

SOLDIERS ROLL FIRE VICTIMS

Uniformed Thugs Steal From Shelterless Persons at Chelsea

(Special to the Daily Socialist.) Boston, Mass., April 18.—Chelsea, the burned suburb of cultured Boston, has had a taste of martial law, which is the same kind, in a mild form, that has been applied to the mining camps of Colorado, Idaho and Nevada when the miners went on strike. The citizens of Chelsea would much rather have been left alone. They now know what martial law means.

The soldiers were called out to protect the property of the common people after a terrible fire had swept the place. There was no fund from rich capitalists to draw from nor was there any strikers to torment, so the soldiers turned to looting, tormenting the citizen and insulting women.

Soldiers Discourteous. Discourtesy was especially noticeable among the so-called "swell" companies, composed of men from the Back Bay, the aristocratic section of Boston, and from Cambridge, who are supposed to know how to be courteous just a little better than the ordinary person.

On two different occasions soldiers were seen picking up articles from the ruins and secretively taking them to their quarters. One case was so blatant that a photographer took a snap shot of the men, who displayed confusion and chagrin only when they realized that their actions had been projected into a picture that would be published.

Don't Fear Citizens. Women passing along the streets, women who are in distress after hardships and privations, were subject to remarks on their appearance, and the presence of a man as an escort did not seem to make any difference to the soldiers.

A man stopped to take a picture on Chestnut street and was seen by a guard, who rushed up and profaned him in the back with his bayonet, ordering him to move on at the same time. The man was moving as fast as he could, but the bayonet was not taken out of his back, and the guard's superior officer, resident in the bayonet, watched the performance as though it had been a farce at the civilian's discomfort and grief at the civilian's discomfort and grief.

IN PRISON EIGHT YEARS—PROVES SELF INNOCENT

Providence, R. I., April 18.—After serving eight years of a fifteen-year sentence as "Milwaukee Red," a famous western crook, Joseph Brennan, a Brooklyn young man, has now proved himself to have been the victim of a mistake in identity. Within a few days his pardon will be recommended to the state senate by Governor James H. Higgins.

Brennan's claim that he is not the notorious "Milwaukee Red" is substantiated by a photograph received from Chicago of the westerner, and by statements from the chief of police of Milwaukee, to whom "Red" personally is known, who declares that the criminal mentioned completed a term in that city in 1891.

TEXAS MACHINISTS VOTE IN FAVOR OF SOCIALISM

(Special to the Daily Socialist.) Fort Worth, Tex., April 18.—Fort Worth Local No. 75, International Association of Machinists, at a regular meeting by a large majority instructed its delegates to the Texas state convention of the American Federation of Labor to endorse Socialism.

DEMOCRATIC ALDERMEN GET PASSES FOR G. O. P. HEELERS

Just to prove that their political opposition is a fake, and that party platforms and pledges to voters mean nothing between friends who have little or no friction, the Democratic aldermen secured personal passes to Springfield and turned them over to Republican state convention. This ruse was discovered till the auditor's department of the Illinois Central railroad discovered that there were Democratic aldermen's names down as having received passes to go to Springfield at the same time as the issuance of other passes for the Republican delegates to the state convention.

In view of this, will you kindly advise me whether you wish me to render bill for the value of the transportation—\$1.46—against Mr. Brennan or against yourself? Yours truly, J. T. HARRAHAN, President.

RIO GRANDE STRIKE BREAKER SLUGS AND ROBS BOY

(Special to the Daily Socialist.) Denver, Colo., April 18.—A Denver & Rio Grande strike-breaker who came to Denver from the east left his work at the Barnham shops long enough on payday to slug and rob Edward Healy, a 15-year-old boy employed as clerk in the storeroom.

The boy's pay check for \$45 and \$5 in change in his pocket was taken from him while he was unconscious from the beating and he was left for dead on the floor of the storeroom basement.

There was a great deal of indignation among the strikers, most of whom formerly had dealings with the boy, and all of them estimated him highly. The detective force of the railroad is looking for the thug and payment on the check has been stopped. The name of the strike-breaker cannot be learned.

WAGES IN EAST LIVERPOOL REDUCED 10 TO 20 PER CENT

(Special to the Daily Socialist.) East Liverpool, Ohio, April 18.—The industrial outlook here is very poor. Conditions seem to be gradually getting worse.

About half of the pottery works are in operation. Wages remain about the same as the scale will not run out till October, 1909.

