

TICKET INVALID IN WASHINGTON But Socialists Still Have Chances Left and Will Resort to Pastors

(SPECIAL TO THE DAILY SOCIALIST.) Seattle, Wash., Oct. 22.—Only by squeezing through a very small loophole will the Socialist voters of the state of Washington keep from being disfranchised at the coming election on account of a Supreme court decision...

Election Tax the Cause This decision makes it necessary to pay several thousand dollars primary election tax before the Socialist candidates can be placed on the official ballot...

Considerations Held Valid These considerations were held valid by Judge Pondexter in Spokane county, Judge Morris in King county and Judge Nester in Whatcom county...

What the Law Provides The law expressly provides that the voter shall not be prevented from posting or writing the name of the candidate in his choice on the election ballot...

MOVIE 39 TIMES SAVES MONEY, BUT LOSES WIFE Fort Wayne, Ind., Oct. 22.—Because she was forced to change her home 39 times in her married life, Mrs. Jennie E. V. Jarrett yesterday asked a divorce from James E. Jarrett...

GAMBLERS PLAYING TAFT TO WIN; ODDS 2 TO 1 UP TO 6 TO 1 With odds ranging from 2 to 1 up to 6 to 1, the gamblers are playing Taft to win. Even from the "solid South" comes odds at 3 to 1. The 6 to 1 offers come from Michigan. The New York gamblers are not taking much interest in the presidential election...

11,554

The extra ten-day CAMPAIGN SERIES subscriptions jumped yesterday from 523 to 11,554. Bundle orders are now beginning to come in fast. Bundle orders are what will count from now on.

HOLSTON MAKING A HARD FIGHT

Los Angeles Socialist Lawyer Conducting Hot Campaign for Congress (SPECIAL TO THE DAILY SOCIALIST.) Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 22.—Taking advantage of the spectacular fight for free speech which the Socialists recently won here, A. R. Holston, candidate for congress from the seventh California district, is making a record-breaking campaign...

Effect of "Red Special" Interest has been strong in the campaign because of the intense enthusiasm aroused by the visit of the "Red Special" and the consequent prestige given to Socialism. This has aided Holston in making his fight for congress...

L. C. IS NOW FOR ELECTRIFICATION

The directors and stockholders of the Illinois Central railroad at the annual meeting yesterday reassured the citizens of Chicago by passing resolutions which placed them on record as favoring the immediate electrification of the road within the corporate limits of the city.

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WE WILL NOT; YOU CAN NOT

This Is What Roosevelt Tells Bryan Concerning Anti-Injunction Issue

Washington, D. C., Oct. 22.—President Roosevelt has again leaped into the campaign arena and this time to attack Bryan and Gompers in their attitude on the injunction abuse. The president says that Gompers' demand is a menace to the nation and that Bryan could not carry it into effect without packing the United States Supreme court to prevent the measure from being rejected as unconstitutional...

Raps Gompers' Attack In a letter to Senator Knox of Pennsylvania President Roosevelt, in one line, tells that Gompers' attacks on the courts are unfounded and base, and in another that only the intervention of Knox as attorney general of the United States influenced the United States Supreme court to give a "construction of the safety appliance law which made it a vital remedial statute."

Knox Has the Right In a previous part of the letter President Roosevelt makes the following significant statement relative to Knox's recent speech defining the attitude of the G. O. P. on labor: "You have the right to speak on labor questions; for it was you, who, as attorney general, first actively invoked the great power of the federal government on behalf of the rights of labor when, for the first time in the history of the government, you speaking for the department of justice, intervened in a private lawsuit which had gone against a locomotive fireman who had lost his arm in coupling cars, and by your intervention secured from the Supreme court a construction of the safety appliance act which made it a vital remedial statute, and, therefore, has secured to hundreds of crippled employees and widows of crippled employees, compensation which they would not otherwise have obtained."

Why Magnates Favor Bryan Roosevelt tells why malefactors of great wealth will support Bryan, even with his labor policy in sight. He says: "I happen to know that certain great trust magnates have announced with interest in the election of Bryan, and I am sure that they are doing so for the reason that they are secretly favoring the election of Mr. Bryan, that the laws that Mr. Bryan proposed, including especially the law which would strip the courts of their jurisdiction over the trusts, would undoubtedly throw them out, and that the promises to enact them could, therefore, be safely disregarded."

