Theater for the night of February 4th, they have practically arranged for a thorough organization of the state as NOTHING SUCCEEDS LIKE SUC-

Every Jewish comrade is expected to do his duty by selling tickets. Prices 25, 35, 50, 75, 1.00 and 1.50.

#### For a Socialist Daily.

Erie, Pa., comrades have started the endless chain letter through which The year just ended has been one of they hope to raise funds sufficient to unprecedented "prosperity"-that is, establish their daily paper, which is wealth has been produced in greater to be known as the Evening Telegram. Following is the letter in question: this Dear Comrade:

The Socialists and Unionists of brains and muscles are really to be Eric are endeavoring to establish a pitled. They have produced so much daily newspaper and have made some wealth that they become objects of progress in raising the necessary means, but realize that they are too weak financially and have decided to workers is on hand to do the pitying. to-wit, the Endless Chain. Kindly send ten cents, or more, to Aug. Klenke, plunders that they vomit upon the secretary, Room 5 Baker Block, Erie. slaves they have robbed, a small por- Pa., and send an exact copy of this tion of the booty and all it "charity." letter to three of your personal friends. But there is gall and bitterness in it Everyone sending ten cents will reto the recipient, however sweet it may ceive a copy of the first issue of the paper. Kindly attend to this at once. relieve the overcharged stomach which for the sooner we get this paper started, the sooner the divine right of Baer When we read of this unprecedented will come to an end and the political prosperity, and connect it with 12,000 corruption be broken in Quaysylvania. Respectfully yours,

AUG. KLENKE Secretary Board of Directors. P. S .- Send names of friends to

### Socialist Agitator's Story.

Is there really anything in Socialism? If not, how do you account for the following?

A while back I handed a Socialist paper to a middle aged man who is familiar with the general topics of the day, and drew his attention to an article treating a subject that he and I had previously discussed. I did this several times and then asked him to subscribe for the paper, which he did, to discover on examining the fruits of and partly because he wanted to get rid of me, as he told me afterwards.

This is the subsequent story. After reading a little in the first number President Mitchell of the U. M. W. that came, he got provoked and threw made the same discovery; he stated it it in the fire. The second one came, and although he could not resist the up in the increased price of commo- way, and the third took a similar well be seriously thought upon and you meet to give you a qu the stove. The light of the truth bemay win another "victory" and find it gan to dawn on the incendiary, and after reading the paper he handed it to a reighbor so that he also might see that Socialism was his cause as well as that of all other workingmen and women, to use his own words.

intelligent person that there must be something of importance to them in the Socialist philosophy. When a man will read and then burn-read and again burn-read again and burn a Soexplain its significance and the beant ciailst paper and finally accept the teaching of Sociatism, then so to work Without these mestimable blessings to spread those teachings, and becoree a member of the party, and contingally protest that he cannot see what kept him so long from recognizing that Socialism was just and right. who will dare to say of Socialism that there is nothing in it?

Now it must certainly appear to any

My friend understands now however that it was the false statements of the Niles, Lake. Cicero and Eimira; if so Republican and Democratic journals, send your name and address (in full) that deceived him, and prejudiced him against his own and every one clae's their meetings and there will surely be enforcing the law.

others like this man? PETER KENNEDY.

367 Jay st., Elgin, Ill.

Comrade F. W. Knox announces that he can speak for any branch desiring month. Date are already filled for 11th and 25th of present month. Address him at Dearborn Hotel 211 Dearborn

## Sunday afternoon Meeting.

Everybody invited to be present a easily it is done. Just opening. Speakers, Morgan, Br ope. Lay your plans and bring you friends. Free discussion will discussion after the addresses. Free

The City Convention of the Socialist | TO THE VOTERS OF THE-WARD. Party has now passed into history. The This concerns every wage worker, purpose for which that body was call- be his salary \$500 or \$5,000 per year. ed together having been accomplished, the organization, or convention, has ests are the sole concern of the Repassed out of existence. Following in publican and Democratic parties. .... its wake the city campaign may now be said to be "on"-at least as far as profit may consistently vote the Rethe Socialist Party is concerned publican or Democratic ticket. What actions other political parties take are of little moment to the So- owe it to themselves, to their families cialist, the latter are in the campaign and to their fellow working men to Social development that treats of the ticket.

great economic laws."

What do we need most of all in the you wish to know what Socialism real-Socialist Party in the city of Chicago? ly means, what it has to offer YOU Organization. The vote of Socialism who are being daily swindled by the in the city last fall reveals nearly insidious tricks of the present political 20 unorganized Socialist voters to and industrial systems, communicate every one affiliated with the party. In with me at once and I will take pleathe twifth precinct of the 31st ward sure in calling on you, and I wish partthere were over 30 votes cast for So- icularly to hear from those who voted cialism, and only one Socialist is right at the last election. known in that precinct. Who are the other 29? That is the problem our organization is to solve in every precinct in every ward in the city. Do your branches. For the next six the comrades realize the magnificent weeks cannot possibly do a better opportunity, the urgent necessity and work than seeing to the organizing of the far reaching results if these voters the Socialist vote of the city. If one could be brought into the organiza- unorganized Socialist can chase a thoution, and they can be. How to do it, sand, surely two organized Socialists and do it effectively, that is the ques- can chase ten thousand of the enemy. tion. One thing sure, it will require Next to organization we need agitapersonal work, and plenty of it. Some tion and education in the basic prinmeans must be found by which the can get in personal touch with the meet with and defeat the army of voters throughout the city.

The 31st ward branch at its meeting last Friday evening discussed at some length the issuing of a circular to the not so much a question as to how soon voters, urging a reply to the name and address given, the belief is held that question how soon can the Socialist by this means those who had voted the Socialist ticket on Nov. 4 would reply, giving their name and address, and then the comrades living in the precinct would "follow up" and seek to a very debatable question. Up and at learn personally of the voter and interest him in connecting himself with the organization. This seems like a very feasible, practicable plan, and it when each individual member of the could be carried out without much expense, as the comrades could deliver the circulars themselves, thus save duty. time in addressing and expense of

Another plan, having exactly the same object as the above, but carried out by means of inserting a circular in the extra copies of the Chicago Socialist purchased by the individual or put into action all over the city. The circular is as follows;

November shows as follows: Balance ployed in one of our large corpora on hand from Nov. 1st \$455.95. Re- was caught in the act of steal 72. For the Miners' Strike Fund there to thirty cents a pound. He had I which was added during the month a cents a pound. He had stolen suffic Mice Workers, leaving a balance of of a three dollar fine. \$5.10 Miners Strike Fund on hand.

Party Finances.

G. F. Schmidt says: We have re-man is getting but \$1.50 per day, he cieved the 50 copies of the special has a family to support. He carnot do edition of the Chicago Socialist, and it. He was forced to steal." Know will distribute them where they will that the man was compelled to do most good. We now have the this, they would rather get the na Carpenters' Union interested in So of being kind hearted by speaking cialism. One of their members con- the man's behalf, than to stir up dis stantly distributes Socialist papers at content among the other \$1.50 mea by good results. I was in Peorla yesteriny and heard Comrade Sam Block deliver one of the best Socialist utilities will fall to charm or far speeches I ever heard on the subject any member of the So Can Panics be Averted." I consider him one of the best speakers we have ers of government in the hands and there is no question but Peoria capitalist class would fall to Socialism. I think it won't be very long before the S. P. and S. L. P. will unite in Peorla and when they do, the When the great mass of the pe movement will grow fast.

