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The big harness and saddle makers have formed a combine—capitalized it at \$50,000,000 about twenty times the real investment, and will proceed to skin the farmers and the public generally. Why not? The people like the system of private ownership and should not complain when the owners skin them to the quick. The more the people are skinned an batter it will be for it will finally cause them to revolt and take possession of the capital that is eating them out of house and home. Hurrah for the combine and the great American liberty to

All the faculty of the New Mexico Normal University has resigned because the governor forces ignorant politicians into it to serve his corrupt purposes. All the students protested but the governor prefers to have the school as a political adjunct to help the party in power. Thus we see that even the public schools are used for capitalism. No more public ownership until the capitalists have been dethroned. The faculty should now go to preaching Socialism, under which the educational affairs would be left wholly to those engaged in it.

Judge Sherwood, for twenty years one of the judges of the Missouri supreme court, says that a law of any any measure, "the initiative and referendum," is unconstitutional. You can the United States. Anything that would give the power back to the people would be unconstitutional. Anything that leaves It in the hands of irresponsible and corrupt politiclars is constitutional. And the prople vote for such men! Yes, the Dem-ocratic party is in favor of the people!

Congressman Campbell of the Third Kansas district, tells an interviewer that the farm hands have a snap now getting \$20 to \$25 a month. How rould he like to work for that? He ath for clerk hire, has his pocket full of passes, does no useful labor, dresses in the finest. The men who work on the farm are entitled to as much pay as he is-more in fact. for they are necessary to sustain society while congressmen are engaged in serving corporations that are destroying society. Yes, it is pretty talk but the working classes will pay for it.

The salt trust has pleaded guilty of holding a monopoly of salt in the landlord refused to rent him a room.
United States court at San Francisco. but another one was rented. What It has held a monopoly thirteen years I desire to especially call your attenton. But that is not robbery! That is is at once a public enemy—a disturber merely a matter of business! For the of the business relations. The comand operate it for the benefit of the bery! The Sait Trust will continue

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The old party politicians in Anaconda, Mont., instigated by the corpouphold the present system of capital- rations, tried to prevent the Socialists from taking office. It was found that an attempt had been made to keep them from filing their oaths the court house had been locked by the ex-mayor in order to make it impossible for the Socialists to transact business. As a result, the people of Manila! But who cares? We abol-Annconda have heard a great dea! ished slavery by the constitutiondid before. Everybody wants to know done to force the old party politicians into such illegal methods, and the difference between a capitalist anarchist and a Socialist working man has been made quite plain.

> The superintendent of free delivery in the postal system has been arrest ed for bribery. He is charged with having received about \$40,000 for giving contracts connected with postal supplies. He is a Republican. That is Republican methods. The Credit Mobeller, the whiskey ring, the star route, the long list of thefts have made that party famous as the producer of the worst set of crim that ever were let loose on a nation. And the conditions still remain. Other men will be appointed, have the opportunity to get rich and will do it. No other result can obtain so long as private capitalism lasts. These things would occur with any party in power under the present system. Only by changing the system-by establishing Socialism-can there be any change. Such men as this officer are the push behind the Republican party. They are the scum that comes to the sur-

The New Voice of Chicago is indignant because the governor of prohibition Kansas has appointed the attorney for the St. Louis beer interests probate judge of Shawnee county, in which Wichita is located, and which office controls the prosecutions concerning the violations of the constitutional prohibitory law. A little thing like that should not worry the Voice. It is logical to the private profit system. The prohibition law is a dead letter in Kansas because by violating it men can make profit. It the liquor traffic were a public function (with all other industry) no body would make any profit by handling it and it would not cause anyone there would be no profit in it. The way to solve the liquor traffic is to socialize all industry-to vote and work for Socialism. Then the rules that a majority decree can be enforce ed because there will be no private in terest served by violating them.

There are so many things in the

daily press these days upon which the light of the Socialist should be thrown, that it is possible to notice only the most extraordinary. A new phase in the commercial, work there is in that state a merchan named A. F. Norton who owns eight stores, and who runs them "as Christ would." He bought a bankrupt store at Hartford City the other day and began his selling goods at just what they cost him, and taking produce and selling it at just what he said in goods. He gets church people to help sell the goods and this has brought a boycott against him by all the other merchants and their influence. The mon people are considered the right-Norton gets the trade, as the pe will naturally buy where they one the chaspest.

Henry Demarest Lloyd, who has for years been a consistent friend of the man, warns laboring people to beware of the profit-sharing schemes offered them by the capitalists. It is done solely for the purpose of skinning them out of more of their labor.

How any man or woman can work hard all day and go home to poor fare served in a mean boarding house or shanty or rented rooms for a home while others ride about, spend lots of money, go home to a palace and be served by working people's sons and daughters, and never do a lick of useful work. I say how such things can be and bring content is beyond my comprehension. And then to think the men will vote to coatinue the same condition, by voting the same old tickets! This is a world of curiously lopsided people.

