



FUHRMANN REFUSES TO DEBATE

To date Mayor Fuhrmann has not replied to the challenge sent him over a week ago to debate the issues of the campaign with the Socialist candidate for Mayor, Stephen J. Mahoney and many people would like to know why.

Mr. Mahoney stands ready to meet the Democratic candidate in debate on five minutes notice, but Mr. Fuhrmann is as silent as a tomb whenever this subject is mentioned.

The Socialists don't wonder that the Mayor declines to debate. He is campaigning on a number of fake issues while the Socialist candidate has the facts.

PEOPLE MUST PAY EXPENSE OF TROOPS FOR STREET CAR CO.

Any Old Judge may call out Troops if Capitalist Class need Protection for their Sacred Private Property—Decision will Make it Easy to Break Strikes.

Another example of how the courts work for the capitalist class is shown in the decision of the court of Appeals regarding the payment of the troops called out by Judge Brown to act as strike-breakers for the International Railway last spring.

Of course the court decided in favor of the International Railway. What else could it do? To do other wise would be an act of unfriendliness to the owners and lawyers of that company. Accordingly the little bill of \$3000 is saddled on the county of Erie and the people must pay for the three-day military display, and the breaking up of the strike of the street car men.

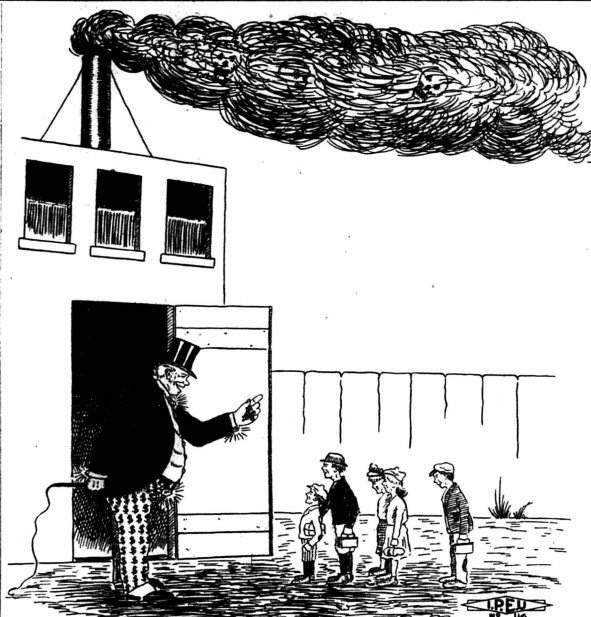
If there ever was a worse example of the subservience of the

courts to the interests this case is the most blatant.

The fact that the officers of the International cooked up the deal with Judge Brown at the Buffalo Club on a Sunday night and that the men were on the scene bright and early the next morning looks like a very clear case of putting it over on the people.

These men, such as the officers and lawyers of the International and Judge Brown, pretend to stand for "law and order," but the law is made to suit their purpose, when it does not, they act first and then fix the law after.

It is time that the working people of this country get together and eliminate about three-fourths of the judiciary and put them at honest labor.



"THE FRIEND OF LABOR"

Observe the opulent figure of Lord Stoddart Fuhrmann in the above picture, with the smile of deceit written on his countenance. He beckons the children of the working class to enter his shop, while he holds the whip of hunger in his other fist.

This same fellow goes about on election time shouting against the tenderloin inhabitants when he in fact is the cause of the greater portion of its inhabitants through low wages.

Look at the poor, shiny, underfed children, as they wend their way to the shops early each morning—tired, haggard and without hope. Tuberculosis lurks in their bodies, and to stimulate them in order to keep up the daily grind, the capitalist class have for sale beer, whiskey, cigarettes, etc., and then blame them for wasting their money.

When the shop burns down or an explosion takes place through

lack of proper precaution and the slaves are killed and maimed, the generous Lord subscribes money for their benefit which is never intended to reach the workers, but is gobbled up by the hired agents.

Lord Stoddart Fuhrmann is in business for profits and nothing else. Charity, Honesty and Humanity are out of the question in the battle for the almighty dollar. A cent looks like a cartwheel when paying out wages and is expected to bring forth dollars in return—all out of the hides of the workers.

When the Lord is elected to office he represents himself and his class. Every turn he makes is with the idea of benefiting himself and his class. He profits most when wages are low and hours are long. He profits most when he produces cheap and sells dear.

