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ANDEROUS WEAPONS IN WISCONSIN.

onsin fight waxes warmer and warmer, and the utterly the Milwaukee Sentinel contains a long editorial on and Trade Unionism, charging that all the efforts at fighting of the trade unions, such as strikes, etc., are due to Socialist It is seeking to inflame class hatred against the working a campaign of slander and abuse goes on unchecked. The situation is used for its purposes, and it makes the officials zers of the working class out to be outlaws, criminals and disbe Its attack on the private character of Mother Jones is folp with more such stuff, unmindful of the fact that when the
rewoman's who as a paid tool of the mine owning capitalists
reproduced a reign of terror in that state, started the stories
re, was cornered she crawled out by saying that it was another had a police record. And the further fact is suggestive alleged police record was given her by the Pinkertons, at against labor was long ago established. They stand io manufacture evidence against anyone the capitalists want to their trail. The Sentinel repeats the story that Mother as driven out of Colorado and that she made no more speeches The truth is she is NOW IN COLORADO and speaking at

the fight goes on in Wisconsin with added vigor. It is conat in Milwaukee our party will either win the election or octhe people as we never could before, when our campaigns at-only minor attention. The possibility of Socialism carrying one larger cities of the country is one to stir all comrades the coun-If elected our party will be put to the test as never before. all help who can. Send in your mite, comrades!

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year! In spite of such evidences there are still working men to call this their counfor a kingly existence, and labor is Mighty little they own of it!

or Peabody, the mine-owning executive of the state of Colvirtue of the careless votthe working class with the st parties, who is being showpersonal damage suits for is in connection with the struggle in that state, ch will probably stick unw, has begun to show the her and has notified the rs to whom he turned be militla that they must rediers to the state authori try to make peace with the

Personnel

my Thousand Evictions a Year. We have often had our tender harried and our passions by reading of the heartless and the real and our passions and by reading of the heartless abords of the old countries, it is merciless evictions of the merciless evictions of the poor tenants who may be unterested that there was an even as condition of affairs in this sarry, and that the heartless abords of the old country were as af mercy in comparison the some of the good and pious mers of, city property in our acountry. But it is neverthese a fact that there were more comes in the city of New York as last year probably than in the foreign countries combining the foreign countries combining the property of Manita and the Bronx, New York amounted to 60,463. As the are less than 480,000 faming a reption of the district this means a reption a year for every eight the conceive what a terrible and of suffering distress and The human mind can conceive what a terrible of suffering, distress and this means. The worst picture is that this is dure that the so-called "prosperiant eminent teachers of economy are assuring us onomy are assuring us is work in plenty for man need want who ap man need want who o'work. If this is true, all happen, during another depression, when even head who live and fatten toil of others are com-forego a portion of their ed extravagances. — The

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it Roosevelt is a man of simplicity, you know! stalled a \$445 set of chamin the White House, in \$165,000 in repairs on ent pleasure yacht that and gives state dinoutrival ngly display of the countries of Euen countries m means to have in this country so as to keep the work-its place, and Roosevelt Prople a foretaste of

> d the Labor element ans, Mr. Worker! that it means, for it Gompers and Mit-la was able to keep In line for what? rposes of the cap-

persons were evicted of the bureau of commerce and la-tic of such evidences bor, says capital and labor "are mutually dependent, one on the other.

Yes, capital is dependent on labor

dependent on capital for a beggarly

living. Who dare deny this!

Just be patient, Mr. Voter. The old parties have not decided what they will fight over this Fall, but be patient and wait and they will fix up some "issue" for suckers like you to fight each other over in order to elect the representatives of your pressors to the points of political vantage! What a great fellow you are, to be sure! You sovereign American citizen, and voting king!

It's a little hard on the capital-It's a little hard on the meet a sists! When they used to meet a would leer at Socialist they w you don't like the way things are in this country just go back to the country you came from!" That "settled" the Socialist in their eyes. But now that native Socialists are thick as sand, on the beach, the capitalist is somewhat at a loss for words.

Prof. Pearce, the newly elected uperintendent of the Milwaukee public schools, is said to favor cerimprovements in the high schools for the benefit of those pupils "who can afford to go beyond the ward schools." That is well said, for it only takes half an eye to see that under the capitalist system the children of the working class cannot enjoy as long schooling as the children of the rich, and have to drop out as they begin to near the higher grades, with the high school almost entirely out of the question.
The public schools are free, but forging ahead with giant strides! joy the opportunities for a completed education that the system offers.
Yet, who ever hears a capitalist official or educator call attention to nunciation of Socialism and a glow-this fact? They cannot believe them. ed education that the system offers. Yet, who ever hears a capitalist ofthis fact? They cannot bother them- ing tribute to the blessings of selves with the troubles of the poor. poverty.

SHALL THERE BE CIVIC MORALITY? BY VICTOR L. BERGER.



HE MAIN ISSUE for us, of course, is always Socialism, even in a local election. But the issue of next importance in this Spring election is Shall and the interest of the course of the of next importance in this Spring election is: Shall gambling-hell owners and horse-thieves—see report of the grand jury and their indictments—rule the city any longer, or shall this gang of criminals be chased into the house of correction, as far as this is possible under capitalistic justice?

What an example is this for our rising generation: Dave Rose, mayor; Mike Dunn, building commissioner; Peter Pawinski, city comptroller; Joseph Himmelstein, city father; John McCoy, city father; "Skinter" Murphy, city father, etc.—to say nothing of ex-city fathers Rudolph, Havenor and the others. And then preach to our youth, "Be honest, be respectable, be virtuous, and you will be honored and respected." Oh, this is a great example!

The twenty-four aldermen and supervisors up to this date indicted by the grand jury for corruption, e for theft, some for taking money from bad houses, are almost evenly divided between the Republican and Democratic parties. Our readers should ask their neighbors who are not Social-Democrats how they can expect their boys to grow up honest men and their girls respectable women, if after all these exposures they still vote for such a gang of crooks to rule the city and county?

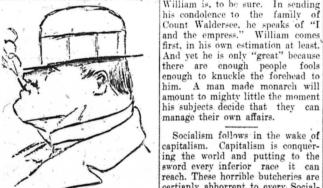
It is and must be the working class which not only carries on the fight for humanity, for the attainment of a Socialist form of society, but also wages the preliminary struggle for every social reform and against all corruption. For this there are quite definite historical, economic and social reasons. Above all there is the simple reason that the class of wage workers, the oppressed part of humanity, represents the great majority, and therefore must also furnish the overwhelming majority of Socialist fighters, and must impress upon the Socialist movement the character of the class struggle.

However when we say that the Social-Democratic movement is and must be a class struggle of the However when we say that the Social-Democratic movement is and must be a class struggle of the workers, this does not mean that the Social-Democratic movement narrowly exludes and denies the right of fighting on its side to any one who by his social position does not belong to the working class, who is not a wage earner, but even a capitalist or a middle-class employer. On the contrary, every capitalist and every middle-class man will be heartily welcomed as a fellow-soldier in the ranks of the Social-Democracy, if he is an actual Social-Democratic, if he has understood the necessity of the class struggle, and if he is a Democrat in the best sense of the word, that is, if he is willing to enter the host of Social-Democratic fighters as a simple soldier, and if he is recommended by his intelligence and distintered activities. cratic fighters as a simple soldier, and if he is recommended by his intelligence and disinterested activity, instead of his high social position. The Socialist working class movement just as decidedly excludes every muddlehead, whether wage worker or capitalist, who introduces or seeks to introduce confusion and error into our ranks, who wishes to know nothing of the class struggle, and thus consciously or unconsciously weakens our movement morally. An open, decided enemy is a less dangerous matter than irresolution, incapacity, lack of purpose, vacillation and discontent in our own ranks. Moreover there are plenty of people who talk of "some truth" in Socialism or even call themselves Socialists, but the consequences of their confession of the deadness of capitalistic society, they cannot or will not carry out.

Pitiful indeed is the role which the leading capitalistic party of the country, the Republica... party, plays in our city. The quarrel between the millionaire Stalwarts and the middle-class Half-breeds seems to have torn the party in the state of Wisconsin and to have simply paralyzed it in Milwaukee. David S. Rose obtained his second term in consequence of the open support of the Stalwarts because a Half-breed had been nominated; his third term he won by a dicker with the Half-breeds because a Stalwart stood on the Republican ticket. And this time he hopes to secure his fourth term as candidate of the "business". men"—as representative of all grafters without distinction of party—because the Republicans are in no condition to put up anything but a straw-man. This hope will not disappoint him, unless the growth of condition to put up anything but a straw-man. This hope will not disappoint him, unless the growth of the Social-Democrate spoils all his calculations. Of course the Republican party is just as much a boodle party as the Democratic party, but here of late years it has allowed the Democrate the precedence in grabs. Indeed a kind of Republicans are now found in Milwaukee who call themselves "Rose Republicans," are a part of the Rose machine, and declare quite openly that they take graft where they can get it; whether it is colored Republican or Democratic is all the same to them. This class likes to cover itself with the mantle of "business" and is recruited from the circle of business men and contractors who carry on any sort of business with the city, or wish to carry it on! This condition of things is more interesting for us, because it beautifully illustrates here in Milwaukee the German Social-Democratic doctrine of the "one reactionary mass," which all capitalistic parties form against the aspirations of the working class. Add to this the corruption disclosed in our city by the grand jury, and we may well say that both the old to this the corruption disclosed in our city by the grand jury, and we may well say that both the old parties form a mass of rotten pollution, matted and glued together, which no respectable man can touch without a shudder. The Social-Democrats, who have devoted themselves to cleaning it out, deserve the Victor L. Bergoi.

gratitude of honest men of all classes. What a modest man Emperor

The priest at the St. Ann's Cath- THE BOODLER'S VIEW: olic church in Milwaukee last Sunday told his hearers that they should vote for the capitalist parties, as it was not too late to head off the growth of Socialism in this country, while in Germany it was now too late as the Socialists had three million votes. But we are afraid it is already too late in this country also! When Prof. Ely wrote his book on Socialism and Social Reform, in 1894, he said: "The United States many had twenty years ago. not by any means too late for us to escape the situation in which Ger-many finds herself." Probably Ely will admit today that in the intervening ten years the opportunity has been lost. Certainly Socialism is



"Dem Socialists is tryin' to Interfere wit' Legitimit Bisness, See?" DRAWN FOR "THE HERALD" BY FATHER HAGERTY.

September 1 has been set for the appearance of the Socialist daily,

Socialism follows in the wake of capitalism. Capitalism is conquer-ing the world and putting to the

sword every inferior race it can reach. These horrible butcheries are certianly abhorrent to every Socialist, for a Socialist is of all things a humanitarian, but blood will con-tinue to be shed in spite of our feelings, and the fact remains, distressing as it is, that capitalism must first conquer before Socialism can

take possession.

William is, to be sure. In sending

And yet he is only "great" because

Additional editorials on last page. bor organizations or the Parry-sites?

Divide and conquer, is an old rule in class government. The capitalists can rule this country just as ong as they can keep the fool voters of the working class dividing their strength at the polls between the two capitalist parties, the Republicans and the Democrats. When one votes a Republican ticket and another one votes a Democratic ticket, it is just the same as if they both hadn't voted at all, so far as the interests of labor are concerned. One nullifies the other.

slanderous attacks on Socialism have even disgusted the better class of churchmen in his own church, who also realize that such reckless ying as he has engaged in reacts on the church. Among the protests which have appeared in Catholic which have appeared in Catholic journals, we select the following as breathing a commendable spirit of fairness. It appears in the St. Louis Review of Feb. 25, and is from the pen of the Rev. Father Joseph Selinger of St. Francis Seminary, country where he can find cheaper workers than here and then competed with the manufacturers of those countries and with American goods, after halding the foreign mann-

"The first and principal need is that one inform himself thoroughly of the tenets of Socialism, especially its religious aspect. They must be gotten from reliable and authentic sources.

