

NEW EFFORT TO STEM SOCIALISM

British House of Lords Is Forced to Pass Old Age Pension Bill

London, July 21.—The house of lords last night passed on its second reading the old age pensions bill, after rejecting a motion negating the measure, and assuring it will become a law. The vote stood 123 in favor of the measure to 16 against.

This bill is another of the measures which the capitalists of Great Britain are conceding in an effort to stop the onrush of Socialism.

Many in the house of lords supported the bill reluctantly, refusing to oppose it because, as Lord Rosebery said, it had come to them with the authority of two parties, and as it was a financial measure, the house of lords would be unwise to reject it.

Rosebery Says 'Socialism' Lord Rosebery declared the bill was Socialism, pure and simple, and exemplified a growing desire to transfer the responsibility from the individual to the state.

He warned the government to consider how far such experiments could be carried without endangering the national defense. The estimated cost of pensions already had advanced from \$30,000,000 to \$40,000,000, and every body knew it would not stop at \$50,000,000 or \$100,000,000, he said, as he cited American war pensions as showing what such pensions might become.

Sees the Empire Wrecked "I am beginning to think," said Lord Rosebery, gravely, "that this empire may at last be destined to be wrecked by its finance. This measure alone dealing a blow to the empire and incumbering its finance to a degree of which no man living can see the limit."

Lord Cromer also condemned the bill, on the ground that it would imperil free trade and cripple the national resources.

KENOSHA SOCIALISTS HOLD PICNIC IN SOCIALIST PARK Amid speech and music Socialists of Kenosha, Wis., made merry at their picnic held in Peterson's park, otherwise known as "Reform" park.

Former Vice President Starts Boom for Governor Bloomington, Ill., July 21.—Friends of former Vice President Adlai Stevenson have opened headquarters here, and from now on will boom his candidacy for governor of Illinois on the Democratic ticket.

HOGG PAID BY MINE OWNERS (Special to the Daily Socialist.) Grand Junction, Colo., July 21.—A bitter sequel to the acquittal of Steve Adams is the statement made here that Attorney Hogg, ex-United States senator, was paid for his part in the case out of the treasury of the Smuggler Union mine.

PASTORS SAY JOHN D. IS 'IT' WITH A CAPITAL 'I' Atlanta, Ga., July 21.—At the meeting of the Atlanta Baptist ministers' association yesterday there was a chorus of cheers when Dr. John D. White, pastor of the Second Baptist church, defended John D. Rockefeller.

NOW, WHAT D'VE THINK OF THAT?



WAS PRIEST A HOME BREAKER?

Discussion Aroused by Statement That Alia Slew in Vengeance (Special to the Daily Socialist.) Denver, Colo., July 21.—The sinister suggestion of vengeance following a man who, after injuring his fellow, has led a life of reparation, was brought to the story of the murder of Father Leo Heindrichs, the Franciscan priest who was shot at the altar by Giuseppe Alia.

Motive Puzzles Citizens Was it a life of atonement broken by a vengeance or a beautiful life of service broken by a half-crazed fanatic? is the question being asked here.

Statement Made Too Late The statement was, however, made just before Alia was hanged and too late to be told to the governor. If the story had foundation in fact and Alia was sane, as the alienists pronounced, his stolid indifference to death would be explained.

VEINTEMILLA, EX-PRESIDENT OF ECUADOR IS DEAD Guayaquil, Ecuador, July 21.—Ignacio Veintemilla, former president of Ecuador, is dead in this city. He was born at Quesera in 1848. Veintemilla was an Ecuadorian general and politician.

TO TEACH DUNNING INSANE NOW; NEGLECTED BEFORE Treatment of patients at the Dunning Asylum for the Insane instead of merely holding them in custody is a new departure to be launched today by a class of twenty-five hospital attendants who have been trained at the Chicago School of Civics and Philanthropy.

PASTORS TO PREACH IN SHIRT SLEEVES ON HOT SUNDAYS Spokane, Wash., July 21.—The week's parishes of North Spokane were shaken to their modern foundations when all the town's ministers appeared in their pulpits Sunday evening in their shirt sleeves and delivered their sermons in apparent comfort.

DOCTORS IN CRUSADE TO SAVE BABIES FIND BIG TASK AHEAD Chicago for the first time entered into the business of caring for its thousands of babies yesterday. With the expert aid of about sixty specially appointed physicians Chicago examined the nursing's bottles, their food, their bassinets—where they had such luxuries—and otherwise smoothed out the rough paths over which they must crawl into life.

Conditions Among Ghetto Poor Chicago found that many of its children were eating just what they should not. Such solid producing foods as watermelon, peaches and cucumbers were being handed out by loving mothers with a reckless abandon heed only of ignorance.

Health Doctors Suggest Food After a year's experience of a diet that never before had been the lot of city children anywhere, the physicians suggested these as some of the foods that mothers should not give their babies of a year of age.

GIE GOMPERS FOR CONTEMPT

Action Begins at Washington in Buck Stove Boycott Case

Washington, D. C., July 21.—The Manufacturers' association objects to the manner in which the American Federation of Labor has notified its members that they are enjoined from boycotting the products of the Buck Stove and Range company, and want the officers of the federation cited for contempt of court.

The Buck Stove and Range company of St. Louis has filed a petition which alleges that an order issued by Justice Gieffé forbidding an alleged boycott by the American Federation of Labor has been violated by the public utterances and addresses of Samuel Gompers, president, Frank Morrison, secretary, and John Mitchell, vice-president, of the American Federation of Labor.

Reflects on the Court? It also is stated that Gompers caused to be published in the Federationist, the official organ of the federation, a certain article reflecting on the court's decision and in alleged open defiance printing the name of the Buck Stove and Range company in the "We don't patronize" list.