WOMEN AGAINST SCHOOL 'FRATS'

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 22.—For about ten minutes yesterday the club women of the Illinois Federation, in session at East St. Louis, turned their attention to the subject of high school fraternities and sororities. And if there is any lingering idea in the minds of Chicago sorority girls that their organized elders are with them in their court fight the young women may as well dispense with it right away.

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DISSOLVING UNDER A STRONG LIGHT!



CZAR MAY NOT GET JAN POUREN

New York, Oct. 22.—Hope is at last held out that the United States government, smarting under the criticism of hundreds of thousands of Americans, will not dare to return Jan Pouren, Russian revolutionist, to the clutches of the czar.

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Many Are Exiles Many of the men in charge of the Young Turk movement, including Kiamil Pasha, the recognized head of the order, were formerly exiles in Athens, and in addition to understanding the Greek temperament have the confidence of the Greek radicals as well as the Socialists of Bulgaria. For this reason Salvenski consented to withdraw the raiding bands of Sultotes.

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EVEN "SILK STOCKINGS" CASTING VOTES FOR DEBS

New York, Oct. 22.—W. H. Taft's election is forecast by a straw vote taken by the Literary Digest, the results being published in the issue out today. It is explained that the voters reached by the Literary Digest include lawyers, physicians, educators, clergymen, and the professional classes generally; also bankers and business men of the country who are rated substantially in the commercial directories. It covers all parts of the country. Follow the totals:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Votes. Taft 19,324; Bryan 8,677; Debs 5,443; Watson 45; Chadwick 84; Higgen 154; Gilhaus 14. Total 28,241.

GIVES HIS LIFE FOR SOCIALISM

Albert E. Yerex, Manager of the "Red Special" Dies From Overwork The "Red Special" has claimed its first victim. The tremendous overwork essential to the management of the undertaking proved too much for Albert E. Yerex, under whose auspices the tour was organized. He had accompanied the train upon the western trip and his tireless efforts to assure the comfort of those upon the train, and to prevent any disarrangement of the railroad connections proved too much for human endurance.

Wife Takes Up Work On the arrival of the train in Chicago his work was taken up by his wife who accompanied the train until called home by the death of her husband. On his urgent request, just before his death, she will return to the management of the "Red Special" tomorrow, and remain with it until the end of the trip.

Funeral Held Today The funeral services were held today at Arrant's undertaking parlors, 247 North Clark street. The body was taken to Valparaiso, Ind., for burial at 11 o'clock in the morning.

DEBS CHEERED IN TAFT'S TOWN

Cincinnati Workers Applaud When Socialist Hits G.O. P. Nominee's Record (WORKERS' PRESS ASSOCIATION.) (From Yesterday's Last Edition.) Cincinnati, O., Oct. 22.—Refreshed by a day's complete rest Eugene V. Debs spoke with his accustomed vim to 5,600 people who filled the Music Hall here last night. He paid special attention to the labor record of "Injunction Bill" Taft and every point which he made in that connection was cheered by the people of Taft's home city.

Met With Two Bands The "Red Special" was met at the station last evening by a crowd of 1,000 men, women and children, with two bands. With the "Red Special" party at the head of the procession and the home bands in second place the crowd formed and marched to the Music Hall, filling into the almost crowded hall, amid the cheers of those already assembled there. When Debs mounted the platform there was a demonstration lasting ten minutes. Nicholas Kleja and L. T. Aitchens spoke and Claude Adams was chairman of the meeting.

Stedman's Voice Falls Him In the course of the day Stedman lost his voice. That was the day's only misfortune. The "Red Special" party was informed that because of the Taft-Pouren fight and various factional disturbances in the G. O. P. in this state the Republican leaders are worried and will put forth their utmost efforts to keep the state in the Republican column at election.

PITTSBURG PAPERS AROUSED Point Out Immense Significance of the Debs Demonstration (From Yesterday's Last Edition.) Pittsburgh, Pa., Oct. 22.—The press of this city has become aroused to the immense significance of the reception given Debs.

If Crowds Prove Anything "If mere crowds prove anything, they would prove that the next president of the United States is going to be the Socialist candidate, Eugene V. Debs. At all events, the crowd theory would prove that, if Mr. Debs is not going to carry the country he is at least going to carry that stronghold of Republicanism, Allegheny county. He was here yesterday, speaking twice, and on each occasion he confronted packed audiences, filling one of the largest theaters in the city after five times as many people had been turned away as were able to secure admission. If Mr. Bryan came here and was met with such enthusiasm as the Debs audiences displayed, the Democratic press would be claiming Allegheny county with overbearing confidence.