Scandinavian Free Discussion Club meets at the Socialist Hall, 363 Sodgwick street, every Saturday night. On Saturday Jan. 3rd, Miss Lydia Swan 10th and 17th, Thomas J. Morgan will speak on the subject: "Progress of less they let him size Man from Slavery to Socialism." Free mas turkeys. A un

Property rights and business inter-Those who live by rent, interest and

Those who live by wages or salary to teach Socialism-"the philosophy of vote always and only the Socialist

Do not condemn the Socialist party In connection with the above facts without a hearing, having listened only some observations might not be amiss. to the testimony of its enemies. If

#### Respectfully, Sec'y Ward Branch.

Now, comrades, get together in ciples of Socialism to fit the army of omrades now in the Socialist Party the Socialist Party to successfully capitalist exploiters.

Economic development is climaxing at a remarkably rapid rate, and it is we shall have Socialism, as it is a Party prepare the untrained millions of producers for Socialism. The canitalist system is rotten ripe. How much longer it can maintain itself is it. Can we not have branch organisation in every precinct in the city,

Socialist Party shall realize what part he has to perform, and resolutely set himself to the task of performing that Suggestion: Place a standing order. with the manager of the Chicago Sc cialist for bundle lots of from 500 to 5,000 copies per week, organize your

very soon. Yes, but it will only be

morning distribution, placing some such suggestive circular as the above rade be armed with not less than subscription cards, and ask every man dollar for the card-and the Chicago Socialist will do the rest.

## The Quality of Mercy.

celpts during month \$298.51. Expendi- bitt hammers, weighing about five tures \$335.74. Balance on hand \$518. pounds each and worth from twenty was a balance on hand of \$120,46 to selling them to a junk dealer for five further sum of \$292.95, making a total to convict him of grand largery but the of \$512:35 of which \$508.25 was for corporation intervened and the man warded to Secretary of the United was allowed to go free upon Layment

Now why did the cor thin? Out of kindness? Not on your Writing from Pekin, Ill., Comrade life. The superintendent said: "Tais

> The government ownership of public Government ownership with the before capitalism can be when the grant full possession life will come late their bands paturally as water runs down 1

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#### CANDIDATES VS. PRINCIPLES.

While the Socialist Party has neither the power nor the wish to dictate right to freely explain its attitude up- unparalleled prosperity." on such acts, especially when they

We have nominated candidates for popularity.

The Socialist Party does NOT and NEVER DID regard it as such.

the principles represented by the can undertake their publication. didate are ignored or unconsidered, his no particular connection with princi-

principles, not persons. It works not ditions that generated it. for candidates but for what they represent-Socialism

fully define our attitude to such action.

would not if we could.

## A YEAR OF INSTRUCTION.

If the year that has just passed the owners of the world at the expense of the toliers of the world, there has supporters, comes to pass? at least been some componsation for the latter.

They have enined knowledge-more than has ever accrued to them in any Amalgamated Society of Railway Serprevious year-and knowledge is pow- vants in England, in which that union

of the exploiting classes, their hypocritical pretences of plety, and their patches state that it "has changed the open control of the machinery of gov- whole industrial situation there."

ernment in their own interests have | And well do they state that it is all records in growth and rapacity, gress in many years." while the pretended efforts to check It is not stated however what the

them became a hideous farce and causes were that led to this "great vio. so to pieces, because officials of the mockery, so palpable, that "control of tory." On that point the capitalist the trusts" has become almost a stand- press is prudently silent. Also they ing joke.

italist government both judicial and finish.

Arbitration, conciliation, and "har- itial step. nony"hoards composed of shrewd capitalist exploiters, clerical stool pigeons, and prominent labor fakirs, have fail- skilled and organized laborer was in ed signally. Into their places have stepped "Manufacturers Associations," became an "aristocrat of labor," and with complete networks of spies, in- was long the despair of the Socialist formers, detective agencies, and agitator. "bureaus of information," organized for the avowed purpose of crushing all ed," and was delighted to hear his attempts of the working classes to masters call him so. He had no time better their life conditions.

Increases of wages wrenched from, or reluctantly conceded by the exploit and Beigian fellow workers were vigorers, have been more than swallowed ously pushing. He was the model up in the increased cost of necessaries. workman-while his employers had a

A coal strike, bitterly fought for six grip on the world market. months by half a million starved, stunted, outraged, and plundered hu- extent, and horrible to relate, he be- ity at Baltimore and the Government and railroad owners, has drawn the was told time and again that the investigate. attention of millions of workingmen to American workingman was turning out the beauties of private ownership of twice the product that he was-that the necessaries of life. And a Baer, his laziness was ruining the Empire. instigated no doubt by "divine pro- But as he looked upon this particular vidence," comes forward to preach a offence as evidence of his "practical" sermon on the sacredness of property, character, he remained deaf to all in the textile mills produced \$63,000,

pling in furious combat; with the pros- frame of mind, and urged by the ter. contest with the capitalist octopus, pect of a universal coal famine that rific competition of foreign exploiters, the acts of bodies of mon unconnected the capitalist press piling up columns rected a blow at his pocket, the rewith it, still it reserves to itself the of figures purporting to exhibit "our ceptacle where his "practical" qual-

have some reference to the Socialist events that marked its course, have His trades union advisers, one of movement or the individuals engaged already borne fruit and will bear still whom is a member of Parliament, his more in the future.

city and aldermanic offices, most of part of the working class has received cision which has so successfully plunwhom are workingmen connected with a mighty impetus. One large section dered the Railway Union, carried with the union of their craft. Many of of the organized workers has openly it no explanation of how any strike these men are popular in their unions, transferred the struggle from the econo- might be conducted without liability Nomination to an office is usually mic to the political field, and the "con- on the part of the union conducting it regarded as in some manner a reward servatives" who still refuse to recog- to be sued for damages. due the candidate or a tribute to his nize the changed conditions, narrowly There is one thing and one thing

Therefore it must and does look with scribers in some cases running into leads to the Socialism that he so long indifference upon the indersement of the hundreds of thousands. Socialist scouted as impractical and visionaryany particular candidate upon its tic books, pamphiets, and general literat- and he will do it because there is no ket, by any economic body with which ure, are in such demand; that here and other alternative left. such candidate may be connected. If there, capitalist firms, scenting profits

personal endorsement is a matter of ist schools are started; Socialist speak- ive ownership of the means of prono moment to the Socialist Party, ers invade every section of the counduction. He did this merely as the in spite of the wish of the majority of That the personal qualities of such try; Socialist organizations enter into easiest way of disposing of the trouble- the "people." Class rule however is candidates inspire esteem and respect every political struggle. State after some Socialists who annually pestered such a tremendous fact and looms up is of course to be desired, but it has State falls into line and the Socialist him with their theories. Now how so big that millions of people never see

And the Socialist Party advocates it also brought revolt against the con- gresses.

More than any year that has passed. tween capitalist and wage-worker A working class movement, to suc. Consciously and unconsciously, multicoed must deal honestly with those to tudes are ranging themselves upon "practical," struggle has only begun. whom it looks for support. This the either side of these class lines, in pre-Socialist Party proposes to do, whether paration for the unavoidable and final such be regarded as "practical politics" struggle. Capitalism has paid dearly or not. Deception of the workers we for its prosperity in 1902. Its victims leave to the capitalist political parties, have tasted of the fruit of the tree of patches reported the speech of Empe-We cannot use it if we would, and economic good and evil, and are beginning to discover their nakedness ingmen," in Breslau recently, in which and its cause.

its processes of exploitation has simple unpretending workman" from aroused so much intelligent discontent the workshop to represent them in the brought unprecedented prosperity to what may be expected when the inevitable reaction, predicted by its own

PLUNDERING BRITISH UNIONS

With the recent decision against the has been cast in damages to the workingman in Breslau who is not a Capitalist prosperity has educated amount of \$140,000, for conspiracy in Socialist. The Emperor's appeal to them to recognize facts to which their ordering a strike, comes the turning these eleven nondescripts to send a eyes were blind, their ears deaf and point so long predicted by Socialists as mate from their workshop as a parliatheir minds closed in previous years, bound to occur in the relations of mentary representative is irresistibly The shameless, sordid, brutal greed unions and employers in Great Britain, ludicrous in view of the facts, "Vor-

never stood out so glaringly before as hailed by all classes except the work is well illustrated by the new developing class as "the most important vic- ments in the fight of the local Cigar Capitalist combinations surpassed tory for free labor and industrial pro- Dealers Association against the Tobac-

prudently conceal the fact that this in-Fierce conflicts between "labor and cident really marks the beginning of a capital," in which the power of cap-real struggle instead of a victorious

utive, has been invariably used It is the competition of the United catest the workers, have opened the States, Germany, and other capitalist the association, appealing to them to gree of thousands of the latter to the countries for possession of the world change their methods. No answer was

THE CHICAGO SOCIALIST nature and structure of capitalist so market, that has recily forced the British ruling classes to take this fa-

> So long as Great Britain was , the "workshop of the world," the British some respects a favored mortal. He

He was "practical" and "leard head- the west in this city. for theories-no use for the"visionary" Socialism which his French, German,

He dictated hours of labor to some may mean death to thousands; with have at last turned upon him, and di ities are deposited.