Labor creates all wealth. You are permitted to do all the labor, but Lord Stoddart Fuhrmann, gets

all the wealth. Nice, good workmen, take notice that the Lord does not send his own children to his dirty, filthy factories. It is your children.

The children of the capitalist class go to schools and gymnasiums in order that they may grow up strong, healthy workmen. The children of the working class are driven to work to help their fathers support the family before they are well into their teens.

And you wear brooms and buffaloes on your coats as tokens of gratitude for being robbed, starved and degraded.

You have done enough for the capitalist class, and it is about time now that you wake up and do something for yourself as a workingman, something for your wife as a slave to a workingman, and something for your own children and give them an opportunity not only to exist, but to live like human beings.

SOCIALIST FLAG BEARERS FINED HEAVILY IN BOSTON

Boston, Oct. 22.—The cases of William R. Henry and Joseph Meitowitz, member of the Socialist party, who were fined \$25 each yesterday in the Police Court, will be appealed to the higher courts.

The men were arrested for carrying red flags at the head of a parade arranged and held last Saturday by Local Boston to ratify its candidates.

Counsel for the Socialist banner bearers said that they will test the constitutionality of the statute preventing the carrying of red or black flags in processions.

One of the banners carried by the Socialists was a duplicate of one carried to the front by the patriots under George Washington in the battle of White Plains and the other was the sparkling banner of international Socialism.

HAMMOND SHOULD DO SOMETHING FOR CITY

What does Corporation Counsel Clark H. Hammond do to earn the salary the people of Buffalo are paying him? That is the question that Buffalo has lost an important point in its fight against the Buffalo Gas Company for a reduction in the price of gas, directly due to Hammond's negligence.

It seems that he was so busy directing the persecution of the Socialist speakers who were arrested for speaking on Lafayette Square that he had no time to attend to matters he is being paid for. After all, what are the city's interests between politicians? Everything, no matter how important, can be laid aside when it comes to stopping the Socialists from telling the truth.

And now the Gas Trust has the city by the throat. It can hold up the people and soak them to its heart's content.

Hammond's negligence to act in behalf of the city was a service to the Gas Trust. Will the trust show its appreciation to Hammond and contribute to his campaign fund? It appears that this was the best way for the Gas Trust to pay Hammond for services rendered. Hammond is running for County Judge on the Republican ticket. And you know every little bit added to what you've got in campaign times counts.

TONIGHT'S MEETINGS

Sol Fieldman, Socialist orator of New York City speaks in the Lovejoy District this evening.

The Socialists of the 11th ward are going great guns. Many meetings are being held and much literature distributed.

This evening renewed energy will be instilled in the campaign

DUNCAN IN MICHIGAN

(Special to Buffalo Socialist.)

Grand Rapids, Mich., Oct. 22.—Mayor Lewis J. Duncan of Butte, Mont., who is bound for Buffalo to address meetings in Buffalo under the auspices of Local Buffalo of the Socialist Party, speaks in Grand Rapids at the Central High School Auditorium tonight. The Socialists are the first political party to be allowed the use of this auditorium has excited some comment.

CLOVER LEAF INVESTIGATION LOOKS LIKE ANOTHER FIZZLE

Two Postponements by Court — Workingmen's Lives Not Considered — Company's Lawyers Need Time to Clear Clients.

As the inquest into the cause of the disaster of the Clover Leaf mill went on yesterday morning before Chief Judge William Brennan in the City Court, it dawned more clearly than ever that the charge made by THE BUFFALO SOCIALIST immediately after the catastrophe took place will be corroborated.

One working man's life was snuffed out, six others, also workmen, went to the hospital, some of whom have not as yet recovered from the injuries received, is the bloody total of this sacrifice on the altar of capitalist greed and profit.

The disaster occurred on the 14th of September and in its next edition THE BUFFALO SOCIALIST came out with the charge that the explosion was due to the accumulation of grain dust, which could have been prevented by the installation of a suction device and a system of exhaust fans, which would represent a small investment.

But why protect the workers? They are so much cheaper than safety devices. Workers represent no financial outlay. They are cheap in the eyes of all the mill owners.

One thing was apparent throughout the inquest, that did not seem to strike the investigators as important, judging from the age of most employes working in the mill. Just prior to and at the time of the catastrophe, they were young, inexperienced men. The wages they received in \$13 a week.

Samuel Roskoski, aged 20, of 603 Fulton street, testified on the witness stand that he worked in the mill only three days and that he never, worked in a mill before.

