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VAST ARRAY OF WEALTH FACES LABOR

Steel Trust, Foe of Organized Workers, Commands Fifteen Billions.

ARRAY AGAINST LABOR

United States Steel Corporation directors and those of J. P. Morgan & Co. control industrial combines capitalized at \$15,857,629,339.

STAKE PLAYED FOR The life or death of trade unionism in the United States, that is the real issue back of the struggle centering just now in the trial of J. J. McNamara and his brother, J. W. McNamara.

ON LABOR'S SIDE The organized working men of the United States and the Socialist party, with the trade union treasurers, the Socialist party press and local organizations.

WAY TO WIN United action of working men at the ballot box at the presidential election of 1912 and at local elections, to make the United States one vast MILWAUKEE.

Financial interests, the most vast in the United States, are linked with the United States Steel Corporation and J. P. Morgan & Co., the financial agent of the steel trust and other huge combines. The United States Steel Corporation has but one policy toward labor.

Policy Toward Labor This is it: Labor must be shown that it can expect nothing from trade unions. The United States Steel Corporation will take care of its workmen, let them look to it alone; they cannot help themselves.

To further this policy the company has its police and spy system and has crushed out union labor in its plants, made the working day twelve hours long and driven pay down.

Insure Against Strikes To insure against labor troubles it has allowed some of its employees to procure stock in the corporation. Its subsidiary, the American Bridge company, is warring on the Structural Iron Workers.

The Alpha Portland Cement company, finding itself confronted by unfavorable railroad rates over the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, looked for the reason. The reason was found in the control of the cement industry sought by the Universal Portland Cement company, a subsidiary of the United States Steel Corporation.

Steel Trust Influence Then the Alpha Portland-Cement company looked farther and finally presented to a special examiner of the Interstate Commerce Commission a tabulation showing the financial influence exercised by the men who are directors in the United States Steel Corporation and in the banking firm of J. P. Morgan & Co.

This is the "influence" as shown by the table, which names the director, gives the capitalization of the property and the income they produce annually, in as follows:

Table with 3 columns: Director, Capital, Income. Lists names like Geo. F. Baker, N. B. Ream, J. F. Dryden, etc.

Totals \$14,388,976,708 \$3,886,547,078

What Labor Is Up Against

This table appeared in the Chicago Tribune of May 10. It gives an idea of what union labor is up against when it starts to fight the steel trust.

The American Bridge company has fought the Structural Iron Workers for over five years. Is it any wonder that falling in such a war the next step is to seek to place three iron workers on the gallows with the hope of justifying further attacks on the union?

TELEGRAPHERS MAY ERECT \$500,000 HEADQUARTERS

Toronto, Ont., May 11.—Following a visit to Niagara Falls Wednesday the convention of the Order of Railway Telegraphers today again took up the routine business referred to it for disposal. Over 350 delegates are in attendance.

One of the matters yet to be settled is the matter of a big office building, which it is proposed to erect in St. Louis as headquarters of the order, the structure to cost in the vicinity of \$500,000. In his biennial report, President Perham declares that the order is enjoying the most successful epoch in its existence. Over a hundred new and revised wage scales have been obtained.

Tonight a ball will be tendered the delegates and their wives in the Labor Temple. The convention is expected to last several more days.

We Are Waiting for Judge Petit's Reply; Will He Answer the Examiner Charges?

Socialists believe in law, order and justice. They believe in them so much that they take these things seriously. The Socialists of Chicago, like Socialists everywhere else, do not believe that the judges in our courts today take law, order and justice very seriously. As already pointed out they believe that the judges are merely the representatives of "Big Business" in our courtrooms, to interpret the law for their masters.

This matter has been brought to his attention in a letter which is as follows: "CHICAGO, Ill., May 10, 1911. 'JUDGE ADELOR J. PETIT, Circuit Court, County Building, Chicago, Ill.' 'Dear Sir: In last Sunday's Examiner appeared the statement, among others of a similar nature, that 'Judge Petit is the creature of William Lorimer.' 'Up to the present time you have made no statement to the contrary, although it would seem that you would hasten to deny it if untrue. 'In the Daily Socialist of today an offer is made to grant you any amount of space that you may need to make a suitable reply. 'In case you should not happen to receive a copy of the paper, we are enclosing the Daily Socialist of today containing the offer. 'Sincerely, 'J. L. ENGDARL, 'Managing Editor.' We are now waiting for Judge Petit's reply. Will he answer the Examiner charges?

Chicago Child Welfare Exhibition Shows How the School Child, Unhealthy, Morally, Physically, or Mentally, Can Be Rebuilt by Pure Air, Good Food and Rest



ONE OF CHICAGO'S CHILD-REBUILDING SCHOOL CLASSES REMOVED TO THE WELFARE EXHIBITION TO DEMONSTRATE THIS ADVANCED IDEA IN CHILD CULTURE.

The ideal school as most youngsters picture it is no school at all. But what would our teachers of a generation ago think of this room with windows all wide open, a gale blowing through at times, of children who move their little tables to the windows, when the light does not suit them and who take a rest of an hour twice a day in a reclining canvas porch chair? And a quart of milk or soup and crackers takes the place of the surp-

nous system of that boy with the furtive look? There are no rows of seats in the new regime. Does that girl lack nourishing food at home? She is being fed soup and crackers to make her brain act in accord with digestion under the new system. Is that pale looking boy a consumptive? Yes, he is; but two months in this fresh air and a quart of milk a day, with an hour's rest twice a day is going to give him renewed lungs and a fresh lease of life.

TO EXTEND AID FOR JOBLESS

Kent Wants Huge Joint Conference to Consider the Remedies.

SUICIDE LAST RESORT The Chicago Examiner today prints a story to the effect that Mrs. Rebecca Solomon, 45 years old, was found dead from gas, and her daughter Rose, 17, found unconscious, after an attempt to commit suicide, because they could not live on the 20 cents a day which the mother earned selling matches. The daughter had been out of work since Easter.

The executive committee of the conference for unemployment met last night at 38 South Desplaines street and decided to ask the members of the Socialist party to at once bring up this vital question of unemployment for discussion before the various ward branches and also before the labor organizations to whom they happen to belong and to insist that two or more delegates be sent to take part in the work of the next conference which will meet Tuesday, May 16, 8 p. m., at 36 South Desplaines street, near Monroe street.

Wants All Facts The chairman of the conference, William Kent, furthermore, urges every reader of the Daily Socialist to send him any facts in their possession relating to individual cases showing the present state of affairs bearing on the agitation and education of the people on this subject.

Facts Suppressed Kent says that it is a notorious fact that all information on this matter is systematically and effectively suppressed by the capitalist press and that it is the mission of the Socialist press to give this information to the workers. "We must show," says Kent, "during the coming gubernatorial and presidential campaigns, that only a Socialist governor and legislature and only a Socialist president and congress can effectively and personally deal with this problem and only in accordance with the program and platform of the Socialist party."

LAWS FOR RICH OR POOR THE QUESTION

Berger's McNamara Resolution Puts This Matter Up to Congress.

By National Socialist Press. Washington, May 11.—Congress must decide whether labor men may be openly denied their constitutional rights while rich men violate all laws with impunity.

Demand Immediate Action This is the demand of an aroused American working class as expressed in the hundreds of letters received by members of Congress urging their support for the Berger resolution providing for a congressional investigation of the kidnaping of the McNamara brothers. These letters demand immediate action.

The Chicago Daily Socialist has suggested that Socialist and labor organizations everywhere adopt resolutions in favor of the Berger resolution, and that copies of the resolutions be sent to Representative Robert L. Henry, chairman of the House Rules Committee, Washington, D. C.

Up to Workers It is also advisable to send copies of such resolutions to the congressmen representing the districts wherein they may be adopted.

SIX HUNDRED CITIES JOIN WAR ON DREAD WHITE PLAGUE

By United Press. New York, May 11.—More than 600 cities and towns in the United States and 100 in Canada have organized bodies warring on consumption, according to the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis. On April 1 there were 1,500 agencies at work in the crusade, an increase of 70 per cent in seven years.

CIGAR MAKERS STRIKE AGAINST COURT DECISION

All Organized Labor in Tampa, Florida, to Be Called Out.

Special Correspondence. Tampa, Fla., May 11.—A general strike of all organized labor in this city has been ordered following the strike of 6,000 cigar makers who quit work as a protest against the decision of the Circuit court, which sustained the conviction of members of the cigar makers' executive board on conspiracy charges.

Do Not Seek Murderers The decision of the Circuit court has aroused the workers to the class character of the judiciary here. The union men have been found guilty of conspiracy, because as board members they managed the recent strike. On the other hand, the murderers of Elgarretta and Albano, who were lynched by a mob, have not been sought.

Immediately after the court decision, a meeting of the joint advisory board of the cigar makers, the building trades council and the local trades and labor assembly was called and the general strike ordered.

All union men in the city and many union sympathizers will lay down their tools at once as a protest against the court action.

Impesch Officials Efforts will also be made to force action against the slayers of the two cigar makers who were lynched. The impeachment of all officials who have failed to apprehend the lynchers will also be sought as one of the objects of the general strike.

Weather Forecast. Generally fair and cooler tonight and Friday, with westerly winds. Sunrise, 4:33 a. m.; sunset, 6:39 p. m.; moonset, 3:54 a. m.

PETIT RULING IS UP TODAY. Action Expected on Effort to Save Lorimer's Friends.

REBELS PLAN NEW BATTLE IN MEXICO

Whole State of Sonora May Be Taken at Once. Juarez captured by insurgents and Mexican General Navarro and 500 federal soldiers surrendered; casualties estimated at 75 dead and 250 wounded on both sides. Battle between Madero's forces and Mexican General Babago's command of 800 men, now marching to relieve Juarez, expected. Aguas Prieta and Naco evacuated by federals and occupied by insurgents. Insurrectos, occupying Tia Juana, Lower California, plan to attack Ensenada. Fifty federals reported to have been killed in fight with insurgents at Saltillo. Meeting of diplomatic corps at Mexico City to consider plans for protection of foreign interests. National Director Bicknell of the Red Cross leaves Washington for El Paso to organize relief work there. Wrecked railroad bridges in Mexico now number forty. Entire west coast of Mexico reported in chaotic condition, federal troops admitting inability to preserve order. Parras, former home of the Maderos, entirely in hands of revolutionists. Fall of Torreon, besieged by insurgents, considered certain within twenty-four hours. Heavy losses on both sides in fighting near Pueblo City.

RYAN ANXIOUS TO SPEAK AT HUGE PROTEST

Iron Workers' Head Thanks Socialists for Aid Given. There is every indication that on June 15 Riverview Park will be the scene of a monster Socialist and Labor Union protest meeting similar to those that have been successfully held in Los Angeles during the crisis which labor has been facing in that city.