The San Francisco Star of Feb. 28, within the time limit of ten days, and prints a cable from Manila about the sale of slaves—one girl bringing 150 pesos and another 100 pesos. You know the American flag floats over more about Socialism than they ever and we abolished the liquor traffic in Kansas the same way. To make what those dangerous Socialists have PROFIT men care nothing about the constitution. The corporations obey no law they don't want and the other commercial pirates are like them. Slavery still exists in this country and what are you going to do about

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At about the time when last week's edition was about half printed Comsachusetts of the death of Comrade McCartney, Socialist member of the Massachusetts legislature. We imme ed the telegram in full. The immediste cause of the death was pneumo nia, but this was brought on by over work, in behalf of the cause we all love. He was a Unitarian clergyman, but gave up active pulpit work four years ago to devote his time to the Socialist movement. His last public work was to perform the marriage ceremony for National Secretary Mail-

#### GOVERNED BY THIEVES.

The grand jury reports in St. Louis show that the St. Louis street car companies paid \$250,000 in bribing legislators and state officers, paying from \$500 to \$1500 per vote, besides giving large blocks of their stock to nembers. The baking powder trust used \$25,000 in bribery of the legislature, while the excise commissioners \$10,000 to prevent their fees from being reduced. These are the fellows who oppose Socialism. They are the eminently respectable class who uphold the laws! They vote the capitalistic tickets. If the public owned and operated the street car sys tems, if the baking powder were made by the public, and public officials were all paid the same, do you think this bribery would have occurred? Hardly. For no one would have prof- Sedgwick ...... itted by the franchise of street car or the adulteration of the baking powder with poisonous ingredients because they are cheaper. How stuthings go on day after day, and yet vote the same old way. Socialism will prevent these incidents, as it will take away the profit that is made by them.

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Dr. Perry, before the state association of physicians at St. Paul, Minn. stated that the wealthy families of got down on a this country were worse in every way the thing in their than the African savages. He said in on all fours retu part: "Christians look with abhor- thrower, barking rence on Mohammedans who take plu- the great brains ral wives and are true to them, yet can people pay many of our Americans indulge in This is the kind twice the wives of the ignorant sav- the working class age and are untrue to all. Vice and immorality are rampant among all classes. Physicians can bear witness to this. To guage the state of American manhood one has only to count the thousands of fallen women in eve-

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> A list of the real estate owners in New York City, just compiled by Haas & Isaodr, contractors, shows only 19,000 against 27,000 eight years ago. Thus we see that out of 3.500. 000 people only 19,300 own the city of Greater New York. Less, than per cent own all the property! Still there are foolish people who believe that the rich are not growing richer and the poor poorer, just because the people who are getting all the propery tell them so. The corporations are getting hold of every particle of the

The big harness and saddle makers have formed a combine—capitalized it at \$50,000,000 about twenty times the real investment, and will proceed to skin the farmers and the public generally. Why not? The people like the system of private ownership and should not complain when the owners skin them to the quick. The more the people are skinned an batter it will be for it will finally cause them to revolt and take possession of the capital that is eating them out of house and home. Hurrah for the combine and the great American liberty to

All the faculty of the New Mexico Normal University has resigned because the governor forces ignorant politicians into it to serve his corrupt purposes. All the students protested but the governor prefers to have the school as a political adjunct to help the party in power. Thus we see that even the public schools are used for capitalism. No more public ownership until the capitalists have been dethroned. The faculty should now go to preaching Socialism, under which the educational affairs would be left wholly to those engaged in it.

Judge Sherwood, for twenty years one of the judges of the Missouri supreme court, says that a law of any any measure, "the initiative and referendum," is unconstitutional. You can the United States. Anything that would give the power back to the people would be unconstitutional. Anything that leaves It in the hands of irresponsible and corrupt politiclars is constitutional. And the prople vote for such men! Yes, the Dem-ocratic party is in favor of the people!

Congressman Campbell of the Third Kansas district, tells an interviewer that the farm hands have a snap now getting \$20 to \$25 a month. How rould he like to work for that? He ath for clerk hire, has his pocket full of passes, does no useful labor, dresses in the finest. The men who work on the farm are entitled to as much pay as he is-more in fact. for they are necessary to sustain society while congressmen are engaged in serving corporations that are destroying society. Yes, it is pretty talk but the working classes will pay for it.

The salt trust has pleaded guilty of holding a monopoly of salt in the landlord refused to rent him a room.
United States court at San Francisco. but another one was rented. What It has held a monopoly thirteen years I desire to especially call your attenton. But that is not robbery! That is is at once a public enemy—a disturber merely a matter of business! For the of the business relations. The comand operate it for the benefit of the bery! The Sait Trust will continue

The postal corruption exposures show what would be the result if the growing rapidly there, that many of government took over the railroads laboring masses, though a wealthy on government railroads in Belgium, Holland and Australia show to what lengths capitalist controllers of government will go. It will not be to the interest of the people to have more public ownership so long as the capitalists control the nation. It would be only giving them that much more power to oppress the working class. The first thing is to elect Socialists, take the government from the capitalists and then proceed to take over the property of the robbers for the benefit of the working class.

The old party politicians in Anaconda, Mont., instigated by the corpouphold the present system of capital- rations, tried to prevent the Socialists from taking office. It was found that an attempt had been made to keep them from filing their oaths the court house had been locked by the ex-mayor in order to make it impossible for the Socialists to transact business. As a result, the people of Manila! But who cares? We abol-Annconda have heard a great dea! ished slavery by the constitutiondid before. Everybody wants to know done to force the old party politicians into such illegal methods, and the difference between a capitalist anarchist and a Socialist working man has been made quite plain.

> The superintendent of free delivery in the postal system has been arrest ed for bribery. He is charged with having received about \$40,000 for giving contracts connected with postal supplies. He is a Republican. That is Republican methods. The Credit Mobeller, the whiskey ring, the star route, the long list of thefts have made that party famous as the producer of the worst set of crim that ever were let loose on a nation. And the conditions still remain. Other men will be appointed, have the opportunity to get rich and will do it. No other result can obtain so long as private capitalism lasts. These things would occur with any party in power under the present system. Only by changing the system-by establishing Socialism-can there be any change. Such men as this officer are the push behind the Republican party. They are the scum that comes to the sur-

The New Voice of Chicago is indignant because the governor of prohibition Kansas has appointed the attorney for the St. Louis beer interests probate judge of Shawnee county, in which Wichita is located, and which office controls the prosecutions concerning the violations of the constitutional prohibitory law. A little thing like that should not worry the Voice. It is logical to the private profit system. The prohibition law is a dead letter in Kansas because by violating it men can make profit. It the liquor traffic were a public function (with all other industry) no body would make any profit by handling it and it would not cause anyone there would be no profit in it. The way to solve the liquor traffic is to socialize all industry-to vote and work for Socialism. Then the rules that a majority decree can be enforce ed because there will be no private in terest served by violating them.