Adam Ulrich, a millwright, of Winchester, N. Y., testified under oath that he heard two successive explosions, two explosive charges which knocked him a distance of 30 feet. He also swore that there were no fire escapes on the building.

Curiosity is growing rampant as to where the state factory inspectors were. Why the owners of the building were permitted to use it, and endanger the lives of the workers is a mystery to many, but it is no secret to the owners of the mill or the officials who neglected their duty.

DUNCAN HERE TO-MORROW

Three big Socialist hall meetings will be held tomorrow evening as follows:

Columbia Turn Hall, 1261 Genesee Street.

La Touraine Hall, E. Utica and Verplanck Streets.

Mizpah Hall, W. Ferry and Herkimer Streets.

The speakers at these meetings will be Lewis J. Duncan, the Socialist Mayor of Butte, Montana, Stephen J. Mahoney, candidate for Mayor and Sol Fieldman of New York City.

Mayor Duncan will arrive in the city tomorrow morning, coming from Cleveland where he delivered an address last evening.

Every radical worker in Buffalo interested in the work of the Socialist administration of Butte and there is no doubt the halls will be packed tomorrow evening. Mayor Duncan will positively speak at each hall. No admission will be charged. Come and bring your neighbors.

LYNCH'S NAME SENT TO SENATE AGAIN

Governor Glynn has sent the name of James M. Lynch, of Syracuse, to the Senate for confirmation as State Labor Commissioner. Mr. Lynch is president of the International Typographical Union. His appointment has been hanging fire for months. The governor expects it now to go through.

SIX MEN KILLED WHEN PLANT BOILER EXPLODES

New York, Oct. 22.—Six men were instantly killed and four others badly injured, one probably fatally, as the result of a boiler explosion at the plant of the Richmond Light & Power Company at Livingston, S. I. The cause of the explosion is unknown.

Among the dead are: Daniel Sullivan, fireman; Francis Hanna, engineer, and Patrick Derinzezo, laborer.

Three more bodies were taken from the ruins of the power house. Two of the bodies were unidentified and the third was that of Philip Guden, a fireman. Until the list of employes is checked up, the officials of the company cannot tell whether any more bodies are in the ruins.

SOCIALIST MEETINGS THIS EVENING

- Socialist Hall, 1174 Lovejoy Street. Speaker, Sol Fieldman.
- Hayward and Elk Streets. Speaker, Stephen J. Mahoney, Socialist candidate for Mayor.
- Warren and Park Streets. Speaker, Max Silverer.
- Grant and Breckenridge Streets. Speaker, W. H. Jacobs of Milwaukee.
- Broadway Market. Speaker, W. Wojciechowski.
- Lancaster, opposite Town Hall. Speaker, James J. Kelley.

UNION PICKETS PROTECTED IN BUTTE

Under former administrations in Butte, Mont., whenever trouble and disturbance arose on account of picketing...

ARRANGEMENTS MADE FOR BIG MEETING

Joseph Pelon, chairman of the campaign committee of the Socialist Party announces that arrangements are being made...

Socialist Party Municipal Platform

INTRODUCTORY. The Socialist Party in the City of Buffalo is a part of the worldwide movement to abolish the exploitation of the workers...

DESPOTIC POWER OF THE JUDICIARY

"I hold the keys. I have great power. I am higher than the governor. I can put you in jail and I can liberate you..."

SUPREME COURT SUPREME DESPOT

The ripple that men call death blots out most of us, and the world rolls on as if we had never lived. But we who are to be blotted out have an abiding hope...

STODDARD HAS NO FEAR IN MAKING PROMISES

It is amusing to read the "Republican" campaign stuff of the Republican candidate for mayor...

CAPITALIST POLITICIANS OF ST. LOUIS INDICTED

A wholesale roundup of the ex-officials of St. Louis, whose terms expired last spring has been made by the grand jury...

ANOTHER DISCOVERY

A Rev. McKim has surprised the age with the discovery that Socialism is one of the national sins of America.

FREEDOM OF SPEECH

Our forefathers knew exactly what they were about when they said, in the constitution: "Congress shall make no law abridging the freedom of speech..."

PUBLIC EDUCATION.

The children of the working class are being robbed of their right to education. Thousands are driven by poverty to leave school at an early age...

PUBLIC HEALTH

The municipality is as remiss in caring for the public health as in providing for the education of its children...

MUNICIPAL PROGRAM.