So passes the old year. But the How is he going to meet the attack? secretaries, and organizers, declare to move, is part of a plan to "put the Independent political action on the their inability to ward it off. The de-

escape defeat in their own convention. alone that he can do-must do and Socialist newspapers and magazines will do. He can set his face and turn than the inhabitants of those cities, unspring up in every direction, their sub- his feet steadily towards the road that der similar conditions.

For years this stolld Briton at his Trades Union Congress has been en-Socialist organizations grow, Social- dorsing resolutions advocating collectever he will have to inject some mean-If 1902 brought capitalist prosperity, ing into this proceeding in future Con-

> And when he does this, the fellows point of his class, and that the real.

When the Associated Press disror William to a "deputation of workhe warned them to avoid the Social-If in its "good times," capitalism, in ists, and send one of their number. "a Reichstag, no one expected that the farce of the famous "three tailors of Tooley street" was being eclipsed.

Now however the files of the Cor. waerts" show that the deputation consisted of eleven men, not one of whom that it is almost impossible to find a Well does the Associated Press dis- waerts" uses an entire front page to make fun of the proceedings.

> Just what the working class may ex pect from the capitalists, big or tittle co Trust. The alliance between the union and the Association promises to former have discovered that the Association is nushing the sale of nonunion goods, of which it is asserted they handle 90 per cent, and but 10 per cent of the cheapest grade of union label goods.

The union officials sent a letter to

received and now the union threatens to fight their allies. The entire affair is but one more of the innumerable proofs of the irreconcilable conflict be tween capitalist and labor.

In the mean time the trust is pursu ing the even tenor of its way, and while its opponents are at daggers drawn, is preparing to establish as a "war measure" the largest cigar factory in

It has now been discovered that laziness is a disease, due to the presence of a germ in the human organism which is not yet classified. The germ develops into an intestinal parasite in the shape of a worm armed with booklets, which preys upon the mucous lining of these organs. The discovery was made in the Johns Hopkins Universman beings against a handful of mine lieved in "restricting production." He zoologist Dr. Stiles has gone there to

This theory is held to explain the dislike of work amongst Southern people. The germ it is said is abundant in the Carolinas and Georgia, just those states where the labor of infants a sermon so instructive that its effects pleadings. His employers protested in 800 surplus value for the capitalist vain. He didn't believe in giving more owners in the northern states last And the old year goes out with a than a "fair days work for a fair days year. So it is evident that there was a week of "charity" dinners to the pay"-not from his employer's, but sort of battle between two kinds of "poor"; with even more than the usual from his own "practical" point of view. parasites for the possession of these quota of deaths from cold and starva- And now, the latter, despairing of children, in which the "worm with tion; with "capital and labor" grap- bringing him to a more amenable hooklets" came off second best in the

> Hundreds of cars loaded with soft coal are standing on the side tracks just outside the city. They cannot be got inside owing to alleged lack of locomotives and men to move them Every newspaper that quotes the item however states that there is a well founded suspicion that the "inability" thumbscrews on the dealers." This is 'husiness." Where is the wicked wretch who would disturb "business" conditions? Weil, the first cold snap may bring some thousands of him out. as unless the blockade is broken, a coal famine is threatened in the city. Already they have been mobbing coal yards in St. Paul and Boston, and Chicago people are no more "law abiding"

The versatile Rudyard Kipling has ground out some verses, indicative of the reluctance of the British "people" to join with the hated German in coercing Venezuela. Kipling has a keen eye for so many realities that it seems strange he cannot discover why the British warships were sent there it just on account of its size. They "cannot see the wood for the trees.

We are soon to have the redoubtable Bishop Quigley as successor to Archwho have started him into action by bishop Feehan in this city, and as he has it brought knowledge, experience, picking his pockets through legal pro- comes here with the reputation of It is in no spirit of unfriendliness to and instruction to the working classes, cedure, will probably revise their ousting Socialiem from the Buffalo any organization that may endorse Its events have drawn still more clear- views on the "great victory" won for labor unions, it is only to be expected any of our candidates that this is ly and sharply the line of demarcation "free labor and industrial progress." that he will tackle the same job in Chiwritten, but rather to fairly and truth- between exploiter and exploited-be It will be the turn of their victim to cago. If he is as successful here as he vas in Buffalo there will be no cause of complaint, as his "victory" there is confirmed by an increased Socialist vote as the November elections show. Come along, Bishop, we will not SNAP SHOTS BY THE WAY SIDE grudge you any future victories of this sort you may obtain here.

> Every woman in Chicago was invited to pay 6 cents instead of 5 on Christmas day to conductors of street cars in which they might be traveling The suggestion came from the Hull House Woman's Club and was enthusiastically supported by the clubmembers, as the best method of giving the consuctors a Christmas present, the extra cent to be devoted of course to that purpose. That it was assumed without any doubt that the majority of the conductors would gratefully receive the paltry present gives one a pretty fair catimate of the knowledge of working people possessed by these would be charitable ladies.

> > Ward Convention.

The 21st ward convention will be continued on the eve. of Wed., Jan. 7th, 8 p. m., at North town Headquar ters, 363 Sedawick street, for the pur pose of completing the work, it was called for to perform.

All members of the Socialist Party and in good standing are hereby notified and requested to attend.

THEO. MEYER. Chairman.

Workingmen nowadays have nothing good to hope for outside the pale of coperate in every way possible in order to attain their freedom. Co-operate and concentrate your forces at the hallot-box as well as in the industrial field. Look to your future estate as well as to your immediate wants!-Braner Zeltung

More subscribers are ALWAYS

**BOOK REVIEW.** 

Darrow. Cloth 179 pages, 75 cents. Chas. H. Kerr & Co., 56-5th Avenue, Chicago, Ill. Notwithstanding the pacific title of

this curious work, it cannot be said that the author puts up a very strong plea for the Tolstoyan dectrine of nonresistance open which it is admittedly impression that its main object is the trenchant and merciless criticism of what the capitalist apologist calls "our most cherished institutions." which the author considers evil in all their bearings. Nothing is spared, the writer is justly noted. The state, the law courts, private property, business morality, criminal laws and punishments, the existence of armies and navies, all come under the lash, which is wielded so relentlessly in the castigution, as to make the title of the book an absurdity. It is impossible to avoid the conclusion that the destruction of evil is far more effectively suggested than passive acquiescence towards it.