Appreciates Efforts "It is needless for me to say how deeply and sincerely I appreciate their efforts, coming at a time when we were being basely slandered through the press, with every agency that money could procure, being employed to discredit us."

Keep Vigilant Watch San Diego, Cal., May 11.—General Pryce's insurgents at Tia Juana today established a vigilant watch towards the east and south for federal troops advancing to attack the city. Col. Mayott, with 300 federals, is reported to be enroute from Mexicali, while 150 federals have been dispatched from Ensenada.

Five Men Dead in Mine Blast Scranton, Pa., May 11.—Five men are dead following an explosion and fire in the Ross vein of the Boston colliery, operated by the Delaware & Hudson company at Clarisville, Luzerne county, near Kingston. A number of others had very narrow escapes.

Signs of Spring ANY OLD MUD PUPPLE LOOKS GOOD. Invitations will be sent to every union in Chicago to take part in the gathering which was originally planned as the annual Socialist Press Picnic, but which was given a double significance by the kidnaping.



CONDENSED NEWS

LOCAL

MORRIS LEAVITT and Barney Elman, accused of attempting to place Lillian Conners, aged 15 years, in a disorderly house, were fined \$200 and costs each by Judge Stewart at the Desplaines street court.

THE Committee of Fifteen, recently incorporated as an organization to suppress the white slave traffic, scored its first conviction when John Koskarak, alias John Reed, head usher of the Crown theater, was found guilty of pandering in the West Chicago avenue court. He was fined \$300 and one year in the house of correction.

THREE HUNDRED horses stabled in the Adams Express company barns, a three-story brick building at 721-33 West Monroe street, were rescued when fire caused a loss of \$50,000. The horses were led out with difficulty. Plunging and rearing, they made considerable noise. Rescuers had narrow escapes from being kicked to death.

JOSEPH E. HOWARD, author and leading man of "Love and Politics," which has been playing at the La Salle theater for the last three weeks, departed for San Antonio, Tex., where his wife, Mabel Harrison, is said to be dying. He did not notify anyone of his departure, which caused the closing of the play last night.

THE decline of Chicago as a marine port was indicated in testimony given before Special Examiner B. C. Miller, who is taking testimony in the government's suit to dissolve the "tug trust" on the great lakes. Captain William Harmon, manager of the Chicago Towing company, testified that from thirty-five to forty tugs were required to handle Chicago's marine traffic fifteen years ago, while now twelve tugs are ample.

DOMESTIC

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich.—Judge McDonald in a case in the Circuit court has upheld the constitutionality of the employers' liability law as amended by the state legislature of 1909.

DENVER, Colo.—Two men were killed and twenty-seven persons injured when west-bound Denver and Rio Grande passenger train No. 1 was derailed while rounding a curve two miles east of Minturn, Colo.

PITTSBURG, Pa.—The jury which heard the case of Frank N. Hoffstot of New York, car manufacturer and banker, charged with conspiracy to bribe in connection with the councilman graft scandal, was discharged after failing to reach an agreement.

COLUMBUS, Ga.—Concentration of all the negroes in the south in a section of the country set apart for themselves is proposed in a measure which will be presented to the Georgia legislature at its next session by Representative- elect James B. Slade of Columbus.

COLUMBUS, O.—After a lively debate in which those behind the legislative graft investigation were denounced, the Ohio senate, 22 to 2, defeated a bill which would annul the immunity provision of the law for inquiries by committees of the assembly.

BALTIMORE, Md.—At the twentieth annual convention of the Daughters of the Revolution, a resolution was adopted giving the board of managers supervision over the issue of a "patriotic primer" to be distributed to the non-English speaking population of the United States.

HAYWARD, Wis.—John Dietz, who is being tried for the alleged murder of Deputy Oscar Harbo at Cameron dam last fall, will subpoena Edward Hines to tell the jury whether the peace envoys who went to Cameron dam were sent by the Chicago and Wisconsin lumber interests. Hines has attended the trial.

MADISON, Wis.—A joint resolution charging Senator Stephenson with having bought his seat in the United States senate and requesting the United States senate to investigate charges of corruption against him was referred to the Judiciary committee by the senate. This action was taken in order not to endanger the passage of legislation pledged in the last republican state platform.

FOREIGN

LONDON.—A staff correspondent of the Daily Chronicle writes from Rome, giving an interview with General Ricotti Garibaldi, who asserts that he has enrolled a legion of 10,000 men, including Italians, Englishmen, Americans and

Amusements

TONIGHT—COLISEUM Come and see the \$150,000 Child Welfare Exhibit

TONIGHT Jane ADDAMS Julian W. MACK Cyrus H. McCORMICK Hear three speakers and chorus of 1,000 Child Welfare Exhibit COLISEUM FREE — 6 TO 10 O'CLOCK — FREE

GARRICK SAT. SAT. ONLY SAM BERNARD in "THE CAME FROM MILWAUKEE" ASK any group!!!

Frenchmen, to fight in behalf of the Albanians in the struggle against Turkey.

LONDON.—The Rome correspondent of the London News informs his paper that grave anxiety is expressed over the condition of the pope. It is said the pontiff displays symptoms of senile decay, such as arterial degeneration of the most pronounced type, a feeble heart, and rapidly falling powers of resistance. His gout has been much more frequent within the last three months, but the physicians are now most concerned about his heart.

PEKING.—The southern provinces, which are hostile to foreign enterprises and the Manchu dynasty, seem stirred by the reorganized government's boldness in the provinces, and a counter action is anxiously awaited. A revolution is possible, but it is generally believed that the provinces will not seriously resist the imperial edict, which authorizes the conclusion of the Hukwang loan of \$30,000,000 for railroad construction made by groups of financiers representing the United States, Great Britain, France and Germany.

POLITICAL

SPRINGFIELD, Ill.—The senate committee on sanitary affairs reported with favorable recommendation Senator Manny's anti-public drinking cup bill.

HARRISBURG, Pa.—The house of representatives voted, 129 to 4, in favor of the ratification of the proposed income tax amendment to the federal constitution.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill.—The sterilization bill recommended by the state board of administration and the anti-blacklist bill was tabled on recommendation of the judiciary committee.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill.—A joint resolution presented by the house committee on insurance providing for the appointment of a joint committee of eight to inquire into the subject of classification of fire insurance and old age insurance was adopted by the house.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill.—The bill of the house committee on municipal courts, carrying a revision of the municipal court act, was passed by the house. Among other things, it requires personal service in a forcible detainer suit, makes all judgments above \$200 a lien and below \$200 a lien upon the filing of a transcript, and gives judges of the municipal court power to issue bench warrants.

BUSINESS

EVANSVILLE, Ind.—Upon the order of the United States Commissioner J. W. Wartmann, the Evansville Cotton Mills will be sold on June 14. The plant is worth about \$250,000.

GEORGE M. STEWARD, receiver, and Pierre G. Beach, secretary for the A. C. Frost company, who, with Albert C. Frost, promoter of the Chicago & Milwaukee Electric railroad company, and six others, were indicted for conspiracy to defraud the government out of \$10,000,000 worth of Alaska coal land claims, have filed pleas to have indictments against them quashed.

IF you expect to be married this summer begin buying your furniture now, for the price is going up on June 1. The National Association of Furniture Manufacturers in convention at the Auditorium hotel, decided that the production of furniture in the United States shall be reduced one-third from June 1, and that prices shall be increased to the dealer. This is to last until at least Sept. 1. Resolutions to that effect were adopted last night unanimously.

ELEVATOR MEN GO ON STRIKE

Protest Against Attempt to Work Them Eleven Hours a Day.

Because the management of the Majestic Theater building, controlled by the Lehmann estate, broke the agreement existing with the Elevator Conductors and Starters' union the elevator men in that building have been called out and a strike on the Fair and all other buildings controlled by the estate will be ordered.

Force Long Hour Efforts to compel the management to observe the nine and one-half-hour day required in the agreement proved futile. The management insisted on working the elevator men eleven hours a day and the strike resulted.

Settle Marble Strike The strike of 100 marble setters and polishers, which has been on since March 6 has been settled. The terms provide that the union shall select two members, the employers shall select two members and these four shall select an umpire, the board of five to decide on the demand of the polishers for a wage increase which amounts to 25 cents a day. The board will hold its first meeting on Monday.

DELAY ACTION ON ORGANIC LAW OF TWO NEW STATES By United Press.

Washington, May 11.—The recall of judges, as set forth in the constitution of the proposed state of Arizona, must again be submitted to the people of the territory and the people of New Mexico must vote on an amendment making their constitution more easily amendable, before either state will be admitted to the Union, if the resolution which the house committee on territories today voted to report passes Congress.

The house will take up the report at 11 Tuesday.

EXHIBIT TO AID BATHING BEACH FIGHT

Big Child Welfare Show Opens Tonight at the Coliseum.

CHILD WELFARE EXHIBIT TONIGHT

Doors open at 6 o'clock. Cyrus H. McCormick, president of the International Harvester company, and his wife will open the exhibit formally two hours later.

Judge Julian Mack of the United States Commerce Court, and formerly judge of the Juvenile Court in Chicago, will speak after the formal opening. Jane Addams of Hull House will be another speaker.

A chorus of 1,500 children will sing during the evening.

"Twenty-seven Miles of Shore-Line and Four Bathing Beaches." This inscription, accompanied by a large poster showing a policeman chasing a group of boys off the lake front of Chicago, is part of the effort being made by the Child Welfare Exhibit, which opens tonight at the Coliseum to help the boys of Chicago.

Spur for City Council It is hoped by the promoters of the exhibit that data presented there will spur the city council to action on a comprehensive plan for public bathing beaches.

There are now four public bathing beaches, exclusive of the tanks at the small parks, Calumet Park, Twenty-sixth street, Lincoln Park and the beach at Seventy-ninth street. This is all the use being made of Lake Michigan for such purposes, through public enterprises.

The factor of play as a necessity in the life of a child is taken up in detail by exhibits and the statement made that "the child who has never learned to play is on the road to the almshouse or the penitentiary."

Long hours of work for children who are attending school are set forth in an exhibit which shows that in one school 50 per cent of the children in the fifth grade work outside of school hours, as do 33 per cent of the children in the fourth grade, 15 per cent of the children in the second grade, and 12 per cent of the children in the first grade.

Another exhibit shows that in one school the children go to school 25 hours a week, one boy working 50 hours a week in addition, four working 40 hours each, five working 25 hours each, seven working 20 hours a week and eighteen working 20 hours a week.