We pledge ourselves to do our utmost to assist the workers to organize on the economic field. To help them to the full extent of our power...

RECREATION.

Recreation and amusement to go with the regular education, being necessary to healthy and happy life, we demand: A sweeping liberalization of the present antiquated Sunday laws...

EMPLOYMENT.

We demand the establishment of municipal employment bureaus to take the place of the private agencies which now prey upon the needs of persons seeking work.

STRIKES.

We demand that the licensing of strikebreakers as special deputies be stopped, and that the police be used to protect working people in their right to strike...

CONCLUSION.

The foregoing measures and all others that may be proposed for the benefit of the masses of the population will require the efforts not only of a city and county administration devoted to the interest of the working class...

Advertisement for Bricka & Enos furniture store. Features a large illustration of a willow rocker and lists various furniture items with prices. Text includes: "We are the first and only Furniture Store in Buffalo to close our doors every Saturday at 8 P. M. Why!!! To allow our salesmen the privilege of spending their evenings at home with their families."

Advertisement for Buffalo Shoe Co. featuring a large illustration of a men's shoe. Text includes: "BUFFALO SHOE CO. SENECA AND ELLICOTT STS. MEN! This Coupon Good for 50 Cents. We want you to try a pair of those wonderful Buffalo Shoes."

Advertisement for Arbeiter-Beitrag newspaper. Text includes: "Agitate and subscribe for the Arbeiter-Beitrag. The only German newspaper in the state outside of New York City, representing the interest of the Working Class... Office, 315-317 Genesee Street - Buffalo, N. Y."

Advertisement for Lineman Found Dead. Text includes: "Saville, L., Oct. 22.—Julius Gross, a lineman for the Long Island Lighting Company, was found dead alongside an electric line on Handsome avenue, Buffalo, N. Y., today. It is supposed that he came in contact with a live wire dangling from the pole."

Advertisement for Napolean Meyers. Text includes: "Napolean Meyers Special Agent New York Life Ins. Co. 489 Norwood Avenue. F. P. MANHARDT PRINTER 33 E. HURON ST. BUFFALO, N. Y."

Advertisement for Arch-Supporting Shoes. Text includes: "ARCH-SUPPORTING SHOES MADE TO ORDER J. F. SCHULTZ 8096, 246RALLIST. Union Gas Burner Co. 369 Ellcott Street (WE SELL VALUE)

Advertisement for The San Bloom Tailoring Co. Text includes: "THE SAN BLOOM TAILORING CO. UNION LABEL. Up-to-date Custom Callers 1620 EAST GALE STREET. TOBACCO, CIGARS, CIGARETTES Russian and Jewish Papers 289 William Street. THE HUB 84 Seneca St. MEN'S OUTFITTERS UNION LABEL CLOTHING, SUITS, OVERCOATS AND HATS. Special for this week: \$20 Suits and Overcoats... \$14.85 \$15 Suits and Overcoats... \$9.95 \$10 Suits and Overcoats... \$6.45 \$20 Hats... \$1.50 84 Seneca Street

MAYOR DUNCAN AS A SOCIALIST

Mayor Lewis J. Duncan has the distinction of being the only Socialist Mayor of an important industrial center in the United States who has been re-elected to office against the combined votes of the three opposing parties—Republican, Democrat and Progressive. His career as student, clerical worker, lawyer, minister, lecturer, organizer and mayor has been a most picturesque one and has given him a remarkable insight into men and conditions.

Mayor Duncan is now 57 years old, having been born May 4, 1857, in St. Louis, Mo. After the death of his father, a bookkeeper by occupation, he was transferred to Quincy, Ill. As the result of considerable sacrifice, young Duncan gained a public and part of a high school education and, after an interval entered Hanover College. Lack of funds forced him to leave college before graduation on account of financial straits of the family and he again devoted himself for a while to clerical work. Next he devoted himself to the study of law supporting himself in the meantime by teaching school, leading choirs and by journalistic work. He was admitted to the Illinois bar in 1878, but finding the legal profession unremunerative, he again took up clerical work.

During the next seven years, assiduously studying in all of his spare moments, he completely reconstituted his economic, political and theological beliefs. In 1888 he became a Unitarian minister at Sheffield, Ill., and was, respectively, field secretary of the Unitarian Conference, pastor of the Church of Good Will, Secretary, Ill., leader of the Ethical Culture Society of Milwaukee, and pastor of the Unitarian Church of Butte, Montana.