To the Socialist reader, the book as and no doubt it would, but at the same giving it definite point and force.

in carrying his readers round a circle, atone for what the producers of the it is only fair to say that he shows us wealth have been robbed. many excellent things during the journey. After completing the circuit once. however, the Socialist will probably want to get off, though no doubt the "radical" will enjoy the merry-goround somewhat longer. Attempts to demonstrate the use

lessness of such "institutions" as Mr. materialistic conception. It is easy enough to show that they fail to remedy the evils which they are popularly supposed to correct, and Mr. Darrow by no means follows that they are useless because of this. They are useful to the class in whose interests they are operated. That Mr. Darrow inonly opens up the question of what system of greed and corporate wealth. "society" really is. Paraphrasing the saving of the ancient French monarch. the ruling class may retort "Society! That is us," and make good their claim are created by the working class, J. stitutions, which together form what is known as the "State," grow out of the only incidental. The real cause of were not easy we would long ago have their being, is the perpetuation of slave his fellow, merely for the sake and caprices of the capitalist class. of exercising power over him, but because he cannot appropriate his fellow's labor product without doing so. sonification of force and violence" will necessarily disappear.

explained. It is no use saying that the ments and customs are no doubt re doctrine does not rest alone upon the sponsible for the deed. While this words of Christ, but also upon those of Confucius, Plato, and Socrates, as thousands of little children are suffer-Mr. Darrow does. Resistance to op-ling and some freezing for the want of exists as a universal fact of life mother is denounced on all sides for rather than a doctrine and Mr. Darrow deserting her child, while the private admits himself that "the policy of ownership of the mines which causes hatred and violence can only breed untold misery is not mentioned at all. hatred in the hearts of the outcast and Is there any difference? the poor." Transfermed late action this batred becomes resistance, for as the author farther admits, when the subjection of the masses is complete in any state, the "subjects are lifeless machines" and the state is "crumbling into decay." Resistance therefore is life and conversely, non-resistance is At the bar .....\$210.40

Over and over again the writer em phasises this. He looks upon violations of the law (resistance) as com pletely natural in the chapters on crime and its punishment. "A race that would starve or beg or accept alms, before violating the brutal laws Prizes for the races ...... that fence the children of nature from their source of life, would quickly dogenerate into abject slavery, and finally into nothingness."

And over and over again Mr Darrow recognizes or at least mentions Socialism. They must organize and class ownership as the cause of the state being the "personification of force and violence." "It is not necessary." he tritely remarks, "to show that it is the ruling class who own the earth-the owners of the earth must be the ruling class." How any writer can contemplate

even the possibility of non-resistance much less advocate it as a theory, after such admissions, we utterly fall to one new subscriber.

resistance as the law of life, after cut ing away all the ground upon which RESIST NOT EVIL by Clarence S. his theory might reasonably be advocated, calmly puts it forward as a

clearly discerns in modern society. In spite however of the lame and in potent conclusion, the work is exceed ingly interesting, and will no doubt be widely read. It is brillian, terse, and epigrammatic, and like the "Critica based. The reader will rather get the Utoplan" Socialist writings mentioned by Marx in the Manifesto, contains much that is valuable in that it attacks every principle of existing society and exposes its hypocritical pretensions with all the biting sarcasm for which

## SCATTERING **PARS**

Capitalist Atonement.

John Markle, the mine operator has evidently tried to square himself with a whole, will prove rather disappoint the "public" by placing a 11-year old ing than therwise, from the fact that boy on an \$8 a month pension who had while the author never loses sight of worked in Markle's mine to pay off his the institution of private property and dead father's debt. It is dead certain exploitation of man by his fellow as that this lad would never have re being the basis of the "evils" he at- ceived any pension from Markle had tacks, nowhere is any positive state. not such inhuman practices been exment of the necessity of aboliating posed. There is not a bit of doubt these fundamental causes made. Of but that many similar cases can be course it may be said that this would brought out if the boys and their destroy the non-resistance doctrine, mothers dared to tell of the heartless acts of these coal barons. And then time it would improve the book, by Judge Gray sent the boy a Christmas present. Neither Christmas presents However, while Mr. Darrow persists nor pension of \$8 a month will ever

Suffer, little Children!

In Chicago last week a baby was frozen to death after its mother had burned what little furniture she owned in trying to keep it warm. Thousands ing their lights under a bushel should of cars of coal were on sidetracks just brace up their nerve. It is no longer out of the city held there purposely in Darrow exposes, must necessarily proorder to force additional hundreds of ceed from an idealistic rather than a of the wage earners. Talk about patriotism! Why its as dead as a door gamblers, is for Harlan. That should nail. Our forefathers laid down their be a tip for the workingmen. lives in preference to submitting to a supposed to correct, and Mr. Darrow tax by the British, but we, in this endoes this work most thoroughly, but it lightened age, calmly submit to robbery and extortion beyond endurance give charity dinners to, but that is no when all it is necessary for us to do is reason why we should not abolish it. to quietly drop a Socialist ballot at the next election and thereby abolish this

We are Dead Easy.

Not content with levying an embargo upon all the necessities of life which by enforcing its recognition through Pierpont Morgan and others are mak-THEIR institutions. All these in ing arrangements to have the Dingley two-for-five. customs law tested to see if it cannot make a loop hole whereby they may necessities of the ruling class. They dodge the payment of duties on their were not formed expressly for the works of art purchased abroad. Why on. It was quite different with those purpose of inflicting "evil" upon, or shouldn't they if they can do it? We oppressing the subject class. That is are easy and they know it. If we put a stop to the enactment and inclass exploitation. Man does not en- terpretation of laws to suit the whims

Straining at a Gnat.

When there is no longer any subject deal of space to the inhuman act of a been advertising us this week as class to exploit, the state, as "the per- mother who threw her new born babe strong as it was before, into a snow bank near the Polk street depot. While such acts are deplored How non-resistance can accomplish none of the papers go to the bottom of this is a mystery Mr. Darrow has not the matter by showing that environone babe was left on the street to die pression has a still broader basis. It fuel to keep them warm, and yet the

> Financial Report. Account of the Picnic held at Sharp

shooter's Park for the benefit of the Temple Building Fund:

At the bowling alley ...... 14.30 Of the tickets .......... 267.90 Rent of the park .....\$125.00 Administration ...... Total .....\$274.43 hired man some good. Balance on hand ..... \$218.17

FRED ANDERSEN, Cashier. Auditing Committee has found Account correct. H SCOTT

A. CHRISTENSEN.

NOTICE.

All comrades who have friends that sympathise with Socialism in Duluth Minn., please address S. P. Levenberg 508 W. 3rd street, Duluth, Minn.

Start the year by sending in at le

see. But Mr. Darrow after recognizing SOCIALIST POINTERS.

Evolution will do its share if you do

panacea for the evils which he so

Don't forget for a minute that the city campaign is now on.

Possibly your neighbor does not take the paper because he has never been asked.

The logic of Socialism must win the most prejudiced if it is regularly and weekly precented to him.

How do your children like those gold watches and diamond studs you presented them with for Christmas?

President Baer did not turn over a new leaf. The man who is perfect has nothing to reform.

If you don't like this climate to winter in, why don't you go to Florida or California? Some people do.

If you can double the party membership in your ward, you can double the vote. That looks easy. A small bundle order distributed

judiciously among your neighbors might do wonders. It is needless to say that labor does

not expect much of anything from the egislature about to meet in Springfield. Meat has gone down a few cents, but

there is no danger but it is still being sold at a profit. No matter how indignant the people may get, the sugar trust continues to

make congress dance to its music. If we don't bring about Socialism in our day the next generation will look

Party members who have been hida disgrace to be a Socialist.

on us as a lot of blockheads.

The Chicago Economist, the organ of the bankers, brokers and stock

Salvation Army would have no one to If it is not right for one man to own all of the earth, is it right for one

If we were to abolish poverty, the

any part of it? Trust cigar stores have a knock out argument in the prices they make, Sympathy don't cut much ice against

man to own one half or one third or

Congressmen took two weeks vacs. tion at the holidays and their pay went

coal miners who took a day off. One is never too old to learn, but ome will not discover that the capitalist system is not a blessing until they get to the poorhouse.