The wages earned for such work are given, and they range from \$1.18 earned by the 30-hour-a-week boy to 25 cents earned by the lowest paid of the others.

Many Not in School Still another exhibit shows that there are 266,429 children in Chicago, according to the 1910 census, between the ages of 6 and 16 years, and of this number 25,241 are not in school.

Every effort is being made to get the exhibition into shape and from all indications everything will be ready tonight. A handbook of the exhibition is being prepared and will explain the exhibits.

Some of the charts presented contain family budgets, showing the food, clothing and shelter costs, which may be met by a family with an income of \$300 a year.

VLADEK WILL TALK TO JEWS

V. Vladek, organizer of the Jewish Socialist Agitation Bureau and the Socialist party, will speak tonight at Workingmen's hall, 12th and Walker, under the auspices of the Ninth Ward Jewish Branch of the Socialist party.

He will take as his subject the "Economic and Political Struggle of the Working Class in America." Friday night he will speak in the same hall on "What Is the Matter With the Jewish Labor Movement?"

Repeating his Friday night's subject, Vladek will speak Saturday evening at the Northwest Side Hebrew Institute, 15 and 17 Meriam place. All Jews are urged to attend. There will be free discussion.

HEADS FIRST CHINESE CABINET The substitution of a cabinet for a grand council marks a long step forward in China's political awakening.

RECOMMEND DEFEAT OF DOUBLE-PLATOON BILL Springfield, Ill., May 11.—The senate committee on municipalities has recommended the defeat of the double-platoon bill, which is backed by the union friends of Chicago. This action followed the recommendation of the sub-committee which visited Chicago recently.

War Has Halted By United Press. St. Paul, Minn., May 11.—The war between the postoffice department and the railway mail clerks who recently unionized, apparently has halted today,

MUSICIANS' CONVENTION HAS BIG ATTENDANCE

Atlanta, Ga., May 11.—The convention of the American Federation of Musicians in session here since the first of the week is expected to close today. Delegates representing 500 locals in every state of the union, also Canadian and English delegates are on the floor. The total number of visitors, including the local musicians, their wives and families is aggregated at over 2,000.

Much business was disposed of Wednesday. The hospitality of the southern unions is being praised on all sides by the visiting delegates. A barbecue was held Tuesday.

CATHOLIC VIEW OF 'REBELLION'

Lillis in Statement on New Play by Joseph Medill Patterson.

Special Correspondence. Kansas City, Mo., May 11.—The first statement from the Catholic church regarding its attitude toward Joseph Medill Patterson's new play, "Rebellion," was made today by Thomas F. Lillis, coadjutor bishop of this diocese.

Says Catholics Will Avoid It "If the play resolves itself into a recommendation of divorce and remarriage," the bishop said, "then it will be looked upon by all Catholics as opposed to principles that every member of the church holds most sacred."

"I would prefer to accept the words and teachings of Christ than to follow the suggestions of a play of Joseph Medill Patterson. Once the play is known by Catholics to sanction divorce, Catholics everywhere will avoid it and refuse to patronize the theater that uses such means to insult their faith.

"At times separation of husband and wife may be necessary. But it is not for the good of the family or public morals that these should be allowed to enter a second marriage. It is unfortunate for the couple that cannot live in peace. But it is their misfortune and they are the ones who should suffer.

This "Crime" Singled Out "At no time or place did He or His apostles ever teach that this union could be dissolved and the parties be free to enter into another marriage.

"In the beginning of the twentieth century this church is speaking in no uncertain tones. She proclaims anew the holy doctrine of marriage, the sanctity of the bond and the absolute need of purity in the home.

BERGER WANTS TO KNOW TRUTH Socialist Shows Up Injustice to the Injured Railway Clerks.

Special Correspondence. Washington, May 11.—Urging that a court or board be created to review dismissals from the postoffice service, Oscar F. Nelson, president of the National Federation of Postoffice Clerks, concluded his testimony in favor of Lloyd unorganization bill today before the house committee on reform in the civil service.

Discharged Unfairly Nelson cited fifteen cases in Indianapolis where clerks were discharged without even the filing of written charges.

Representative Berger, Socialist, is daily attending the hearings on the Lloyd bill giving government clerks the right to organize, now going on before the house committee on reform in the civil service.

Stewart Quizzed "If a clerk is injured," said Stewart, "and becomes incapacitated for work, we carry him on the pay rolls for a year."

"Is that all a man receives who loses an arm or a leg?" asked Berger. "Yes," said Stewart in rather an unwilling tone.

And suggesting a man loses his eyesight in a railroad accident, what provision do you make for him?" persisted Berger.

"No more than in the other case," replied Stewart.

pending the appearance of Carl C. Van Dyke, president of the clerks' association, before the congressional committee in Washington that is investigating the troubles of the railway mail association.

Sluicings Go With Him Van Dyke left last night for Washington, accompanied by two secret service men.

The hearing of the cases against Carl Egge and G. H. Drake, of Minneapolis, postoffice inspectors charged by Van Dyke with tampering with his mail, has been set for May 22.

IRELAND'S ON THE BOOM

Dublin, May 11.—The salvation of Ireland through the "back to the land movement" is indicated in the reports to the poultry conference. Ireland has more than 24,000,000 hens, and 250,000 goats and is exporting nearly 30,000,000

worth of poultry products, while England imports \$38,000,000 worth of eggs.

According to these figures Ireland is becoming a second Denmark. Co-operative depots have boomed the poultry business and the United Irish Women's society has done much to reduce emigration.

DIE CUTTERS MEET TO DISCUSS UNION AFFAIRS

The eighth annual convention of the International Union of Cutting Die and Cutter Makers of North America, in session at the North Side Turner ball today, is taking up many matters of vital interest to the organization. A vote on these problems is expected late today. There are 12 delegates present representing a membership of 300.

Buy All Your Groceries at the Same Store



The careful housekeeper appreciates the saving of time and strength effected by buying all her groceries at one store. With 25 attractive, well-stocked and well managed United Food Products Co. grocery stores in Chicago, it's an easy manner to run around the corner to the nearest one, order your full selection of purest and cleanest goods—and get back home with them in less time than you used to spend in planning out your shopping trip.

- 1-lb. Brick Very Finest Creamery Butter..... 24c
1 doz. Carton Large Fancy Strictly Fresh Eggs..... 17c
No. 2 Can Fancy Ohio Corn..... 6c
No. 3 Can Fancy Baltimore Tomatoes..... 7c
No. 1/4 Can Holmes Mustard Sardines..... 3c
No. 1/2 Large Can Norwegian Sardines, in tomato..... 9c
Argo Starch—all you want at..... 3c
Full Pound Loaf Bread, any kind..... 4c

- SPECIAL DEAL No. 1
1-lb. Brick Finest Creamery Butter..... 13c
5-lb. Carton H. & E. Granulated Sugar..... 13c
1-do. Carton Strictly Fresh Eggs..... 9c
2-1-lb. Cans DeBeltrand's Famous Coffee..... 58c
3/4-lb. Can DeBeltrand's Black Pepper..... 18c
1-lb. Can DeBeltrand's Cream of Tartar Baking Powder..... 33c
2-lb. Pkg. Fanciest Head Rice..... 17c
3-1-lb. Pkgs. DeBeltrand's Corn Starch..... 24c
4-oz. Bot. DeBeltrand's Lemon or Vanilla Extracts..... 27c
\$3.50 Worth for \$2.12—Can You Beat It?

- SPECIAL DEAL No. 2
1-lb. Brick Finest Creamery Butter..... 13c
5-lb. Carton H. & E. Granulated Sugar..... 13c
1-do. Carton Strictly Fresh Eggs..... 9c
1-lb. Can DeBeltrand's Teas (any kind)..... 53c
4-oz. Bottle DeBeltrand's Extract Lemon or Vanilla..... 27c
3-2-lb. Pkgs. DeBeltrand's Jellied Oats..... 24c
3 Pkgs. DeBeltrand's Corn Flakes..... 24c
3-1-lb. Pkgs. DeBeltrand's Gloss Starch..... 24c
1-lb. Can DeBeltrand's Cocoa..... 29c
\$2.16 \$3.55
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Good Until Saturday Night May 13, 1911

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# LABOR THE WORLD OVER

Thank God we have a system of labor where there can be a strike.—Abraham Lincoln.

In the world's broad field of battle he a hero in the strife.—Longfellow.

## PLOT IS CLEAR, SAYS LETTER

## A. F. of L. Says the Press Joins Conspiracy to Hurt Labor.

The weekly news letter of the American Federation of Labor commenting on the kidnaping of members of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers runs in part as follows:

"Conspiracy is manifest to crush ironworkers' International union by fastening crime upon it. Unionists thoroughly aroused. Accusations of criminality against labor men, because they are labor men, are reprehensible.

"Washington, May 8.—The entire country has been informed through the press dispatches of the arrest and kidnaping of J. J. McNamara, secretary-treasurer of the Iron Workers, together with his brother, and their spiriting away by detectives to Los Angeles, without having been given an opportunity to consult counsel, or defend themselves even in the most remote way.

"With only a few notable exceptions there has been any effort to suggest that it is unjust to prejudice; that the better method to be pursued would be to await until both sides have been heard before public decision is rendered.

"Whenever a crime is committed, no matter by whom, whether it be a member of a union or not, after the accused has been tried by a fair and unbiased tribunal, if found guilty punishment should be inflicted. Organized labor asks no immunities from the law, neither is it entitled to any. Labor does not desire government to assist it in any way other than that conferred on all citizens, but it does demand that it be permitted, in common with all others, to work out its destiny within the law."

## BOOZE CARRIES DAY FOR SCABS

## Havana-American Employes in New York Coerced Into Working.

Striking cigar workers of the Havana-American Cigar company, whose plant is closed up tight, declare that they are not feeling discouraged over the fact that the New York employes of the same firm were temporarily stampeded back to work by the crooked work of agents of the big auxiliary to the tobacco trust.

"First Vote to Strike  
The New York workers voted to walk out in sympathy with the Chicago workers following an appeal made by a committee which went to New York from here for the purpose of giving the eastern workers a true statement of the condition of affairs.

"Then Start Stomping  
Matilda Murcha, a Bohemian woman who, it is declared, was imported by the company from Chicago, went among the workers and urged them not to listen to agitators and to remain loyal to the company.

"The officers of the consolidated sections are: President, Thomas Van Lear; vice president, L. G. Richardson; secretary, George Martin; treasurer, L. Hardhill; executive board, William Ryburn, Proctor, field, Mo., P. E. Parker, Palestine, Minn.; Felix Ecklund, Davenport, Ia.; S. K. Hudson, Great Falls, Mont.