"The opponents of Socialism must be fair; and there is nothing which assures him fairness so much as an exact knowledge of the principles of Socialism.

cialism.

"Secondly, it is not enough to know what is the precise teaching of Socialism, but it must, besides, he justly deduced, and the reasoning which bolsters it must be fully grasped to command respect and a hearing.

"Further, what is too seldom remembered Socialism itself points he distinct."

bered, Socialism itself must be distinguished. There is a Christian Socialism. There are theories and aims in many questions of public and private economy which are legitimately advanced and defended. Attempts to help the working class are not all damnable; many are opportune, just and praiseworthy.

"The Church is not opposed to Socialism of every kind; she is a friend of the poor; she encourages protection and improvement of the condition of the laboring classes. Again, she is not a self-constituted arbiter of all disputes between capital and labor, but leaves these questions to those who have the duty and quality to settle them. Sweeppered, Socialism itself must be

duty and quality to settle them. Sweep-ing denunciations should not be incon-siderately indulged in in this matter."

We can ask nothing fairer than that. Catholic working people are big Fuller Concuetion company every bit as badly plucked by capitalism as any workmen, and have cago as a scab and deliberately startverything to gain by a change of the system.

A writer in the Commons of Chicago gives a long account of the con-spiracy at Grand Rapids, Mich, by which a city administration was ac-tually bought up in order to enrich a lot of boodlers and capitalists in a big water works deal. It makes startling reading, but as the working class were not implicated if must be set down to business thrift. and enterprise, the only crime con-nected with which was that it was found out. A business administra-tion is all right, only it mustn't be

There are seventy-five children going to school in Southern New Jersey who receive daily wages from the Glass Bottle Blowers' When the new child labor law went into effect in that state the union found many cases where the children's wages were necessary to aid their families. The Union found the most deserving and pays the children their former wages, while they are at school. If they miss a day at school they are docked. Well, after all, which influence has society's well-being at heart-the la-

Capitalism makes the rich indolent and imperious and the poor im-

Peace on Earth, Good Will To-ward Men! The Rev. Dowie called the New Yorkers who would not give him money, "Stinkpots." Father Sherman calls the Socialists "Beasts."

You love your country, you say, and yet don't own a foot of it. The One nullifies the other.

Father Sherman's vulgar and landerous attacks on Socialism out owning any of it, but the capitalists who own it all, are not hanpered by any such sentimental ties. Sentiment and love of country is a thing concocted to keep the common trash in check. The American business man is so loyal to this country that he is ready to establish after holding the foreign manu-facturers at bay with tariff obstructions.

SNATCHING BREAD FROM THE PEOPLE'S MOUTHS!

The capitalist system gambles in the means of life. Big fortunes are robbed out of the working class by increasing the price of food. The Milwaukee bakers have decided to increase the price of bread ONE HALF in order to meet the increased prices of the flour barons, lard barons and other food barons.

You Vote for Dear Food every time You vote for the Capitalist Parties!

The Milwaukee Sentinel tries to njure organized labor by slighting references to Sam Parks. But it probably forgets that Sam Parks, like the corruption in our cities, was a product of capitalistic business methods. It is on record that the cago as a scab and deliberately started him in his career of rascality in the trade union movement, because it stood to gain great business advantages by his operations and the effect it would have on competing builders. It is capitalism, always capitalism and its sinister interests, that muddies the waters of our modern business life and other activities.

PARRY, THE MONSTER!

David M. Parry's real object in making a crusade against trade unionism has now been exposed unionism has now been exposed by his own non-union employes. He has pretended that his object is to protect workmen from the slavery of unions. But the strike last week of his own non-union workmen tells a different story. Since August last he has systemstically forced down piece wages in his factory, by cut after cut, unless the reduction aggregates over 25 per cent. As his men were unorganized and were not allowed to deal with him in a body—being absolutely free men, with no trade union shackles enslaving them!—they were compelled to trade union shackles enslaving them!—they were compelled to submit to these reductions. But Parry's last wages-cut broke these freemen's will. They organized and struck. Whereur, m Parry found other free men to take the strikers' places—free men so helpless in the enjoyment of "prosperity" that they did this rather than starve. Mr. Parry's notion of freedom would have delighted old Senator Toombs, of ante-bellum memory, who expected to call the roll of his slaves at Bunker Hill.—The Public.

Trade Unionists in Milwaukee do not scab on election day, but for the most part vote for their class interests. The other day the Federated Trades Council sent its legislative committee to the board of public works to demand that desks bearing the union label be put in one of the new school buildings and the board was told that labor demanded and did not beg. The two lowest bidders for the contract were a nonunion and a union firm. Their bids were the same. The label firm got the job. When labor respects its own class interests and cannot be made game of by capitalist party politicians on election day, it is in a better position to make demands on the "servants of the people."

In spite of the fact that the plute press is charging that the great la-bor war in Colorado was due to Socialism and that the unionists committed every crime under the sun, the fact remains that not one trade unionist has been convicted of

Whatever divides the workers adds to their economic damnation,

Using The Church To Fight Labor!

Overheard on the Telephone.

"Hello, central! Give me Main 542 .- Is this Father McCabe?-Well, this is Mr. Pullman of the Pullman Packing company.—Yes, we were glad to send that check of \$500 to you, Father, for your new steeple, because we recognize that your church is a power for the social order of this town. I am not Catholic myself, Father; but I esteem the Catholic Church as a great conservative force in these

days of shifting sands. "And, by the way, Father, you know we employ two hundred your congregation in our works Well, there has recently come in among our workingmen several or-ganizers of the Industrial Federation of Labor. They are causing discontent with our wage scale. Moreover, I believe this new Federadlines the Chicago Tri-referred to Hanna's it is tainted with socialistic and twen anarchistic teachings. I think the Labor element eep Wall street and work the line! Do you goers: and loften think the labor element against such things from the pulpit. goers; and I often think that the non-church goers may contaminate the believing Christians, especially touching the contract relations be-tween employers and employes, and the duties of the latter to the former. Yes, Father McCabe, I really think these matters ought to be discussed

from the pulpit—in the conservative view of your grand old Church,

Bouquets from the Money-Changers.

"A Mr. P. J. O'Keeffe, in our esteemed contemporary, The New World, assures us that the late Mark Hanna very strongly approved the Catholic Church. Speaking with overlook his standpoint: He was re-President Roosevelt in the presence of Father Flannigan of St. Anne's church, Chicago, Mark Hanna said:

church, Chicago, Mark Hanna said:

"And I will go further, Mr. President,
and say to you that the day is not far
you
of orks.
in
orcharch has at all times furnished some
of the most loyal defenders of our flag,
out I look to it to do still more. The
day is coming when treason will rear its
head and Socialism become rampant, and
in that hour, Mr. President (and I am
not afraid to say it here or elsewhere),
the flag must rely on its staunch friends,
and among them, in my opinion, our
greatest protectors will be the Supreme
court of the United States and the Roman Catholic Church."

"And it seems (according to Mr.

"And it seems (according to Mr. O'Keeffe), that Mr. Hanna repeated in Chicago not three this view

months ago:

"There is a crisis coming on," he said, which will have to be met, and the sooner the better. . . In this connection, I once said that in the day of trouble the United States must look to the Supreme court and the Roman Catholic

Church. I will go further now, and say that I believe that the best friend and protector the people and the flag of our country will have in its hour of trial will be the Roman Catholic Church, always conservative and fair and loyal. That is the power I look to to save the nation."

"To estimate the value of Mr. garded as the typical statesman of commercialism in our politics. Democratic newspaper thus describes what he stood for:

"He firmly believed that wealth should

New York Tribune, in an eulogistic obituary notice of Hanna, cannot put the Church as a police power overlook "a certain materiality in over the masses, Good Lord, deliver his ideals—a certain hardness and us!" narrowness in his outlook."

"De mortuis nil nisi bonum (About the dead is naught but good); but it is entirely probable that if Mark the plutocratic standpoint, is wholly, Hanna had lived in the days of Christ, he would have been with the most obnexious asmoney-changers in the temple. His pect of Socialism is the menace,

The Catholic Citizen's Vigorous Editorial Against the Degradation of Religion by the Capitalists (Reprinted by Request).

ideals would have identified him from its radical wing, to Christian

prising in the money-changers approving an institution which promotes honesty and industry among the masses. They are not blameable for appreciating whatever inrights of property, adherence to the obligations of contracts and obedi-A ence to law.

"But there is no reason why the Church or its clergy should bow low to bouquets thrown from this "He firmly believed that wealth should rule and that the government's policies should be shaped to enrich the few at the expense of the many. He was neither better nor worse than the forces that are uppermost in our national life. In an age of sordid commercialism he entertained ny illusions. Where other men in other times have taken up the sword to put an end to argument, he made appeal to the potent force of the almighty dollar."

"The many believed that wealth should to bouquets thrown from this quarter. To display a smug satisfaction in the aproval of the plutocratic class does not become a true churchman. Too much approval from the statesmen of commercialism, instead of flattering, should insum, instead of flattering, should insum, instead of flattering, should insum, instead of plutocratis, from the praise of plutocratic plutocr "From the praise of plutocrats, from "Even a Republican paper, The the ideals of the commercial class, from the uses to which they would

"The Dangers of Socialism."

with that class interest those days.

"Now, there is nothing at all surtrouble the mammonites? By no means. Little care they how their imported Hungarian, and Slovak laborers herd; or whether the progeny of their labor pens ever see These practical inside of a church. These practical plutocrats are at least sane in estimating what danger there is in Socialism... Only when it comes in-to the domain of practical politics, with schemes and tendencies of legislation, it is to be reckoned with

"Socialism is merely the new form in which the social discontent, that has troubled all ages, now expresse itself. Socialism is disturbing and eruptive, just as all the historic class movements have been. It may become revolutionary and it may work confiscations. But these, too, have transpired in other ages; and, never-theless, the world has settled back to the decalogue as the safest law and the justest standard for the workshop and the legislation."

The above remarks of the Catholic Citizen ought to be pondered over by Catholics whose priests meddle in politics.

This is a wholly erroneous charge. It is Socialism that will rescue marriage from the contamination of commercialism, as our readers well know.—Ed. Herald.

THE CONFESSIONS OF CAPITALISM. -- Wrongs and Remedies. Will, if it has never occurred to you, you better let it occurred to you at the earliest possible moment; for just so long as you harbor the delusion that the capitalist gives you EMPLOY

TELL the troubles of the farmer would be to recite

o TELL the troubles of the farmer would be to recite most of the wrongs of history. More nearly indispensable, perhaps, than any other man in the world, he has always been considered fair game for the exploiting class, and for him there is no closed season. The time to gun for the farmer is Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday; and if they cannot catch him for anything else on the seventh day, they squeeze him in the price of the tobacco he smokes and the prayer book he holds in the country meeting house. The only prayer book he holds in the country meeting house. The only rule that was ever applied to the game was the rule of the old French political economist who described scientific taxation as the art of getting the most feathers from the goose with the least squawking. And lately, they haven't been paying much attention even to this rule. If the farmer "squawks" they simply assure him from the bottom of their hearts that of all of simply assure him from the bottom of their hearts that of all of the prosperous men on earth, he is probably more groggy with prosperity than any other. And the poor old farmer listens to their words, shoulders his burden again with a lighter heart and takes up his weary way, utterly unmindful of the fact that in the human scale of which the greatest capitalist is the head, the farmer is at the jumping off place. The big capitalist may pluck the capitalist next below him in the price of something he sells, and the capitalists all along the line can reimburse themselves for robbery by robbing the ones next below them but when the farmer is reached, there is no one below him for him to rob. When he wants to buy anything, there is always a man standing near to tell bim how much to pay. And when he wants to sell anything, there is always another man standing near to tell him how much his goods are worth. So trite are these truths that an old farmer out in Michigan, who shows some signs of awakening, says the only things a farmer needs to know is how to work 16 hours a day and the road to market.