People Will See Red The Sun says: "Thousands of voters this year will support the Democratic ticket, giving the party a last chance to make good, to stem the current now drifting to an oligarchy of wealth and privilege. If the Democrats entrusted with power the next year fall as the Re-

HEARST TO DISCHARGE BEST EXPLOSIVES SATURDAY NIGHT Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 22.—Additional Standard Oil letters of more importance than any thus far read are to be made public at the Independence party meeting in New York Saturday night, according to a statement made by William R. Hearst in an interview here last night. He declared they are hotter than any thus far given publicity, and that he had saved them for the finish of the campaign.

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No Letters From Aldrich Hearst denied a story recently published that he had letters from Archbold to Senators Aldrich and Penrose. "The fact is," said Hearst, "that I have no letters from Senator Aldrich—not one. I have a letter written by Senator Penrose to Archbold in which he speaks about an appointment with Senator Aldrich, but this is the only letter I have in which Aldrich's name is mentioned.

Four Dead in a Steamer Fire (SPECIAL TO THE DAILY SOCIALIST.) New York, N. Y., Oct. 22.—Four colored men perished in the burning of the Hudson river steamer, "The South," which was wrecked last night.

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MAN, STRANGLING SUSPECT, GRANTED PETITION FOR BAIL

After an all day session, which brimmed with dramatic incidents and surprises for every one concerned, Judge Windes yesterday granted the petition for bail of Laman C. Mann charged with the murder of Mrs. Frances Gilmore Thompson. This decision did not come until nearly 8 o'clock in the evening, when it was too late to schedule the property necessary to secure the \$25,000 bonds. Consequently Mann spent the night in jail. It is expected that bonds will be furnished early this morning.

Delay Was Favorable "You will perceive that the delay in deciding the case, far from being injurious to Pouren, has been altogether favorable to him, and for the purpose of giving him an opportunity to prove his real defense, which he failed to prove originally.

Lively Campaign in Ogden The Socialist of Ogden, Utah, are conducting a lively campaign. J. W. Brown and Margaret Pevey have spoken here within the last few days to large audiences. The crowds were from 100 to 1,000.

LOCAL CAMPAIGN NOW "RED" HOT Paid Organizers, Noon-Day Meetings and "Junior Special" Stir Up City

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OHIO LABOR VOTE SWITCHERS FROM G. O. P. TO SOCIALISTS

(SPECIAL TO THE DAILY SOCIALIST.) Cincinnati, Ohio, Oct. 22.—A special issue of the Cincinnati Enquirer of different factories in different localities shows that the labor vote is switching from the Republican party to the Socialist party and that nearly all of the Republican loss was Socialist gain.

Out of a total of 4,127 votes from various sources the following changes were noted: National Ticket—Republican to Socialist, 12; Republican to Prohibition, 26; Republican to Independent, 37; Democrat to Prohibition, 12; Democrat to Socialist, 25; Socialist to Republican, 28; Socialist to Prohibition, 8; Socialist to Republican, 22; Prohibition to Republican, 6; Prohibition to Democrat, 18; Prohibition to Socialist, 9; Socialist to Independent, 5; Democrat to Independent, 2; Republican to Independent, 21; Democrat to Prohibition, 31; Democrat to Socialist, 21; Prohibition to Democrat, 9; Prohibition to Republican, 6; Socialist to Democrat, 32; Socialist to Republican, 10; Socialist to Prohibition, 11; Prohibition to Socialist, 6; Prohibition to Democrat, 10; mixed, 58.

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(Continued from Page One.) Republicans have fallen in their twelve years of power will begin to see red, and those who balk now at giving an inch of their ill-gotten opportunities will have to yield an ell.

"To hold back Socialism and all the undeniable dangers it represents it is not only imperative necessary now to proper public sentiment, but to cast out all those who are now or who have been misleading or denying popular demands."

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RAILROADERS ARE HARD HIT

Engineer Tells McFeely Wages Are Lower and Work Is Harder

BY OTTO M'FEELY (WORKERS' PRESS ASSOCIATION.) Connettsville, Pa., Oct. 17.—(By Mail.)—S. M. May, one of the active Socialist here, is a railway engineer. He gives some interesting facts about exploitation of expert railway workers.