## MINER'S DEATH LAID TO KERN

## Commits Suicide Following Venomous Attacks of Editor.

Belleville, Ill., May 11.—That the suicide of Charles Gregory is directly due to the political machinations of Mayor Kern of this city and as a result of his vicious attacks upon the Socialists at the last election is the view which is given wide credence by the citizens of this city.

Previous to the election, Kern, who is the editor and reputed owner of the "News-Democrat," feared that the Socialist would capture the city in the same manner that they captured Milwaukee, so he determined to leave no stone unturned for the defeat of the working class party.

To accomplish the purpose, Emma Goldman, anarchist, and David Goldstein, a former member of the Socialist party of Boston, and who is touring the country denouncing the Socialists for alleged "free love" leanings, were imported. Kern, however, it is said, went further than this.

Previous to the election he controlled more or less some four or five editors in the common council. In an effort to squelch the Socialists through foul means or fair, he is alleged to have railroaded through the last meeting of the old council an original ordinance declaring that only citizens of the United States be permitted to engage in the liquor business.

The effect was to throw out of business five granuhop keepers who were Socialists, two of them being crippled miners. It was one of the crippled miners who, despairing for his future and brooding over the injustice done him in an effort of hatred and revenge, shot and killed himself.

The other crippled miner ran a dramshop more orderly than any ever conducted under the regime of Kern, and during the palmy days of the he took over the business of a saloon which had flourished as a bawdy house under the silent protection of Kern's newspaper.

The Socialists have daily publishing a daily newspaper in German and English. It replies with hot shots to the deliberate lies of the opposition. Soon, according to plans formulated last Sunday at a consolidated meeting of all Socialists and sympathizers, the paper will be issued as a morning newspaper in the English language. Hans Schwarz, Jr., will be managing editor. A German weekly will be published.

In the Second ward of Belleville, where Wm. Jampel, the Socialist candidate, was defeated by only seven votes, the tactics of the enemy are best evidenced by the following published retraction of a well-meaning citizen, who allows himself to become a temporary tool of the Kern politician:

"TO THE PUBLIC!  
I, the undersigned, wish to state that I maliciously lied when I started the report that Wm. Jampel refused to shave me, when I went into his shop, wearing my working clothes. And further state that I made said remark in order to injure him in his campaign.

"I regret doing him such an injustice, and admit that in all my dealings with him I have always found him to be a man of principle and honor. I further state that I circulated said report upon request of others, to whose interest it was that he be defeated.

"WM. (Skinny) ANDERSON."

## LABOR BRIEFS

## LIQUID CURES ECZEMA WHERE SALVES FAIL

In regard to skin diseases, medical authorities are now agreed on this: Don't imprison the disease germs in your skin, but use of greasy salves, and thus encourage them to multiply. A true cure of all eczematous diseases can be brought about only by using the healing agents in the form of a liquid. WASH THE GERMS OUT.

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"To Ask Concessions  
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Delegates representing the machinists employed on forty-five railroads attended the conference. The railroads will be asked to grant machinists an eight-hour day and a uniform scale of wages. Other concessions looking to the welfare of the men will be asked as a result of the conference.

"Tonight at the Coliseum  
STARTING AT SIX CLOSING AT TEN  
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# On a Hot Trail and a Final Capture

"I had my eye fixed on a radical Democrat for over a year," writes a hater. He was a fine fellow. I discussed politics and Socialism with him frequently, and whenever I could, handed him Socialist literature—copies of the Daily Socialist, Appeal, and other good propaganda matter.

"For a long time he was obstinate. He would not listen to the Socialist viewpoint. He called the Socialists a bunch of dreamers, theorists, fanatics and most anything. Still, he was quite a reader and he did some thinking. I saw a possibility there, and kept after him. He was disappointed with conditions as they were.

"He damned the rotten Republican administration, graft and robbery from the people. But he claimed that Democratic reform panaceas would remedy everything.

"In the meantime, he read some of the paper I gave or sent him. Some he did not look at. Gradually, however, as time went on and he saw the futility of trying to get a square deal from the old parties, he became more and more interested in what the Socialist position really was.

"He began to ask sensible questions, and he became attentive. He listened. I could see him coming fast by this time.

"One day he told me that the Socialist papers were certainly brave, outspoken, and added, in a half-audible tone, 'What would the Daily Socialist cost me for half a year?' I told him the price was \$1.50 for six months, or \$1.00 for four months. He pulled a dollar bill and told me to send it along for four months. I had him, for I knew the Daily Socialist would round him out.

"He has since renewed his subscription and is today a valuable asset to our movement."

Yes, it takes time. But it is worth while. The great Socialist army is moving forward slowly, and as it is moving, it adds new recruits and expands continually. It is today stronger than ever before. The outlook is splendid.

Thousands of new readers are added regularly to the Socialist press. Comrades, isn't our movement a glorious movement, and aren't we doing fine! I tell you we have a right to pat ourselves on our back.

As in the case of that radical Democrat, we must win them through information very largely and our best informer is our daily Socialist press.

**MORE SUBS. COMRADES. HERE IS THE BLANK TODAY. FILL IT OUT AND SEND IT IN. MANY USE IT EVERY DAY. KEEP UP THE GAME.**

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WHAT THE LABOR AND SOCIALIST PRESS SAYS ABOUT THE KIDNAPING  
LABOR NEWS, GALESBURG, ILL.  
In Russia or Mexico such methods may be employed against the workers without fear of the result, but in the United States, where our rights are supposed to be guaranteed by the Constitution, we rebel at such tactics.

UNION LEADER, TOLEDO, OHIO  
And now comes Judge Hilton, one of McNamara's attorneys, with a denial that McNamara has made any confession to either a newspaper or a detective. The lawyer says that the defense will reveal the plot, and is emphatic in declaring that the newspapers and police stories about confessions are a continuous fabric of untruths.

UNION ADVOCATE, JAMES TOWN, N. Y.  
We refuse to believe that John J. McNamara can be guilty of such a charge against him and we shall believe in him as the fighting leader of our organization until the opponents of our movement have proven to the world, by an absolutely fair trial, without a shadow of a doubt the truth of the horrible charges they have registered against the men now under arrest.

COTTON'S WEEKLY, COWANSVILLE, CAN.  
There is absolutely nothing to connect McNamara with the explosion. But there is great reason why the capitalist

BAKERS' JOURNAL, CHICAGO  
The present case in all its details is so much like the famous Moyer-Haywood case that we cannot help in believing that we are confronted with a repetition of that outrage, perpetrated upon the working men of this country by the capitalist class.

UNION BANNER, FORT WORTH, TEXAS  
Before passing judgment one should review the crimes committed by organized greed against organized labor which culminated in the kidnaping of Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone. To say the least, the whole thing has an ugly appearance. Certain it is that there has not been fair play.

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GIANTS LAY OUT CUBS; SCORE 11-1

New York, May 11.--The Chicago Cubs lost more valuable ground in the pennant pursuit Wednesday when, on a dry field and with one of their best bats on the burning hill, they fell before the Giants in combat filled with juicy errors and timely hits. The score of the second New York-Chicago controversy was 11 to 1, the champions' lone counter being the result of a home run made by Artie Hofman.

TIPS FROM Tip Wright

It looks odd to see the Cubs in the second division, but the table of standing proves they are there. They are burning red fire in Brooklyn today as the result of the Superbas at last having scored a run. It's usually a feast or a famine with the White Sox in a batting way. Yesterday it was a feast. Walter Johnson and three other Washington pitchers being hanged, sawed and quartered. Every Comiskeyite got one or more safe ones.

SPORTS

BASEBALL GAMES TODAY NATIONAL LEAGUE. Chicago at New York. Pittsburgh at Philadelphia. Cincinnati at Boston. St. Louis at Brooklyn.

AMERICAN LEAGUE. New York at Detroit. Boston at Cleveland. Washington at Chicago. Philadelphia at St. Louis.

RESULTS WEDNESDAY NATIONAL LEAGUE. New York, 11; Chicago, 1. Cincinnati, 8; Boston, 7 (15 innings). Philadelphia, 8; Pittsburg, 2. St. Louis, 4; Brooklyn, 2.

AMERICAN LEAGUE. Chicago, 9; Washington, 6. New York, 6; Detroit, 2. Philadelphia, 8; St. Louis, 6. Cleveland, 6; Boston, 0.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS NATIONAL LEAGUE. Clubs-- W. L. P. C. Philadelphia.....17 6 733

AMERICAN LEAGUE. Clubs-- W. L. P. C. Detroit.....21 3 876

QUE STARS TO OPEN GOTHAM HOUSE WARMING. New York, May 11.--Willie Hoppe and Harry Cline will play an exhibition game of 15.2 billiards Saturday night as the feature of the formal housewarming of the new home of the amateur billiard club of New York.

HUGE GUARANTEE POSTED FOR GOTOR-HACK MATCH. After a year of suspense, wrestling fans got down to the business today of "farming" over the Gotor-Hackenschmidt match, arranged for yesterday. Gorch and Hackenschmidt's manager, Jack Curley, signed articles for a match in the White Sox ball park Labor Day.

BASEBALL GAME SCHEDULED BETWEEN WASEDA UNIVERSITY AND UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN for May 20 will not be played if a joint resolution introduced in the state senate passes both houses of the legislature. The resolution is in the form of a protest against the celebration of Memorial day by the state university by engaging a any games of sport. No action has been taken by the athletic department towards canceling the Memorial day game with the Japs.



FACTS FOR FIGHT ANS

Kid Berlin, the 116-pound boy wonder of the North Side, who is doing some nice work in the ring, is looking for an opponent who can interest him. Training at the Princess Club with Spike Kelly and a few other of the handy boys, he is showing great skill with the mitts. Berlin deserves credit and notice from the fight fans. Ya managers are doubtfully challenged to bring on your shining stars for combat.

SOX DEFEAT THE SENATORS-9-6

Two of the greatest twirlers in the American league came to grief yesterday at the South Side park and four others were called upon to work in as great a slugfest as has been seen in Chicago in years. And when the end came the White Sox were on top, defeating the Senators by a score of 9 to 6. The first of the mighty ones to fall was Walter Johnson, Jimmy McAleer's \$7,500 beauty, before whom all Washington kneeled and worshipped last year. The speed king of 1910 didn't last an inning before the Sox jumped upon him and made him hustle to cover.

BOSTON CHILDREN TO ENJOY SPORT YEAR AROUND

Boston, Mass., May 11.--With Mayor Fitzgerald at its head, the Municipal Athletic association, which will control the Boston 1915 games, is today a reality. With a large advisory board, the association will at once draw up a plan of all-year-round sports for the children of the city.