The difficulties of the farmer may be roughly summed up in these words: Always on the verge of losing his farm, he is not able to buy the necessary machinery to produce the best quality and the greatest quantity at the least cost. This handicap results in great waste at the start. Furthermore, his prices are fixed by the class of farmers whose necessities are the greatest, since they are compelled to rush to the market with whatever they have to sell and the other farmers must take the same prices or let their crops rot on their hands. The railroads catch him both "coming and going," charging him three or catch him both coming and going, charging him three or four prices in freight rates for whatever is shipped to him or whatever he ships away. Of course, the farmer seldom has any direct dealings with the railroads, but the agent who imports his farm machinery pays the rates and takes it out of the farmer, and the middleman who buys the farmer's grain or here does the same thing. hogs does the same thing.

To make certain that the farmer shall not be disgraced by dying rich, the trusts all take a crack at him. The sugar trust, the salt trust, the starch trust, the coffee trust and a hundred other long-fingered monsters slip their hands into his pockets and if a cent is left at the end of the year, somebody is fired for mismanagement. Of course none of them takes much at a time, but most of them get at him at least three times a day and they do not need to take much at a time in order to take

But some of them hit him hard every time they come Take the International Harvester Company, for instance, more familiarly know as the harvester trust. An agent of the comfamiliarly know as the harvester trust. pany with whom the writer is on confidential terms, declared within the last year that the cost of the reaper that the trust sells to the farmer for \$120 is \$19; that is, it costs \$19 to make the separate parts. The same authority declared that it costs \$5 to assemble the parts—to put them together—and \$40 to sell the machine.

When such transactions are the rule rather than the exception, need the farmer wonder that the census reports show that he is steadily losing his land?

Who then is to blame because the farmer fares no better than he does? Is it the farmer, who, with his faithful wife, struggles from early morning until dark to wrest from the earth the materials with which to feed a hungry world; or is it the power given by the private ownership of capital to certain men

Will the alarm clock in the farmer's brain never go off: Must he be reduced to the plight of the Irish peasant before he will awaken to the fact that neither the Democratic nor the Republican party has ever done anything for him except to hold him with pretty promises, while others were picking his pockets?

WAKE UP!

WRONGS AND REMEDIES.

OW TO discover wrongs without discovering remedies is to go only half way toward justice. It is an important half way, of course, since no one will try to discover remedies until he has become convinced of the existence of wrongs. But convinced of the

existence of wrongs, he is no nearer justice than he was when he started unless he cover the last stretch of the journey and ascertain how to supplant wrong with right. To make this discovery—to ascertain the remedics—requires a clear understanding of the basis of the wrongs; and as the last chapter in this article will be devoted to an attempt to point a remedy for our glaring social injustices, it becomes necessary to refresh our memories with regard to the exact nature of our wrongs.

What, then, are our wrongs?

1-The average American worker produces \$2,450 of value each year and receives in wages only \$437. There's a wrong on the face of it, for no man has a better title to a thing than the man who made it.

2-The right to "life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness" which our ancestors considered so sacred, has become an empty phrase, since one cannot be said to have the right to live unless he also have the right to obtain from his own labor, without asking any man's permission, the material things without which life cannot be sustained. If one have neither food nor raiment he must die; yet there exists, for the great masses, no right to obtain these imperative necessities as the result of toil; on the contrary, there exists only the PRIVILEGE to ASK somebody else's permission to apply his labor to the earth and its products that he may obtain the things without which his life cannot be sustained. It therefore becomes evident that life, liberty and happiness have degenerated from rights into privilges, since the working class, who compose the bulk of the population, can neither live, be free, nor be happy unless they can produce and obtain food, clothing and shelter with their labor; and the opportunity to labor, as we all know, can no longer be demanded as a freeman's right, but must be SOUGHT as a bondman's privilege. You homeless ones who do not be-lieve this is so, go out tomorrow morning and see if you can produce ANYTHING with which to sustain life without asking the permission of somebody, either to use the tools with which you have tearned to work, or to use a little of the earth that the Creator made for the use of all, rather than for the enrichment of any non-using individual.

3-As a result of the first two wrongs, rather than as an 3—As a result of the farmer than as an at the farmer for \$120 is \$19; that is, it costs \$19 to make a reaper and self it to a farmer therefore costs appreciate the enormity of this wrong, keep plainly in your in the last year that the cost of the reaper that the cost of the farmer than as an additional wrong in itself, perhaps, we have in this country, and will in the cost of the farmer than as an additional wrong in itself, perhaps, we have in this country, and the does the laborer ask for when he goes to look of a parmer than as an additional wrong in itself, perhaps, we have in this country, and the does the laborer ask for when he goes to look of a parmer than as an additional wrong in itself, perhaps, we have in this country, and the does the laborer ask for when he goes to look of a parmer than as an additional wrong in itself, perhaps, we have in this country, and the does the laborer ask for when he goes to look of a parmer than as an additional wrong in itself, perhaps, we have in this country, and the does the laborer ask for when he goes to look of a parmer than as an an additional wrong in itself, perhaps, we have in this country, and the does the laborer ask for when he goes to look of a parmer than as an an an antition of the does the laborer ask for when he goes to look of a parmer than as an an antition of the does the laborer ask for when he goes to look of a parmer than as an antition of the does the laborer ask for when he goes to look of a parmer than as an antition of the does the laborer ask for when he goes to look of a parmer than as an antition of the does the laborer ask for when he goes to look of a parmer than as an antition of the does the laborer ask for when he goes to look of a parmer than as an antition of the does the laborer ask for when he goes to look of a parmer than as an antition of the does the laborer ask for when he goes to look of a parmer than as an antitio

TO BLAME FOR THE FARMER'S CONDITION? the trust \$64—and the trust gets \$120 for it, a profit of nearly mind the indisputable fact that the laborers of the nation, who are so largely without homes, ARE THE ONES WHO ARE \$2,450 of value each year and getting only \$437 for it.

When such transactions are the rule rather than the exproducing the NATION'S WEALTH, and that 8,000 others who are NOT engaged in productive industry are getting the bulk of what the laborers produce. Then couple with this fact that other vital truth so tersely put by Ernest Crosby that "when one man gets something that he did not produce it inevitably follows that some other man produced something that he did not get," and you will be in possession of the mighty truth that this country is composed of two classes—the great truth that this country is composed of two classes—the great and has no direct connection with any of the mechanical department. class that PRODUCES ALL the wealth and gets LITTLE of it, and the small class that produces NONE of the wealth and gets MOST of it. And in order that you may no longer be deluded by the belief that the men who get most of the wealth produce any part of it, ponder over the distinction between "work" and "labor" that was recently made by a Single Tax orator in Detroit, who was right on that point, if on no other.

"The burglar works," said he, "but he does not labor. And, if you will pardon me, so does the lawyer."

To LABOR is to create something of value to society. The man who clips coupons, schemes to wreck a railroad, or to cut down employes' wages, is in the burglar's class as a worker and not in the producer's class as a laborer. A billion men, if there were so many on earth, could clip coupons and wreck railroads from morning until night, from one year's end to another, and absolutely nothing would have been CREATED, though a great deal might have been TAKEN. See the point?

Now, we have reached the point where we have found that there are but two classes in this and every other country-a class that MAKES and a class that TAKES.

Discover the source of the power that enables a numeriinsignificant class to TAKE most of the wealth that has been MADE by a far more numerous class and you are at last over the hill and in possession of the remedy that will right the wrongs of which we have spoken. Let's see if we can discover what that power is that is held by the TAKING class and how they got it.

First, let us ascertain, if we can, why any man with enough orains to equip a goat will consent to produce \$2,450 of value each year and receive only \$137 of it, giving his employer the rest.

Let's see what that man does when he goes to look for work. He may be a machinist, a shoemaker, a street car conductor, or like the unfortunate writer, an editor—no matter what he may be, he will be likely to find, in fact he WILL find, that if he work at all he must work with tools, with machinery. That is so because the world's work is done today with machinery. Wherever heamay go, he will hear the wairring wheels of capital, that is, of machines representing wealth used to acquire more wealth for the owner. What then does he ask when he goes to look for a job?

Does he ask for employment? Many think so; but he doesn't. Society offered him employment when it expressed the desire for the things he knows how to mak. It is not within the ower of any capitalist to offer employment even to the most nsignificant laborer, since the offering of employment is a function that society reserves for itself in creating a DEMAND for any of the products of labor. A millionaire shoemaker can create a DEMAND only for the shoes that he himself needs.

If you have grasped the truth that society alone can offer EMPLOYMENT to labor by receating the DEMAND for its products-something, as we have shown, that no capitalist, however great, can do-we will take the next step.

The man who goes into a machine shop to work for ware goes there to use the capitalist's MACHINERY; the man wh ments, seeks merely the opportunity to use the capitalist's printing presses, his type-setting machines and his stereotyping outfit, since a newspaper cannot be without these things, and without them there would be no occasion for the service the editor.

Now check up your memory again: There are in this and all other countries two classes—the wealth-makers and the wealth-takers. The wealth-takers own all of the machiner with which wealth is produced and the wealth-makers must obtain the privilege of using the machienry or they cannot labor What relation, then, does the ownership of the machinery of production by the wealth-seeking, or capitalist class, bear to the ability of the capitalist class to appropriate \$1,913 of the aven age laborer's \$2,450 annual product?

Since the small class owns the machinery and the large class must obtain permission to use it or starve, isn't it as plain as the sun in the heavens that the large class must pay any price that the capitalist may see fit to impose for the use of his machinery? And doesn't the reports of our census bureau show that the capitalist's price for the use of his machinery is four-tifths of the worker's product?

These things are so plain when once seen that there ought to be no excuse for mistaking them. Machinery is necessary to production. Hunger drives man to the machine and the capitalist who owns it stands between the man and the machin and tells him he cannot use it unless he will agree to accept, in the form of wages, only one fifth of his product and give the remainder to the capitalist for the use of his machine. Can you figure it out any other way? Immortality, or something equally bad, awaits you if you can.

Now comes the remedy: Necessity has compelled us to Now comes the remedy: Necessity has compelled us to produce in common; that's the only way that a large population can satisfy its wants. We have learned that 1,000 men working together in a factory, each at his own particular task can produce more shoes, more cloth, more locomotives, or more produce that the compelled that the compel anything else than the same men could produce if each labor by himself in his own little factory. And we have also learned that machinery immensely increases the productivity of h abor. But the ownership of all the machinery by a small class has enabled that class to confiscate most of the products of the great class that must use it.

If you were looking for an easy way to right the wrong that has grown out of the incroduction of machinery into production, and could settle the question yourself, how would you

Having learned that it is good to produce in common, is there anything simpler than the fact that if we could SHARE in common what we PRODUCE in common, THE WORKERS WOULD GET ALL AND THE IDLERS NOTHING IN-STEAD OF BILLIONS AND MILLIONS?

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representatives of the capitalist class.

The workers can most effectively act as a class in their struggle against the collective powers of capitalism by constituting themselves into a political party, distinct from and opposed to all parties formed by the propertied classes.

While we declare that the development of economic conditions tends to the overthrow of the capitalist system, we recognise that the time and manner of the transition to Socialism also depends upon the stage of development reached by the proletariat. We, therefore, consider it of the unmost importance for the Socialist party to support all active efforts of the working class to better its condition and to elect Socialists to political offices, in order to facilitate the attainment of this end.