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LEOPOLD, BEATEN IN HOUSE, SEEKS TO NULLIFY THE BELGIAN OLD-AGE LAW

(SPECIAL TO THE DAILY SOCIALIST.) Brussels, Oct. 21.—King Leopold's government, having been beaten in the parliament by the passage of the old-age pension law, is now endeavoring to nullify that law by "interpreting" it in a manner which renders it valueless as an aid to the class it was intended to benefit.

The old-age pension law of Belgium provides for an annual pension of 65 francs (\$16) to all persons over 65 years of age. The law was intended to reach the workers in the great coal regions of the eastern part of Belgium and the weavers in and around Ghent and Antwerp.

Law Is Saddled New King Leopold's minister has saddled the law with a requirement that for a period of three years before attaining the age of 65 years one who intends to be an applicant for the pension must appear before a local government officer, make his declaration and pay to the government the total sum of 18 francs, equally spread over the three years.

This declaration may not be made nor the back payments be permitted in order to establish the right to the old-age pension.

Now eighteen francs thus paid is a prohibitive sum to the ordinary worker of Belgium, and the Socialist party in parliament are loudly denouncing the government as acting illegally and against the spirit and meaning of the old-age pension law by laying on illegal restrictions.

Will Fight Test Case A test case will be prepared at once and fought through the courts. There is great indignation against the king, who is believed to be behind the restrictions. Meetings were held denouncing the minister of labor in unmeasured terms at St. Gilles, Antwerp.

Stockholders' Meeting You are hereby notified that at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of November 22, 1908, at the Chicago Daily Socialist, 180 East Washington street, Chicago, Ill., the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Workers' Publishing Society will be held for the purpose of passing upon the annual report of the board of directors and for the election of seven members of the board of directors for the ensuing year.

Form of Proxy I hereby authorize and direct you to vote for the shares of stock in my name at the annual meeting of the Workers' Publishing Society to be held at the Chicago Daily Socialist, 180 East Washington street, Chicago, Ill., on November 22, A. D. 1908.

Miner Killed Before Coming of Family From England Terre Haute, Ind., Oct. 22.—Somewhere between here and their old home in England the wife and children of George Morris are on their way to Terre Haute to find he was killed by a fall from a high place while working. Morris had sent for his family and was expecting them daily. Thomas Bojts also was killed.

Markets WINTER WHEAT—Up 1/2c. Sales, 20,000 bu. No. 2 red, 1 1/2c. No. 3 red, 1 1/4c. No. 4 red, 1 1/4c. No. 1 hard, 1 1/2c. No. 2 hard, 1 1/4c. No. 3 hard, 1 1/4c. No. 4 hard, 1 1/4c. No. 1 soft, 1 1/2c. No. 2 soft, 1 1/4c. No. 3 soft, 1 1/4c. No. 4 soft, 1 1/4c. No. 1 white, 1 1/2c. No. 2 white, 1 1/4c. No. 3 white, 1 1/4c. No. 4 white, 1 1/4c. No. 1 yellow, 1 1/2c. No. 2 yellow, 1 1/4c. No. 3 yellow, 1 1/4c. No. 4 yellow, 1 1/4c. No. 1 black, 1 1/2c. No. 2 black, 1 1/4c. No. 3 black, 1 1/4c. No. 4 black, 1 1/4c.

BYRAN IS SELLING ADVANCE TICKETS TO WHITE HOUSE

If you join a Bryan railroad men's club and subscribe to the Bryan campaign fund you will get a free pass to the White House for four years, good if Bryan is elected. That is the offer made by the Democratic national committee in a broadly distributed appeal as follows:

"Dear Sir—Inclosed please find Bryan and Kern Railroad club subscription club blank. Kindly place the same before all members of the railroad club for their subscriptions to the campaign fund."

A receipt in the form of a traveling card will be issued by the Democratic national committee to each member for the amount donated.

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Soldier Who Made Charges Against Army Is Left Out (SPECIAL TO THE DAILY SOCIALIST.) Brussels, Oct. 23.—The scandal in connection with the supply department of the Belgian army continues to be a subject of violent discussion. It develops that the soldier who first made the charges of irregularities and misappropriation of funds in the forage bureau was the only employe at Etterbeek who was not examined by the board of review. The examination included only the henchmen of the government and the tools of the heads of the army.

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EVERY BALLOT MUST COUNT. All Voting Places Should Be Watched so That Justice May Be Done.

BY J. O. BENTALL. How many votes will the Socialists poll Nov. 3? That is hardly the question.