FIRST AUTO ENTRY FOR HAWTHORNE ANNOUNCED

The first entry for the Hawthorne speed meet June 10 and 11 was announced by the management here today. The J. I. Case company entered the three cars which will be used in the Indianapolis meet. They will be driven by Lewis Strang, Jones and Jergensberger.

A rattling good fight is expected in Kenosha Decoration day, when Mickey Sheridan and Danny Goodman mix up in a ten-round bout. Both are rugged fighters who love to indulge in a slugging affair and "action" is promised.

That Puckey McFarland and Owen Moran may meet before the National Athletic club at Milwaukee in the near future was announced by Frank Mulhern, matchmaker for the Milwaukee club.

Joe Jeannette, the big negro heavyweight, who has spent two weeks at Tulsa training Carl Morris, the white man's hope, declares the fellow is a real fighter and one who will some day be able to give Jack Johnson a hard battle for the world's championship. Efforts are being made to match Morris with Fireman Jim Flynn, who knocked out Al Kaufman in ten rounds in Kansas City.

Knockout Brown will have a chance at another rung in the ladder toward the lightweight crown when he meets Tommy Murphy in New York tonight. If Brown puts it over Murphy, he will at once become the betting favorite for his match with the English champion, Matt Wells, here at June 1, and will also be in demand for a long-distance go on the coast with Ad Wolgast.

Party News Elsewhere

St. Louis Gets Busy. St. Louis, Mo., May 10.--As a means of arousing the workmen of this city to the fact that political action is their only means to gain ultimate protection for their rights, 50,000 copies of a manifesto by William D. Haywood are to be circulated calling for a general strike the day on which J. J. McNamara and his brother are placed on trial.

Waseda university was defeated at baseball by Knox college, 8 to 4, at Galesburg Wednesday. Omura received poor support in the field, all of Knox's scores coming on misplays. The Japanese outfit Knox. A spirited ninth inning rally threatened to give Waseda an eleventh-hour victory.

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San Francisco, Cal., May 11.--The first aerial spy has been arrested. Costa, the aviator, is held here, charged with photographing Roumanian fortresses from midair and selling the pictures to Russia.

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San Francisco, Cal., May 11.--New York is to have its second "sane fourth" this year with oratory, athletics and music, breaking out simultaneously in 100 spots.

Baseball's Big Swatters



Sam Crawford hitting 528 and Lajoie has started out at a murderous clip, while Crawford's work is marvelous. The latter cannot, of course, hold his pace.

THE BLOOMER

BY TOM AKERS. Who hits .500 in the spring? The Bloomer. Who never misses anything. The Bloomer. Who never fails the ball to sting. The Bloomer. Who cuts 'em off with deadly wing? The Bloomer.

ILLINOIS AND CHICAGO TO FIGHT FOR FRACK HONORS

Illini and the Maroons will clash for honors Saturday at Marshall field, 57th street and Ellis avenue, in a dual track meet which will commence at 1:45 p. m. Baseball will commence at 4 p. m. The game promises to be one of the hardest ever fought between the rival college teams. Last year it took seventeen innings to break a tie of 1 to 1. On March 25 the Maroons defeated Illinois University at an indoor conference by a small margin.

BUILDING PERMITS

Table listing building permits with columns for address, description, and value. Includes entries like '6124 Myrtle av. 1 story frame cottage, Mrs. B. Rainer, 2,500' and '4212 W. Twenty-sixth st. 3 story brick store and garage, C. Horn, 7,000'.

Oi! Oi! Keio Here Too! Now If Keio and Waseda Should Chance to Mix it!

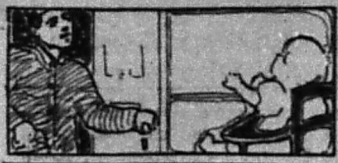
San Francisco, Cal., May 11.--From the "dope" being handed out around San Francisco's big Japanese quarter it would appear that the brown diamond artists from Waseda university are nothing more than a bunch of presuming dabs who have had the gall to steal a march on the honorable, gilt-edged, all wool and a yard wide champion ball tossers of the Flowery Kingdom, the only genuine exponents of slant-eyed baseball--the representatives of Keio university, Tokyo, who have just arrived to grab a tour of America for themselves and incidentally to show up the honorable side from Waseda.



A SNAPSHOT OF EXTRA INNING GAME BETWEEN KEIO AND WISCONSIN IN JAPAN, WON BY KEIO WHOSE TEAM HAS JUST ARRIVED IN AMERICA. BASEBALL DRAWS AN IMMENSE CROWD IN THE FLOWERY KINGDOM. NOTE THE GRANDSTAND AND BLEACHERS IN THIS PICTURE.

University of Wisconsin in three or four games, and last fall, though defeated three times by the Maroons, Keio forced the collectors from the White Sox city to play extra innings in two of the games. During January of this year Schaefer of 'snave' fame, went to Japan at the solicitation of Keio, and put the Japanese schoolboys over the jump for four solid weeks. Douglas S. Knight, captain of the Wisconsin team, is steering the Keio

Advertisement for Union Co-operative Clothing Mfg. Co. featuring 'Made to Order Suits' for \$12 and up. The ad includes the company name, address (1354 West Taylor Street), phone number (Moros 3840), and a list of services like 'Visit Our Mammoth New shoe Department' and 'We carry a full line of Men's & Women's Union Made Shoes'.



# HOUSEHOLD PAGE

## Mountain Rats Cause of Chinese Scourge



At top, staff of quarantine station in railroad cars, and doctors in linen garments. At bottom, lower row reading from left to right, Inspector General

Melnowsky, Dr. Wu Tien-shih, chief of Chinese medical staff, and M. Aksharoff, president of the plague committee. Correspondent Kirton is the man on the left in the upper row.

By WALTER KIRTON.

Mukden, via Peking, China, April 4.—The source or origin of the pneumonic plague has been traced to a little animal known locally by the Tartar name, or Asiatic Marmot. These animals are about the size of a full-grown cat and have a yellowish brown fur. They are also called mountain rats and they swarm in thousands all over the steppes of northern Mongolia and adjacent Manchuria.

Every year the trappers catch huge numbers of them and the skins are exported, chiefly to Europe and America via Siberia, where they are used in the manufacture of cheap "faked" furs.

The native trappers, upon whom the scourge first descended, are very low in the scale of humanity and their habits and mode of life transcended any description fit to print. During the major portion of the year these men loaf around the frontier towns and the fringes of the railway settlements, in which, ever since the advent of the Russian, an unlimited supply of vodka (corn spirit, the Russian national beverage) is always obtainable, even by the poorest. A few kopecks a bottle, it brings stupefaction and oblivion faster than any other drink, and it eats up a man's vitality with the ease of chain lightning.

Sodden with drink and enfeebled by their vice and lack of nourishment, these poor wretches migrate from town to town, station to station, until the trapping season commences and affords them the opportunity for working off their indebtedness to the ghouls that fatten on them. As can well be imagined, when they reach their hunting grounds their poverty compels them to live almost solely on the spoils of the chase and in this instance they devour a number of the marmots.

Whether the animals had become infected with bubonic plague germs, which then became transformed into pneumonic bacilli, appears not to be definitely certain, and this is one of the points that the conference will clear up. But the theory is advanced that the marmots had somehow been in contact with plague rats, and that the bacilli obtained vastly increased virulence and vitality from their passage through a larger and stronger, and at the same time a fresh medium of cultivation. At any rate certain of the trappers died suddenly and the survivors fled back to their slum haunts, carrying the contagion with them.

## Word From the Workers

The co-operation of all the comrades is solicited for this department by sending any items of interest pertaining to your locals from all over the country.

**Gene Debs at Point Marion, Pa.**

Here is a message from Comrade W. Blenko of Point Marion, Pa., which makes us feel like throwing our hats in the air and giving three loud cheers for our Point Marion comrades:

"Biggest meeting ever held in this section Sunday, May 7, when Gene Debs lectured before an audience which crowded the skating rink. Two special trains brought folks in from outlying districts. Some of the native bigots objected to 'Sunday politics' and actually threatened to stop the meeting, but they might as well have objected to the sun rising. The natives are stirred up and some of them are squirming around as if they had been struck by a cyclone."

W. BLENKO.

**Cost County \$1,000,000.**

Here comes a letter from Middleton, Camion county, Idaho, from Comrade Levi Reynolds, in which we get a whirl of western spirit and energy.

"I see there has been a repetition of the Moyer, Haywood outrage. I am a farmer of Boise Valley, Idaho, and know what one of those trials mean. It not only took thousands of dollars out of the treasury of organized labor, but it cost Camion county \$100,000, which has raised our taxes, and all taxes must come eventually out of the laboring man. I want to tell you we felt it here. Now what is the use of an expensive trial? The capitalist will not obey the law nor the constitution. I would lay down their tools for twenty-four hours and show they had some backbone, there would be something doing. I would rather give \$10 to a strike, than 5 cents to defend those men in law, for in the latter we will pay the cost of both sides, as well as having to pay for McParland's whisky bill here. Now, to organized labor: Be men. Get your bristles up. The time has come for action. Do something; lay down your tools and swear you will not turn another wheel nor mine another ton of coal until your brother workman is given justice!

Now I think I know the sentiment of the farmer boys: Give the plutes any kind of a fight they want and Local Middleton is with you!"

LEVI REYNOLDS.

**Town No Good, But—**

A most interesting letter has come from Comrade Nicholas Dexter, Canton, Ill., which we give below:

"By invitation of a comrade I went 12 miles from here Saturday evening, accompanied by several of the Canton comrades. Fair View is a town of retired farmers, but we held a street meeting. No advertising was done, but there must have been more than 100 people out to hear the gospel of Socialism. I spoke for about an hour, and the crowd got larger and larger. This is the town some of the comrades said was no good, but we got nine applications for membership. They are organizing a local and the prospect is they will have 25 members there in a short time.

"The comrades wish me to come back and help organize the local. We also sold \$1.50 of literature.

"We had a very successful meeting the other evening in the park, when Comrade Collins was here.

"Comrade Dexter did wisely in not allowing the apparent discouraging prospects from deterring him from tackling Fair View."

## KITCHEN SHELF

To take the place of a cupboard or kitchen cabinet, a shelf, the dimensions optional to needs and space, may be used, says the Woman's Home Companion. Twelve inches wide and three to four feet long are good measurements, with either square or rounded corners.

At the conjunction of the diagonal brace to the other which catches and holds the edges of the utensils placed underneath, and a two-inch strip fastened half-way up the diagonal brace prevents the articles from falling out.

