

CONDENSED NEWS

LOCAL

DR. WILLIAM A. EVANS will start east to take a rest, thus leaving the health department without an executive head.

GEORGE ROEHIG, 815 Milwaukee avenue, committed suicide in Lincoln park by drinking carbolic acid. Just one cent was found in his pocket.

NICHOLAS PANCAKUS, 422 Cottage Grove avenue, tried to drown himself in the lake, but was saved by Robert Wilson and Hamilton Fish. He said he could not get work.

SALOON and cafe-dance-hall proprietors who permit "grazy" beer and other "unlawful" dances in their places were warned in an order issued by Chief of Police McWeeny to prohibit these dances or suffer the loss of their licenses.

THE seventh annual congress of the Catholic Educational Association will be held in Chicago at the De Paul university, 1010 Webster avenue, June 27, 28 and 29. Three thousand delegates are expected from all parts of the United States.

GEORGE KIMES was found guilty of kidnapping the 4-months-old son of Mrs. Selma Henks, 535 North Park avenue, by a jury in Judge Scamman's court and punishment was fixed at twelve years in the penitentiary.

THE Gelet franchise grab, which gives the Calumet United Railway company a fifty year grant and which was engineered through the Gary city council by Mayor Thomas E. Knotts, was denounced at a meeting of the Gary Commercial club. Mayor Knotts, who was arrested charged with embezzling \$2,000 of the city's funds, perjury, and malfeasance in office, spoke in defense of his acts and the franchise.

CHARLES VANELLA, 2 years old, 510 Hobbie street, was probably fatally injured when he was struck by a Division street car at Milton avenue.

OPEN GATES TO THE SOCIALISTS

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out being impressed by the gorgeousness of these two great spectacles. The interest in the former will be made stronger to the opponents of war by the introduction of a scene depicting the possibilities of what may happen in the near future if the expensive armament of the nations is permitted to senselessly expand into devices and machines for continuing the murder game into the air.

War craft in the air will engage in mimic battle with a fleet of modern battleships in the scenic Hampton Roads. In the scene the battleships will be destroyed. In the preliminary try-outs the effect has been thrilling, yet not dramatic.

"The Derby," "the Royal Gorge" and other high-speed nerve-thrillers will remain in their untamed popular condition. The management seems to know that the young people would not like them if they were tamed. For the older folks and the minority who do not like the "thrillers" there are many other rides of lesser speed.

Plans are under way for the construction of a fast motorcycle track around the athletic field, but this will not be ready until later in the season. Erlinger's band will inaugurate the season. The finely equipped and picture-richly shaded children's playground will remain free of access to children this year the same as last, provided the children are accompanied by their mothers.

Women and children will be admitted free every afternoon to the exposition proper except on Sundays and holidays.

Amusements

230,000 people already have seen it CHILD WELFARE EXHIBIT AT THE COLISEUM FREE - 10 A. M. to 10 P. M. - FREE. Comes from 10 a. m. to 1 p. m. or from 1 p. m. to 7 p. m. The exhibits are less crowded at those hours, and can be seen then to better advantage.

FOREST PARK WE'LL BE THERE MUTT & JEFF NEXT SATURDAY - AT THE GRAND OPENING BALLMAN'S BAND

NEXT MONDAY LYRIC Seats Now FRITZI SCHEFF In the New Comic Opera Mile. Rosita

GARRICK LAST 3 TIMES SAM BERNARD In the New Comic Opera Last Performance Tomorrow Night

DEPUTY United States Marshal Charles Schramm supervised the destruction of 6,625 cans of tomato paste, ordered confiscated by Judge Landis because of impurities found in the product. The product was seized some time ago at the warehouse of Henry Horner & Co., west side wholesale grocers.

TWO of the girls who embraced the "absolute life" doctrines and were pupils of Evelyn Arthur See were at the office of the United States district attorney yesterday and agreed to testify before the federal grand jury. The girls are Mildred Bridges and Mona Rees and the government is making an effort to secure the indictment of See under the Mann act upon their testimony.

POSITIVE identification of her assailant was made by Miss Anna Schock, who was beaten and robbed in the alley back of the Windermerer hotel. Miss Schock is still being cared for at the Washington Park hospital. William M. Land, 27 years old, a negro waiter, living at 315 South Washburn avenue, who had been under arrest since Sunday, was the man identified.

DARROW LEAVES FOR CALIFORNIA

Clarence S. Darrow, who has been chosen to head the defense of J. J. and J. W. McNamara, will leave Chicago tonight at 7 o'clock Sunday for Los Angeles, together with Edward N. Nockels, secretary of the Chicago Federation of Labor.