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4. The inauguration of a system of public industries, public credit to be used for that purpose in order that the workers be secured the full product of their labor.

But in advocating these measures as steps in the overthrow of capitalism and the establishment of the co-operative commonwealth, we warn the working class against the so-called public ownership movements as an attempt of the capitalist class to secure governmental control of public utilities for the purpose of obtaining greater security in the exploitation of other industries and not for the amelioration of the conditions of the working class.

t upon them.

Private ownership of the means of production and distribution is responsible the ever-increasing uncertainty of livelihood and the poverty and misery of a working class, and it divides society into two hostile classes—the capitalists of the every sold in the competition. The struggle is now between the capitalist class and the ricing class. The possession of the means of livelihood gives to the capitalists control of the government, the press, the pupit and the schools, and enast them to reduce the workingmen to a state of intellectual, physical and social enforthy, political subservience and virtual slavery.

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The economic interests of the capitalist class dominate our entire social system; the lives of the working class are recklessly sacrificed for profit, wars are fomented between nations, indiscriminate slaughter is encouraged and the destruction of whole races is sanctioned in order that the capitalists may extend their commercial dominion abroad and enhance their supremacy at home.

tend their commercial dominion abroad and enhance their supremacy at home.

But the same economic causes which developed capitalism are leading to Socialism, which will abolish both the capitalist class and the class of wage-workers. And the active force in bringing about this new and higher order of society is the working class. All other classes, despite their apparent or actual conflicts, are alike interested in the upholding of the system of private ownership of the instruments of wealth production. The Democratic, Republican, the bourgeois public ownership parties, and all other parties which do not stand for the complete overthrow of the capitalist system of production, are alike political representatives of the capitalist class.

The workers can must affectively act as a class to their structure.

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up in hardware. Stifled in this fog of pettiness, her province marked out for her by others than herself, the upper-class woman becomes a fashion plate; the middle-class woman an upper-servant, and the working-class woman ever to enjoy common justice.
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I am not one of those who believe

that there is any sex in intellect.

Already in architecture, in medicine, in art, in the many occupations or professions in which woman has forced a foot-hold, she rises easily the intellectual peer of her mas-culine rival. And this new force and influence is coming to be re-cognized as of vital significance to established social order.

With the coming of economic weakly lie in the face of he opportunity comes a woman who members of the human race. ises to her full stature and refuses to sell herself for life for board and clothes. To gain the free woman as a mate it will require something more than the ability to buy her; man will have at least to deserve her He will have to deserve her to win her; he will have to deserve her to hold her. The free woman will laugh at the laws he has made to restrain her as at tales to scare a child. She, herself, will have a word to say

If we wish to realize how wholly woman has been effaced to a cypher, we have only to look at the political constitutions under which the government of so-called civilized nations is administered. In none is she recognized as a human being. The middle-class founders of the American republic never even thought of her. And as every social institution is but the outgrowth of its economic foundation we find the church, the law, and the marriage tradition all conspiring to keep wo-mankind in slavery. "Women obey mankind in slavery. "Women obey your husbands," this abhorrent doc trine has been credited to the god which tyranny and brute force have always made in their own image. It has been preached to suffering women with dissolute husbands; it has been preached to young and innocent girls, sold in hideous property marriages to old and worn-out rakes; it has been preached to ever woman whose nature has ever rebel-led against the indignities of slavery to man, and always in the name of right behavior and the god she was

expected to love and reverence. If I were an abused woman would do the same thing I would do if I were an abused horse: I would kick everything to pieces and take my chances.

But it is not the women who rebel who are the objects of our deep concern; it is the women who are ally so enslaved that they think it is wrong to rebel;—that they see no reason to rebel, and who look with ire an enemy to social virtuous reproof upon their rebelli-initiative as the petty, ous sisters.

The direct aspect of the tragedy is has been an admiration of woman is that her efforts at exame selfish man. By her emancipation meet with their bitsition she is prone terest opposition from the members nions and imbibe of their own sex.

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But the most compelling force in

human society is now begining to

Steadily, surely, relentlessly wo-man is being forced into the struggle for a livelihood with every stage of industrial evolution. In every walk of life she is colliding with the facts and forces that will bring her moralized by poverty. The rich at last to see that the possession of spend their time in seeking pleasure the ballot is imperative if she is

to a state of economic independence will rend into ribbons every cord that binds her today as an inferior being. Statesmen will regard her new and seeing eyes, and the with politician will cringe and truckle for the first time in human history the nations of the world will build constitutions which in their para-

I do not fear the free woman. fear only the enslaved woman. The being is himself at heart a slave, unworthy of his mother's agony.

Our women are to be free; evolution decrees it. If we are not big

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Look back into the shadows of for her vote. Political utterances the lost ages, and what do you be-will take on a new complexion and hold? The tombs of fallen empires and extinct races. Behold the glory of ancient Syria. Behold the splendor of Babylon and Nineveh, with graphs on human liberty will not their massive walls and brazen gates weakly lie in the face of half the and minarets and towers and pinnacles that glistened and glittered in the golden sheen of a tropical sky! And where are they today? man who fears to see his mate walk When Babylon went down, two per the earth a free and untrammeled cent of her population owned all the wealth, and the masses were starved When Persia fell beneath the sword of doom, one per cent of her popula-tion owned all the land.

Behold the Italian republics of the fourteenth and fifteenth centurshame. I do not fear that woman's emancipation will endanger anything whatever that is worthily dear to the heart of man. changers were set in every city. Manufactories flourished. Banks inventions. We doubt whether any eighty thousand aristocratic fam-country of Europe, our own except-ided, have at the present time reached ing their time in the pursuit of so high a point of wealth and civili-so high a point of wealth and civili-rullions of subjects were kept in the

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NOTE: In some states the organization is known as the Socialist Party, in others as the Social Dem-

By father McGrady.



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(Essays, Vol. I., p. 199.) Florence alone had two hundred woolen factories and employed eighty thou-sand workmen. Eighty banks conmagnitude which may surprise even the contemporaries of the Barings row and desolation. The people were and the Rothschilds. Two houses hungry, ignorant, naked, oppressed, advanced to Edward the Third of and beautiful France, the land of England a sum equivalent to fifteen art and science, learning and genius, millions of our money. (Ibid.)
Let us examine the history

France during the century precedwere established. The operations of the french Revolution. Louis the commercial machine were facilitated by many useful and beautiful pomp and magnificence. There were inventions. We doubt whether any eighty thousand aristocratic famzation as some parts of Italy at-tained four hundred years ago." most degrading state of poverty,

giving the fruit of their toil to the supercilious nobles that looked up-on the proletarian masses with contempt and adversion. Versailles was the rendez-vous of vice, and those regal halls constantly rang with the mirth of a licentious court. Louis the Fifteenth improved upon the profligacy of his predecessor. At fourteen he married Marie, daugh-At ter of Stanislaus, King of Poland. She was discarded for the superior attractions of Madame de Mailby, until the latter was supplanted by her sister. Then the star of Madame Tournelle arose resplendently in the royal court, and the other mistresses were dismissed. The beauty of Mademoiselle Valois and the Princess of Conti were rewarded with the embraces of the royal debauchee. Finally Madame Pompadour tri-umphed over all her adversaries in the regal bagnio, and, for many years, this vile bawd ruled France and shaped the policy of the nation. For half a century the land of Clovis

While these iniquities were dishonoring the nation the people were dying from starvation. Offices were bought and sold, judges paid enormous sums for their places, and then sold their decisions. Titles were sold, and trades and professions became commodities in the market of and the Mediterranean. Young remunities These appelling in publics crowned the Umbridge public property of the cases and the Mediterranean. sand workmen. Eighty banks controlled the commercial operations came commodities in the market corruption. These appalling inicorruption of Florence only, but of all Euclidean corruption. These appalling inicorruptions of these quities were intensified with the the kingdom of the Franks with sorwas fast becoming a sepulcher for of the Gallic race. But the weight of oppression became so stupendous as time rolled on, that the nerves of the nation were stretched to their utmost tension, and the masses, goaded to fury by the hydra-headed monster that preyed on their hearts' blood, rose like a giant against the despots and bathed the realm with their blood.

The Reign of Terror was the legitimate scion of unmitigated per-secution, the culmination of wrongs engendered by the concentration of wealth in the hands of a few, while the poor were enth ailed, degraded, and starved to death. Had it not been for the Revolution, France would have taken her place among the fallen empires and defunct nations. In the havoc of battle, in the change of government, property was again equalized, and the life of the

kingdom was preserved from decay. But we boast that there is no danger for the integrity and dur-

NATL. HEADQUARTERS. - The na tional organizing fund now amounts to \$2,948.20, the contributions last week

Sey48.20, the contributions last week totalling \$85.83. John M. Ray finished his work in southern Indiana March 4th and has returned to his home in Tennessee. Charles Pergier, Bohemian Organizer, will fill two dates at Racine, Wis., immediately after his Milwaukee engagement.

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Italian Organizer Silvio Origo begins work at Brooklyn, N. Y., speaking there Mar. 13, 14 and 15. He will go from Brooklyn to Yonkers for the 16th, 17th and 18th, and will probably speak in New York City before starting west through New Jersey and Pennsylvania. In addition to the dates given last week, George D. Herron will speak at Pittaburg, Pa., on his way east from his short tour in the west. He speaks there March 29th.

some ments on the Russian-Japanese war and its economic results and aspects.

The Socialists of Italy have gained a new daily journal without the usual task of collecting funds for several years. The editor of "The Province of Mantua," Signor Bacci, formerly a Democrat, has become a Socialist and now issues his paper as a Socialist daily journal, in the city of Mantua.

The governor general of Finland recently ordered an investigation of the libraries of that country, as it was said they were circulating revolutionary literature. There are

After his address at the Commune After his address at the Commune Celebration in St. Louis March 12th, Comrade James F. Carey will fill dates at Nashville, Ills., on the 14th; Mon-mouth, 16th; and in Chicago from the 17th to 23rd inclusive.

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The following is the representation in the national convention of the organized

perial decree. Some school boards were severely censured because so many of school libraries were circulating revolutionary literature.

The Belgium Minister of Commerce and Industry has apopinted a permanent committee of all members, including several physicians, lawyers, members of Parliament, employers and workers, who are to treat the questions arising from the enforcement of the workers' ac-The representation for the unorgan-ized states is as follows:

ability of the American Republic. So thought Rome and Venice and Florence and Genoa. When the Italian republics were the light of the world, cultivating every art and science, and conducting the commercial enterprises of Europe, England and Scotland were yet in swathing bands. When Leon and Castile were extending their dominions into the southern and western hemispheres, when Spanish warriors were carrying the emblem of their country to distant climes, and bringing the blessings of civilization to tribes beneath the light of foreign skies, the Netherlands Scandinavia were in the childhood of national life. Progress has waned in the south and now flourishes in the north. The older countries have perished in the competitive struggle, the industrial system is seeking victims in new fields, and the doom of death is on the brow of nations that apparently are in the vigor of manhood.