It was while in Milwaukee, 1898-1901, that he first became convinced of the correctness of the Socialist philosophy and cast his first vote for Socialism. In Butte, Montana, October, 1902, he became a member of the Socialist Local.

During the next few years, Duncan won the warm regard of the working class of Butte and at the same time the enmity of the forces of privilege by his vigorous denunciation of the outrages perpetrated against the workers in Colorado, his advocacy of free speech and free press and his militant Socialist messages. He also served as candidate for congress on the Socialist ticket. Every effort to silence him by the method of cutting off his financial support only served to illustrate the truths he was teaching and to confirm his faith in his philosophy and in himself.

But these same experiences completely reconstituted him as to the methods and efficiency of the church or any merely ethical organization to effect social changes needed to free the wage earners from industrial servitude. Accordingly, in the Spring of 1910, after founding out twenty-one years' service as a minister in the Unitarian fellowship, he resigned his charge at Butte and withdrew entirely from the ministerial profession.

Just at that time, a vacancy having occurred in the state secretaryship of the Socialist Party of Montana, he was appointed and subsequently elected to that position. He took up immediately

the labor of performing the party organization which was just recovering from a year of intestine strife. In the course of the next year, the factional differences were amicably adjusted, the Local and State organizations strengthened, and the membership increased beyond what it had ever been. He held this office until May, 1911, when he assumed the office of Mayor of the City of Butte.

Mayor Duncan's first election was not brought about entirely by Socialist voters, but it was certainly the expression of the confidence which the workers of Butte felt in him as a representative of their interests. During his incumbency as mayor of the city, his policies have been guided by the Socialist philosophy and directed in the interests of the workers and in close harmony with the desires of organized labor. To the surprise of everybody, except of course the Socialists, these policies resulted in the best, most efficient and progressive city government ever enjoyed in Butte.

Mayor Duncan and his associates on the Socialist ticket had been elected for two years. In 1912 an aldermanic election occurred involving a number of the city council. In order to prevent the Socialists from increasing their strength in the aldermanic body, the Democrats and Republicans were forced into a coalition. The Socialists, however, gained one more alderman.

In the municipal election this year, 1913, all disguise was thrown off by the Democrats and Republicans and they frankly faced in a "Citizens' Ticket" in the effort to defeat Duncan, who had been renominated by his party.

The fusion was vain. The Socialist candidates were again elected and with a larger vote than in 1911 and they gained one additional alderman, carrying not only the five wards they had carried in 1911, but also, in addition, their candidate in a Republican ward which had been considered invincible, the ward in which the fusion candidate opposed to Duncan for the mayor's office resided and from which that gentleman had been elected two years before as alderman. In 1912, Mayor Duncan was the nominee of his party for the office of Governor of the State. He spent about three months campaigning and spoke in every county, except two, in the state. The Socialist vote for Governor was 12,500, which is more than 100 per cent. gain over the same vote in 1908. The vote for the Socialist candidates in other State offices was nearly as great.

Despite his 57 years, Comrade Duncan is youthful in figure and in spirit. Only his white hairs betray his years. As a speaker he is logical, persuasive and convincing. He is a member of the Federal Labor Union of Butte, and for three years has represented that organization as a delegate in the Central Labor Council. He was elected as one of the delegates to the national convention of the Socialist Party in 1912 and served on the Platform Committee which drafted the present national platform of the party. He is a thorough-going Marxist and is classed among the so-called radical Socialists. He is not only a Socialism combatant, but is also cool in judgment and judicial, and in party affairs has derided all factionalism and avoided personal issues.

Capitalism makes a thousand poor, then asks praise for helping one of its victims.

Socialist Party Candidates

- Mayor
STEPHEN J. MAHONEY
Corporation Counsel
EDWARD T. DURAND
Comptroller
I. B. TAYLOR
Assessor
LOUIS F. REXIN
Judge of the City Court
WILLIAM F. CATTELL
County Judge
HENRY MATTHEWS
Commissioner of County Charities
MRS. DORA FOSTER
Overseer of the Poor
SAMUEL LEARY
Councillmen
WILHELM ALMEINDINGER
JAMES J. BATTISTONI
H. H. CROLEY
W. WOJCZOWSKI

- Assembly
First District—Dominic De Sio
Second District—William G. Roberts
Third District—Charles Phillips
Fourth District—John P. Wannemacher
Fifth District—Conrad Heid
Sixth District—Herman Elitz
Seventh District—William Smith
Eighth District—Frederick Grawender
Ninth District—Herman C. Glass