On June 1 the accused iron workers will come before Judge Broadwell at Los Angeles and enter their formal pleas, which will be "not guilty." It is probable that an argument will be made on a motion to quash the indictments at that time, but Mr. Darrow did not care to discuss that feature.

If such a motion is made, and it is practically certain that it will be, and its failure, then a date will be set for the actual trial of the accused.

Nockels leaves Chicago to furnish important testimony, the nature of which cannot be disclosed at this time.

M'NAMARA HAD TO FIGHT WAY

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ther in independence of thought, and he has at all times been an advocate of progressive political and economical movements, regardless of party politics. He has been a thorough student of modern political subjects, and has been a close observer of current events.

Sole Support of Mother McNamara is unmarried and has been the sole support of his mother for many years. The home which she occupies at Cincinnati, Ohio, was largely earned by him, the last of the mortgage debt on the same having been paid only a few weeks ago.

In his present troubles his thoughts refer principally to his family. He appears indifferent as to his own misfortune, but seems greatly worried about the effect it may have upon his mother. He says that he is willing to face his accusers at any time and feels confident of ultimate acquittal, not only at the hands of the trial court, but in the judgment of the people of this country.

WHAT IS DOING TODAY AT THE CHILD WELFARE SHOW

One o'clock—Story hour, conducted by Miss Georgina Faulkner. Two o'clock—Review of boys' bands and awarding of prize. 3:30 o'clock—"Ten-Ring Circus," given by associations and clubs. 4:15 o'clock—Conference on boys' clubs.

EVENING

8 o'clock—Y. M. C. A. demonstration, in which 200 boys will take part. 9 o'clock—Drills by Boy Scouts. SUNDAY PROGRAM. 2 o'clock—Episcopal kindergarten and Sunday school session, participated in by fifty children. 3 o'clock—Auburn Methodist Sunday school children will give an entertainment. 4 o'clock—Address by Rev. John T. Stone.

EVENING

7 o'clock—Program given by the Lyric band of the Mark Nathan Jewish Orphan Home. 7:30 o'clock—"Demeter and Persephone," a play, acted by twenty-four players from the Henry Booth House. 8 o'clock to 9—Musical program by the choirs of St. James and St. Paul's Episcopal churches, followed by an address by Rev. Frank W. Gunseaulus.

BANDS WILL PLAY THE AIRS OF ALL NATIONS

Tomorrow bands will play the airs of all nations and national flags will be displayed at the Child Welfare exhibit at the Coliseum. According to the statement made by the management over 210,000 people have seen the exhibit up to date.

Efforts are on foot to make the Child Welfare Exhibit a permanent thing and send it from city to city, where local additions can be made just as was done here. The exhibit as presented in Chicago is the one given in New York, with several additions showing local conditions.

It is expected that the same plan will be followed in dealing with other cities, many of which have asked for the exhibit.

On Monday the awards in the contest as to the best post card composition on the Child Welfare Exhibit will be announced.

On that day also Governor Deneen will attend.

OBSEMATERS TO MEET The Bohemian-American Cremating association will hold its 25th anniversary celebration at 2 o'clock, Sunday, May 21, at C. S. P. hall, 1126-1128 West Eighteenth street. The society has 508 members.

Theatricals

FRITZI SCHEFF OPENS MONDAY NIGHT AT LYRIC

Fritzi Scheff, in a new comic opera called "Mille Rosita," took by Joseph Herbert and Mark Swan, and music by Victor Herbert is the catalogue of the new attraction to be seen Monday evening at the Lyric Theater.



VICTOR HERBERT

This announcement is most welcome and is sure to be appreciated by the public which loves sprightly and pretty comic opera. Victor Herbert's contribution to "Mille Rosita" is said to range from arias to lighter songs that are sure to court popularity.

Herbert is composer of "Babes in Toyland," "I Happened in Norway," and the "Red Mill," etc. The production, which is made by the Merzars Shubert, is described as being most elaborate, in every way befitting the splendor of the surroundings in which the authors have set its three different scenes.

Assisting Mme. Scheff in this production will be Walter Jones, Eugene O'Brien, May Boley, Olga Steek, Geo. Graham, Charles Judels, James Norval and others.

"NEXT"

Eleanor Moretti, who will create the role of Sage Brush Kate in Rida Johnson Young's new play, "Next," has had a varied stage career. The best work of her career was done as Night in "The Blue Bird" at the New Theater in New York, and as Iris in Ben Hur, in which role she created a favorable impression in the Auditorium in this city. Miss Moretti is noted among the players by reason of her

abilities to learn a new role in a short space of time. Her memory is marvelous and she holds the record of having appeared on three successive first nights in New York on three successive Monday nights. Her particular fondness for aviation and she hopes to make several flights this summer.