There are so many things in the

daily press these days upon which the light of the Socialist should be thrown, that it is possible to notice only the most extraordinary. A new phase in the commercial, work there is in that state a merchan named A. F. Norton who owns eight stores, and who runs them "as Christ would." He bought a bankrupt store at Hartford City the other day and began his selling goods at just what they cost him, and taking produce and selling it at just what he said in goods. He gets church people to help sell the goods and this has brought a boycott against him by all the other merchants and their influence. The mon people are considered the right-Norton gets the trade, as the pe will naturally buy where they one the chaspest.

Henry Demarest Lloyd, who has for years been a consistent friend of the man, warns laboring people to beware of the profit-sharing schemes offered them by the capitalists. It is done solely for the purpose of skinning them out of more of their labor.

How any man or woman can work hard all day and go home to poor fare served in a mean boarding house or shanty or rented rooms for a home while others ride about, spend lots of money, go home to a palace and be served by working people's sons and daughters, and never do a lick of useful work. I say how such things can be and bring content is beyond my comprehension. And then to think the men will vote to coatinue the same condition, by voting the same old tickets! This is a world of curiously lopsided people.

The San Francisco Star of Feb. 28, within the time limit of ten days, and prints a cable from Manila about the sale of slaves—one girl bringing 150 pesos and another 100 pesos. You know the American flag floats over more about Socialism than they ever and we abolished the liquor traffic in Kansas the same way. To make what those dangerous Socialists have PROFIT men care nothing about the constitution. The corporations obey no law they don't want and the other commercial pirates are like them. Slavery still exists in this country and what are you going to do about

#### MCCARTNEY DEAD.

At about the time when last week's edition was about half printed Comsachusetts of the death of Comrade McCartney, Socialist member of the Massachusetts legislature. We imme ed the telegram in full. The immediste cause of the death was pneumo nia, but this was brought on by over work, in behalf of the cause we all love. He was a Unitarian clergyman, but gave up active pulpit work four years ago to devote his time to the Socialist movement. His last public work was to perform the marriage ceremony for National Secretary Mail-

#### GOVERNED BY THIEVES.

The grand jury reports in St. Louis show that the St. Louis street car companies paid \$250,000 in bribing legislators and state officers, paying from \$500 to \$1500 per vote, besides giving large blocks of their stock to nembers. The baking powder trust used \$25,000 in bribery of the legislature, while the excise commissioners \$10,000 to prevent their fees from being reduced. These are the fellows who oppose Socialism. They are the eminently respectable class who uphold the laws! They vote the capitalistic tickets. If the public owned and operated the street car sys tems, if the baking powder were made by the public, and public officials were all paid the same, do you think this bribery would have occurred? Hardly. For no one would have prof- Sedgwick ...... itted by the franchise of street car or the adulteration of the baking powder with poisonous ingredients because they are cheaper. How stuthings go on day after day, and yet vote the same old way. Socialism will prevent these incidents, as it will take away the profit that is made by them.

### WORSE THAN SAVAGES.

Dr. Perry, before the state association of physicians at St. Paul, Minn. stated that the wealthy families of got down on a this country were worse in every way the thing in their than the African savages. He said in on all fours retu part: "Christians look with abhor- thrower, barking rence on Mohammedans who take plu- the great brains ral wives and are true to them, yet can people pay many of our Americans indulge in This is the kind twice the wives of the ignorant sav- the working class age and are untrue to all. Vice and immorality are rampant among all classes. Physicians can bear witness to this. To guage the state of American manhood one has only to count the thousands of fallen women in eve-

The Appeal has always held that the moral character and the honesty and the court has just found it out! It tion to is this: That if one does deny of every nation were confined to its raised the price of sait from \$2 to \$32 a himself profit under this system he working class. The mental attitude that develops in the pursuit of wealth is degrading, and the possession of wealth is degrading, as it raises up the next generation surrounded by lackeys and churls as servants, and leaves them no occupation except amusements which always any the physical sign mental staffing. The offligren of the rish are vile and worthless, as a

## REVOLUTION IN ILLINOIS

Capitalist Anarchists Violate Constitution

AND DEFY ALL MAN MADE LAWS

The railway corporation

Republican Machine Tries to Cla Down Democratic Majority wi Speaker's Rule and Defea Municipal & Ownership

party machine, under boss Lorimer, to opt pal ownership legislation the Miller bill, and instead er bill through which ther twenty years. Ho found that a majority was time to take a ve the majority demand But the speaker refused of the plain provision of tion, which declares the must be taken on requ embers. The house until the majority finally into their own hands a speaker to fly from the

The republican machin to defend their course by ery charges against the the Miller bill, but fail plish their purpose. respect for the cor pose a Socialist speaker to treat the majority of press make the air ri howls of anarchism, tra constitution, insulting t capitalist governor can

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#### Christian Socialism.