On the shelf proper run a one-half inch strip lengthwise along the front edge to prevent dishes from slipping off. At each end of the wall brace or support bore one-fourth inch holes to allow screwing shelf to the wall. The balance of the shelf can be assembled with nails, finishing nails preferred. Use nothing lighter than inch lumber. Screwing the shelf to the wall will permit its removal easily for papering, painting, etc.

This shelf is excellent placed on the wall near the kitchen range for cooking utensils and other necessities incident to cooking, and keeps the dishes well dried and within easy reach.

## The Lady of Wealth

By ROBERT PAGE LINCOLN

Her throne is in the mansion set in from the shady lane, Where wealth is heaped to suit her taste, the fancy of her brain, Her tender feet tread paths of gold with never a moment sad, My lady fair has every care, hence, why should she not be glad; Her every wish is granted and her heart knows not the world, She sees not the ragged children to a living hell down hurled; She hears not the cry of the hungry nor the cold, blue lips that move in a prayer never answered in the call of mother love.

She hears not the whirr of the busy loom and the roar of the furnace hot, The cry of the sweat-shop victims and the miners' awful lot; She sees not the haggard features and the eyes that outward stare, The weary limbs and the shoulders stooped beneath a burden of constant care; She hears the call of the morning lark and feels the breath of the morn, She outward looks upon the ranks of the tall and waving corn; And her heart is free and her day is free and her life is full of joy— While the thousands toil for the mocking giant that only tends to destroy.

What does she care for the struggling mob—what does she care for the street? They are out slaves in her narrow sense; she judges them the less— She has no thought of pity, for her heart is fashioned mute, Her heaven is filled with light and sound and she loathes the foiling brute. But the hell beneath her heaven is stirring in its might, The castle may fall in a twinkling and the toiler assume the right; And the curse that made man unequal shall perish with the dust, And righteousness and brother love look upward to the just.

**Tonight at the Coliseum**

STARTING AT SIX CLOSING AT TEN

**Child Welfare Exhibit**

Free! Free!

**ALL AROUND THE HOME**

By Cynthia Grey

Candles will burn longer and with less dripping of grease if they are kept on the ice for twelve hours before using, and not removed until just ready to light.

It is well to have tablecloths and sheets folded width ways occasionally, instead of lengthways, as this prevents

## Cynthia Grey's Correspondent

Dear Miss Grey: Kindly republish the formula for making the hair fluffy.—A. R.

Powdered borax ½ ounce, gum arabic 15 grains, spirits of camphor 3 drams, hot water 8 ounces. Moisten gum arabic with hot water, add borax and camphor. Roll hair in ringlets and fasten with invisible pins, then moisten with hot water.

Dear Miss Grey: (1) I have a Copenhagen blue suit and a cream net waist with trimmings to match suit. Will you kindly advise me as to what kind of belt I may wear with same? (2) Is roller skating good for the health?—T. C. N.

(1) Wear belt to match skirt. The high waistline is good style. (2) Roller skating is said to benefit flatfoot, to strengthen the ankles, and develop the chest measurement.

Dear Miss Grey: Is it proper for a young man to shake hands with the female relatives of his fiancée when he is introduced to them? Please answer this as soon as possible.—A. M.

It is always proper for any gentleman to shake hands with any lady upon an introduction; but it is the woman's part to extend the hand first, and the young man cannot very well shake hands unless the woman takes the initiative.

## A QUESTION

Diner (who has just had what was described as "hashed mutton")—My bill, waiter.

Waiter—Yes, sir. Now, let me see, wot did you 'ave.

Diner—I have not the slightest idea.—M. A. P.

# 'BURNING DAYLIGHT'

## CHAPTER XXI.—Continued

"I wouldn't give a day over forty," Daylight confessed.

"Yet the day I came here I looked never sixty, and that was fifteen years ago."

They talked long, and Daylight looked at the world from new angles. Here was a man, neither bitter nor cynical, who laughed at the city dwellers and called them lunatics; a man who did not care for money, and in whom the lust for power had long since died. As for the friendship of the city dwellers his host spoke in no uncertain terms.

"What did they do, all the chap I knew, the chaps in the clubs, with whom I'd been chock for jowl for heaven knows how long? I was not beholden to them for anything, and when I slipped out there was not one of them to drop me a line and say, 'How are you, old man? Anything I can do for you? For several weeks it was: 'What's become of Ferguson?' After that I became a reminiscence and a memory. Yet every last one of them knew I had nothing but my salary and that I'd always lived a lap ahead of 'em."

"But what do you do now?" was Daylight's query. "You must need cash to buy clothes and magazines."

"A week's work or a month's work now and again, ploughing in the winter or picking grapes in the fall, and there's always odd jobs with the farmers through the summer. I don't need much, so I don't have to work much. Most of my time I spend fooling around the place. I could do hack work for the magazines and newspapers, but I prefer the ploughing and the grape-picking. Just look at me and you can see why I'm hard as rocks. And I like the work. But I tell you a chap's got to break in to it. It's a great thing when he's learned to pick grapes a whole long day and come home at the end of it with that tired, happy feeling instead of being in a state of physical collapse. That fireplace—those big stones? I was soft then, a little anaemic, alcoholic degenerate, with the spunk of a rabbit and about one per cent as much stamina and some of those big stones nearly broke my back and my heart. But I persevered and used my body in the way nature intended it should be used—not bending over a desk and swilling whiskey \* \* \* and, well, here I am, a better man for it, and there's the fireplace, fine and dandy, eh?"

"And now tell me about the Klondike, and how you turned San Francisco upside down with that last raid of yours. You're a bonny fighter, you kn' x, and you touch my imagination, though my cooler reason tells me that you are a lunatic like the rest. The lust for power! It's a dreadful affliction. Why didn't you stay in your Klondike? Or why don't you clear out and live a natural life, for instance, like mine? You see, I can ask questions, too. Now you talk and let me listen for a while."

It was not until ten o'clock that Daylight parted from Ferguson. As he rode along through the starlight the idea came to him of buying the ranch on the other side of the valley. There was no thought in his mind of ever intending to live on it. His farm was in San Francisco. But he liked the ranch, and as soon as he got back to the office he would open up negotiations with Hillard. Besides, the ranch included the clay pit, and it would give him the whip hand over Holdsworth if he ever tried to cut up any aideses.

On the other hand, San Francisco's attitude toward Daylight had undergone a change. Wane he, with his missing buccaneer methods, was a distinct menace to the more orthodox financial gamblers, he was nevertheless so grave a menace that they were glad enough to leave him alone. He had already taught them the excellence of setting a sleeping dog lie, many of the men who knew that they were in danger of his big bear paw when it reached out for the money vats even made efforts to placate him, to go on the friendly side of him. The Alta-Pacific approached him confidentially with an offer of reinstatement, which he promptly declined. He was after a number of men in that club, and whenever opportunity offered he reached out for them and mangled them. Even the newspapers, with one or two blackmailing exceptions, ceased abusing him and became respectful in spirit, he was looked upon as a bad faced grizzly from the Arctic wilds to whom it was considered expedient to give the trail. At the time he raided the steamship companies they yapped at him and worried him, the whole pack of them, only to have him whirl around and whip them in the fiercest pitched battle San Francisco had ever known. Not easily forgotten was the Pacific slope seaman's strike and the giving over of the municipal government to the labor bosses and grafters. The destruction of Charles Kinkaid and the California and Alameda Trust company had been a warning. But it was an isolated case; they had been confident in strength in numbers until he taught them better.

Daylight still engaged in daring speculations, as, for instance, at the impending outbreak of the Japanese-Russian war, when, in the face of the experience and power of the snipping gamblers, he reached out and clutched practically a monopoly of available steamer charters. There was scarcely a battered tramp on the Seven Seas that was not his on time charter. As usual his position was, "You've got to come and see me," which he did, and, to use another of his phrases, they "paid through the nose" for the privilege. And all his venturing and fighting had now but one motive—some day, as he confided to Hegan, when he'd made a sufficient stake, he was going back to New York and knock the spots out of Messrs. Dowsett, Letton and Hammersmith. He'd show them what an all-around general ouzz saw he was and what a mistake they'd made over to monkey with him. But he never lost his head, and he knew that he was not yet strong enough to go into death struggles with those three early consumers. In the meantime the black marks against them remained for a future erasure day.

Dede Mason was still in the office. He had made no more overtures, discussed no more books and no more grammar. He had no active interest in her, and she was to him a pleasant memory of what had never happened, a joy which, by his essential nature, he was barred from ever knowing. Yet, while his interest had gone to sleep and his energy was consumed in the endless battles he waged, he knew every trick of the light on her hair, ever quick definite mannerism of movement, every line of her figure as expounded by her tailor-made gowns. Several times, six months or so part, he had increased her salary, until now she was receiving ninety dollars a month. Beyond this he dared not go, though he had got around it by making the work easier. This he had accomplished after her return from a vacation by resigning her substitute as an assistant. Also, he had changed his office suite, so that now the two girls had a room by themselves.

His eyes had become quite critical wherever Dede Mason was concerned. He had long since noted her pride of carriage. It was unobtrusive, yet it was there. He decided from the way she carried it that she deemed her body a thing to be proud of, to be cared for as a beautiful and valued possession. In this, and in the way she carried her clothes, he compared her with her assistant, with the stenographers he encountered in other offices, with the women he saw on the sidewalks. "She's sure well put up," he commended with himself, "and she sure knows how to dress and carry it off without being

straight-backed, crippled, or clean limbed, addle pated, or clear headed. There was no fairness in it. The cards most picked up put them into the sucker class; the cards of a few enabled them to become robbers. The playing of the cards was life; the crowd of players, society. The table was the earth, and the earth, in lumps and chunks, from loaves of bread to big red motor cars, was the stake. And in the end, lucky and unlucky, they were all a long time dead.

It was hard on the stupid lowly, for they were copped to lose from the start, but the more he saw of the others, the apparent winners, the less it seemed to him that they had anything to brag about. They, too, were a long time dead, and their living did not amount to much. It was a wild animal fight; the strong trampled the weak, and the strong, he had discovered, men like Dowsett and Letton and Hammersmith, were not necessarily the best. He remembered his miser combes of the Arctic. They were the stupid lowly; they did the hard work and were robbed of the fruit of their toil just as was the old woman making wine in the Sonoma hills, and yet they had finer qualities of truth and loyalty and square dealing than did the men who robbed them. The winners seemed to be the crooked ones, the unfaithful ones, the wicked ones. And even they had no say in the matter. They played the cards that were given them, and Luck, the monstrous, mad god-thing, the owner of the whole shebang, looked on and grinned. It was he who stacked the universal card deck of existence.

(To be continued.)