Perhaps the Chronicle feared that it

The Emperor of Germany need not hope that he can draw the attention of the Socialists from the main question and fix it on the Monroe Doctrine.

which the newspapers assure us Lorimer owns. They were certainly kind to Lorimer. Did you resolve January 1 that you

Workingmen elected that legislature

would make at least a dozen Socialists this year by your individual efforts? If not it is not yet to late. If he did not know it all the time.

Attorney General Knox has discovered

that he cannot conduct anything more than a sham battle against the trusts and hold his job. Railroad managers are accused of withholding coal from freezing cities

in order to make the prices high. For

800 per cent profit capital will commit \$492.60 any crime. Send a year's subscription to the old folks at home. You may get them 7.56 interested even if they 6.10 be hopelers. At least it may do the

> It appears from the prophets that this will not be a Happy New Year for capitalism, What will become of those workers who think they would starve to death if the capitalists did not give them a job?

Instead of putting forward one of their own number, the proposed labor party is looking around for some friend of labor to nominate for mayor. Evidently they have not learned the seen that the emancipation of the working class must be the work of

## FATHER McGRADY CRITICISED.

Editor of Religious Journal Expresses Pity for "Misguided" Priest. Says He Will Repent the Step Taken in After Years, and Predicts His Return to the Church by Abjuring Socialism. Blind to Economic Development, the Critic Would Commit the Church to the Perpetual Slavery of the Working Class. Next Industrial Crisis Will Bring the Problem Squarely be. Gould) reposes every night on a milfore the Church to Decide with which Class it shall Stand.

#### A Misshapen Idealist.

The press of Morday told us, in headlines more or less startling, that the Catholic Church. For some time would put the yoke of slavery on the the class which owns and controls the ic, as is known to most catholics. Re- working class forever! not confirmed. The only nection with the church as priest, in-

pagation of Socialism. ertant step in after years. Those who youd his theories, as we meet it daily It has taken the bit into its "man without a country," and then the reaction will begin. It is bound to shalt not?"

come sooner or later. Try however he may, no man less than a religion founded by God for the purpose of leading men's souls he is walking in fields where it was would crush them. not dreamt his feet would go, the cause

means, and whose sympathy for the hour of conflict and the church must oppressed leads him to make common then stand bare to its followers. cause with them against their op. A consideration of the possibilities pressor—capitalism;—saying that his of the present situation recalls the fact

Father McCrady shall return"? Why be the work of the working class itself, belittle Father McGrady as a logician? united under the banner of Socialism mer is meant; that Socialism in a few years will result in a dismal fallere, on account of which a Father | It is neither right nor just that part McGrady, (whose philosophy has led of the human family should be the inhim to see in Socialism the coming dustrial slaves of another part. The freedom of mankind from the shackles results of this system are seen all over of material want and free therefore to this country in strikes and other labor worthily seek for satisfaction for the troubles. Socialism will remedy all of soul) will share the dejection of de these bad effects by giving every feat, then time alone will tell whether honest laborer all he earns. Those Father McGrady or this editor is the who are able and will not work must "philosopher." And if this editor's learn to live without eating if they diction prove correct and Socialism live at all. fails, more men than ever will be

dalism's defeat would mean that the last spark of freedom, or the longat from the producing class, and that cussion he slavery of the people to material sities and the lash of the master gratification of a "beart-extinuous, write the General Secretary, care of pleplifting sellcton!" Look out up-this office.

The following editorial appeared in on the activity of the people in the wealth for Anna, that their labor was the New World, which is the official world to-day, who are trying to man-not wasted. Oh no! They didn't get organ of the Catholic Church in the gurate material conditions under it, but Anna did and Anna has no vote. Archdlocese of Chicago, Saturday, Dec. which this aspiration shall be gratifi. The wage slave voted it into her posed, and then ask yourself, who in de- session. ciding his plan of action regarding this question, shows greater philosophical powers-Father McGrady, who every night on a million dollar bed. Father Thomas McGrady, of Believue, aligns himself with those who seek On no! As a matter of fact Miss Dem-St Sunday announced to his peo- this end, or this editor, who prostitutes ke doesn't repose at all at night. Her that he, on that day, retired from his brains in the service of those who father is so busy producing wealth for children starve.

and now has come to the parting of the footsteps of Him whom he chose for night, when the capitalist class give the ways. A few journals state that the lootsteps of this whom he chose for night, when the capitalist class give the chief cause of the break is an his master model, he took up his her permission, she works in a silk article some time ago published in a cross and followed the example of mill. Socialist magazine, in which the mis- Christ, who, some nineteen hundred guided priest publicly lauded Karl years ago made common cause with and very frail, her story brought tears Marx, Renan and Zola; but the state-the oppressed and by precept and ex-to the eyes of those capitalists who certain appears to be that ample inculcated into their minds re- heard her story and who Father McGrady has severed his con- volt against the injustices of their OWN silk mills. The giant Labor. masters. And for so imitating Christ who produces all wealth is now tending to devote his time to the pro- he has been called to account with the BEGGING the capitalist Pennsylvania It is an unhappy choice. Father Mc. command, "Thou shalt not!" If for Legislative to prevent its children Grady is a young man, enthusiastic, championing the cause of the oppres- working. fingulsive—perhaps immature; he sed, if for striving to remove the in-will certainly live to regret this im-justices which hem in his parishion- Pennnsylvania who, at the bailot box, know him best say that he is an up- ers-who are almost wholly working Nov. 4, DEMANDED that the condiright generous man—that his charity men and women—he is to be excom- tions which made child labor should is large, so far as his means allow- municated, how can any working cease. that his chief mistake is attributable to the fact that he is an idealist instead of a philosopher or even a logician. If this be true, the error is one feel secure in his communion? What the head rather than of the heart, is he going to do and how is he going good." The PATRIOTIC Diamond and in aftertime no one will regret to regard his position when he sees Match Co., has taken advantage of the going out will not burt the church; priests talking and working for the famine in Sweden and has bought. setther do we think it will help So-Republican and Democratic political very cheaply, all their match facclalism. It, at least is developing be- parties and urging members of their tories. Moreover because the Swedish parishes to do the same, while he, who wage slave, like the wage slave here, mouth and is moving toward a dark- sees—as he must and can only see ness into which he will scarcely care in the Socialist Party his only hope he produced, even in good times, he In a few years he will be a for material freedom, is told, "Thou had nothing left to fall back on when

advancing towards light and later finds herself surrounded by impenetrable whatever religions its individual And the Swede is coming here. shadow! Even should be succeed in lead units may be recruited must take its ing astray a few impulsive spirits like stand in the struggle that is nearing own the greater bitterness shall its culmination, and therefore he can flud in Socialism a heart-satisfy, to the Catholic Church, and who form ing, soul-uplifting religion. The Re an overwhelming majority of its memlision of Humanity" must always be bers, cannot do differently than other workingmen, but must eventually join Let us hope that some day hands with their brother toilers of all when the flavor of the new wine palls, lands and all creeds for the overthrow Pather McGrady shall return as thou- of the monster - Capitalism - that