Eagles on the rocks of Britain, savage tribes roamed over the purplerobed vales of Kent, hunting the deer and the wolf, and lighted their camp-fires on the banks Thames to prepare their prey for the festive board. Time has changed. The Empire of Rome has fal-len. The palaces of the Caesars are publies crowned the Umbrian and the rocks of the Maritime Alps. and the Roman name lives only in the history of the past, in the monu-ments of genius that have made the City of the Twins the cradle of western civilization. The Anglo-Saxon race has emerged from the obscurity of nomadic life to the pinnaçle of national glory, sweeping every sea, unfurling the banner of empire beneath every sky, and in the vast magnitude of its dominion, looking down with contemptuous pity upon those countries that once received the sanction of their laws from the shores of the Tiber. The competitive system has pro-

When Caesar planted the Roman

duced the same results here as other land. History repeats itself, and political corruption in this country is more startling than it was in France in the reign of Louis the Fifteenth. Offices are bought. Votes are sold. Good men have retired from the politital arena, because they can not conscientiously adopt the corrupt methods of officeholders, and they have no chance of

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office with the credentials for the dele gates and alternates. These credentials will be issued as soon as possible. William Mailly, Nat. Secy

WISCONSIN.—Wood County com-tades will hold a meeting in Pittsville next Sunday for the purpose of effecting

rades will hold a meeting in Pittsville next Sunday for the purpose of effecting a county organization.

Neenah reports that a full Social-Democratic ticket will be placed in the field in their spring campaign. Janesville, Green Bay, Superior, Tomahawk, Racine, Kenosha, Kewaunee, Marinette and other towns will do the same.

"Pure and simplers" in Eau Claire raised a decided protest against allowing Carl D. Thompson to speak before the Eau Claire Trades Council, one union threatening to withdraw from the council if he was permitted to speak. Permission however was given, and the pure-and simplers instead of withdrawing stayed to listen. All were much pleased with Comrade Thompson's two locals comrade the was a good turn out on the third evening when he spoke on Socialism under the auspices of our local. Comrade Thompson has done a splendid work in Eau Claire, and reports that if the unionist element is rightly handled this city will be a center of power for the western part of the state.

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The city central committee of Sheboygan has made arrangements for a grand celebration of the anniversary of the commune. The Turner Hall has been rented for March 12, and A. M. Simons of Chicago will deliver the address. Comrade Simons will also speak March 11 at Zutz Hall on the "Duty of Workmen."

Workmen."
Rev. F. G. Strickland intends to locate permanently in Wisconsin and will do Socialist work under the auspices of the ate Executive Board. Any ing a fine Socialist lecture will pleas apply to this office. Strickland will give you one that will satisfy you. Thompson's dates are as follows: Marshfeld, March 10 and 11; Grand Rapids, March 12; Pittsville, March 13

Rapids, March 12; Pittsville, March 13 and 14; Oshkosh, March 17; Neensh, March 18, 19 and 20; Two Rivers, March 21, 22 and 23. He will spend the remainder of the month in Milwaukes, speaking only in Whitewater on the 28th.

Comrade Charles Pergler, the Bohemian organizer, will speak in Racine under the auspices of the Social-Democratic party immediately after his visit to Milwaukee, where he will organize Bohemian branches.

MICHIGAN.—The Michigan Socialist party state convention was held at Lansing Feb. 27th. Comrade John A. C. Hention was re-elected state. ived states is as follows:

Georgia 1, Indian Territory 2, Md. and
Dis. of Columbia 1, Mississippi 1, New
Mexico 1, North Carolina 1, Tennessee 1,
Inda 2, South Carolina 1, Tennessee 1,
Itah 2, Virginia 1, Wyoming 2. Total
16.

Since the call for the convention was issued to the National Committee has voted that "every delegate attending the convention shall be required to present his due card as evidence that he is a member in good standing of the Socialist party.

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The Common People is the name cost of the hall.

The national secretary's financial report for February shows \$1,248 of receipts from national dues, the leading states being New York \$174.65, Wisconsin \$115.90, Massahusetts \$100, Ohio \$75. The sum of \$100 was received from Milwaukee for special speakers for the municipal campaign. The total re-ceipts were \$1,719.76. The total expenses were \$1,689.84. The salaries at headquarters being \$283.33, agitation and organization expense \$522.81, plus \$187.90 for speakers for the Wisconsin fight.

The S. L. P. is enmeshed in innumerable law-suits growing out of the falling out of its quondam leadourg had a fire last week that put ers, representing claims for labor performed for the party, loans to the party, etc. After going to law the following claims for wages have been paid under legal pressure: Dalton \$129.50; Keinard \$315; in the German language, contributes an article on the "Rational Use of Our Weapons" to the current issue MacDonald \$123; Constant \$85; Bennon \$75; Starr (loan) \$300. Added to these are court expenses of \$750. The following judgments have been appealed from: Fiebiger (loan) \$2,191.52 and Hossman The Socialists at Worcester, Mass., have passed resolutions against discussions of faiths in Socialist papers, holding that the So-cialist party "advocates certain eco-(loan) \$238.18.

cialist party "advocates certain economic, scientific truths and has nothing whatever to do with religion, either for or against."

The Kansas City committee appointed by the local comrades to investigate the case of George E. Baird, against whom charges were made by the Omaha local quorum, has reported, sharply cirticising the methods of the Omaha comrades and standing by Baird.

The Brewers' Journal of Cincinnati, the official organ of the brewery workers of the United States, has just completed publishing the local committeeman from the military authorities. nomic, scientific truths and has nothing whatever to do with re-

The Brewers' Journal of Cincinnati, the oficial organ of the brewstery workers of the United States, has just completed publishing the stenographic report of the Socialist debate at the Boston convention of the American Federation of Labor. It makes a deserved criticism of the tactics of the capitalistic unionists in giving Gompers the closing speech, in order that the Socialists could have no opportunity to answer his foolish charges.

Comrade H. M. Hyndman, the veteran English Socialist, warns the Socialists of his country against becoming peace-at-any-price men, War is at times a duty, he says, as in the case of Japan in its efforts to prayent domination of Russia, Tl-c Poles would be justified to rise against Russia, Germany or Austria, the natives of India against the United States. The horrors of peace are often worse than the horrors of war, he says.

Comrade Sol.Fieldman of Bridgeport, Conn., has challenged one Damiel Davenport, executive agent of the American Anti-Boycott Association, to a debate on Socialism, and the latter has accepted. In a speech before the congressional committee on labor against the proposed eight-hour provision in contract work, Davenport charged that the bill was socialistic because it interfered with the fundamental relations of master and servant. The

ACROSS THE HERRING POND.

The carpenters in Geneva, by peaceful methods, have obtained a five years' contract, that their lowest wages shall be 12 cents an hour.

In the past year, 29,944 persons emigrated from Sweden. This is the largest number in the last ten years In 1894 there were only 8,246 emigrants from Sweden.

The book-printers of Canton Tessin, after a strike of about two weeks, have obtained a working day of 9 hours. The strikers all back to work with demands for nigher wages still pending. The editor of the English de-partment in the Heimin Shimbun,

the new Socialist paper of Tokyo Japan, is Comrade Iso Abe, who is a teacher in the Waseda University The paper is printing some interest ing comments on the Russian-Japan-

was said they volutionary literature. There are about 1,500 libraries in Finland. It was reported that many contained revolutionary publications, which were confiscated, and a large number of the libraries were closed by imperial decree. Some school boards

enforcement of the workers' enforcement of the workers' accident insurance law which was passed Dec. 21, 1903. It is the duty of the committee to investigate the extention of the law to other industries, to decide the amounts of benetries, to decide the amounts of bene16. passed Dec. 21, 1903. It is the duty extention of the law to other industries, to decide the amounts of benefits, to oversee the accident insurance societies founded by employers.

etc. The Austrian government has is sued a warning to people wishing to emigrate, saying that the conditions of labor in the United States are at present very unfavorable and will remain so for the entire year. On account of the closing of many American industrial works, newly arrived emigrants have the greates in finding employment Many workers have been unemploy-ed for months, and thousands of emigrants are compelled to return home. On all steamers for Europe the steerage room has been engaged for months in advance. From. Oct. steerage passengers from New York to Europe was 27,000; for the same time in 1902 it was 13,000.

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CAPITALISM AND THE CHURCHES.

"We will take our faith from Rome, but not our politics," was the phrasing of a well known revolt against the meddling of priests in

secular affairs upon a certain ac-casion. It is no credit to the church that it has had to be repeated at various times as greater or lesser heads of the church have sought to throw the influence of their positions in favor of ruling class parties, from which they expected favors.

Last week in Milwaukee, the archbishop of the Catholic church announced in an interview that no Catholic should be a Socialist, thus seeking to deliver the votes of the faithful over to the corrupt elements that had put the city on the boodle map. No word of warning was sounded against those corruptionists who have debauched the city and county government, and not one word against Dave Rose, the master corruptionist, who presented church windows in return for Catholic votes in previous campaigns, but the Socialists, who are moved by decency, and who seek to raise the working class to wholesome and adequate citizenship, were branded as enemies of society. A few evenings after the archbishop's statement was made, a Catholic church society in an outer ward of the city, where the party is making converts among Catholics, voted to instruct its members not to read any of the campaign leaflets and other literature distributed by the Socialists, but to immediately burn anything of that character found at their doors. Shades of the Inquisition, the faggot and the stake! And yet we can afford to be patient with such evidences of intellectual narrowness, for the growth of our movement keeps right on. It does so in Milwaukee and it does so in different parts of the country where such stupid tactics have been employed against us.

The temptation of some pastors and church functionaries to go outside their own sphere may be due to a mere meddlesome spirit, but usually there is an even less creditable motive back of it. The church doesn't take sides with plutocracy and against the toiler's party for nothing. It expects to gain by it, as a rule. Churches need money and capitalists have an abundance of it. The temptation to curry favor with the rich is therefore strong, especially as the rich, as Mark Hanna pointed out, see ways in which the church in its turn for donations. can be of great service to them in keeping the workers submissive. And besides this, many priests and prelates are themselves men of great wealth and therefore members of the capitalist class, with capitalist sympathies and interests. They have large sums invested in various corporations and speculative concerns, they speculate in real estate and put out large amounts of money to draw its increase from the wealth which capitalism robs from labor. They want the present system, with its wage slavery, to continue.

As to why some priests in this country are openly campaigning for capitalism, the article from the Catholic Citizen which we republish by request, on the first page, shows. The early church fought the plutocracy of its time. It took sides with the poor. Today, all churches, more or less, takes sides with the rich.

But if the modern church takes sides with the capitalists against working class, so much the worse for the church. Sooner or later it will pay the penalty! In fact, we can already see some things on this point. Its seeming indifference to the cry of the workers for escape from the capitalistic plucking process, from capitalistic cannibalism, causing many workers to break away from its influence. They feel the they have not only the capitalist system against them, but the church as well. They believe with Hanna that the church is ready to do police service for the rich, to keep the workers submissive and "contended" while the wealth lords skin them to the quick.

Even the Catholic church is feeling this disaffection. It has not been making the growth in this country that a large immigration from Catholic countries, and a large native birth rate would be supposed to give it. Some of its own priests have referred to its official in case in members last year (600,000) as disappointing, and a Boston paper has been led to remark that "the stork had evidently turned A. P. A.!" They ask if the church is not getting out of touch with human needs and aspirations. The results of the recent elections in Germany would appear to answer this question in the affirmative. Nowher, has the Catholic church gone out of its way so much to fight the workers' desire for Socialism as in Germany. It has helped the kaiser and the bread masters to its uppost to crush out the party of the working class. masters to its utmost to crush out the party of the working class, and what has been the result? The Social-Democrats here not only increased their vote to three millions and more, but they made gains of from 300 to 400 per cent in the Catholic districts in the last election, whereas in other districts their gain was about 25 per cent. It is clear that the Catholic church has lost the sympthy of its members to quite an extent when its bitter fight on Socialism could have such a result.