More of the sewer pipe works are idle with no prospects of reopening. Wages have been reduced 10 to 20 per cent. The electric porcelain works are running half time on wages reduced about 10 per cent and as high as 50 per cent in some departments.

An agreement between miners and operators was reached by members of the scale committee and ratified by the joint meeting of miners and operators.

The old rate of 90 cents a ton for mining coal was adopted. A referendum vote is to be taken by districts on the proposition to make the agreement hold for two years.

A uniform screen of one and one-fourth inches, an eight-hour day, and referring of all local differences as to prices and conditions to the districts for settlement are provided.

An invitation was extended to Illinois operators to join in the next interstate conference. The next joint interstate conference will be held in Toledo in February, 1910.

The states affected by the agreement are Western Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana.

JAM CHURCH TO HEAR SOCIALISM

(Special to the Daily Socialist.) New York City, N. Y., April 18.—Free discussion of Socialism at the Church of Assension parish house, in West Eleventh street, has netted like a magnet. It has been the habit of Rev. Percy Stickney Grant to grant free discussion after the regular sermon and the idea has struck the people favorably that the discussion of Socialism is better held than the sermon.

Last Sunday the crowd that wanted to enter the church and hear Rev. Alexander F. Irvine talk on Socialism was so large that the police had to be called to fight it back. Over 500 people were refused admittance on account of the church being jammed. Rev. Irvine talked on poverty conditions. His sermon that Sunday before had been on "Was Christ a Christian?"

BUMOR FALSE; TOBACCO TRUST WILL NOT DISSOLVE

Richmond, Va., April 18.—Positive denial is made here and in New York of the report that the American Tobacco Company is to be dissolved.

The rumors probably arose from the fact that the American Cigar company, one of the branches of the powerful corporation, is to be divided by the formation of the Federal Cigar company, which will manufacture only machine made cigars. This will leave the American Cigar company to handle only the hand made goods.

WILL REDUCE COTTON WORKERS' WAGES 10 PER CENT Henderson, Ky., April 18.—The Henderson cotton mills have given notice that its operatives will have their wages reduced 10 per cent. It is rumored that there will also be a reduction of time. The mill owners say that it will have to be this or a complete shutdown.

MURDERS MAN TO BUY SUIT?

Evidence Tends to Show Jobless Boy Slew to Get Clothes

(Special to the Daily Socialist.) Chattanooga, Tenn., April 18.—Investigation of the motive that actuated Lon Hatfield, who is accused of having killed A. C. Gregg, of Mount Vernon, has brought out the fact that it was the pangs and the young man's desire to wear a decent suit of clothes for the

Easter holidays that moved him to commit a crime.

Hatfield had been without work for a long time and his mother were barely by poverty. Being of a fastidious taste, he coveted the fact that he was forced to wear rags in place of decent clothing. His dissatisfaction increased as the holiday approached and he saw that it would be impossible for him to purchase a neat suit. When Gregg showed him two \$20 gold pieces he saw in them the means with which clothing could be bought.

Brought Out at Trial. These facts were brought to light when various people who knew both the murdered man and his slayer were questioned. Hatfield had been seen in Gregg's company on the evening of the murder. At that time he had with him a shot gun which he had borrowed and ammunition "but had been purchased for him by a boy. About ten o'clock that night he was seen returning alone bespattered with mud from head to foot.

The next morning the body of Gregg was found in a creek, shot through the head. Hatfield did not acknowledge having shot Gregg nor did he deny it, but the fact that, right after the murder was committed, he had gone out and purchased a \$5 suit and underwear when he was known to be penniless, makes the case against him strong.

Can't Believe Him Guilty. Hatfield has always been known to be a great and respectable young man and it is very hard for his friends to believe him guilty. His appearance is that of a young "swell" in place of a deep criminal, and his wide, innocent looking eyes only opened wider when the necessity was brought against him. He is 25 years old but looks to be only 18.

GIRL 20 YEARS OLD, IDLE, ATTEMPTS TO END LIFE

(Special to the Daily Socialist.) Waterloo, Iowa, April 18.—Because of despondency, occasioned by her not being able to find employment, Miss Ernestine, a young girl residing at 257 East Third street, took a dose of carbolic acid, and but for the immediate administration of medicinal relief, would have probably died immediately. The girl is 20 years old, and has been in the city but a short time.

THE WEATHER

Office of Chief of Weather Bureau, Washington.—Official weather forecast for Saturday and Sunday: Illinois, Indiana, and lower Michigan—Showers and warmer Saturday; Sunday fair; light to fresh winds, becoming variable.