Make Yourself a Watcher. After a strenuous campaign with hundreds of speakers and thousands of agitators throughout the country, it would be criminal negligence on the part of the Socialists to fail to see the affair to the end.

Plans for the Rally. A mighty effort is now being put forth by the state campaign committee to finish up the work and make the rally at the Seventh Regiment armory on Nov. 1 a huge success.

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EMPT SEATS AT GOMPERS RALLY. Orchestra Hall Is Only Half Full as Laborite Sings Praises of Bryan

When President Gompers gazed on the empty seats in Orchestra hall last night he probably remembered that a short time ago he refused to debate politics with Eugene V. Debs because he did not "care to furnish Debs with an audience."

With Roger Sullivan. Gompers entered the hall in company with Roger Sullivan, Cook county Democratic boss and owner of the non-union Sawyer Blauett company, supposed to be a part of the cracker trust.

Methods Are Similar. "Taft," he said, "has not mentioned that the injunctions against the American Federation of Labor were practically based upon Taft's own injunctive decision."

GIRL CAUGHT IN GARB OF A MAN. Dressed in the garb of a young man, Hazel Maine, 17 years old, who declares her home is in Milwaukee, was found wandering near Wabash avenue and Twelfth street shortly after 4 a. m. today by Policeman Andrew Spiege of the Harrison street station.

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THE HUSTLERS' COLUMN. By W. H. Murphy. WHAT THE SUBSCRIPTION HUSTLERS DID IN ONE DAY.

New out-of-town subscriptions 129. New city subscriptions 27. Total for the day 156. We're going to oil up the press bright and early tomorrow morning and start that CAMPAIGN SERIES on its way to make votes for Eugene V. Debs and Socialism.

Previously acknowledged 9,923. S. Benton, Rockford, Ill. Mrs. J. W. Mikel, Pleasant Hill, Ill. George Hake, Norwood, O.

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Ten Blind Leaders of the Blind. This second volume of Garrick Theater Lectures, by Arthur M. Lewis, announced long ago, is ready at last.

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TO READERS OF BOOKS. We are quoting three books below which until recently have been obscure and practically unobtainable by persons who were desirous of possessing them.

WATCH THE CHANGE IN THIS ANNOUNCEMENT. Robert Hunter. An Author whose earnestness and sincerity of purpose is reflected in every line.

LEWIS WILL LECTURE. In Arkansas City, Kan., at Highland Hall, Saturday and Sunday, October 24 and 25. UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE DAILY SOCIALIST.

Every Woman. It is a well known fact that the majority of the population of this country are women.

Taking a First Step

Within the last few months Persia, Turkey and China have taken the first steps away from autocracy toward a constitutional government.

None save a few Socialist writers called attention to the fact that the events in the orient were but following the path blotted out in the west a century ago.

The Socialist knows that political changes follow and are caused by economic changes. When the factory system came into England over a century ago it made necessary the introduction of political democracy.

Today railroads and telegraphs and factories have invaded Persia and Turkey and China. It was inevitable that their coming should mean the end of autocracy and the beginning of constitutional democracy.

But because a recognition of the fact that industrial conditions determine political institutions carries with it some conclusions that are not pleasant to the rulers of today, they avoid all mention of this fact in their organs of publicity.

Today the United States and western Europe are just leaving the stage into which Persia, Turkey and China have just entered. The workers of those lands have begun to learn that they have no more need of industrial masters than they once had of political autocrats.

With the growth of concentrated industry, an intelligent working class, an idle, useless, profit-eating class, it is just as inevitable that capitalism should give way to Socialism as it is that feudalism should be displaced by capitalism with the introduction of modern machinery.

When He Did Tell an Untruth

Samuel Gompers is very brave in defying Taft. He demands that Taft specify when any untruthful accusation was made against him by the president of the American Federation of Labor.

Will he make the same statement with regard to E. V. Debs? Samuel Gompers made at least three of the most libelously false statements against Debs that have ever been made in an American political campaign.

He declared that Debs had betrayed his position as an officer of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

He alleged that Debs had insulted union men on strike and had given union printing to a scab firm.

He stated that the "Red Special" was financed by Van Cleave and the Citizens' Alliance.

Every one of these statements have been proven to be slanderous lies without a shadow of foundation.

Their falsity has been definitely, thoroughly and specifically demonstrated.

WILL GOMPERS EITHER EXPLAIN OR APOLOGIZE?