No one who has watched affairs in this country with half an eye can doubt the testimony of Senator Hanna. The capitalist regards the church, whatever the denomination, as a sort of soothing syrup for the agonizing sufferings of the working poor. Most of all they see a powerful safeguard in time of stress and revolt in the discipline and influence of the Catholic church. In the meantime they mean to keep the church on their side, if possible. A writer in an Eastern journal has recently told of the uniform foresight of the rich owners of the cotton mills in the South, where child labor is so fearfully exploited. He found at Colombia, South Carolina, within a fourth of a mile of a new mill no less than seven churches either just finished or in course of erection, and he learned that the mill owners all through the South give a free lot for a church and a free lot for a parsonage or priest house to any denomnation that will build, and to double any amount that may be raised for building purposes. After the churches are established the mill operatives who subscribe to their running expenses have the amounts paid over by the mills and then deducted week after week from their beggarly wages! The little churches that dot the landscape round those mills are simply sentry boxes. The church is doing police service for the capitalistic shambles. A "partnership between grasping greed and religion," truly!

Capitalism has found that it can rely on the church. While the discontent of the masses is scattered and divided and therefore harmless, the church is silent. But capitalism feels that the moment the resigna-tion of the workers ceases and the awakened discontent masses itself, not in one of the two capitalist parties, but in a political party represent-ing working class interests, with a determination to change the condi-tions that make a continuance of wage slavery possible, capitalism knows that just then the Archbishop Messmers, the Irelands, the Quigleys and the Matzes will issue their warnings, and make it appear that Socialism has been condemned by Pope Leo in his encyclical on Socialism, relying of course on the lack of knowledge of canonical law on the part of the average churchman, who does not know that an encyclical of a pope has no dogmatic value save in pure matters of faith. the church is silent. But capitalism feels that the moment the resignaogmatic value save in pure matters of faith.

A MEMORY LEFT BY MARK HANNA!



Upon the Ruin, Disaster and the Wreck of Human Lives, Rises the Full Dinner Pail of the Capitalist -- The Only Dinner Pail that is Ever Full! And it is Guarded by the Three Watchdogs of Capitalism -- the Law, the Military and the Police! Workingmen, this is what you vote for when you cast an old party ballot!

BETWEEN TWO FIRES. — By Ernest Untermann.

The Milwaukee "Free Press" of March 7 has buckled on its editorial armour and calls on all the people of Wisconsin to unite in the Republican party and carry Governor La Follette back into the gubernatorial chair on the crest of a wave of popular indignation against the insidious influences that have cheated the Republican party out of the fruits of its victories by controlling the policies of all legislatures of this state for many years.

These influences, according to the "Free Press," are the men who compose and control the great corporations, the railroads, the telegraph lines, the express companies, the sleeping car companies, the insurance companies, the telephone companies, the street railway lines, the gas and electric lighting companies, who have money invested in the manufacturing industries of this state.

"The material interests of these men are great in Wisconsin," says the Free Press, and they are able, because of them, to wield a vast influence in the political affairs of the state. That they have on many an occasion been able to control the action of the state legislature, no well informed man will question." What makes matters still more galling to the champions of La Follette, is that most of these men who thus annul all the efforts of the valiant Republicans around La Follette are not residents and voters in the state, but actually control the affairs of Wisconsin from their eastern offices. For this reason, all true Republicans are opposed to "harmony" with those who have shown themselves to be the obedient servants Republicans are opposed to "harmony" with those who have shown themselves to be the obedient servants of those fatal influences, and if peace is to be purchased at the price of again admitting them into the party councils, La Follette and the "Free Press" will have none of it. That would simply mean a yielding of the majority to the will of the minority. No, even if these bad Republicans were now willing to endorse the eternal republican principles, which they have so shamelessly betrayed in the past, that is, purity of elections, exact equality between private citizens and public service corporations in the matter of taxation, and establishment of just and reasonable railway transportation rates, they should not be trusted anymore. If they can only be relegated to the rear, there will be—well, the "Free Press" does not say exactly how beautiful things will be after that, but it leaves the impression that the people of Wiscopin will got such a model administration as they have never had before consin will get such a model administration as they have never had before.

Let us see. The Republican party was placed in political power on a La Follette platform represent-ing the true principles of Republicanism. But hardly had they taken hold of the reigns of government, when it was discovered to the great sorrow of all true Republicans, that "it never makes any difference to these influences which party is in power. They are not in politics and attending the matters of legislation because they are specially interested in the welfare of the people of the state. They are first and last and all the time for themselves."

Now would it be presumptuous to ask by what means the true Republicans will prevent the same influences from controlling the affairs of this state by the same means that were so successful in the past, so long as the capitalist principle is maintained?

Let us be plain. It makes indeed no difference to the great capitalists which capitalist party is in They can buy enough true Republicans and true Democrats to carry out their wishe

All capitalist politicians believe in the same principle in which the great corporations believe, that of exploiting labor. The true Republicans around La Follette do no more represent the interests of all the people of Wisconsin, than the bad influences mentioned above do. La Follette stands for the interests of the little exploiters against the big exploiters. He believes in the class struggle against the big exploiters, and he hopes that the working class of Wisconsin will help the little exploiter against the great corporations. In other words, he hopes that the working class will sacrifice its own class interests out of pure love for the little exploiters. But he will have none of the class struggle of the working class against all exploiters, big and small.

He is very much mistaken, however, when he says that it is immaterial to the great corporations what party is in control of the state. Nor is it immaterial to the little exploiter. All who live by the exploitation of the working class of this state would consider it the greatest calamity if the working class of Wisconsin should gain control of the political power through the Social-Democratic party. This party, standing uncompromisingly for the material interests of the working class alone, cannot be controlled by any money interests whatever, because it comes to abolish them entirely.

The La Follette party is between two fires. On one side it is being pressed by the great capitalists, on the other by the working class. It pretends to be the champion of all the people against the moneyed interests. But intelligent working men can plainly see the dollar mark firmly imprinted on the middle class shield. All working men who understand their own class interests will vote for the party of their class, the Social-Democratic party. They will smile at the simplicity of the middle class politicians, who are but the playthings of the great corporations, while they pretend, with their silly middle class platform, and without changing the capitalist system, to be the saviers of all the people. Armed with the Socialist philosophy, the intelligent workingmen of this state, and of the whole nazion, will unite and end all exploitation by voting for the principles of International Socialism.

HALF HOURS IN THE HERALD SANCTUM.

A HELLISH STATE!

Capitalist newspapers like the Chicago Chronicle (Democratic) and the Milwaukee Sentinel (Republican) are trying to stir up prejudice against the miners of Colorado by printing the bare-faced lies sent out by the Parry crowd of Colorado. They are all lies, lies, lies—shamelessly started and consciously repeated. That our readers may get a clear understanding of this we reprint below a letter which a merchant, A. H. Floaten of Telluride, Colo., sent to the Denver Post and the Denver Times, but which both papers refused to publish. "The conspiracy consisted in refusing to brak the strike, consisted in the daily press about what has happened here during the strike, but I have failed to see the real conditions stated. People read of the

ish:

"To the Denver Times: Much has been printed in the daily press about what has happened here during the strike, but I have failed to see the real conditions stated. People read of the arrests and deportations of men from their homes and families and infer that these men are guilty of some breach of the law or peace has been deported from Telluride.

"I have read that the governor said that no one except those guilty of some breach of the law or peace has been deported from Telluride.

"I challenge any person from the governor or the military commander down to the meanest member of the Citizens' Alliance to show a single instance where any member of the Miners' Union has used or attempted to use, any force or violence against any man who wanted to scab, or against any person or property since the day the strike was called on September 1st until now.

"I further challenge any person to show that there has been a single dollar's worth of property destroyed or attempted to be destroyed.

"As far as I know there has not been a fight, nor even a quarrel provoked by a union man on secount of the strike was called the stab, or against any person to show that there has been a single dollar's worth of property destroyed or attempted to be destroyed.

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merchanduse, I feel the effect of the strike as much as any one, and my in-terest demands a resumption of the mining industry, which is the only in-dustry here, but I can not help protest-ing when I see such injustice and out-rage heaped upon peaceful, law-abiding citizens."

Answer to Correspondents.

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Albert Denser, Santos, Fla.—John Swinton died in Brooklyn, Dec. 15, 1901.

J. N. Borth, Ellsworth.—The people you specify will play a reactionary part in the increasing struggle for working class emancipation unless we can enlighten them with literature persistently circulated. You must use your own judgment as you know local conditions best. For farmers there are several very good Socialist namphlets. Father McGrady's "Socialism and the Labor Problem" and Father Hagerty's "Economic Discontent" may be useful. As a general proposition, a props gands paper like The Herald, containing a selection of matter to meet different tastes, makes about the best material. Put a paper at every house week after week and the result will be magical.

The March issue of The Comrade has a fine critique of Wagner's much talked of music-drama, "Parsifal," by Professos George D. Herron. This is the first time

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Vast Wealth vs. Degrading Poverty.

(Continued from page 3.)

being elected. Our municipalities by saloon-keepers, gamblers, men of the darkest stamp type of character lowest Wealth is rapidly gravitating to the coffers of a privileged class. We weep. speak of kings and emperors, dukes and barons, but all the countries on the face of the earth have not as many monarchs as the land of the free and the home of the brave. Rockefeller's income equals the sal-aries paid to all of the crowned heads of Europe. The wealth of the capitalist is doubling every three years, and before the first decade of the twentieth century has rolled away, a few thousand families will own the country from ocean to ocean, and from the Gulf to the Lakes.

"Another plank ought to have be added to the platform to make it migh perfect from the Social-Democratic point of view, namely: The Beer and more free lunches."

The Milwaukee Social-Democratic political economy; but it may a to be admitted at the outset that they not all guzzlers and gormandizers.

the fair provinces of Roman civilization and swept away the work of centuries. The Vandals that shall engulf Columbia in the cyclone of destruction will not come down from the frigid zone, or move over the stormy waves from the gate of the Orient, or arise from the islands of the Southern Pacific; but they will emerge from the slums and the tenement house, from the mill and the factory, from the forge and the furnace, and the goddess of liberty will fly from the halls of the nation, and seek refuge in the forest wilds of other lands.

Oh, my fair country! land of my nativity! I love thee! I love thy mountains and thy hills, thy mea-dows and thy groves. I love thy brooks and rills, and lakes and have and seas and streams! I love the pioneers who brought the blessings love the heroes who bore the starry banner from Bunker Hill till it wayed in triumph above the flag of the Briton from the walls of Yorktown. I love the patriots who consecrated the temple of freedom and enthroned the goddess of liberty in the halls flight to the early days of our history. I visit the mausoleums, where sleep the bones of the valiant dead." I summon the shades of the silent heroes from the dust of ages. I conjure the spirits of Washington and Jefferson to arise from their somber tombs and breathe upon the ebbing

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the bloom of health, that is freedom may be born to protect rising generation from the th dom of capitalism.

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ing realized in America. Economic individualism transformed roses into thorns a flowers into thistles. Under flowers into thistles. growth and dominion of Competion joy and laughter are choked sobs and sighs, and wreaths smiles are drowned in floods tears.

Every one who understands vils of the competitive system cold-blooded murderer if port this system, for his vote. dorses and perpetuates the da

An Unwilling Admission. The Appleton Post, after noting the Milwaukee Social-Democratic form provides for giving away as everything except franchises, so marks:

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ocean, and from the Gulf to the Lakes.

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NEXT WEEK'S MEETINGS

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nday, 2:30 p. m., National Hall, onday, Vorwaerts Hall, Frank Weber, W. R. Gaylord, and J. Barkowsky (Polish).

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sts... Wm. A. Arnold and En
Untermann (German)
sday, Liedertafel Hall, Wm. Mai
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fore Engineers' Union No. 23, E Untermann.
Harmony Hall, 14th ave. and Parst., W. A. Arnold and E. Seidel.
Bartz Hall, foot of Red st. E. T.
Melms and L. Barkowsky (Polish) as
Koczmarek's Hall, 11th are at
Windlake, M. Gorecki (Polish) as
F. J. Weber.
dnesday, Trades Council, Wm.Maiy.
Bohemian Turn Hall, Wm. Maiy.
V. L. Berger, Charles Pergler (beneinan) and E. Untermann (benan).