med up in these words. The economic conditions of any country, at any period, form the basis of all human effort. All social, political, legal, moral, and religious institutions are built up on the economic basis. The human mind is continually changing the economic basis, and this change requires a proportionate change in all other human institutions. Under the present capitalist system, which is of comparatively recent origin, society is divided into classes comparatively recent origin, society is divided into classes with antagonistic economic interests, and in the United States there are now practically only two classes left, viz: the capitalist class and the working class. The capitalist class has now control of the economic and political power. The capitalist class is continually changing the economic basis in the interest of the capitalists, but is opposed to an economic interest of the capitalists, but is opposed to an economic change in the interest of the working class and to a corres- Clash Between Wits of House ponding change in the political and other social institutions. But the interests of the working class are distinct from, and But the interests of the working class are distinct from, and endowed with a liberal sense of humor opposed to, those of the capitalist class. The clash between terday, and the man who forced the duel these two antagonistic interests results in an economic and political class struggle which cannot be ended in any other way than by the abolition of the economic conditions that create classes and class antagonisms. The working class the gas bill, and stated that though oil conditions that create classes and class antagonisms. The working class to ask of whom Carey obtained his information. Carey smiled and answered:

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Representative Carey was discussing the gas bill, and stated that though oil conditions that conditions that the man who forced the duel was addy handled and made to feel like the well-known 30 cents. must therefore organize as a distinct class in the socialist "The question implies two things—first, party, capture the political power from the capitalist class, my solity to explain, and, second, the gentleman's ability to understand.

and transform capitalist production into a production for use under the democratic management of the working class with equal opportunities for all.

All who join the socialist party and work toward the realization of this aim are socialists. But we make no distinction between christian, mohammedan, buddhist, theosophist, spiritualist, mental scientist, sceptic, atheist, agnostic, sun worshipping, materialist, or any other creed of socialist, any more than we do between christian and unchristian democrats and republicans. Our party contains members of all religions and of no religion. They are socialists, regardless of creed, race, color, or previous condition of servitude. We have no more reason to a side the following retort: "If the people and yellowing retort: "If the people only knew what I know the gentleman from Lowell would be making cigars." or previous condition of servitude. We have no more reason to make a special exception in favor of christian socialists than we have of any

Where do the christian socialists stand on this proposition? Where is their program, and what are their principles?

In order to clearly understand the situation, we must first realize what the name "christian socialist" means in the history of the International Socialist Party. Ever since it became plain that the old church methods were no longer able to keep the working class under the sway of the modern churches, all of which have become the servants of the capitalist class, the churches have organized christian socialist leagues, christian socialist parties, and christian socialist unions, for the purpose of staying the progress of socialism and of modern trade union- \$50,000 on his farm at Portsmouth, iem. These christian socialist organizations have always bitterly an. Rhode Island, where he intends to These christian socialist organizations have always bitterly antagonized the International Socialist Party, and the christian socialist most improved machinery. He most improved machinery. He will have automobile trucks, power socialist" is associated in the history of the Socialist party with a long houses, pumping stations and other s of frauds and injunities which petrated against the class-conscious working men. There is hardly any Suropean country, where a christian socialist organization has not of this successfully. The secret against the role of decoy for the unwary and of scab against the labor pocket book. Under the present

In the United States, the same attempts to prevent the growth of socialist movement are now made by the ruling churches, and methods. Under Socialism, the minent clergymen of various denominations are also organizing seek farmers of each locality would farm ninent clergymen of various denominatians are also organizing scab tyet shown themselves to be in league with such attempts to keep which Reggy is now enjoying working class enslaved. They have rather drawn most of their inslone. But it seems that some farmers would rather vote to let ration from the principles of early christian communism and profess work in harmony with the aims of the Socialist Party. Why they ald stay outside of the party and insist on carrying a special label, and stay outside of the party and insist on carrying a special label, selves. Some people call themoing and their principles and purposes, this office has failed to see a themselves into slavery regularly

At any rate, nothing but confusion and harm can result from the compt of special organizations to claim adherance to the aims of Inter-toral Socialism without affiliating openly with the party. The main for the separate existence of the christian socialist organizations United States may be a misunderstanding of the character of our and the mistaken impression, that all of its members are not bein any religion. Or it may be a desire to cater to the socalled able" and religious leanings of large bodies of the American in the hope of thus gradually overcoming their prejudice against

Thatever may be the reason for the seperate existence of christian that he probably is an escaped lunation in this country, we as members of the Socialist Party are himself. d to keep the party clear of all entangling relations with religious The christian socialists who are really socialists belong into at Party. Those who are only utopians cannot help us, and interest in recognizing them any more than many other izations, that work consciously or unconsciously toward it on to your neighbor.

tize only one socialism, the International Socialism which world to the workers.

The Handwriting On the Wall

Or Revolution In 1907 is the title of a of 377 pages, written by an ex-con-amag. J. C. Cooper, and published the P. H. Roberts Publishing Co., What is christian Socialism? In what is christian Socialism different from Marxian Socialism? Are christian Socialists members of the Socialist Party, or are they a separate organization? If christian Socialists label themselves differently from common Socialists, does that mean that all other Socialists are not Christians? What is the aim of the christian Socialist in adopting a special name? Are they working toward the same end as the Socialist Party, or have they another end in view?

These and similar questions are continually coming into the Appeal office. In addition, christian Socialists are sending articles signed "christian" Socialists and asking why they do not get any recognition in the paper.

To all these questions, the following answer is made: The International Socialist Party, to which the American Socialist Party belongs, and with which the Appeal to Reason is affiliated, is not a religious, but a political party with a definite economic and political program. It is pledged to certain eeonomic and political principles, which may be summed up in these words. The economic conditions of any the reader who is prejudiced agains So cannot be removed by the scare crow of a revolution. The natural conclusion of the reader who is prejudiced against Socialism, will be to rush into the arms of the radical democrats and save the country, in his opinion, from the terrors of a revolution by voting for Hearst and and abolition of "Criminal Trusts." Indeed, the book might very well have been written by a radical democrat for this very purpose of stirring the people up just enough to make them easy victims of the radical democrats, but not enough to bring them in to the Socialist Party.

from Lowell would be making cigars."
(Hayes is in the cigar business.)
The thrust was a deep one. Members laughed until their sides ached. A score slapped their desks in ecstacy of delight.
Speaker Myers enjoyed the scene so have a business that he forgot to ran for a school was a second so the scene scene so the scene scene scene so the scene sc hugely that he forgot to rap for order. The laughter subsided for a few seconds then it broke out for a second and third me, in much the same manner as in

time, is much the same manner as in a theatre when encores are given.