Ohio—Showers Saturday, warmer in north section; Sunday generally fair; light to fresh southern to southwest winds.

Wisconsin—Showers Saturday, warmer in north and west sections; Sunday fair; light to fresh south winds, becoming variable.

WANT DISTRICT ATTORNEY WHO CAN OPPOSE DABROW

(Special to the Daily Socialist.) South Sharon, Pa., April 18.—Evidently the acquittal of the officials of the Western Federation of Miners at Boise, Idaho, is still fresh in the minds of the old party politicians and newspaper editors in this vicinity.

They do not care to take any chances on any one else escaping the gallows that the capitalists have doomed and are urging that officials equal to "such an occasion" be elected to office.

Under the head "Facts for Voters to Consider," the Sharon Telegraph recently published the following: "DISTRICT ATTORNEY—With the ever increasing volume of business in the criminal courts of the county it becomes apparent to the voters that they must have a man in that office who is capable to do battle with some of the brightest attorneys in the country. It cannot be told at what time such a distinguished attorney as Clarence Darrow or others of that class may be called here to defend a criminal. Consequently the county must have an official who is equal to such an occasion in event it arises."

PART OF TEAM OWNERS YIELD

Twenty-Seven Commission Merchants Sign Union Agreement

Officials of the Commission Wagon Drivers' union report that twenty-seven team owners and commission men, employing 107 drivers, have signed an agreement with the union for the new scale, which is an advance of \$1.50 a week over the present scale.

Some of the commission merchants, however, have urged the Chicago Teaming Owners' association to fight the union and get the matter settled as soon as possible, because the strike talk is driving business away from Chicago.

Employers Enter Fight. The notorious Employers' Teaming company, which was organized under the laws of West Virginia in 1905 to break the Chicago teamsters' strike, has entered the fight and has contracted to furnish 150 teams and drivers to the Chicago Team Owners' association to fight the union.

There will be a meeting of the teamsters tomorrow and a report of the progress of the committee will be submitted. It is expected that more team owners and commission men will sign the agreement today.

"We are satisfied that we will secure a sufficient number of signers to our contract to give more than half our members' work after a strike is called," said Business Agent Ray. "Our members who own teams or any other union team will be permitted to work for any merchant who will pay the advanced scale."

Owners to Wear Buttons. The team owners have had label buttons made. They will wear them during the strike to show who they are.

GREAT ENGLISH CRITIC IS NOW IN CHICAGO

William Archer, the English critic, who has been lecturing in the city, was the guest of the Cliff Dwellers yesterday at luncheon and later met a few friends at the Little room in the Fine Arts building. He left last night for New York, whence he will go to Washington before returning to London.

He came over with Grayville Barker, who had some idea of connecting himself with the New theater at New York, but who concluded that the project was not exactly what he wanted. It was much larger than he expected, Archer explained. Such an independent theater must be on a small scale to get the best effects.

Archer has seen little of the native drama in America, but what he saw, he thought, gave promise. He was interested in the Little room in the Fine Arts building. He left last night for New York, whence he will go to Washington before returning to London.

IDLE, PICKS COAL, IS SHOT BY YARD WATCHMAN

Andrew Sikka, 312 North Myrtle street, laborer, who has been out of employment for a number of weeks and is destitute, was shot in the back with a revolver and seriously wounded early yesterday by a special officer employed by the Chicago & Northwestern railroad.

The shooting occurred in the railroad yards near North Halsted street and West Chicago avenue. John Fagin, a special watchman, was arrested later and identified Sikka, who claims he was picking coal. Fagin, however, asserted that he threw an iron bar at him.

JOBLESS VETERAN OF '61 IS ARRESTED FOR BEGGING

Robert Smith, who said he is a veteran of the civil war, was arrested last night at Dearborn and Madison streets on complaint of Frank J. Sheard of the Anti-crime league. Sheard accused him of making a practice of stopping business men on the street to beg. Smith said he came from Iowa a year ago, that he was unable to get employment and was forced to beg.

CROWD GREETES A. M. LEWIS IN SPEECH AT ST. LOUIS

(Special to the Daily Socialist.) St. Louis, Mo., April 18.—In spite of a very heavy rain Tuesday night the St. Louis public packed Druid's hall, where Haywood spoke two nights before, and stayed until nearly 11 o'clock. Arthur M. Lewis, Chicago, was the speaker and his views were greeted with frequent applause. He dealt with the relation of Socialism to biological science and the argument was new and convincing. The lecture was a revelation to such as had ever thought that Socialism was a monopoly of the uneducated.