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nursday, Ethical Hall, Dr. Geo Hems
and Victor L. Berger.
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C. Pergler (Bohemian) and E. I.

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Binder's Hall, 867 Kinnickinnic an.
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Friday, Stahl's Hall, 20th and Saw
W. Mailly and W. R. Gayford.
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Prof. Monaghan, the capitalist

city schools, and makes a cowardly crawl-out, chaiming that he is "a

poisoned the minds of his hearers with lurid stories about the immor-

ality of the working class of Ger-many who have dared to go outside the capitalist parties to vote.

At the time of going to press we can only refer briefly to Prof. Monaghan's "lecture" on Socialism

in Germany and America, at the Fourth District school Thursday

night. Such a pitiful and lame as-sault on Socialism we have never

whether he was as ignorant of his

his wholesale misstatements were simply malicious. We incline to the

excuse for misrepresenting Lasalle's death and giving it a sinister aspect.

What Monaghan was bent on was the Father Sherman lay of making

it appear that Socialism taught im-

morality, and to clinch his filthy

contention he read extracts from Bebel's "Woman in the Past, Pres-ent and Future," which showed just

the contrary, Bebel holding that un-der Socialism the modern bourgeois

marriage, which is all too often a

commercial one, would give way to a purer union, due to mutual love

and not dictated or influenced by property considerations or induce-

ments. Similarly he tried to show from Bebel that Socialists wanted

o disrupt the natural and tender

relation of parent and child and to

make the children the property of a

paternal state. But what he read showed no such absurd view, but

only Bebel's lofty idea of improved advantages for childhood from the

standpoint of physical and intel-lectual education. His admirers

ooked puzzled at what he read, and

the Socialists could not restrain their laughter. The attendance was

poor imitation of Father Sherman

His slanders and untruths will do

Socialism no harm, that is certain

Just take a critical look at the election laws, Mr. Voter. What do you see except that they are framed

so as to keep as many working peo-ple from voting as possible. They

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and then go to the polling place to vote finds himself so late that he has to siand in a long line and is liable to be cut off by the time limit before the reaches his turn. The whole thing is planned to discourage the worker from voting, and it will be so so long as the machinery of elections is left in the hands of the capitalist class.

The papers tell us that John Mc-coy, the gambling house proprietor, has decided not to run again, for alderman on the Democratic ticket in the Eighteenth ward on account of ill-health. Better call it ill-Better call it illwealth, for Mc Coy is today a very rich man, and his wealth came largely from the losses of workingwho were lured into his gambling resort.

Our members throughout the state are urged to give careful attention to the new national referendum blanks that have been sent the state of west fend with the state of west fend with the state of the politician, who went up and down the state a year ago delivering a Father Sherman sort of lecture on Socialism, has replied to the Socialists of this city who exposed him in connection with his lectures in the connection with his lectures and makes a cowardly out. Vote for Chicago, by all means. Chicago possesses advantages for headquarters purposes, that neither Indianapolis or Washington have. It is an easily accessible center from all directions, has unrivalled postal facilities, and is in the center of the Socialist activity of the counshowed how much he was the work-ingman's friend last year when he And vote promptly. try, as well as of the industrial zone.

> You have only one more chance to register, Mr. Man, and if you do not register this time, you name will not appear on the list! The capitalistis have made a foxy law which requires a new and complete registration each election. It stands the working class in hand to see that this does not affect their strength at the polls.

listened to. "The mountain labored and brought forth a ridiculous little ward and District caucus should come to party headquarters on Saturday afternoon, March 19, to make affidavit as subject as he appeared, or whether to nominations.

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The necessary amunition against the war waged by the employing class upon the Labor Unions just now above all things is, Funds. Green Bay the war is on to scatter the unions to the winds and what is possible in that city by the em-ployers is equally possible in any other city in the state. But also

consider that which is possible by organized labor in Green Bay is possible everywhere else. What we want is to have the unions there emerge from the struggle stronger and better than ever they were, no matter whether the injunction granted or not. In such event labor has always won the day, because

The Ward Caucuses of the Social-Democratic party of the City of Milwaukee well be held on the dates and at the time and places indicated below. Two aldermen and one supervisor are to be nominated from each ward. There is also the Campaign Committee to be appointed for each ward which shall have charge of the campaign in the ward and shall have authority also to fill vacancies that may occur on the ticket.

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Twenty-second Ward, March 18. Usual place of branch meeting.
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San Give Committee Committee.

The Social-Democratic party is the American expression of the international movement of modern wage workers for better food, better houses, sufficient sleep, more leisure, more education and more culture.

Under present conditions the wage worker is always dependent upon the man with means for an opportunity to work for a livelihood, and therefore is

and economic liberty. To secure this by the collective ownership of the means of production and distribution is the aim of the Social-Democratic party.

In municipal affairs also the Social-Democratic party stands for every radi-

In municipal affairs also the Social-Democratic party stands for every radical change that will bring the means of production or transportation into the hands of the people. It believes in self-government for the city, in a just and equitable taxation where the corporations bear their full share, in the consolidation of our city and county administrations, in the public control of our food supply in the interests of the public health, and in the highest development of a reasonable public service. At the proper time it will introduce and carry out these and other measures. Social-Democrats are well aware, however, that Milwaukee does not enjoy self-government, and that as a rule no steps can be taken in that direction without an appeal to the state legislature at Madison.

In the light of the above facts we make the following demands:

improvement of the streets the six and ice to be sold to the citizens at cost.

We do not need to prove these points. They were proved by the grand jury.

Political liberty alone has become inadequate; we must have both political

Winfield R. Gaylord, Seey, City Campaign Committee S. D. P. of Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE SOCIAL-DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM

The Rose administration in the city hall and the Republican administration in the courthouse have disgraced the fair name of Milwaukee. But corruption in our municipal affairs is not a new occurrence, and we call attention to the fact that it is to the corruptive power of capitalism, playing upon the venality, the uncertainty for the future and the business instinct of those who have made politics a business, that we owe the scandalous corruption of our government. By the average capitalist and business man the bribing of a politician is considered absolutely legitimate, if business requires it.

A municipal government cannot have the same end in view as a private business. A municipal government ought never to be conducted from motives of personal gain. The trouble is that too many municipal governments have been so conducted—and that is just the reason why we have investigations in St. Louis, Grand Rapids, Chicago, Milwaukee, etc.—"business" administrations, every one of them.

The Social-Democratic party goes to the root of the evil. Socialism will some day entirely remove the causes, and they will only disappear to the extent that we introduce Socialism. And the Social-Democrats, having this goal in view, are above temptation. Of the many Social-Democrats elected in Germany, England and Austria, hardly one has ever fallen by the wayside. The Social-Democratic party, while a class organization of the proletariat, is today also the only party of high moral ideas, because it is in accord with the trend of civilization and with the necessities

It is not claimed that by winning an isolated victory in a city like Milwaukee we can have Socialism. But such a victory would be a step forward, a mile-stone on the way of human progress.

In the light of the above facts we make the following demands:

1. That no more franchises for public utilities shall be sold, leased or given away. The city shall take charge as soon as possible of all public utilities now in private hands. The city shall compel the public utility corporations to give good service. Especially the street car company shall be made to meet the public needs as to the number of cara running, seating capacity, heating, ventilation, etc. The city shall regulate the price of gas, and shall appoint a gas inspector to test the quality of gas furnished. The city shall abolish the contract system as far as possible in all public work. Only organized labor shall be employed by the city, and that at an eight-hour day. Whenever contract work is unavoidable the contractors shall be compelled to employ only organized labor.

That the common council shall take steps necessary to make the big corporations pay their rightful share of municipal taxes, so that the money necessary to carry out the following reforms can be raised.

3. That an earnest effort shall be made by the city to provide work for its unemployed citizens. Besides the improvement of the streets the city shall maintain a public coal and wood yard and a public ice house; the coal, wood

improvement of the streets the city shall maintain a public coal and wood yard and a public ice house; the coal, wood and ice to be sold to the citizens at cost.

4. That the city shall employ a number of attorneys to conduct just cases for the poor. That the city shall reorganise the system of administering justice in the police courts, so that the poor man may be guaranteed the same chance before the law as is enjoyed by the rich.

5. That free medical service shall be extended so as to provide two salaried physicians in each ward, who shall treat these applying free of charge. The city also to arrange with druggists who shall compound the prescriptions coming from said city physicians for a certain average compensation which shall be fixed by the board of health and paid for by the city. The city to provide adequate hospital service, free from every taint of charity. Also a public crematory which shall be free to those applying.

6. That the city shall erect a public bath in every ward for the benefit of the residents. Also provide a system of street closets, such as are found in modern European cities. Plumbing and sewerage to be done in all dwellings by the city at cost, the same to be paid for in yearly installments.

7. That the city shall condemn all slum habitations dangerous to the health of the occupants, and cause their removal in the interests of public morality and health. The city to maintain public playgrounds, open-air gymnasiums and parks wherever possible, and furnish and plant and care for trees for all the streets of the city.

2. That free school books and adequate school facilities shall be provided. Principals shall be required to devote one-half of their time to instruction. The salaries of the assistant teachers to be raised first, before those of the highly paid principals. The large hall in each school building shall be available to residents of the district for public meetings of whatever nature.

9. That the city shall build a labor temple, to be dedicated to the business and amuse

neetings of whatever nature.

9. That the city shall build a labor temple, to be dedicated to the business and amusements of the working people. Also that the city shall arrange at least one free concert each month during the winter, and in summer concerts to be given in every city park at least once a week.

10. That the city shall declare a public holiday on all election days, which shall be compulsory, and that penalty shall be exacted from all employers of wage labor who shall ignore the order.

And first of all things, it would mean a tremendous cleaning up of the municipal affairs of Milwaukee.

Nor does any intelligent man longer believe in the panacea of electing so-called "good men" to office. Plenty of men" have been corrupted by the system which they have tried to patch up and regulate. All high-sounding r by capitalist parties about business principles, "good men," etc., is therefore simply a dishonest bid for votes. ess corrupts politics.

they withdraw from the field of ac tion in perfect order and ever ready to move onward to emancipation The circular now out for aid for the Green Bay unions should receive the hearty support of every true unionist in the state.

F. B., Secy.

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No. 3420.

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COURT-MILWAUKEE COUNTY Charles Seybold, Plaintiff vs. Charles Troeplin and Wilhelmine Kroeplin, his wife

Judement of Foreclosure and Sale. By virtue of and pursuant to a judgment of said Superior Court, in the above entitled action, which was field and dated Jawasy 31st. 1903, 1903, I shall expose for sale and sell at public auction, in the hall of the court house, near the south door fronting on the park, in the Seventh Ward of the City of Milwaukee, in said County, on

Monday, the 21st day of March 1904, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., of that day all the following described mortgaged prenises, or so much thereof as may be sufficient to raise the amount due to the plaintiff for principal, interest and costs, together wit the disbursements of sale and solicitor fees, to, wit.

principal, interest and coats, together with the disbursements of sale and solicitor's fees, to-wit:

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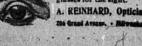
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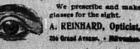
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will be made a mayoralty candidate by the Republicans, made a speech in the Tenth ward this last week in which he got off a lot of high sounding phrases about purifying our city government, and about a clean administration and the like, ending up with the declaration that capital was shunning Milwaukee because the city was administered by crooks! Alas, the truth has to be admitted that it is just the other way. Capital is attracted by the fact that crooked men are in charge who can be used. The owners of our leading industries this year will vote for Dave Rose. They want that kind of a man in charge of the city. Everybody knows it—there is no secret about it—Goff is only giving

But if proof of this love of usesupervisors and a mayor who will do have they want them to, even if they have to pay them—but they would rather get their concessions for nothing.