Haves gave up. He has been the victor in many a clash that depended on a sharp wit and a ready tongue. The veratile Socialist, however, was his master yesterday, and Hayes will have to distribute many of the cigars made in his factory.

Reggy Vanderbilt is spending farming neighbors pointers on how system, only the men in Reggy's class can use modern appliances and Reggy and his class own the whole earth than to own something themonce a year.

Judging Others by Himself.

This man ought to be looked after. He nows so much about the lunatic asylum

#### An Article by Herron.

Next week, the Appeal will publish Comrade Geo. D. Herron's article "The Misinformation of the World." Its a great eye-opener. Look for it and pass

"A Little Sentimental Socialism" arts darmant minds. Five cents

MILITARY

PUBLIC DOCUMENT NO. 33.

An act to promote the efficiency of the MILITIA AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Be it enacted by the senate and house of representatives of the United States of America in congress assembled, THAT THE MILITIA SHALL CONSIST OF EVERY ABLE BODIED MALE CITIZEN of the respective states, territories, and the District of Columbia, AND EVERY ABLE-BODIED MALE OF FOREIGN BIRTH WHO HAS DECLARED HIS INTENTION TO BECOME A CITIZEN, WHO IS MORE THAN EIGHTEEN AND LESS THAN FORTY-FIVE YEARS OF AGE, and shall be divided into two classes -the organized militia to be known as the National Guard of the state, territory, or District of Columbia, or by such other designations as shall be given them by the laws of the respective states or territories, and the remainder to be known as the Reserve Militia.

Section 1. The organization, armament, and discipline of the organized militia in the several states and territories, and in the District of Columbia shall be the same as that which is now or may hereafter be prescribed for the Regular and Volunteer Armies of the United States, within five years of the date of the approval of

Sec. 2. That whenever the United States is invaded, or in danger of invasion from any foreign nation, or of rebellion against the authority of the Government of the United States or the president is unable with the force at his command to execute the laws of the Union in any part thereof, it shall be lawful for the president to call forth for a period not exceeding nine months, such number of the militia of the state, or of the states or territories or of the District of Columbia, as he may deem necessary to repel such invasion, suppress such rebellion, or to enable him to execute such laws, and to issue his orders for the purpose to such officers of the militia as he may think proper.

Sec. 3. That whenever the president calls forth the militia of any state or territory or of the District of Columbia to be employed in the service of the United States, he may specify in his call the period for which such service is required, not exceeding nine months, and the militia so called shall continue to serve during the term so specified, unless sooner discharged by order of the president.

Sec. 4. That EVERY OFFICER AND ENLISTED MAN OF THE MILITIA, who shall be called forth in the manner hereinbefore described, and SHALL BE FOUND FIT FOR MILITARY SERVICE, shall be mustered or accepted into the United States service by a duly authorized mustering officer of the United States; provided, however, that any officer or enlisted man of the militia who shall refuse or neglect to present himself to such mustering officer upon being called forth as herein prescribed, shall be subject to trial by court-martial.

Sec. 5. That court-martial for the trial of officers or men of the militia, when in the service of the United States, shall be composed of militia officers only.

Sec. 6: That the militia, when called into the actual service of or unions. But the christian socialists of America in general have their disposal all the appliances the United States, shall be subject to the same rules and articles of war as the regular troops of the United States.

Sec. 7. That the Secretary of War is hereby authorized to issue. on the requisitions of the governors of the several states and territories, or of the commanding general of the militia of the District of Columbia, such number of the United States standard service magazine arms, with bayonets, bayonet scabbards, gun slings, belts and Editor Appeal to Reason.

Dear Sir:—There are only seven Socialists in this part of the country, and they are all at Salem, the capital of the state, in the lunatic Asylum, a place fixed a purpose for such people. Girard, Kansaa had caught to have such a place for some of them. for there is actiture sense or reason in your paper.—D. M. Ross, Box, Oregon.

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This man quent to be looked after Ho. such other necessary accounterments and equipments as are desired for the army of the United States, for arming all the organized mi-

To provide means for carrying into effect the provisions of this section, the necessary money, to cover the cost of exchanging or issuing the new arms, accouterments, equipment, and ammunition to be exchanged or issued hereunder is hereby appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Sec. 8. That this act shall take effect upon the date of its ap-

Approved January 21, 1903.

Secret of Perpetual Youth and Undying Manly Vigor and I Give it to You Free.

My Mysterious Compound Startles the World with its Wonderful Cures Man Can Grow Old and It Is my flission on Earth Henceforth to Bring all Jaded, Worn-out Men to this Fountain



A Chance to Make Money

FRANCIS CASEY, St. Louis, Mo.







## **Under the Socialist Hammer**

"If Congress has disappointed the they are to-day." Under the present country, whose fault is that? The system, a few rich fellows start a paper, country's. When the American people select their own editors, and force them are really resolved that the organized to write stuff which is opposed to the predatory capital of the United States | material interest of nine-tenths of its shall not rule us, they will have their readers. The editor may know this, way." That sounds as if the argument but material pressure forces him to cry: "Working men of the world, unite. | man who employs him. Under Social; self. Nothing of the kind is coming. get together, make their plans, issue It is only one of Heart's yellow papers shares of stock to all who would be interkey. That's all.