Attorney Pope occupied the chair and explained the objects of the meeting. State Senator Otto Baus managed the literature sales and the meeting generally and announced that the financial results of the meeting were very good.

PLAN A HOME FOR WAITRESSES IN SEATTLE

Seattle, Wash., April 18.—The waitresses' union of Seattle is planning to build a home where its members who have no relatives to care for them may find shelter when they are ill or out of employment. Miss Alice M. Lord, business agent of the union, stated of the proposed new building:

"We shall not endeavor to build a hospital or any big establishment. What the waitresses need most is a place to go when they are sick or out of work, where they can cook their own meals and find shelter at a small cost."

RUSSIANS ROUT KURD RAIDERS

Tiflis, April 18.—Russian troops which recently invaded Persian territory, near Lenkoran, to punish Kurdish raiders of the Russian garrison at the frontier post, Belesuvar, April 13, acted with a promptitude calculated to overawe the tribes near Belesuvar.

The fight which ensued assumed the proportions of a pitched battle. The Russians were greatly outnumbered, but they pressed the battle with vigor and routed the Persians, killing thirty-four and wounding fifty. The remainder of the tribesmen fled.

The Russians lost one officer and had seven soldiers wounded. The cannonade set fire to the village of Belesuvar, the destruction of which was completed by the Cossacks after a ruthless house to house search for the Russian arms stolen during the raid of April 13.

Pressing their advantage, the Russians bombarded the neighboring villages of Kodasbekli and Zartak and razed both. The non-combatants suffered great losses.

JAPS USE RIFLES TO HOLD JOBS

(Special to the Daily Socialist.) Gold Bar, Wash., April 18.—The suave and quiet Jap here is taking to the rifle and practicing daily so that he may keep his position in the mills. The whites are unemployed and some of them are desperate. The mills have been running on full time but the money is being earned by Japs and this enrages the men who are out of work.

There's have been made and the Japs have purchased Winchester and under the lead of two or three ex-army officers are preparing to defend themselves against any hostile demonstration. They are practicing marksmanship daily and have become very proficient.

There has been no improvement in the public conditions and this makes the situation acute. The Japs are getting bold and insulting their white neighbors.

MAYOR ISSUES ORDER TO 'CLEAN UP' CITY STREETS

Next Friday, April 24, has been set aside by Mayor Busse for Chicago's spring housecleaning. He issued a proclamation yesterday calling on all good citizens to clean up their premises on that day and afterward keep them clean. The help of the school children also was asked and that of the police commanded in the endeavor to put a new face on Chicago after a hard winter.

The mayor wants the city cleaned by "burning all combustible materials, thereby avoiding the light material being carried broadcast by the wind; by taking care in every possible way not to litter streets and alleys, and by placing all accumulations in metal receptacles set just inside the lot line."

MILWAUKEE HAS NEW PLAN FOR PROPAGATING SOCIALISM

(Special to the Daily Socialist.) Milwaukee, Wis., April 18.—The total amount of literature distributed by the Milwaukee Socialists during their recent city campaign amounted to 1,200,000 pieces. Now do not think this is a misprint, read it twelve thousand pieces. It means just what it says, one million two hundred thousand papers, leaflets, doggers, etc.

Add to this the Socialists in the Tenth ward of Milwaukee have devised a fine scheme of propaganda. A member leaves at every house a copy of "Socialism Made Plain" and "Socialistische Briefe" in order to reach both English and German readers. With this he leaves notice that he will call again next day for these books, and that any one wishing to purchase them can leave the price in an envelope, which accompanies the books. The first experiment resulted in a sale of over fifty books left for inspection.

People Are Reading. With all this stirring up of the public it is no wonder that an assistant librarian in the public library reports that never in the history of the Milwaukee city library were so many Socialist books consulted and taken out on cards as during the last month. When you can once get the people to reading you are making Socialists very fast, and intelligent Socialists at that.

An organization of young people's auxiliary Social-Democratic clubs is now on foot in many small towns. The object is to give the young folks social and educational centers, and at the same time to train the children of Socialists and others for activity in the party as soon as they become fit for party membership.

The total cost of the Milwaukee campaign, rough speaking, was between five and six thousand dollars. Literary campaigns are expensive, but the results are lasting.

Makes Tour in North. Frank Gauthier, of Ashland, has just completed a very successful tour in northern Wisconsin. He has broken virgin soil in many small towns, addressing audiences who had never before heard a Socialist speaker. Gauthier will start out again in a few weeks for a three months' tour.