Dear, delightful Dr. Ben Reitman, king of the tramps and master slinger of "bunk," complains that the Socialists, having secured free speech for themselves, have laid down and quit fighting for free speech for the anarchists, the Liberty league and others.

Just think how much you would know about the "Red Special" and its marvelous trip if you had been obliged to depend on the old party press with not a Socialist daily to keep you posted.

It must make poor Hisgen feel as though he had gone to the wrong shop to purchase his human gratitude when he notices the more or less open manner in which Hearst is now advocating the election of Roosevelt.

Mr. Bryan is going to New York to see if he can outdo the Debs doings. It can't be done, Bill. The streets of New York will hold just so many people, and they were crowded to capacity when Debs was there.

From the faint-hearted manner in which some of the straight Republican papers are supporting Taft we should judge that Wall street hasn't started yet to buy the election for "Fatty from Cincinnati."

There are ten days left in which to let the workingman know what Socialism means for him. Fine opportunity for one with spare time to use it to good advantage.

There is nothing so silly as an election prediction. It is at best but the noise a man makes in whistling to keep up his courage. Straw votes turn out mostly chaff, anyway.

It would be tough on the starving school children if they had to wait for the Republican and Democratic parties to feed them.

Never mind bothering about what Socialism isn't. Tell your friends what it is.

THE CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR WORLD. A cartoon illustration showing a man labeled 'EMPLOYER' standing on a child's shoulders, reaching for a branch of money. Text boxes include: 'Johnny is worth so cents a week to us, what is he worth to you? Employee', 'WANTED The FACTORIES want thousands of MINORS to forego their rights to education, mental, moral and physical.', 'Why work if you can make the children support you?', 'We must have cheap labor to compete with others. Don't be sentimental. Grand, Greed & Co.', and 'EMPLOYER... Steady, children, and you shall have the coles.'

That the organ of the largest interdenominational Christian organization in the world should present this picture as its cover page is tremendously significant of the present trend of thought. That our civilization rises upon the backs of its children, and that it reaches only for profits, is a lesson once learned never will be forgotten.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

What Josie Told Me. BY ERMA VIVIAN JOHNSON. Day before yesterday I had a little time and wanted to pay a visit of long standing, but it rained. Yesterday was a fine day, but there was ironing to do, a house out of order, mending, and innumerable duties to attend to. These would have been attended to the day before if the baby had not taken sick and required attention.

Woman's Branch. The Woman's Branch will hold a special business meeting this evening at 8 o'clock, 163 East Randolph street. All members are requested to be present without fail. JOSEPHINE GROSS, Secretary. For Home Dressmakers. Ladies' Semi-Princess Dress. Paris Pattern No. 234. All seams allowed. Made up in cashmere or cotton crepe. As in any of the summer waist materials this frock is both easy to make and becoming when worn.

THE MAKING OF THE NOBLE. BY ROBERT HUNTER. Perhaps one might stand seeing all the suffering and misery in the world if one KNEW that something good and great was being produced by it. Horrible as modern capitalism is, one might stand it if at the top men, women and children were being produced who really represented goodness, greatness and power.

One thousand eight hundred and forty-eight was a year of such uprisings. Carlyle says: "Everywhere immeasurable Democracy rose monstrous, loud, blatant, inarticulate as the voice of Chaos. Everywhere the Official Holy-of-holies was scandalously laid bare to dogs and the profane. Kings everywhere, and reigning persons, stared in sudden horror, the voice of the whole world bellowing in their ear: 'Begone, ye imbecile hypocrites, histrion not heroes! Off with you, off!'"

CAPITALISM'S AUCTION BLOCK

A TRUE STORY BY EMANUEL JULIUS. This particular young man—we will call him John for the sake of a name—was a dark, heavy-set man. He had come a distance in search of employment, but there was so much to see and the sights were so dazzling and multitudinous that, for the first few days he did nothing but walk about and see the sights.

THE MAN ON HORSEBACK

Impassive, proud, with iron heart and hand. He sweeps away the patriarchal past and leads the van of revolutions vast. At accepted capital's supreme command He ends the feudal order in the land. The factory whistle drowns the bugle blast That calls the serf, by hunger sore harassed,

TRUSTS AND SOCIALISM

JOHN BATES CLARK IN ATLANTIC MONTHLY. The growth of those corporations to which we give the name "trusts" has lessened the force of one stock argument against Socialism, and added a wholly new argument in its favor. The difficulty of managing colossal enterprises formerly stood in many minds as the chief consideration against nationalization of capital and industry.