In the face of the impotence of these ms to be that he had more sym- Catholic workingmen without Socialist pathy for the oppressed than judgment consciousness, what has the Church to in directing his efforts for their relief. offer them when the industrial crisis to come out to be first for the job. As we see it, his case calls for pity offer them when the industrial crisis rather than for blame. There are few comes that shall shake the present so of us so perfect that we may speak cial structure to its foundations? The harshly of one who makes a mistake, rich members of the church as they do The above is just about what might now, will also then, seek the members be expected from a paper that gleans of their class, be they Christians, Jews product. Push it along. its information of Socialism from the or Atheists and they together will Chicago Chronicle. This editor calls fight to crush the working class, be for the pity of God for a man because they Catholics, Protestants, Jews or Atheists. All restraint imposed by charity is large compared to his ligion will be thrown aside in that

course is caused by lack of judgment, that the Catholic Church is going to The prediction of Father McGrady's test its boast of "unity amidst variety." future plight, at whose coming this to the utmost. And it is the church's editor requests for him the pity of problem, it is in their hands to solve. Ged, he seems to think is sure to be No need to rall against the Socialists. fulfilled. But what is the prediction? We are more than holding our own-"In a few years he will be a man with- we are gaining from among the Cacert a country," because Sociatism "has thotic faith with prospects bright for a taken the bit into its mouth and is mighty rush from thence to our maying toward a darkness into which standards. Will the catholic Socialist he will scarcely care to go." Does he be cast out while the catholic Republmean by this that Socialism will be ican and the catholic Democrat is applicated, or that Father McGrady, sheltered under her wings? But as beby being cast out of the church, will fore said, this is their problem. Ours e "a man without a country" in the is to show the working class, catholics ense of calling the church a country? as well as Jew and Gentile, that the If the latter is meant, why does he emancipation of the working class say "Let us hope that some day \* \* \* from the slavery of capitalism must

Meetings at Porge's Hall, Maxwell and Jefferson ats., every Friday even ing for freedom was firstly stamped ing a p. m. Good speakers. Free Dis-

> Join the Party. We need your as lete. It would mean the total distance and you want Soc n of that Impulse in the Look up the location of your ward

# Society Gossip.

### The Luxurious Steeper.

The countess Castellane (Anna tion dollar bed. I merely mention this fact to remind the wage workers in this country who PRODUCED the

#### The Night Worker.

Little Miss Demke does not repose machine he works at, that he doesn't quested by his bishop to discontinue | Indeed Father McGrady has come to receive sufficient to support the young course, he has decided not to do so, the parting of the ways. Following in lady. She does that herself and every

Because Miss Demke is very young

However there were 28,000 MEN in

#### Exploiting a Famine.

"Its an ill wind which blows nobody received such a small portion of what the famine came. This AMERICAN The Socialist, who understands the concern is also buying timber land

### 200 for one Job.

To those wage workers who are unat last the awakening knows that the workingmen belonging able to find a capitalist who can make a profit from their labor or use it to or better still, voting for it. his advantage I would request they read last Tuesday's or Friday's Daily News. Each of those issues had a splendid article on how to answer help wanted ads. Both articles agreed there were over 200 answers to each ad, so you had better read the article and get on the inside.

As a side issue the usual number are in the alley waiting for the paper However 21,000 MEN of our class last November DEMANDED that we shall have the right to work at our pleasure and get the full value of our

## Men and Horses.

Mr. Job, late president of the state rbitration board related at Chicag Commons, a few evenings ago, an experience he had during the time he tried to straighten out the meat teamsters strike. He claimed that one teamster reported for work at 3 a. m. drove four horses down town with a load, brought a load back to the Stock Yards, and after getting four FRESH horses took another load down town and brought another load back, and was off duty at 9 p. m.

He claimed the capitalist was dignant when he heard of it. Why hadn't the teamster told him? You know, wage slave! He had no other means of finding out; of course nct. The barn boss KNEW enough not to let the leamster take the first four horses for the second trip: Mr.Capitallet would have soon KNOWN shout that. Horses are tangible property. If they get injured or die they are 'a loss. If a wage worker dies there are hundreds more to take his place. You vote for it.

Municipal Charity.

The New York board of aldermen voted \$250,000 to buy coal for the poor. For your class, wage slave.

You produce all wealth but you turn it over to the capitalist class, because they own the means of living. You receive an existence when you receive CHARITY, and you like it. You continually VOTE for it.

How the Children Fared.

Christmas. She had been ill with to relieve her sufferings.

they found her two emaciated little lidren sitting around the corpse up wage slave! Mrs. Kroscher wasn't degree it obtains all the time in every

your mother sister or daughter. She country where capitalism exists. In only belonged to your CLASS-that's the United States there are more de-

### How the Pigs Fared.

Warren Springer doesn't have to toil for his daily bread. The wage working class do that for him. Just as a pasttime he devotes his surplus energy to the care of 700 pigs on his farm in Central Illinois. His foreman gave manded something better than com- was a brave man who did valiant ser- selves when they vote the capitalistic him to understand that the pigs demon swill, and Warren saw at once vice. He was an actor rather than a tickets. The mother, the wife, the the reasonableness of the demand, and forthwith closed a deal with the Auditorium Hotel for the food left over raise the standard of living for his such a man much more rendily than suffrage and therefore look to the men says the press. William says however hogs. Latest reports say the animals in one who pretends to be a statesman. To see that they get their share of the that he is going there for recreation take well to the new diet and are fat thriving and happy. It is well that the pigs should be fed even if the subscribe to that same unrighteous lowa Socialist.

### It's Coming, Senator.

rectly enough that the Republican and hell on earth and hatred to men. Democratic leaders were hypocrites. told his audience that, the question. Let's vote for Socialism and make could only be solved by a POLITICAL it possible for peace on earth to exist the plutes stuck out of their heads in the position he has taken REVOLUTION, a revolution that the year round. would shake the Republican and Democratic parties to their base and perhaps wipe them out.

ing, and its name is SOCIALISM.

### Yell Now!

You Fourth of July, patriotic American wage-slaves, get ready to vell. The despised child laborer of the Southern cotton mills has become a world power.

Eighty five cotton weaving firms inand having 6,667,000 spindles ran at a litself into the sentiment expressed at loss last year. They couldn't compete with the cheaper child wage slave. So vell now. Yell while you have a chance. Don't walt until the Southern in that hour God pity him. God trend of industrial evolution, can read from the small land owners, as the CHILD spinner knocks the Northern pity every soul that believes herself ily see where the working class, from bally News claims, at starvation prices. MAN out of his job. Then perhaps you may begin to think that the class (your class) which produces and operates the machinery that creates wealth should own it. Then you may be yelling for Socialism instead,

RICE WASBROUGH.

# By JOHN M. WORK

The fundamental principles of the famous.

competitive system is knife your

Millions of men and women have humanity. Shall we not sacrifice a little time and money?

No man has a right to take his ease so long as there is a man, woman or

the development of a perfect turbine, rather the contrary.

France contemplates a visit to the fairly, but part of it was open to the Magazine. World's Fair at St. Louis in 1904. If most damaging misconstruction. The we may learn from the German So-Connecticut ...... 1.741 be comes we will of course cover him placing of the name of DeLeon at the cialists how to study and combat capwith glory out of all proportion to his head of the Socialist movement was of italism and from American millionaires. only the president of a republic, and journalism. It was one of the ways in genith of its power. Maybe American I will venture the prediction that if whom he pretends to be friendly. Un-Emperor William, or King Edward, or any other potentate who wears a to stab the movement. The writer brass halo, comes also, we will give was Jim Creelman, known to the Sohim a reception compared with which cialists of old, a man who has become that extended to President Loubet will so accustomed to lying about the Sobe tame indeed. Our aristocracy will clalists that he now lies about them go down on its knees and kiss his when he talks in his sleep. Lookout royal hands and our capitalist news. for wolves in sheep's clothing. papers will grind out gush by the bar-

Four hundred thousand men, women the markets of the world is that the to carry out the constitution. We are and children face to face with starva- American workingmen work harder. work. When you don't work you tion in Finland. Do you remember in other words the American working- Referendum. that during the great famine in India man allows himself to be pushed a few years ago the circulars sent out to the point of exhaustion and by the relief committees said, "Do not phoriens his life many years trying to send supplies; send money. A dollar make his employer as rich as possible-Mrs. Theresa Krescher, 211 Dayton cabled to-day will savera life to-mor And still the American employer is street, certainly did not have a Merry row," or words to that effect? The constantly growling at him because he only by members of the German cold-blooded meaning of these words pneumonia for several days, but pover- was that the granaries of India were and work for ourselves. ty prevented her from having a doctor full to overflowing, but the people had not money enough to buy it, and the So she died on Christmas day and owners deliberately permitted the peowhen the police entered the premises le to starve to death unless the money was forthcoming. It would be interesting to know whether or not the

itute than in Finland, and the storeare fuller than they were in

It was Admiral Decatur who proposed the toast; "Our country! In her intercourse with foreign nations may she always be in the right; but our country, right or wrong." Decatur they rob anybody else beside themthinker. He did not combine the qual- daughter is sometimes much more inities of actor and thinker, as a great terested in the outcome of an election man ought. One can find it in his than the voter himself. They are heart to excuse such a bad mistake in denied, in most states, the right of the free silver question in that country Yet there are hundreds of alleged good things of this life. The next hal, which is much the same thing after statesmen in this country to-day who lot you cast, remember your home .-