Rev. Harvey Westman will make a lecture tour through this state during the month of June.

These Wisconsin cities which have municipal elections this spring have Socialist candidates wherever they had a ticket in the field.

TRAIN POLICE LIKE COSSACKS

Chief Shippy Is to Have Corps of 372 Drilled Street Fighters

"It's a poor, benighted heathen. That's a first-class fighting man." —Kipling's "Puzzy Wuzzy."

So pleased was Chicago's war lord, Frederick Besse, with the exhibition of what sixty picked men could do to the starving unemployed should they be driven by hunger to riot in the streets, that Chief Shippy, ever mindful of "his master's voice," without waiting for a specific order, has commanded that the 312 men composing the central detail shall be put through like military drill. There are 60 in the drill squad, making 372 in all.

Thus all the officers in the downtown district will be taught to fire by companies and platoons, to form in wedges and squares, and in other ways to give the city a trained fighting force in the downtown streets.

Tribune Again Gloats. The Tribune, again showing its high civilization, gloats and calls it the "beastly squad," and says: "Chief Shippy thinks so well of his new drill corps the 'beastly squad'—he has determined that every man on the central detail shall be drilled to the same perfection as the present squad. If any of the present detail cannot, or will not, stand the work, they will be sent to traveling headquarters and substitutes brought in to fill their places. The result will be a battalion of thoroughly drilled policemen subject to sudden call in the downtown district."

Orders went out last night that the sixty-two men constituting the present drill corps report at central today. For the time being they will act as reserves to the 312 men now on the detail. They will relieve the crossing men at the dinner hour and again at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

Sinister Significance. The sinister significance of these distinctly military preparations, with a man of Besse's well-known sympathy for the unemployed in the mayor's chair, is not touched on by the Tribune.

TOWN OF 5,000 PEOPLE GOOD EVEN WITHOUT POLICE

Red Lodge, April 18.—For six days this city of over 5,000 people without a police force it was not noticed. There was no outbreaks of lawlessness.

Sometime since Mayor T. R. Austin, who is a Socialist, urged the city council to disband the members of other parties, to place the force of the city on an eight-hour shift instead of requiring the men to be on duty twelve hours a day. The council refused to entertain the idea. The mayor on his own motion employed an additional policeman and told the force to work eight hours.

The mayor called a special meeting of the council to consider the matter. The council stood pat, refusing to place the policemen on the eight-hour basis. Thereupon the policeman, all of whom are Socialists, resigned in a body. New policemen have been appointed.

SOCIALIST TERRITORIALISTS WILL HOLD A CONVENTION

Cleveland, Ohio, April 18.—The convention of the Socialist-Territorialists of the United States and Canada will be held in the Coliseum, Woodland avenue, S. E. corner of Fifty-fifth street, April 24. Speakers from all parts of the country are expected, including Dr. N. Sirkin, who is at the head of the Socialist-Territorialists of this country.

The organization is an offshoot of the Zionists and the members are seeking a place of refuge for colonists who come here to escape persecution abroad. Dr. Sirkin and his followers withdrew from the Zionist movement when the leaders of that organization refused to consider any scheme of colonization that did not have Palestine as the ultimate destination.

MAN BREAKS LEG AS HE LEAVES COUNTY HOSPITAL

Richard Satto, 515 Armour street, slipped on the sidewalk in front of 225 West Erie street last night and fractured his thigh. He had just been released from the county hospital, where his foot had been amputated. He was taken back to the hospital by the police.

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March on, March on, all hearts re-solved on vic --- to-ry or death!

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Socialist News

Aggressive at Los Angeles.

Local Los Angeles, Cal., holds propaganda meetings every Sunday evening

at its new headquarters and reading room, 814 South Main street, and

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Alabama Secretary's Report.

The report of the secretary of the Socialist party of Alabama shows that

two locals were organized in the month of Local Whistler, Warren D. Killey,

is secretary, and Russellville, with H. K. Edens, of Russellville, sec-

retary. Whistler local has thirteen members and Russellville eleven. Three

members at large have been admitted—H. K. Edens, E. J. H. Blackledge,

Pleasant City, and J. H. Blackledge, Pleasant City.

Socialist Elected at Krebs.

Walter B. Dillon spoke at Krebs, Okla., to a large audience. At the

election held here the Socialists elected one councilman and only missed electing

vice president. A school board treasurer was also elected and the school

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The Chelsea Fire

The Chelsea fire, like every great calamity, has some interesting side-lights on the society in which it took place.