MUTT AND JEFF TO BE AT FOREST PARK THIS YEAR

In these days of managers and press agents looking for publicity under any and all pretenses, it is only an occasional one who manages to "put over something" on his competitors.

This the managers of Forest Park have succeeded in doing, in securing the exclusive rights to the cartoon characters of "Mutt and Jeff," the funny men who have set millions laughing for many months, and who were originated by "Bud" Fisher, one of the clever men of the Chicago Examiner.

It will be remembered by those who seek a hearty laugh in these characters, that a short time ago Mr. Fisher had them in Mexico, "over-looking" the war down there, but realizing that they could see a much better one as depicted in any comic opera company around the Windy City, they returned and were immediately set upon to appear at this great amusement park on the West Side.

Every afternoon and evening they will be present at Forest Park, and during the forenoon they will take advantage of their freedom from a newspaper existence, and examine the gardens of the Loop and its surrounding wards, so that people may "meet them face to face," and see just what they look like.

They are funny fellows, but very reticent when on the street, and will contribute their antics almost exclusively during their appearances at the park. When the amusement place opens, May 27, Ballman's Band will vie with Mutt and Jeff for interest, and those who desire to follow the cartoon creations about the place can also hear the music and have the time of their lives. For the amusements this season will be more numerous and greater than ever.

COOK COUNTY SOCIALIST NEWS

NOTICE—For information about the Socialist party, how to join, etc., address the County Secretary, James F. Larsen, 206 West Washington street, Phone Franklin 119. Automatic 31519. All communications promptly answered. Ward secretaries are requested to send notices of meetings and all matters of interest pertaining to party affairs.

MEETINGS TONIGHT

5th Ward—Gauger's hall, 3714 S. Halsted street. 8th Ward—Union headquarters, 923 street and Erie avenue. Bohemian, 10th and 11th wards—Rodov's hall, Latin street and 18th place. Bohemian Northwest Side Branch—L. E. Fry hall, 43 Emma street. German Branches (combined)—North Side Trade Union hall, 418 North Clark street. Russian Branch, 9th Ward—Maxwell Settlement, 12th and Clinton streets. Lancing Club—Hottel's hall, Oak-glen, Ill. Ridgeville—School House, Ridgeville, Ill., 8 p. m. Walter Huggins, speaker. 33rd Ward Campaign Committee—Brunsell's hall, 11th street and Michigan avenue. Important business.

3rd Ward—39th street and Cottage Grove avenue. Speaker: Lester Henson. 15th Ward—Fairfield and North avenue. Speakers: J. A. Rogers and L. W. Hardy. 21st Ward—Chicago avenue and Clark street. Speakers: Martha Biegler, John C. Teevan and LeRoy Bear. Chicago Heights, Ill. Speaker: A. A. Patterson.

SUNDAY MEETINGS

Bohemian Branch, 12th Ward—Krisek's hall, 25th street and Homan avenue. Bohemian Branch, 29th Ward—Rovnov's club rooms, 4th street and Lincoln street, 9 a. m. Bohemian Woman's Branch No. 1—3 p. m., Vodak's hall, Loomis street and 18th place. Bohemian Woman's Branch, No. 2—3 p. m., at the home of Frank Alexa, 2317 Trumbull avenue. Jewish Branch, 19th Ward—1125 Blue Island avenue, Siegen's hall. Polish Branch, 12th Ward—9 a. m., Ko-

IMMEDIATE RELIEF FOR MISS CHICAGO

Miss Chicago, a very beautiful young woman, fond of recreation, has been downcast, dispirited, discouraged and disagreeable ever since last September. Leading physicians seemed unable to explain the cause. They said that something unexplainable worried the pretty girl. Prof. Impending Joy, an eminent pathologist, was called in, and this is what he found on her mind:

REAL THRILLS THE DERBY IT'S A HUNNER THE BLUE STREAK A NEW ONE ROYAL GORGE VELVET COASTER SCENIC RY. WATER CHUTES AEROSTAT FIGURE 8 JUST A FEW DIMES

HERE'S THE RELIEF RIVERVIEW EXPO

WESTERN BELMONT -- WONDERLAND IN THE WOODS -- ROSCOE CLYBOURN STARTS NEXT WEDNESDAY TWELVE CITY BLOCKS JAMMED WITH GORGEOUS SPECTACLES, EXCLUSIVE SHOWS, THRILLING RIDES, NEW FEATURES AND ACRES OF SHADE TREES ERLINGER'S BAND AFTERNOONS AND EVENINGS IN THE COOL GROVE SPECIAL ANOTHER INSPECTION FREE 12M. to 6 P.M. not SPECIAL DAY TOMORROW P.M. FREE open in evening

guit's hall, Sacramento avenue and 24th place. Finnish Branch No. 1—8 p. m., 2425 Sheffield avenue. Lettish Branch—Schmidt's hall, 3530 W. Madison street. Ridgeville School house, Ridgeville, Ill., 3 p. m. Speaker: Walter Huggins.