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—Two to a Customer—

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**Shirts**  
Men's and Boys' Working Shirts; black, blue and blue chambray; made in full sizes, with faced sleeve; best 69c values; **39c**  
Friday—**39c**  
—Two to a Customer—

X CUT OUT THIS COUPON.

**Boys' Caps**  
100 dozen Boys' Caps—golf, bulldog and yacht styles; light and dark colors; all sizes; **12½c**  
best 25c vals. Friday—**12½c**  
—Two to a Customer—

X CUT OUT THIS COUPON.

**Skirts**  
Ladies' Black Voile Skirts, trimmed with ribbon and fine braid, worth up to \$3.48. **1.98**  
Friday—**1.98**  
—Two to a Customer—

X CUT OUT THIS COUPON.

**House Slippers**  
Men's House Slippers; solid leather soles; all sizes; 75c values; Friday, pair **40c**  
—Two to a Customer—

X CUT OUT THIS COUPON.

**Shirt Waists**  
200 dozen Ladies' fine white Lawn Waists; trimmed with lace and embroidery; worth \$1.25; Friday **50c**  
—Two to a Customer—

X CUT OUT THIS COUPON.

**Children's Shoes**  
Patent leather, colored tops; red and tan viol kid; patent leather tip; sizes up to 5; regular 75c values; slightly factory **29c**  
checked; Friday, pair... **29c**  
—Two Pair to a Customer—

X CUT OUT THIS COUPON.

**Embroidery**  
17-inch wide Plouncing and Corset Cover Embroidery; choice patterns; 25c values; **12½c**  
Friday, yard... **12½c**  
—Six Yards Limit—

X CUT OUT THIS COUPON.

**Skirts**  
Lot of Women's Soft Muslin Petticoats; samples of \$2.00 and \$2.50 grades; emb'dery & lace trimmed; Friday, choice, **1.00**  
—Two to a Customer—

X CUT OUT THIS COUPON.

**Hosiery**  
Boys' and Girls' Black Cotton Stockings; sizes 8 to 12; the best 15c vals; Friday, pr. **8c**  
—Six Pair Limit—

X CUT OUT THIS COUPON.

**Handkerchiefs**  
Women's Plain White Hemstitched Hdkfs.; best 5c quality; Friday, ea. **2½c**  
—12 to a Customer—

X CUT OUT THIS COUPON.

**Oilcloth**  
1½ yd. wide Table Oilcloth; in white and colors; the 25c quality; yard **15c**  
—Five Yards to a Customer—

X CUT OUT THIS COUPON.

**Gingham**  
2,000 yds. of Nurse Stripe Gingham, in light & dark blue; worth 10c; Friday, yard... **6c**  
—Ten Yards Limit—

X CUT OUT THIS COUPON.

**Infants' Blankets**  
Cotton Infants' Blankets, in white, with pink & bl. border, w' th 25c, P'day, **12½c**  
—Two to a Customer—

X CUT OUT THIS COUPON.

**Ticking**  
20 pieces of Fancy Feather Ticking; in stripes and plain red; worth 25c; Friday, yard... **18c**

X CUT OUT THIS COUPON.

**Curtains**  
9½ yds. long Ruffled Curtains; in fancy stripes; worth 50c; Friday, pair... **23c**  
—Two Pair to a Customer—

X CUT OUT THIS COUPON.

**Underwear**  
Lot of Children's Summer Vests; fine ribbed; sizes up to 28; worth 19c; Friday... **10c**  
—Six to a Customer—

X CUT OUT THIS COUPON.

**Laundry Soap**  
The well-known Fels Naptha Laundry Soap; the regular 5c bar—Friday, 5 bars for... **19c**

X CUT OUT THIS COUPON.

**Underwear**  
Women's large size shaped Vests; also hot-trimmed Pants; w' th 25c; Friday, **13c**  
—Six to a Customer—

X CUT OUT THIS COUPON.

**Scouring Powder**  
Kitchen Kleaner, the best Scouring powder, in 5c cans; equal to any 10c quality—Friday, 5 cans for... **10c**

X CUT OUT THIS COUPON.

**Gas Mantles**  
Regular 15c Gas Mantles for upright or droplight; has a high light power; Friday... **7c**

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**Hosiery**  
Women's Black Cotton Seamless Stockings; the 10c kind—Friday, pair... **6c**  
—Six Pair Limit—

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**8941**

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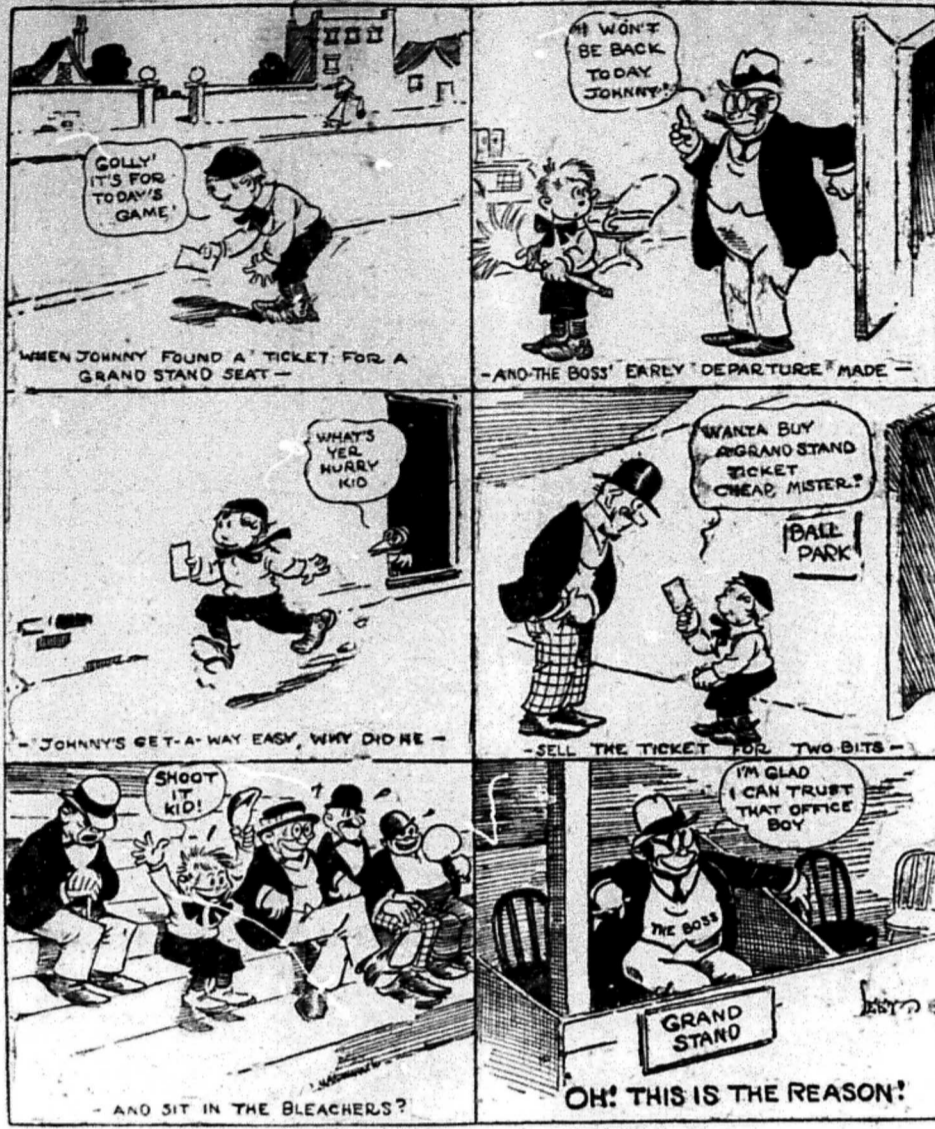
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The Baffled Boss—or the Office Boy's Strategy



Archbishop O'Connell on Labor

The following excerpt is taken from an address delivered by Archbishop O'Connell before the Catholic Congress in Boston recently, as published in the Catholic Columbian of April 28, 1911, in which he gives utterance to the following striking views on labor: 'Whether the workman considers his workshop a jail and his employers as his jailers, or whether he takes his place in society in the spirit of one serving God by his labor and his mankind by his craft, certainly is not a thing of little importance.'

This class-conscious clergyman starts out with a wrong premise, which precludes the possibility of his reaching a correct conclusion. The pivotal point of this capitalism vs. labor problem hinges on whether nine-tenths of humanity (labor), which creates all the wealth of the world, shall continue to allow the one-tenth (capitalism) to appropriate the wealth which labor produces, while capitalism continues in idleness and luxury, while nine-tenths toils and starves and dies!

When 'his grace' says 'whether a workman considers his workshop a jail,' etc., he presupposes a condition which does not exist. THE WORKMAN DOES NOT OWN THE WORKSHOP—CAPITALISM OWNS IT. Therefore it is immaterial what the workman considers the shop.

CAPITALISM OPENS AND CLOSES THE WORKSHOP JUST AS IT SEES FIT, and it logically follows that capitalism also owns the workman.

Capitalism not only owns the workshop and the workman, but it owns the ground, and EVERYTHING IN THE GROUND. MINERALS, COAL, GAS AND OIL, and now in this age of aviation it's preparing to own the air!

HEAVEN IS THE ONLY THING WHICH CAPITALISM ALLOWS LABOR TO HAVE A CORNER ON. That is because capitalism is not certain of heaven's existence, so it has generously taken everything temporal from labor, from the beginning of time, and left heaven for the disinherited.

It is insolent and brutally cruel for this 'apostolic follower of Christ' to deliberately confuse, confound, distort and mislead Catholic labor as he attempts to do by his false reasoning!

To illustrate, according to O'Connell's logic, if a man is a ditch digger, he must always remain content in that place 'IN SOCIETY'—HE AND HIS OFFSPRING. He can serve God only in a ditch, BECAUSE GOD PUT HIM THERE FOR THAT PURPOSE!

If he makes any effort or aspires to get out of the ditch, IT'S BAD BUSINESS—IT'S NO GO! We don't happen to know where God put O'Connell, but it's a cinch he wasn't born with that 'his grace' appendage.

Now, there is no use in mixing God up with all mankind in this business of social status.

If every laboring man has to remain in the ditch, or 'wherever that state may be,' to serve God, according to O'Connell's idea, then he can't serve all mankind according to our ideas.

Such a slavish, submissive, nonprogressive man is NOT SERVING GOD AT ALL—HE IS SERVING PLUNDERING CAPITALISM!

It is every man's duty to himself and family and to all mankind to improve his condition.

NO MAN WAS BORN A DITCH DIGGER, AS NO MAN WAS BORN A KING. IF MAN MADE, economic conditions forced him into digging ditches, it is his privilege, HIS DUTY, TO GET OUT OF THE DITCH, and use all of his efforts and energy to change these economic conditions.