- Aldermen
First Ward—Samuel A. Fawkes
Second Ward—Adam Schembs
Third Ward—Michael Roll
Fourth Ward—D. F. Stranahan
Fifth Ward—M. W. Perrine
Sixth Ward—Jerome J. Smith
Seventh Ward—Henry Goldstein
Eighth Ward—Louis C. Gernan
Ninth Ward—E. H. Gien
Tenth Ward—Paul Krier
Eleventh Ward—Rosa C. Abel
Twelfth Ward—August Miller
Thirteenth Ward—H. J. Buth
Fourteenth Ward—John Venhern
Fifteenth Ward—John C. Conghlin
Sixteenth Ward—Leonard Perry
Seventeenth Ward—Walter Palmgren
Eighteenth Ward—Henry Peterson
Nineteenth Ward—Henry Tutthill
Twentieth Ward—Archie Henderson
Twenty-first Ward—George H. Freeborn
Twenty-second Ward—C. U. King
Twenty-third Ward—J. R. McIntosh
Twenty-fourth Ward—Irwin Lincoln
Twenty-fifth Ward—Charles Grimm
Twenty-sixth Ward—Frank Cahill

- Supervisor
First Ward—Vixley Ryverse
Second Ward—John G. Cooper
Third Ward—Charles Pauman
Fourth Ward—Charles Faessler
Fifth Ward—John L. Pier
Sixth Ward—David Uppenreynvelt
Seventh Ward—Morris Braunstein
Eighth Ward—A. G. Ertenbeck
Ninth Ward—Otto Stilke
Tenth Ward—Paul Vogel, Jr.
Eleventh Ward—L. C. Beesing
Twelfth Ward—Charles Roesech
Thirteenth Ward—Charles Adams
Fourteenth Ward—George Habicht
Fifteenth Ward—John Vogel
Sixteenth Ward—Albert Bayer
Seventeenth Ward—Julius Knapp
Eighteenth Ward—Albert Abiatti
Nineteenth Ward—Arthur Upton
Twentieth Ward—L. O. G. Harvey
Twenty-first Ward—Benjamin Taylor
Twenty-second Ward—W. S. Brown
Twenty-third Ward—Joseph Ball
Twenty-fourth Ward—Charles J. Williamson
Twenty-fifth Ward—Lantriff Geier
Twenty-sixth Ward—Charles W. Willett

- Constables
Second Ward—Frank Ehrenfried
Fifth Ward—Frederick Kimmick
Sixth Ward—Ernst Piller
Ninth Ward—Emil Stilke
Eleventh Ward—William Cadin
Twelfth Ward—E. O. Baum
Thirteenth Ward—Frederick Goodall
Fourteenth Ward—Douglass Bellerjean
Fifteenth Ward—Frank Weisse
Sixteenth Ward—John Rosenkrantz
Seventeenth Ward—J. N. Koehler
Eighteenth Ward—Frank Knapp
Nineteenth Ward—George DeGraff
Twentieth Ward—Axel Peterson
Twenty-first Ward—A. O. Metelafe
Twenty-second Ward—Reid McCreddie
Twenty-third Ward—Joseph Rourke

Three Big Meetings

Friday Evening, Oct. 24th
LA TOURAINE HALL, Utica and Verplanck Sts.
MIZPAH HALL, W. Ferry and Herkimer Sts.
COLUMBIA TURN HALL, 1261 Genesee St.

SPEAKERS:
LEWIS J. DUNCAN, Socialist Mayor of Butte, Mont.
STEPHEN J. MAHONEY, Candidate for Mayor
SOL FIELDMAN, of New York City
ALL THREE SPEAKERS WILL SPEAK AT ALL THREE MEETINGS
Admission Free