Senator Morgan of Alabama in distary peace on earth and good-will to 421/2 per cent for the year among themcussing the trusts, after claiming cor- men has given way to the customary

A man who is not a Socialist, either No "perhaps" about it. Senator! else is not an honest man. To say That revolution is already under way, that he is either a fool or a knave Last November 300,000 class con- would be to state it too baldly, for one scious wage workers expressed their cannot be said to be a fool just bethe trust question and the Republican preeminent subject. His attention Match Co., the trust. and Democratic parties at the same may never have been called to it. But time. That power is constantly grow- if he investigates it and still does not United States steel corporation is ne- age and Mozart aves. become a Socialist it is not at all an gotiating with German and Austrian exaggeration to say that he is a knave. wire and steel concerns to arrange a No honest man ever thoroughly invest- world's monopoly. igated Socialism without becoming a Socialist. Of course an honest man may partially investigate Socialism without becoming a Socialist. He is merely ignorant on the subject, not any attacks from the workers ranks. England with a capital of \$25,175,000 dishonest, and the situation resolves cialist either has not fully investigated the enemy of the working class, which parents and friends spent a most en-Socialism or else is not an honest man.

Now comes Henry Watterson and Ireland. lambasts Grover Cleveland. Are we to embrace and make up. They ought Ind. to prepare to comfort each other, for they are not of the present. They are bygones. Let bygones be bygones. The irony of fate decrees that the cocky Henry and the ponderous Grover are to sink into the innocuous desuctude which Grover's own pen once made

sacrificed their lives for the good of ism is impracticable. What better Democracy. We want not government upon any subject. evidence could anyone want that cap- but regulation. Not government from italism is impracticable?

Shortly after election the St. Louis child on the face of the earth who is headed, "Five Million Socialists in using against Socialism, are all bor- ing which are all that are known up to denied one jote or little of his rights. America." It professed to be an interview with the man who was at the capitalists profess to hold in most Col. John Jacob Astor has given to head of the Socialist movement of righteous contempt and fear!—Social Illinois ...... 9,587 the public all his patents on marine America. And who do you suppose Democratic Herald. turbines for the purpose of hastening this leader was? Daniel DeLeon, forsooth! In his interview he stated that He does not appear to think that na- he believed there were five million So- ment store in the interest of the peo- Ohio ....... tents are conducive to incentive, but clalistically inclined people in this ple there will be no boss to tell the country. This accounted for the scare young saleswomen that they must sehend. The interview stated a good cure a "friend" to make up the de-dignity and his deserts. But he is course a clever piece of capitalistic how capitalism can be brought to the Kansas ........ 1,605

> The Mosely Commission has dis. Reason. covered that the reason America outstrips England in manufactures and in doesn't do more. Let's fire the boss

tral Committee will take place. Very evouring a piece of hard state bread same condition obtains in Pinland. One important business will have to be custions are to be laid on one side, or their Christmas dinner. But cheer thing is certain. To a greater or less transacted. All members must attend! Jew and anti-Semits fraternise. And

# Harvest of The Shears.

The capitalist's idea of just wages is that the laborer should receive JUST Peoples Press.

Wonder if the men ever stop to think

Christmas is over and the momen- held a meeting and divided a profit of spoke last week to the largest anselves. When a shareholder suggest- Socialist speech in Cincinnatti. Three ed that in view of the large profits the thousand people were present, and apwages of girls employed should be plauded again and again when the Soraised two cents a week, the eyes of cialist priest explained bis reasons for boly terror, and the chairman crushed the reckless gentleman by declaring that many of the shareholders were to has not fully investigated Socialism or a large extent dependent on the dividend. The girls receive \$2.52 per week. -Cleveland Citizen.

The Salvation Army match factors determination at the ballot box to cause he is not posted on a certain sub- in England has been crushed, together bollsh CAPITALISM. That will settle ject, even though it is becoming the with twelve others, by the Diamond

Berlin newspapers report that the

A labor man on a capitalist polifician's platform is useful, very useful. He acts as a shield to ward off He can be pointed to in triumph as Annual Festival was a great success. conclusive evidence, that the politician Wicker Park Hall was crowded to the on whose platform he stands is not doors, and the 200 children with their probably, his public acts prove him to be.-Workers' Republic, Dublin,

"A great idea is arst treated with asleep and dreaming? Or are we the world's indifference; it is then is too bad. Henry and Grover ought fourth.-Socialist Voice, Fort Wayne, be weekly turnouts. Don't you forget

The man who gets up in church on Sunday and tells his brethren what a wicked old sinner he is, usually spends the other six days in proving the assertion.-Labor Review.

"State Socialism! State Socialism!" brays the individualist, borrowing an After the lecture there will be a ugly sounding phraze from the Anar-debate, open to everybody. All are Every city of any size in the United chists. But no Socialist wants a States had a charity dinner for the thing that could reasonably be called poer on Christmas. They say Social state Socialism. We want a Social we have a public discussion meeting the top, but orderly agreement from below

Isn't it a queer thing that the argu-

When Uncle Sam runs the depart- Oklahoma ......

-Kautsky

The bankers see that men are elected to congress who will make laws to have the government print money and who are readers of this pa give it to them-bank notes. The oblige us by sending in the official reworkingmen-well, they play with the turns of their State as soon as known. ballot like a little fish at a hook-and We wish to complete this list as soon get it in the gill. Seo?-Appeal to as possible, and will keep it standing

Another man who don't read, wants to know how the Socialists are going going to carry it out on a dung fork .--

A General Election will take place next year, and the success of the So- "Why are they working?" is the title cialists is feared. An extraordinary merchants, officials, &c., asking for answering the question it pr subscriptions to a fund of 300,000 marks in order to fight Socialists and issue italism needs them in its bu 3,000,000 leaflets. The document calls because from their chosp labor Saturday Jan. 3rd 1903, 8 p. m., the attention to the increase of rotes given ext regular meeting of the City Cen- to Socialists, which in 1881 was 212,000 and in 1893 was 2,112,000. All discuskions are to be laid on one side, CITY SECY. Verwaerts by a lucky chance publishes

the circular! To it is appended a hearty appeal to the electors to do their duty too, and to raise a Socialist election fund of 3,000,000 marks --Justice-London, Eugland.

Why are there "public ownership" enough to keep him fit for work .- planks in old party platforms? Why does Hearst write socialistic editorials? Why are so-called "labor parties" formed? Answer: All to defeat the purpose of the only independent, classconscious workingmen's political party-the Socialist Party.-A. L. U. Journal

> W.J. Bryan is off to Mexico to study all. The free silver question is now a recreation of the most harmless type!"

Just like America. The bosses of Father McGrady, who has recently the aerated bread combine of England resigned his pulpit in Belle Vue. Ky.,

### TEMPLE NOTES.

Saturday Jan. 3rd-Strickland and Jones, farewell meeting 8 p. m.

Sunday Jan, 4th, 8 p. m .- Comrade Breckon, our candidate for Mayor will speak.

Tuesday Jan. 6th-School of "Soap Box" Oratory. Free.