SUNDAY OPEN AIR MEETINGS

1st Ward—Congress and State streets, 2:30 p. m. Speakers: J. W. Bartels, John C. Flora. At 8 p. m. D. J. Bental and J. A. Rogers. 21st Ward—Clark and Superior streets. Speaker: A. M. Lewis. 25th Ward—Talmun and North avenues. Speakers: Wm. M. Fox, Julius Deutelsbaum and J. W. Bartels.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

A May Day party will be held this evening at Excelsior Park hall, corner of Irving Park boulevard and Drake avenue, which is given by the 2d and 11th districts of the 27th ward. A fine program has been arranged for. Dancing will conclude the program. W. E. Rodriguez, recent Socialist majority candidate, will be present and make a short address. Tickets are 25 cents.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD

The 26th ward branch of the Socialist party, Saturday evening, May 20, at Weiblinger's hall, Ashland avenue and Byron streets. Admission, 25 cents a person.

The following resolutions were unanimously adopted by the 26th ward branch at its regular meeting held May 18th, with instructions that same be published in the Daily Socialist and sent to the Cook County Delegate Committee meeting:

Whereas, The working class of Mexico has been oppressed and subjected to such inhuman treatment that the workers everywhere are aroused about these conditions, and Whereas, The oppressed working class in Mexico has risen in revolt against the tyranny of its government and is fighting for greater freedom; therefore, be it Resolved, That we, the 26th ward Socialist party branch of Chicago, endorse this struggle of our Mexican comrades, and request the Cook County Delegate Committee to hold a large protest meeting for the purpose of assisting these comrades, morally and financially, and further to call upon the national executive committee, to communicate with the state secretary that interest and assistance may be stimulated in the Socialist party of America for their splendid fight; be it further Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be printed in the Chicago Daily Socialist.

MONDAY MEETINGS

German Branch, 23d Ward—Willow hall, Burling and Willow streets.

Where To Go

The 2d and 11th district of the 27th ward will hold a May social and dance at Excelsior Park hall, corner Irving Park boulevard and Drake avenue, Saturday evening, May 20, at 8 o'clock.

Lunch Rooms Erickson's 25 PLACES ALL OVER THE CITY

Visit Our Mammoth New Shoe Department We carry a full line of Men's & Women's Union Made Shoes

every evening, May 20. Everybody welcome. Admission 25 cents. American Music Hall—Vaudeville. Gertrude Bernand in "The Came From Milwaukee." "The Quality of Mercy." "Green Garden." "Roller Skating." Attorney Elmer E. Brown will deliver the Memorial Day oration to the students of the Bowen high school (south side) in the school auditorium, May 26, 1:30 p. m. Theme: "When the Hero Comes Marching Home." M. M. Mangarjian of the Independent Religious Society, who lectures in Studebaker theater every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, has written a letter to William Jennings Bryan challenging him to a public debate on the Bible. Dr. Mangarjian has not yet received Mr. Bryan's answer. The subject of Mangarjian's lecture next Sunday is "My Bible."

H. Percy Ward lectures in the Garrick Theater on Sunday morning at 11 a. m. on "How Christians Got Their Bible."

HALL FOR RENT FOR MEETINGS AND DECK ROOM AT REASONABLE TERMS. APPLY Amalgamated Woodworkers' Council JAMES B. FOX, Secretary, Room 12, 156 W. Washington st.

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E. IVERSON & CO. 1342-50 MILWAUKEE AVE.

Great Underwear Sale MONDAY Most every style and kind you want at a saving of one-third to one-half regular prices.