The public school board of Anaconlution condemning all'attempts of public school teachers to form a union as thing that would hurt the material in "detrimental to the best interests of the terest of any one, because there would public schools and a violation of the beno ruling class that could derive any spirit of the laws, rules, and regulations benefit from such writing. But the This is evidently a free country, at root out of all domestic institutions." least for capitalist school boards. the public school regulations are interof the capitalist class and that school teachers, being members of the working class, should vote the Socialist ticket and elect school boards composed of members of their own class. A working class school board would speedily resolve that it is in the interest of the public schools that the teachers should have the same right to organize as the trust magnates. And such a school board would also see to it that the wages and hours of labor of the teachers were regulated so that the "best interests" of the public schools, that means of the teachers and the pupils, were better sefeguarded than they are with a system of underpay and overwork. The workingman of Anaconda have since elected Socialists.

The following conception of Socialism is the work of a genius who is a chaplain in a sanitarium in Battle Creek. dently in the right place. This is how tencies of Socialism. The Socialists say it is wrong for one man to serve another, or take wages from any one. self and not for another. It is wrong to We should dig or take from the earth them. for that would be communism, a you see, if this system of Socialism was them for others without he had help. One man could not make a steamship that would be slavery. He could not sell his stuff, for that would be a trust. And so I might go on in this ad infinitum. We could not have banks or express companies. No carrying of mails, for the government could not employ We could not have a government.

whether he is simply suffering from him at once.

Mr N. D. Hillis, who now occupies the famous pulpit of Henry Ward Beecher, in New York, is of the opinion that 'one of the greatest evils of to-day is the tendency toward Socialism? He then pictures the beauties of a home, a capitalist home, of course, and thus creates in the minds of his working class readers, the overwhelming majority of whom have no home worthy of the name, a still greater tendency toward Socialism. He is horrified at the idea that Socialism would step in and plan the home according to its rules. Really, if this would actually happen, which, of course, it will not, we do not see why a good home for all, planned after the Socialist ideal, is not better than a few luxurious homes planned after the capitalist ideal for a small minority, and no homes at all for the overwhich excites the anger of the reverend

were going to wind up with the rallying prostitute himself in the service of the and vote for Socialism." But calm your- ism the people that want a paper would soliciting votes for the democratic don- ested in the paper and the stockholders would elect an editor and control him by their direct votes. Only a man who would be in harmony with the ideas of da. Mont., has adopted a sweeping reso- the stock holders could and would accept trol the Canadian Pacific and there the place, and he could never write anygoverning said schools," and threaten- greatest peril in the eyes of Mr. Hillis cities against Russian women and ing to dismiss every teacher who was is that Socialism would-submerge the infound to be a member of such a union. dividual in the state" and thus "cut the In So far as cutting the roots of domestic that institutions is concerned, capitalism has right here in this glorious "republicmen should preside over their plain American this means simply, that institutions is concerned, capitalism has right here in this glorious "repubalready done this very effectively. No- lic." And their appeal to the empreted in the interest and in the spirit thing is left for Socialism but to create conditions that will give all men and women a chance to have a home and do- than she can stop the economic mestic relations worth having. If this causes that produce them. The working men would not do such a is a peril to the class to which Mr. Hillis only force in the world that can thing, oh no. They are so intelliis a peril to the class to which Mr. Hillis only force in the world that can belongs, we cannot help it. He will have stop the massacres of their fellows gent, you know. Of course, they to 'submerge' himself in the increased the world over is the class-conto "submerge" himself in the increased the world over is the class-conhappiness that will come to all through scious working class. And they the question whether it would be Socialism and devote himself to the no- can only accomplish this by abol- better to have workers exploited as bler task of teaching TRUTHS. That ishing capitalism. may be a little more difficult than spreading lies about Socialism. But a "reverend" should not find it so very difficult to deny himself the pleasure of telling untruths.

Every now and then the idea is expressed by some republican leader lations is that the American sugar that the time has come to revise the tariff and thus to uproot the foundations of "criminal monopoly." Lately it is claimed that president Roosevelt is also showing signs of weakening and accepting the Iowa Mich. To judge by the state of mind idea. This means simply that the which this conception reveals, he is evion the politicians, and that the lat-Socialism looks to the man in the sani-ter are making up their minds to about the real Cuban? What about tarium: "Here are some of the inconsis-cater to the public anthipathy the former reconcentrado and the against the trusts and make it ap-pear as if they were fighting the pear as if they were fighting the Spanish rule, only to find that his cans under Rossell, Hanna, trusts in the interest of the people. American "allies" have brought Quay. Platt, and others. "The Every man should have to work for him- But the trusts can stand the him only a change of masters? Ah total abolition of the whole tariff Carajo! He is waiting for the buy anything or sell anything. You and never lose a cent. That is the Socialist agitator, and before long may exchange or barter, but not sell. joke of the situation. Those old the cry: "Workingmen unite!" Corporations or partnership is all wrong. party politicians are boasting of will also be heard in Cuba trustifi. is rejuvenated or buried, there can covering up the well, after the cada. everything we need. If I want furni- child has fallen in. The trusts no ture, make it. If I want a plow, or longer fear the competition of forsuit of clothes, or a pair of shoes, or a eign industries, for they are them-clock, or watch, or steam engine, why selves stockholders in all the big tust make it. For no man has a right European enterprises. The Euro- his "trick of trying to identify to make plows, wagons, etc., and sell pean industries can no more com- himself with the working people pete against the trusts without a puts him in the same class with the

it. The Morgan syndicate owns all themselves the people. As a matcarried out, we could not have any fac- the principal steamship lines, and ter of fact not one working man in tories, railroads, steamers, telegraphs they would discriminate against a dozen is a Socialist, and a good or telephones. For no man could mancompeting shippers the same as many Socialists are not working viors of the people, and we want the
ufacture these things for sale or furnish they did on their railroads. No, men." The fact is that the capithey did on their railroads. No, the people who are still caught by talist parties, such as the republiselves, instead of waiting for them this old party talk about a tariff recan and democratic party, nave Messiah in the form of an old party alone. He could not employ help, for vision and antitrust legislation are only been able to get control of leader to pull them out of the hole too easy to be worth counting. A the political power by the trick of Not one of the Democratic leaders man with brains votes for Socialism identifying themselves with the named by the Independent has and thus gives the slip to the trust working people, and inducing them shown that he understands any magnates and the old party politi- to believe that capitalist politicians thing of economic or political evolucians at the same time.