Mitchell's Drastic Move John Mitchell at a meeting of the United Mine Workers last January put to a vote a resolution imposing a fine of \$5 on any member of that organization who purchased a stove or range of the Buck Stove company.

LABOR PROTEST STOPS PAINTERS Non-Unionists at Work in Open Board of Trade Building Discharged On objections from officers of the Chicago Federation of Labor the management of the Open Board of Trade building has been tried to clean and repaint the inside of the building.

WILL GIVE ENTERTAINMENTS Laundry and Garment Workers and Machinists to Give Functions Three local unions have given notices of entertainments for Saturday and Sunday. The Laundry Workers' union will give a dance in the Masonic temple on the evening of Saturday, July 25.

ESPERANTISTS ARE IN SESSION Chautauque, N. Y., July 21.—The first national congress of Esperantists ever held in America met here yesterday, with M. Edmond Privat of Geneva, Switzerland, presiding.

BABY GYMNAST CATCHES BAR IN A FIVE-STORY FALL New York, July 21.—Persons skeptical of the value of early athletic training may have their opinions on the subject modified, on learning that a 28-month-old gymnast yesterday, falling accidentally from the fifth floor of a fire escape, saved his life by grasping and hanging from a bar of the structure two stories below.

Police Chief Reigns Supreme Fourth: He may in his discretion, revoke the permit granted.

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SHAH FORTIFIES PALACE FOR FEAR OF REBELS

Teheran, July 21.—The successes of the revolutionists at Tabriz have encouraged the local revolutionary leaders and caused apprehension of renewed disturbances.

BISHOP POTTER SUFFERS A RELAPSE; IS NEAR DEATH Cooperstown, N. Y., July 21.—Bishop Henry C. Potter, who has been ill since June 2 at "Merrileigh," Mrs. Potter's home here, suffered a relapse yesterday and last night his condition was again grave.

HAPGOODS' LAST HOPE IS LOST

Unable to Show Why It Should Continue; Injunction Refused Hapgoods' employment agency could not show that it had the right to go on and swindle jobless men yesterday in the circuit court, and Judge Mack refused to issue an injunction against the state commissioners of labor restraining them from investigating it.

Judge Issues Scathing Rebuff Addressing Attorney Hart, Judge Mack said: "Would you want me to enjoin the police force from collecting evidence? Would you want me to say to them: 'You shall not stand about to obtain evidence when you think a crime is about to be committed?'"

Picketing Is Lawful "Picketing, I have always held, is lawful, and if detectives are stationed about your place of business they are not violating any law so long as they are peaceful. You say they are stopping your clients and threatening to arrest your clerks and agents. They have not arrested them yet, have they? And, besides, if your concern is not conducting an honest business, these agents or detectives have a perfect right to tell the public, and the labor commissioners have a duty to perform in warning against any fraudulent concern."

TROOPS SENT TO STRIKE SECTION Birmingham, Ala., July 21.—Governor B. B. Comer yesterday ordered the 260 Alabama cavalry troops, in camp at Montgomery, to proceed to Birmingham, and the men arrived last night.

STANTON AVENUE DISTRICT IS TO BE SPOTLESS IN FIVE DAYS Five days more and the Stanton avenue police district is to be spotless. Five days more and real estate in the neighborhood will boom again.

Chief Must Have Known? "I have told him where the resorts are and where the inmates were found. I have told him to visit these resorts, and to stop all music in these resorts, and to crush out the vice-traffic. No more is to be left unattended by him. He must keep a going until every eye is satisfied and the district is clean."

They All Must Go? "They all must go," he said. "None of them will move out into even better neighborhoods, probably into Woodlawn, but we will keep after them and keep them on the run until they will want to leave Chicago. I find that the

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LOS ANGELES IS CONQUERED; 36 SPEAKERS FREE

Socialists Force Council to Repeal Anti-Speech Ordinance; Is Complete Victory

Chicago Daily Socialist: Free speech fight won. Council rescinds ordinance. Comrades released. Victory complete.

(Special to the Daily Socialist.) Los Angeles, Cal., July 21.—The free speech fight was won when the city council backed down yesterday and repealed the ordinance under which the Socialist speakers have been sent to jail, and ordered the fifty Socialists in jail released at once.

One thousand Socialists marched to the city hall yesterday and demanded the repeal of the city ordinance under which the fifty men and women, members of Local Los Angeles have been sent to the filthy city jail.

The ordinance was repealed and the throng, cheering the victory, marched to the city jail to meet the released prisoners. Some of the police judges had left the city for the seashore and fourteen releases were not signed.

Public Opinion Satisfied The city will never forget the fight for the exercise of the constitutional right of free speech or the dramatic victory won yesterday. Even the papers which at first had been unfriendly to the Socialists had been forced to admit that the city authorities were in violation of the highest law of the land.

After a hot debate the ordinance was repealed. The councilmen were at first indisposed to grant the request, but the extent to which public indignation had been aroused against their attitude influenced them to grant the request.

The throng then marched to the jail, cheering and giving expression to its intense joy over the victory gained. Outside of the hot, reeking jail the relatives of the imprisoned men and women waited in the hot sun while the formalities of law were being complied with and the prisoners released.

One woman fainted at the sight of her husband, who was terribly emaciated from labor on the chain gang. He tried to raise her, but found that his strength which had been sapped by the wretched food and long hours of toil in the hot sun, was not sufficient.

So weak was he that he collapsed from the exertion, and cries of sympathy from the crowd, which offered immediate aid.

The five women prisoners waited for several hours, while their husbands hunted frantically for the judges who had committed them to jail, so that their releases could be signed.

It appears that the judges did not want to make the victory of the Socialists too complete. The crowd sang (Continued on Page Two.)