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for nothing.

The people of the Ninth ward are just now going through a little ex-perience that bears this out. Some time ago the Atlas bread factory, run by a rich miller's son named Paul Stern, secured a lot on the other side of the alley from the factory and then made an application to the aldermen to have the alley vacated and given to them to enable them to extend their factory build-The property owners in that vicinity who make considerable use of the alley raised such a storm that the permission was not granted. Prior to this the aldermen had allowed the Atlas concern to put a roof over the alley to protect its teams and the residents along Cen-tral avenue felt that this was favor enough for the scab bread concern. Well, the bread concern was quiet for a while, but it was not asleep. As soon as it thought the people had forgotten it quitly fixed things with Ald. Himmelstein and Luedf-ke; and it was sneaked through the council and a jury appointed to con-sider the matter. The jury, of course, reported in fevor of the capitalistic labor-skinning bakery, but before the council could ratify the

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Guy Goff, the young lawyer who decision the property owners dis covered what was going on and sent in such a protest that the matter had to be laid over till the next meeting. They went to Himmel-stein and Luedtke and tried to get them to take the side of the resi dents of the ward, but could do nothing with them—they were strangely favorable to the alley-grab! Without doubt the deal with the aldermen will go through and the Atlas bakery capitalists will re-joice that the city government is in

the hands of crooked men. Here you have a typical case. Capitalist interests and representatives stand together. Himmelstein the Catholic helps Stern the Jew and turns a deaf ear to the working class. But the workers are supposed to be kept divided by race, religion and politics, so that capitalism can rule. When a capitalistic guffer like Goff says that capital is being kept from Milwaukee because of ofable men in public office is needed to prove the contention of the Socialists the disclosures of the past few months are ample proof. The big business men want aldermen and the as a foxy lawyer knows is untrue. Contralism wakes good use of of

Less guff, Mr. Goff, if you please! The workers are going to vote Social-Democratic this year.

At the Social-Democratic mass meeting in the Tenth ward Tuesday, at the Bohemian turn hall, Comrade A. M. Simons of Chicago, n referring to Republican candidate Goff's gusty con talk about corruption keeping capitalists away from Milwaukee, told a story of the rotterress of Chicago politics directly raceable to the big business men Some years ago, he said, there were outer ward reformers were trying to drive Hinkey-Dink and Bathhouse John out of the board of aldermen in the interests of good government, and they held a big meeting that fairly oozed with civic righteousness. The speakers said if such men as Bathhouse John could only be pried loose from the ity government that the problem of city misrule would be eternally settled! Just at that moment in Just at that moment in walked Bathhouse John. He took the floor and flourished a paper be-fore their astonished gaze. "Youse t'ink you are fighting me, do yes Youse can fight all youse want to but it aint me youse are fighting an' it won't do no good—its these mcn dat are back of me—" and he began to read off the names: began to real on the manes. Harry Selfridge, manager of Mar-shall Field's great store, Leon Man-del of Mandel Bros.' big store, and so on! He had the backing of all big business men in his ward, which comprised the wealthiest part of the down town business district. It caused a sensation, and the reformers began to realize who was back of civic corruption in Chicago, especially as none of the accused merchants made any denial of Bathnouse's claim.

FUN IN THE ELEVENTH

There's more fun than a barrel of monkeys in the Eleventh ward. Recently after some secret conferences with the capitalists who are engineering the Voters' League, the discredited Republicans of the ward decided to run a mask carnival campaign and straightway blossomed out as a Good Government organization, holding public meetings filled with the phrases of a civic vir-tue, with the Voters' League luminaries to make the principal speeches and bless all those who wandered within the fold. This thing went within the fold. This thing went on for several weeks and then the Democrats began to see through the game, and they began to get hot. They finally concluded that the Rudolph humbuggers were not to have things their own way and that they did not propose to be fused out of existence in the ward; and so a meeting of Democrats was called. And it was a meeting! Beside voicing indirection. ing indignation at the trick the Republicans were putting up on them their chief concern was how to head off the pesky Social-Democrats. "They are hard fellows to fight," man said, "we got Father Decker to speak against them in his church last campaign and it cost us over 400 votes!" "No, we mustn't make that mistake again," assented another, red in the face at the re-collection, "What we must do is spread literature, same as the Socialists do—," "Ya-as," hurriedly chipped in a saioon-keeper with fine scorn, "But where on earth could we get the literature!" That was a poser, sure enough. There was thoughful silence for a spell and then it was decided that the "good old Democratic campaigning" was still good enough for the Eleventh ward.

Last week a man who was secretary of the Independent Voters' club of the Fleventh ward shot another politician in a saloon brawl due to a discussion of the chances of due to a discussion of the chances of reelection of Feige, the indicted Republican supervisor of the ward. It took the capitalist newspapers two days before they found out the politics of the men. If any one of them had been a Social-Democrat they would have discovered it instantly and put it in big type in the headlines in order to give labor a black eye.

Carroll G. Pearse, elected superintendent waukee public schools, has the re-putation of being a capitalist tool He teaches capitalism in the public schools of Omaha, has no use for the cause of labor emancipation and includes military instruction with other studies there—actually teaches the wholesale murder politely called war to the Young Americans of Omaha! A man who holds such ideas is not fit for human society.

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used to be known as a Democrat of strike. skin deep. It is office he wants. Now that the Democrats are not giving him any more offices, he is out for the Republican nomination for alder-He changes his politics like an old coat-what's the difference, if there is a chance to get a political

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William Mailly.

Probably the Sentinel does not

high Catholic church official

Montreal and that her life

The Sentinel says that Mother

Jones did not dare to speak, as an-

closures." But it does not tell its readers that she was lying on a sick

bed at Trinidad with typhoid-pneu-

monia and that her life was despair-

ed of. Lying between life and

death in another city was reason enough why she did not keep her

Denver engagement! The simple fact is that the Sentinel has fallen

into a trap. The Polly Pry was sent to all the editors in the country

by the mine owners' Parry organiza-

tion, thinking that papers outside of

colorado would republish what the

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Colorado papers did not dare to.

nounced, in Denver, after the closures." But it does not te

course!

One of the most damnable at-icks on the good character of a de-naseless woman, ever perpetrated in illwaukee, was committed by the litor of the Milwaukee Sentinel acks on the good character of a defenseless woman, ever perpetrated in Milwaukee, was committed by the editor of the Milwaukee Sentinel last week, when he assailed the good of my speeches.
"Her character was attacked in Colorado, as well as all the other strike name of Mother Jones, the miners Colorado, as well as all the other strike leaders, by a so-called woman who writes under the name of "Polly Pry" and who has disgraced her sex by her support of the mine owners, by means which the commonest prostitute would not resort to. She publishes a paper called "Polly Pry," and a couple of weeks agd she stated that Mitenell had discharged Mother Jones, which is not true, although the capitalists wish it was! I had a letter from Mother just before we left Omaha." 'good angel," in connection with Mike Walsh of the Third ward tators connected with the Colorado sed to be known as a Democrat of strike. Mother Jones, the Sentiael Democrats. He was one of the truly said, had been driven out of Color-fuithful members of the party, if he himself could be believed. But character before she enlisted in the party principle to such a man is only labor movement, "she having been skin deer this office of the control of labor movement "she having been keeper of a house of prostitution and a procuress before becoming a labor agitator in 1894," said the before we left Omaha.' labor agitator in 1894," said the Sentinel. The Sentinel thought that it was safe in blackening the character of Mother Jones because its silk stocking readers believe anything disreputable said about labor, being filled to the bring the beautiful being siled to the bring the beautiful being siled to the bring the beautiful being siled to the bring siled to the siled know that Mother Jones' brother is being filled to the brim with class hatred. It makes no difference that

history is well known in labor circles and that it would have many of the Sentinel's own class live in luxury on wealth secured been impossible for her to have had a "past" without its having from property used for the purposes been known long before this. of prostitution, it wanted to say the meanest thing it could about a womay remind the Sentinel that these stories originated with man who could dare to give her life to the labor cause, and so Mother ponsible sheet called Polly Pry which has been issued with mine Jones must be disgraced, no matter how. We immediately hurried off a owners' money, and that no other paper in Colorado has ever dared to reprint them. Why? Simply be-cause the Western Federation of letter to National Secretary William Mailly of the Socialist party, to get an authoritative denial, Mailly hav-Miners was watching for the chance ing been formerly a miner and one of those whom Mother Jones led into sue any paper having property that would dare to touch the foul lies. The Polly Pry was issued al-most anonymously, had no property to the organized labor movement.

Moreover the Sentinel claimed Mother Jones had been driven out that could be levied on and of Colorado, and we knew that Comtherefore safe from the law. The woman who issued it has a long rerade Mailly would know the facts. Here is his reply, which brands the editor of the Sentinel as a scoundrel, cord as a union-fighter-for pay, tof

if anything possibly can: Dear Comrade Heath:-

"Dear Comrade Heath:—
"I have your letter of Friday last, forwarded to me by Comrade Clark.
"Replying about Mother Jones will say that she returned with my wife from Colorado to Omaha in January as soon as she was able to move from the hospital where she had been dangerously ill with typhoid-pneumonia. She only left Trinidad (Colo), apon the urgent solicitation of my wife. She stayed with us in Omaha for three or four days and then went on to Indianapolis for a conference with John Mitchell, who wanted to consult with her about the strike situation in the Southern coal mining field of Colorado, where she had been and was taken sick. She only stayed a day or two in Indianapolis and returned to Colorado by way of Omaha, staying with us again a couple of days. SHE IS IN COLORADO NOW and has been there since the first week of February, helping in the coal miners' strike.

My wife and Ill tried to prevail upon her not to return to Colorado, but to rest up. as she was not in a physical condition to go anywhere, but she insisted upon returning to the "boys."

Since returning to Colorado she bas had at least one narrow escape for her life.

"The quotation about her from the

Ida Bauknecht, Defendant.

THE STATE OF WISCOSSIN, To the said Defendant.

You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid; and in case of your failure so to do judgement will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint, of which a copy is herewith served upon you.

RICHARD BLSNER,

iffe.

"The quotation about her from the Milwaukee Sentinel is a DASTARDLY, COWARDLY SLANDER and you can brand it as such. She lived in Omaha for eight to ten years before she started out in 1894, and Lamet quite a number of people who knew her during those days and they had nothing but good to speak of her. And they were the kind of people who would not consort with

MILWAUKEE COUNTY COURT,

STATE OF WISCONSIN. } SS.

In the Matter of the Last Will and Testa-nent of Bruestina Thoma, Deceased.

Menter of Ernestina Thoma, Deceased.

Whisheas, An instrument in writing, purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Ernestina Thoma, deceased, late of the City and County of Milwaukee, has been delivered and deposited with the above named Court: and whereas, application has been made by Brnest Thoma praying that the same be proved and admitted to State, and conding to the laws of this granted thereon according to law to Ernest Thoma.

homa.

It is Ordered, That said application be and before this Court at a regular term circof, to be held in the County Courson at the Court House in the City or county in the court House in the City or the county in the Court House in the City or the first Tuesday of April 1904, at 0 o'clock A. M., or as soon the reached or the safe of the county in the county of the county of

AND 17 Is PURTHER ORDERED, That notice of said application and hearing be given by obtaining a copy of this order for three weeks successively, once in each week, in the Boelal Democratic Heraid, a newspaper has been been successed by the successively of the successive of the successive of the successive of the successive of the successively of the successive of the success By the Court.

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