They are entitled to their pride, but after all how much worse is the MOMENTARY plight of the victims of the Chelsea fire than the CONTINUOUS condition of thousands of residents of Boston, New York, Chicago and a dozen other cities?

Yet this does not wholly account for the difference in attitude.

The millions who are suffering in the hovels and tenements of the working class districts of the great cities and manufacturing towns are suffering BECAUSE OF AN INDUSTRIAL SYSTEM MAINTAINED IN THE INTEREST OF THOSE WHO GIVE ALMS.

Consequently millions may starve through industrial calamity and no commotion be caused, while the suffering of a few thousands from other causes sends a "thrill of horror" and of sympathy throughout society.

There was another striking incident in connection with the fire. A body of soldiers was brought in to guard the ruins against looters and before they had been on duty twenty-four hours it was discovered that the soldiers were themselves engaged in wholesale looting.

But the significant fact about this feature was the complete silence of all save the local press upon the matter. If one Socialist had been caught stealing from these ruins every press agency on this continent would have carried the account.

But again there is a deeper reason. Respect for the hired unformed butchers of the ruling class is a valuable asset of that class.

Therefore the press, which reflects the interest of the ruling class will print nothing tending to destroy this respect.

The "Recent" Crisis

Never in the history of journalism has there been anything like as concerted action for the purposes of falsification and deception as that which is now going on with regard to the industrial situation.

In both the editorial and news columns this statement is repeated and the changes rung upon it in a hundred different forms.

Every editor who does this knows that he is helping to spread lies instead of news. He knows this because the publications which are intended for circulation among the ruling class admit that all this prosperity talk is false.

The Daily Socialist is the only paper in the United States that is daring to tell the truth to the working class and to everyone else that desires to read it.

But we know that the more the truth is kept in the background the more lies there are circulated, the longer the society that produces crises and suffering and misery for the great mass of the population will continue.

Moreover, the larger the number of people that can be made to know the truth the sooner the condition that produces crises will pass away.

Neither is it alone in the distant future that benefits will come from the knowledge of the facts. If the mass of the people knew the existing situation they would insist upon such immediate relief as is possible.

Such measures would in themselves not only relieve the present misery, but would be the quickest means of recovery from the worst phases of the crisis.

It is therefore no exaggeration to say that the press of the United States at the present time, by its policy of lying and suppression, is in no small degree to be blamed for the continuation of the horrors of the crisis.

It is also true that those horrors will be removed by a wider extension of the knowledge that the Daily Socialist is now printing.

Blows from the enemy always solidify Labor. All the efforts of peacemakers for two years did not do as much to unite the two factions of the teamsters as one good smash from the employers.

A Democratic convention that does not break up in a fight would be a curiosity nowadays. But all the fighters are faithful defenders of "law and order."

What a difference it makes in the attitude of the police whether a body of marchers are going to smash up union men or whether they are begging for a chance to work and to live.

Crisis or no crisis, Harriman counts that day lost whose low descending sun sees no new railroad added to his collection.

The surest sign of Spring is the appearance of the soap-boxer. He is the harbinger of growing freedom, as surely as the robin foretells the growth of plant life.

A GOOD WAY TO TREAT BORES

Socialists of over a year's standing who have been reading the literature are often envious into time-consuming discussions with persons of no understanding of the doctrine.

Polish Priests and American Politics
The report from Milwaukee that Polish priests of that city abused their spiritual influence on the eve of the recent municipal election by instructing their parishioners to vote against the Socialist party is a serious matter.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

Industrial Evolution and Equal Suffrage

Spencer, the great sociologist, states that woman will receive her independence and secure her equality with man only after the passing of the military and the coming of the industrial age.

Socialist Sunday School to Hold Entertainment

An entertainment will be given by the Socialist Sunday school children next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at 815 North Claremont avenue.

For Home Dressmakers

Advertisement for a dressmaking pattern. Includes a drawing of a woman in a dress and detailed text describing the pattern's features and pricing.

Workers Should Own the Machines

Yesterday I saw a last year's plant that had been rooted up, and left to wither and die on parched soil. It needed the moist earth. Without proper environment it withered, shrunk into itself, and perished.

BEFORE BUYING READ DAILY SOCIALIST

To those who will analyze the situation of the Chicago Daily Socialist there should be no surprise at its financial struggles.

How Man Became "Right-Eyed" and "Right-Handed"

There is no reason to suspect even the most vague beginnings of preference for right or left paws in animals.

Esperanto, the International Language

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