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Editor Buffalo Socialist.
The Socialist Party demands dues from its members and adherents. The other parties take tribute from their adherents' pockets, after they blindfold them.
The Socialist Party demands 25 cents per month, \$3.00 per year, dues from each member.
The other parties take—well, all they can grab.
Take the case of the street car men, who recently received a raise of one cent per hour through the kind consideration of "Louie"—the street car men's "friend."
They were receiving 22 cents per hour, and demanded 30 cents per hour, and their representatives on the board of arbitration showed that they were entitled to 30 cents per hour, and what one of those men does not feel that he is entitled to 30 cents per hour?
So did "Louie," but he had other things to consider, and after thinking him all over, "Louie" comes to the conclusion that the International Railway Company is worth seven times more to him, and the holding of his job than the street car men, so he gives the International Railway Company seven cents per hour and the men one cent per hour.
Yes, gives the International Railway Company seven cents per hour, for every hour that \$112,000,000 of your money. Seven cents per hour of your money, because weren't you entitled to that eight cent raise, and didn't you only get one cent of it.
Now let us see what each street car man paid in TRIBUTE to the support of Fuhrmann's party or to any other party whose members do not pay DUES. They work at least nine hours a day, maybe more, for at least six days in the week, which is 54 hours per week, and for 52 weeks in the year, which is 2808 hours, at 7 cents per hour, which is \$196.56 per year each man is paying in tribute to "Louie" and his like can hold their jobs. Now wait, don't get disgusted yet, there's more to come. The International Railway Company has at least 2000 men who are contributing this \$196.56 per year, which aggregates \$393,120 per year that "Louie" has saxed them per year for three years (the term of the agreement) or in all \$1,179,360.
Now the Socialists would have demanded in dues from these 2000, \$6,000 per year, but "Louie" needs more than \$6,000 to get these 2000 men's votes. What "Louie" lacks in arguments for his reelection he makes up in fire works, cigars, beer, etc., so that he should have no trouble in getting \$100,000, \$200,000 or even \$500,000 to get these 2000 men to vote for him. Do you suppose for a moment that if Stephen J. Mahoney, as Mayor of the City of Buffalo, sat on that board of arbitration in place of "Louie," he wouldn't have received the full eight cent raise, to which you still feel entitled to? Now, Mahoney don't need \$300,000, to get your votes. He don't buy cigars and beer. He gives you arguments.
If you had paid \$3.00 per year directly into the Socialist Party, you would have saved \$193.56 per year by so doing. But, oh! what a difference, if you had a Socialist government, all the way through. Now, saying that \$196.56 would sink into insignificance compared to the saving that would be effected by a complete Socialist system, but "Louie" says Socialism is no good, and he tells the truth. It's no good for "Louie"—it's no good for

How To Vote On Amendments

Four amendments to the constitution of the State of New York are to be voted upon at the election, November 4th. Each of these amendments is of particular importance to every worker in the state. The courts have declared Workmen's Compensation Laws unconstitutional. This amendment is framed to meet the court decisions and enable Compensation Laws to be passed and enforced.
Every Socialist, in fact every worker should vote for amendment number two on the machine. The State Executive Committee of the Socialist Party considered the four amendments to the Constitution of the State of New York to be voted upon at the ensuing General Election on Nov. 4th, and decided to issue the following as a guidance how to advise the voters of the different counties who are in sympathy with the Socialist Party how to vote on these pending amendments:

(b) The enlargement of public powers is in line with the Socialist program.
Socialists should vote for amendment number one.
Amendment Number Two.
This amendment is an enabling clause, authorizing the legislature to enact a Workmen's Compensation Law. It is intended to meet the lives decision of the Court of Appeals.
Socialists should vote for Amendment Number Two.
Amendment Number Three.
This amendment proposes to increase the number of county judges, specifically in Kings County from two to four and generally authorize the legislature to increase the number of county judges in any county.
A similar deal may be said in favor of this amendment by pointing to law's delay. But in view that it has been proven that some of our \$18,000 a year judges, average one hour and one-half work a day, and also because of hostility of the courts to labor it demands, we should cast a vote of no confidence to the courts.
Socialists should vote against Amendment Number Three.
Amendment Number Four.
This amendment proposes to authorize the use of not more than three per cent of public land for parks, but the municipalities must have it.
Socialists should vote for Amendment Number Four.

Amendment Number One.
This amendment proposes to change the manner in which the compensation for taking private property for public use shall be determined. The amendment seeks to abolish referees. Also it seeks to extend and enlarge the powers of the State in taking private property for public use.
Imperfect as the amendment is, the Socialists should vote for it for the reason that:
(a) Referees and receivers are always and everywhere a source of graft and scandal.

GREAT SOCIALIST DEMONSTRATION
BROADWAY AUDITORIUM
Saturday Evening, November 1st
SPEAKERS:
GEORGE R. KIRKPATRICK
Author of War, What For?
JAMES H. MAURER
President Pennsylvania Federation of Labor.
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