Lincoln was a far better guide to workingmen than O'Connell. He said:

'Advancement, improvement, in condition, is the order of things in a society of equals. As labor is the common burden of our race, so the effort of some to shift their share of the burden onto the shoulders of others IS THE GREAT, DURABLE CURSE OF THE RACE.'—('Lincoln's Words, or Living Questions,' p. 103.)

It is every man's duty to create conditions which will give an equal opportunity to better his condition.

It is very evident that 'his grace,' with the instincts of his class, is working overtime to remain in that (comfortable) state of life, where he probably THINKS God placed him; but there are a few of us who have the temerity to doubt that God had anything to do with it.

Poor God! THE MONUMENT OF INJUSTICE, PERSECUTIONS, BLOODSHED, DEPRIVATIONS AND CRIMINAL HYPOCRISY WHICH HAS BEEN PERPETRATED IN YOUR NAME WOULD REACH TO THE STARS AND MAKE THE VERY ANGELS WEEP!

That Annapolis Tragedy

'Society' has been having a series of fits at Annapolis over an incident which occurred there recently and which sent army and navy circles into a swoon. The story runs that one of the cadets from the Annapolis academy escorted a 'working girl' to one of the hops which are given there and introduced the impossible creature to the ladies and gentlemen present! It now develops that the young woman, who is acting in the capacity of 'companion' to the wife of one of the officers at so much per month, is really no 'working girl' at all, but the daughter of a Yale professor, who is a friend of President Taft, who has made the superintendent of the academy apologize to the young woman for calling her out of her name!

We heaved a sigh of relief at this authentic information. It was past our comprehension why any self-respecting working girl should desire or consent to meet or mingle with the corrupt army and navy set, who, according to the sworn divorce court testimony with which the dear public is occasionally entertained, have shocked all decent and refined people in America.

These exposures have revealed a moral degeneracy comparable only to those of ancient Rome. Drunken revels, in which both the men and women participated, often follow these 'hops,' and not infrequently the gallant gentlemen have been known to knock down their wives and blacken their eyes. This is 'exclusive society,' which has a rigor at the thought of contact of a woman from the working class!

Every real working girl owes a debt of gratitude to our weighty president for clearing up the matter by deciding the young person who caused the trouble DOES NOT BELONG TO THE WORKING CLASS and compelled the stupid superintendent to apologize for calling her a working girl!

'THEN IT HAPPENED'

(Our Daily Discontinued Story.)

(Our Daily Discontinued Story.)



Cornelius Cornblossom was one of those persons who use unkindness to...

dumb animals. Nor did he belong to the Humane Society. He was never known to go superfluous to bed that the robin red breasts might eat his portion of fried potatoes. He thought it sport, too, if the cat was locked up in the furnace over summer.

On a sunny afternoon Cornelius was strolling on the edge of a high cliff overlooking the sea. But Cornelius was not overlooking anything. He perceived a goat browsing on the edge of the cliff. So Cornelius walked up to it in a whimsical manner and tried to pull it over the brink. But the force of his effort unbalanced Cornelius and— (THE END.)

THE WORLD'S BEST LIMERICK REVIVED There was a young maid who said, 'Why Can't I look in my ear with my eye? I'm sure I can do it, I'm sure I can do it, You never can tell till you try.' —Anon.

TODAY'S COMMONPLACE What are we going to have for dinner?

INTIMATE CORRESPONDENCE By Rath

Dear Dad: California's new senator, John D. Worke, signalled the beginning of his term by a few appropriate remarks on Lorimer. He referred to the obvious fact that corruption controlled the election of Lorimer. Mr. Heyburn sprang to his feet and thundered thus: 'I desire to call the senator's attention to the rule forbidding a senator in debate to impute to another senator or a senate committee motives unbecoming a senator.'

There you are! The honor of the senate in the custody of Heyburn, Jim Sherman and Bailey! It has always impressed me as one of the most remarkable things in public life that the senate of the United States should have and should enforce a rule which forbids any senator making a speech on the floor of the senate to make any remarks which reflect upon the motives of any member of the senate.

motives which impel members of the United States senate are venal, low and despicable. Have you seen the wonderful Tiffany glass curtain built in New York for the Mexican National theater? If you have not, you won't without a trip to Mexico City. The curtain has been on exhibition for several days, but now is being boxed for shipment.

Senator Lorimer

Senator Lorimer has told us that the \$40,000 which he spent in posting his bellwether speech to his constituents was 'his own personal affair.' Sure, Mike. What right has the common people got, anyway, to butt into the senator's business? Lorimer doesn't belong to them; they didn't elect him, nor he doesn't represent them.

The Socialists in Milwaukee

Mayor Seidel, at the beginning of his second year, sends a message to the council. None of the city dailies publish it and they scarcely refer to it. They are as unfair toward Socialists as they are toward all temperance movements. That with all their efforts to disparage the Socialist administration, not even a covert suggestion of dishonesty is heard. The finance and accounting department of the city are rapidly becoming specific and are open to all. A complete inventory of the city property will soon be prepared.

Everett True and the True Triplets



Murder Is Murder

Murder draws its bloody trail with relentless insistence through nature. Everywhere its victims lie dead and dying. The law of blood rules supreme in the animal world. War to the death is the order. The placid calm of nature does not mean peace. Behind and below is the ever-present 'struggle for existence,' destroying from ten to a thousand individuals born for every one that lives out its normal period of existence. Small wonder that animals are 'wild.'

Primitive man, too, is almost always at war. Every tribe is thirsting for the blood of other tribes. This state of perpetual strife, external and internal, continues until civilization is reached and man pauses to contemplate the meaning of life and the end and purpose of his being.

Under civilization we specialize murder, as we do everything. We see men, aside for the purpose of doing murder in the name of state, under the superstition that some evil is thereby destroyed or driven away.

But murder is murder. It is the law of the jungle, and every recurrence of it only shows that the ape and the tiger still control the mass of human creatures. Some day we will abolish murder. It is unnecessary. It is unspeakably cruel and inflicts agonies black with despair. Man has grown sensitive. Through the development of psychic power he is attuned to the harmony of spheres, the beauty of art, the glories of science and the joy of human labor, love and comradeship. When he shall once have mastered the thrall of lower necessity he will enter into possession of heaven and earth and will cease to rob and kill.

Murder is murder. When boys are sent down into coal mines, robbed of their boyhood, of education, of life, they are murdered.

Murder is murder. When men and women perish in flames because inadequate fire escapes have been provided, it is murder, and he who shares directly or indirectly in the profits of such business is a murderer. When wages paid or time employed is not sufficient to feed, clothe, house and educate the workers and those dependent upon them, it is murder, and he who does not strive to abolish the causes which lead to this never-ending manslaughter is a murderer.

Every child that dies from insufficient food or improper sanitation or preventable disease, is murdered, and will be avenged, not by some arbitrary ruler, but in the inherency of things.

There are hungry, ill-clad and unsheltered creatures in every civilized land. Their lives are wretched. They suffer. They die prematurely. They are murdered.

Roosevelt stresses the possibility that certain men charged with murder may be guilty.

The matter to be stressed is that society, capitalistic, warlike society, daily murders thousands, innocent children, nursing women and struggling men.

The destruction of property and the killing of human beings in the class struggle are incidents of war, to be abolished; but the way to abolish them is not by counter-violence; not by fraud and force, but by justice—universal justice—not justice to one man or to one class, but to all men.

Open the boundless resources of nature to all and provide for every human creature an ever-present opportunity to make the most of whatever faculties, talents and power he may possess, and peace and joy will become the normal condition of man.

Murder will cease, for its cause will have disappeared.

Our Mexican Frontier

Mexico is in the throes of a revolution. The foundations of that belated country seem to be shaken from center to circumference. There have been many disturbances in that patchwork of a country, but none had, before this one, the heat and energy to promise anything but a relapse into the antediluvian habits of a semi-barbarous people.

The position of our government is not an easy one. There are many conflicting interests and budding aspirations in that bubbling cauldron southwest of the Rio Grande. Taft has a delicate task to handle the situation to the satisfaction of the controlling power.

Who is the controlling power? The public does not know. Possibly no one knows. He may not yet have developed. Whoever it is will be found in one of the world's kings of finance.

From all the welter and turmoil of the insurrection will emerge some powerful syndicates of rich men who will hold title to large portions of the natural wealth of Mexico.

The matter of occupation or even annexation will depend upon two things: Does this syndicate want Mexico occupied or annexed? And, second, Are the people of the United States sufficiently sane to resist the manufactured jingoism which is beginning to make itself felt?

The Socialist party is the only party that is taking an unequivocal stand against war with Mexico, either with or without annexation.

War is always in the interests of the exploiting class. They enlarge their powers, corrupt governments and acquire franchises and other privileges. War stimulates speculation and arrests the normal economic development of the country and the working out of Socialism.

One of the last resorts of capitalism to avert Socialism is war. Aside from the cruelty and inhumanity of it, Socialism and the race have everything to lose and nothing to gain by war.

Robbing the Widows

Chicago is getting mighty tired of the miserable antics of the committee handling the money collected for the widows of the firemen that lost their lives in the stockyards holocaust.

This committee refuses to give the money to these widows. It wants to 'invest' the money and give the widows a small income from the interest accruing therefrom.

The little bit of driveling money from this method is scorned by the widows. They know, as all other people know, that the banks and the money powers get the biggest swag.

Moreover, these widows are entitled to the money now while they live. Why should they be compelled to wait for it?

Some of them will die in a few years, and unless they leave heirs the money goes to the banks. Both the widows and the children may die in a decade without having a chance to use more than a few pennies. In that event the parasites that now handle the money would get it and the victims would simply have had a miserable existence while they lived.

The people of Chicago should get together and demand that these widows get their rights.

Put that committee out of business and get a new one which will serve the widows and not the bankers.

This is an outrage on civilization.

That man Higinbotham should be tabooed as the greatest capitalist fumbler that ever handled money. Show him up.

And go to work for Socialism and a system that will not permit a miserable charitable committee to hold the lives of widows and of orphans in their hands, but which will take care in a regular way of all members of society without the stigma of charity or the outrages of graft.

I think I do not err in assuming that, however diverse their views on philosophical and religious matters, most men are agreed that the proportion of good and evil in life may be very seriously effected by human action. I never heard anybody doubt that the evil may be thus increased or diminished; and it seems to follow that good must be similarly susceptible of addition or subtraction. Finally, to my knowledge, nobody professes to doubt that, so far as we possess a power of bettering things it is our paramount duty to use it and to train all our intellect and energy to this superior service of our kind.—Huxley.