tion, and no man would be permitted to hold office. For every man must be his own sheriff, judge, governor, etc. etc." the direction of the wind, and never the eyes of the other working men the trust problem. And not one The Appeal does not know whether loses sight of his capitalist inter- to this trick. There are more of them has manifested any desire the chaplain has a case of brain atrophy, ests. He denounces the income tax working men in the executive comlaw as "socialistic," because that mittees of the Socialist locals and class as against the capitalist class the influence of his environment. It is would interfere with the graft of on the Socialist tickets than there on the democratic and republi-litical idols have no attraction for tribute liberally to Tammany hall, can committees and tickets com-and in the same breath he is cater-bined, notwithstanding the fact democracy is the force that will the medical staff had better attend to tribute liberally to Tammany hall, can committees and tickets coming to the public sentiment for pub-lic ownership by raising the cry for old as the republic, while the Socialthe public ownership of the coal ist party is only organized two mines and creating the impression years. poor people. But the public own-

man with the venerable mould of anti-quity on his brain, is that "Socialism would have economic bureaus to ap-point all religious editors." Again we can only say, if this were true, which it ald not be any worse than out to be no good, don't blame litton writing about economime." What good the bill will do natural fact papers would to the working class of Chicago is the factor way than a riddle, unless it is considered an

advantage to fool them by the illu- in the city charters that discrimi- party. The Socialists will not join sion that this bill means a victory for them. One Socialist council man will do more good to them than a thousand Mueller bills.

In the sill means a victory favor of railroads. When that is the Socialists will be a power, when accomplished, the old game of skinning the working class can go on appeared from politics. And disunderstand that.

> able today to run its railroad as it practicable-for the labor skinners. was when the strike broke out. But the working class thinks it as they boasted they would, but in- without being skinned. stead of breaking up the U. B. R.E. they will break up the small business men of British Columbia. If the organized and unorganized duras is due to the jilting of the would stand together and vote for Socialism, they could own and conwould not be any need for strikes.

the Hearst press, to stop the atroand the Hearst press could find press is silly. The empress can no

first anniversary as an independent republic, on May 21, 1903. The reason for all the profuse congratulations is that the American sugar trust is making money in Cuba, that the American tobacco trust is gobbling up the tobacco fields, and that the American cotton trust is figure from the dagoes of Honduras.

The Toledo Independent wants in gits system to the main ports and centers of business. But what about the real Cuban? What about the former reconcentrado and the "patriot" who fought to abolish Spanish rule, only to find that his Spanish rule, only to find that his Spanish rule, only to find that his Cuba. How who was a sum of the capitalist class are manner; being and in some parts of the world and

that Tammany hall stands for the poor people. But the public own rership of the coal mines is one of those issues, that would fill the democratic campaign fund and might even bring Tammany back into political power. It would hit two flies at one stroke, and that is the reason why the conservative Dave B. Hill shouts for the "socialistic" ownership of the coal mines by the "people" under the leaders ship of the democratic politicians.

The Mueller bill giving the right of municipal ownership of the street railways after twenty years to Chicago, was finally passed by the legical trailway terminal, but it costs from the railway terminal, but it costs into political power. The city tax on \$50,000 worth of railway terminal, but it takes \$1.00 to pay the city tax on \$50,000 worth of railway terminal amounts to \$2.50, but it of municipal ownership of the street railways after twenty years to Chicago, was finally passed by the legical ture and signed by the governor. So,000 to pay city tax on \$6,000 One of the leaflets issued by the special privileges? Not on your as other parties did. If the Bryans life. What do you think a real estate board is organized for? All willing to paske democracy suthey want is to abolish the clause

But as yet they seem too dull to as merrily as before. The working appear it will as inevitable from class has a better method of getting, national politics, as it did from at the railroads—and at the real municipal politics, wherever the This is the twelfth week of the estate boards, too, It is to abolish Socialist party was strong. flight of the Canadian Pacific against the competitive system and to own Democratic party, as well as the the U. B. R. E., and in spite of its and operate railroads and real estate Republican party, is a capitalist millions, the corporation is as unin common. That would be imparty, and Bryan and all other They may spend a million dollars, eminently practicable to get along It is simply a difference between An Associated Press dispatch states that the civil war in Hon-

working men of British Columbia daughter of former President Terencio Sierra by General Manuel Bonilla. It had been arranged that the general should marry the president's daughter and become presi-dent himself. But when the gen-The women of America will appeal to the Russian empress, through presidency without marrying the girl, he jilted her and announced his engagement with another girl. children. The American women And now the working men of Honduras are cutting one another's enough atrocities against women throats over the question which fates and have the important job of defending the 'hohor.'" of the nation and the "sanctity" of the family. In the United States the wage slaves, and colored workers as chattel slaves, or whether it would be more patriotic to be all picture of the prosperity which cube is supposed to enjoy at her when this question had been set.