Sunday School-Every Sunday at 11 a. m. Also at Mozart Hall cor. Amit-

WALTER HUGGINS. Strickland speaks at noon meeting. Headquarters, 181 Washington street, Saturday Jan. 3rd.

Socialist Sunday School. The Socialist Sunday School 2nd

joyable evening.

to bring it here.

Comrades Mr. and Mrs. Finsterbach drilled the children in a cantata which lasted more than an hour. Many of the scholars gave recitations and dead and watching the ghosts of world- ridiculed and its followers are perse- songs and all the children had their lings rehearsing ancient combats? cuted; it is then assiduously misre pockets filled with candies and oranges Really, it reminds me of my boyhood. presented, and finally becomes gradu, by the only real Santa Claus. The It is like a whist from my native heath. ally accepted." Socialism is now in children were wishing for Socialism It is a reminder of auld lang syne. It the third stage, just merging into the at an early date so that these would

HUGGINS.

## North Town.

it, these children are doing their share

Comrade J. H. Bard will speak at our Headquarters, 363 Sedgwick st. Sunday, Jan. 4th, at 8 o'clock p. m.

Every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock

Official Returns of States.

Complete official returns of the vote of the Socialist Party are now beginn-

Indiana ..... 2,374 Maine ..... 878 Massachusetts ..... 9,595 1,963 14,270 21,910 16,957 6,360 3,532 1,091 1,067 2,738 4,739 2,857 Wisconsin ..... 7.095 lows .......... New Hampshire ..... . Dakota..... ldaho ...... 7,128 1,886 Colorado ...... 654 Minnesota ....... 2,065 Comrades throughout th

until completed.

Lackawanna Steel Co., with capital tock of \$40,000,000 and employing 15,-000 men has started operations in Buffalo as a rival of the steel trust. News of the "merger" will come later.

of a Tribune editorial dealing with the circular has been issued, signed not presence of thousands of children in the mills factories and sweatshops. Reichstag, but also by peers, bankers; It then dovotes half a column to not They are working there because can profits are piled up-b atlist class rule in this con re mostly fools who vote the

For Mayor CHAS. L. BRECKON. CityTreasurer GEORGE T. MILLER. City Attorney THOMAS J. MORGAN. City Clerk HJALM. F. LINDGREN.

### PLATFORM.

1. The Socialist Party, in convention assembled, reaffirms its allegiance to the principles of International Soclailsm as expresed in the platform adopted at the National convention of the Socialist Party, at Indianapolis,

2. We call the attention of the wage workers to the fact that the Socialist Party came into existence because of the division of Society into two oppos 11TH WARD.-Meets 1st and 3rd ing classes-capitalists and wage workers.

3. The capitalist class owns all the 3. The capitalist class owns all the Wednesday at 116 W. 24th St. Geo. wealth, and receives all the benefits of J. Sindelar, 1198 S. Albany Av., Sec. wealth production, while the wage working class produces all wealth, performs all useful labor, and has for its share poverty, want and fear of want.

4. In this class society, the Socialist sion, and to emancipate them from capitalist robbery through the system of the private ownership of productive property, and finally to make them the master of their own products.

5. None of the other political partles Republican, Democratic or Reform -openly stand for any one class. They pretend to stand for all classes, but, their actions, following the election, have invariably been in the interest of the capitalist class.

6. Despite alleged political equality members of the working class are wage slaves dependent upon the capitalist for a livelihood, and political reform, such as municipal ownership, the referendum, election of senators by direct vote, proportional representation and such like propositions, will not make them other than beggars, who, to exist, on this earth, must have

7. The Socialist Party is a party of the working class-composed of workers, organized by workers, and solicits 20TH WARD.-Meets at 116 Loomis st. your vote in order to secure for this class the law making power in order, that this power may be used in the in- 21ST WARD-Meets 1st and 3rd Wedterest of this class, and thus secure true industrial liberty-that is, Social ism-a condition of society in which the laborer will own and control the means of production and distribution and receive the full social product of his labor.

8. Recognizing that the power to 24TH WARD .-- Meets every 1st and 3d be obtained even by success in the present campaign is limited, nevertheless we pledge our candidates if elected to do all in their power to further the interests of the working class.

## RESOLUTIONS.

Resolved that since the Socialist Party is an International Party committed exclusively to the interests of the working class and an integral part of a world movement, it cannot locally or otherwise fuse or ally itself with any other party, without losing its essential character.

We therefore unreservedly condemn attempts looking towards such fusion.

"The candidates of the Socialist Party if elected to office pledge themselves to use the power so obtained by the class conscious vote, for the interestof the entire working class, and will examine all legislation by one rule, namely-"Is this for the interest of the working class? If so, we are for itif not, we are against it."

## SOCIALIST PARTY OF CHICAGO.

Branch Directory

## COMMITTEES.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE meets ev ery Monday night at Headquarters. 181 Washington St. Theo. Meyer. Secretary.

CITY CENTRAL COMMITTEE meets first Saturday of every month at 181 Washington St. Theo. Meyer, Sec'y.

BOHEMIAN CENTRAL COMMITTEE meets is tMonday of each month at 612 W 18th St. at S p. m. F. Martinek, Secretary, 1836 W. 47th St. POLISH CENTRAL COM .- J. A. Bar-

kowski, 692 Milwaukee ave. GERMAN CENTRAL COMMITTEE

meets 3rd Saturday of each month at 8 p. m. at Lauterbachs Hall, 55 N. Clark Street. H. Tonn, Secretary, 3252 Wall Street.

## BRANCHES.

The following directory contains announcement of time and place of bus-iness meetings only of the various

FIRST AND SECOND WARDS-Meets every Friday, 8 p. m., at 2254 State st., (store) S. Kleindienst, Sec., 2351

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State St., Sec. Meets every Friday, 8 p. m., at 357-35th St. FOURTH WARD.—Meets 2nd and 4th Monday at 3110 Halsted St. A. Kohl, Bec'y, 2383 Dearborn St., Flat 8.

4514 Lake av.

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9TH, 10TH and 19TH WARDS—Meets every 1st and 3rd Monday at Porges Hall, Jefferson and Maxwell St. Geo. John Dietz, 815 S. Halsted st.

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Friday at 845 Blue Irland Av. P. A. Zahlman, 132 W. 23rd St., Sec. 12TH WARD .- Meets 2nd and 4th

12TH No. 1 BOHEMIAN BRANCHmeets 1st Tuesday each month at 8 p. m. in Klacel Hall, 19th and Leavitt Sts. A. Sikyta, Sec'y, 1955 W. 19th Street

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Kracht, Sec'y, 325 W. 24th St. 13TH WARDMents every Friday eve at Soc. Temple, 120 S. Western Av C.F. Kellogg, 523 S. Western Av., Sec.

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Friday at 251 W. Chicago Av. A. Mork, 134 Cornella St., Sec 7TH POLISH-Paul Klimowez, 134 Cornelta St., Sec.

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nesday 8 p. m., 363 Sedgwick st., Chas. Johnson, Sec., 335 Wells St. 22ND WARD .- Meets every 1st and 2d

Thursday at 262 Sodgwick St. R. Bauer, 202 Blackbawk St., Sec. 22RD WARD-Meets 2nd and 4th Wednesday 8 p. m., 363 Sedgwick st., A. H.Schuler, 265 Dayton st.

Monday at 8 p. m., Soc. Turner Hall, Paulina st., and Belmont avenue, 25TH WARD .- Meets every Sunday at 10 a.m., at 1205 Belmont Avenue. Schott's Hall. H. N. Daniels, 1440 Newport av.

26TH WARD-Meets 2nd and 4th Sun-

28H WARD-Meets avery Thursday at Mozart Hall, Armitage and Mozart St. Adam Harvey, 992 N. Taliman

29TH BOHELHAN .- Meets 2d and 4th

Sunday at 48th and Honore St. J. A. Ambroz, 5418 S. Winchester Ave.,

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