Wage slaves, and colored workers as chattel slaves, or whether it when you talk socialism to him: "You can never do it, this system has always been and it always will be." Nothing could be farther from Cuba is supposed to enjoy at her when this question had been setfirst anniversary as an independent tled after many bloody slaughters,

former men, if given control," says the Independent, would give the people a chance to elect their own senators, and until the old senate be no hope for any reform movement. Help modern Democracy The Boston Herald, in criticising with the first step to be taken and a remark of Comrade Carey in the you will at least get willing and in-Massachusetts legislature, says that telligent ears to listen and hear any fair argument for the people's betterment." Yes, we are familiar with this tune. We have heard it combination, a trust, a monopoly. So protective tariff than they can with tailors of Tooley street who called these many years, and we know what to expect from the radical Democratic leaders. We are tired of having socalled leaders posing as saians at the same time.

Would legislate in the interest of the working people. The Socialist by word or deed that he understands party is composed of those working the nature of the class struggle beuller and Tammany healer, is the men and their sympathizers who tween the working class and the to take the side of the working solve the trust question. There was a time when democracy had a splendid chance to carry the cause of the working class to victory. But the Democratic party has failed to grasp this chance, yea

song of the Democratic politicians as other parties did. If the Bryan

Democratic leaders are willing that the present system should continue. big robbers and little robbers. The Socialist party is organized for the abolition of all robbery, le-galized or otherwise. And the Democratic workingmen will gradually recognize that they have different interests from the class to which Bryan, Towne, etc. belong. When they will realize that, they will vote for the Socialist party, and the Democratic party will go

SHORT LESSONS IN SOCIALISM. (William H. Leffingwell.) Preface.

In these short lessons, the writer has endeavored to give a concise ex-position of the fundamentals, and at the same time write in a simple conversational style. No "dictionary" words are used. The series is intended as a "starter." It will serve as a foundation for a more extended study of socialism.

Lesson No. 1. For the sake of clearness of thought, the subjects will be divided into propositions.

Propositions (a): Since the begin

ing of civilization, the history of all society has been a history of class struggles.

the truth. This system has only been in existence for four or five hundred

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Yet the terrible curse in the land grew worse.
The poor grew poorer each day. My Lord Fat Purse was troubled and sad

That his thoughts and toil seemed vain.
"But I do what I can," said this very good man,
"To case their want and pain.
"Tis the will of heaven that few shall be rich And many be poor, I see— I can do no more than give from the store That God has given me."

Yet seres and scres of fertile soil

Lie idle under the skies, While the landlord waits and holds his estates Till prices in land shall rise.
Within the breast of those acres broad.

So selfishly grasped by one.

And say "Keep off! it is mine!

Lies wealth for many-free gifts of God. Like the wind and the rain and the sun Food in the ocean and food in the soil-Free gifts from The Hand Divine Then who should hinder where all should tol

Ah, Lord Pat Purse, no wonder the curse Of poverty hangs like a pall, While you hold by fraud the wealth which God Has meant for the use of all ! -ENMA WHEELER WILCOX.

ve can give it to you a little stronge -let us take Proposition (c): The interests of

the working class and the interests of the capitalist class are diametri-

der which we are living at the present time. Under this system the werker works for a wage and the tools belong to his master, the capitalist.

How all these changes came about would make a long and intricate story, suffice it to say that every advance was made by a struggle between classes. It would be well to look into this further, there are lots of books written on the subject, which are very interesting.

Proposition (b): The present struggle is between the employing class, or the capitalists, and the employed class, or the working men.

How hard it is to make people believe this. Especially workers in lieve this. Especially workers in lieve this. Especially workers in the subject well and of America. In this giorious land of America. In this giorious land of America. In this giorious land of America.

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How hard it is to make people believe this. Especially workers in America. In this glorious land of freedom there are no classes, yet the very people who tell us this are continually talking about the "capitalist class" and the "working class."

Were you ever awakened from a nice comfortable sleep about 5:30 in the morning by an infernal machine, known as an alarm clock? This impish device says: Get up, you slave, get up. Go to work. If you are late you will have to hunt another master or starve." Does'nt this convince you that the other class holds you in "To make the story fit the present day for "Diana" read "Mainet up. Go to

ou will have to hunt

out will have to hunt

you that the other class holds you in
bondage?

If not, how about strikes and lockouts? What do these mean? They
mean just what is stated above—there
is a struggle, continually waging be
tween the worker and his masters the
capitalists.

"But" you say, "I'll admit some
he bosses are mean, but that is no reaem son to condemn the good ones, they
may bond the struggle continually waging be
tween the worker and his masters the
capitalists.

"But" you say, "I'll admit some
bosses are mean, but that is no reaem son to condemn the good ones, they
may be voted out of existence, they, went
into rebellion. Now the owners of
the present generation of wage-slaves
give the public fair notice that if
the toiling masses ever come to the
conclusion that they have worked
long enough for capitalists and henceforth will work for themselves, the
masters will not abide by the result
of a majority vote of the people, but
will rebel with cannon and bayonet.

Well, if you ar not convinced, what
you need is a taste of the black list,
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will show you whether or not
will work for themselves, the
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Having shown that it is at least an open problem whether the State owned instruments of production could ever earn the purchase price for the instruments of production, we may safely infer that the transaction would be a practicable one only in case the state could come into possession of them without payment this means simply partial or complete confication—IF THE OWNERS OF THE INSTRUMENTS OF PRODUCTION WERE UNABLE TO PRESENT. TION WERE UNABLE TO PRE-VENT IT BY ACTUAL RESIST-ANCE. It is just as well to remember that, although we govern by means of lections, expressing the will of the follow that society must continue in this way if such a system is to land us in confiscation. All government necessarily rests on physical force; and it does not at all follow that, because socialists might perhaps come into possession of the machinery of the ement by means of a preponhave the necessary to to carry out their inter

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