Lot of Children's Pin a Ribbed Vests, long or short sleeves, sizes 20 to 26, values to 19c; choice..... 10c Women's Extra Large Size Shaped Vests, short sleeves or sleeveless, the 25c kind; for..... 15c Boys' Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, also Poroknit, every-where 25c; special..... 19c Big Lot of Men's Sample Underwear, plain or fancy colored Balbriggan, also fine ribbed, every size, shirts and drawers, 50c and 75c; divided into two big lots, 39c and..... 25c

BOYS' SUITS 1,800 Boys' Sample Suits, light and dark colors, all sizes, 2 1/2 to 17 years, regular \$3 values; Monday..... 1.50 SUITS Men's and Young Men's Suits, light and dark colors, sizes 28 to 37, worth to \$10; in 2 lots, \$3.98 and..... 4.98 CURTAIN MADRAS 2,000 Yards of Yard-wide Curtain Madras, suitable for curtains and portiers, worth 25c; yard..... 10c

SHIRT SALE Lot of Men's and Boys' Sample Shirts, fine madras, black satin and silk pongee, sizes 12 1/2 to 19, values to \$1.50; Monday..... 69c SHOES AND OXFORDS Women's Shoes and Oxfords, patent leather, tan, velvet and a wide kid, high and low heel, all sizes, worth \$2.50 Monday..... 1.48 WASH SUITS Boys' Washable Suits, plain white and colors, also fancy patterns, ages 2 1/2 to 10 years, worth to \$1.50; Monday, 48c, 69c and..... 98c

STRAW MATTING Yard-Wide Heavy Straw Matting, in good patterns, the 25c quality; yard..... 15c AMMO Dry Ammonia in cans, one can equal to 3 1/2 bottles ammonia; Monday, 3 cans..... 8c CURTAIN PIECES 500 Curtain Pieces, 1 yard each, 1 1/2 yards long, white and dark crepe; choice, each..... 10c

HOUSE DRESSES 200 Ladies' House Dresses, made from percales in latest styles, sizes 16 to 44, worth \$1.50; 98c SCOURING POWDER Kitchen Klenzer, in 5c cans, equal to any 10c kind; Monday, 3 cans..... 10c LAUNDRY SOAP The Well-Known U. S. Mail Laundry Soap; 5 bars for..... 19c One Package Grandma's Washing Powder FREE

DEESS GOODS 100 Pieces of New and Up-to-Date Dress Goods, all the most stylish goods in wool, silk and foulards, worth up to \$1.50; 75c; yard..... 39c SILK FOULARDS 150 Pieces of Fancy Summer Silks and Silk Foulards, plain colors with dots, also fancy patterns, worth 50c; yard..... 25c DRESSING SAQUES 50 Dozen Dressing Saques, made from lawn, percale, dimities, plain white and fancy; at 48c and..... 59c

SHIRTSWAISTS Ladies' White Lawn Shirts, embroidered and lace trimmed, worth up to \$1.50; at 59c and..... 50c HOSIERY Infants' Mercerized Little Lace Hose, white, pink, blue and black, worth 19c; pair..... 7 1/2c EMBROIDERY A Dainty Lot of Fine Cambrie and Swiss Embroideries, choice patterns, good values, worth 15c; Monday..... 7 1/2c

PONGEES Lot of Fine Mercerized Pongees, plain colors, in remnants, worth 15c; yard..... 7 1/2c HOSIERY Men's Plain and Fancy Colored Socks, the regular 15c kind; per pair..... 7 1/2c WHITE LAWNS Lot of Fine White Lawns in Remnants, the regular 15c quality; Monday, yard..... 9c

WINDOW SCREENS Selected hardwood, covered with best grade wire cloth, extends from 24 to 33 inches; Monday, day only..... 15c DRESS GINGHAMS 2,500 Yards of Good Dress Gingham, in plaids, checks and stripes, worth 10 cents; yard..... 6 1/2c SLIPPERS Women's Serge Slippers, solid leather soles, all sizes, worth 75c; on sale Monday..... 33c

GAS STOVES 2-Burner Gas Stoves, with cap burner, the regular \$1.19 kind; Monday..... 79c DRESS LAWNS 2,000 Yards of Dress Lawns, in light colors, figures and dots; yard..... 4 1/2c GINGHAMS 100 Pieces Best Quality Apron Gingham in blue checks, worth 8c; yd..... 5c

MUSLIN Lot of Yard-Wide Bleached Muslin, in 42 and 48 inch widths, worth 10c and 12 1/2c; yard..... 7c DIMITIES Fine Checked Fancy Dimities in all the new dress patterns, worth 15c; yard..... 10c MUSLIN 2,500 Yards Bleached Pillow Case Muslin, 42 and 48 inch widths, best 18c kind; yd..... 10c

Wonderful Revitalizer DR. WOODS' OSTEOPATHY New Discovery Has Produced Amazing Results in Cases Pronounced Incurable By Physicians

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 is a hero in the strike!—Louisell.

TAYLOR SCHEME WITHOUT MERCY

Plan Started in Plant Which Wrecked Men and Machines.

MAKES EMPLOYER JUDGE

"The ultimate result will be that in order to procure bread for his family a man will say that he is happy whether he is or not; otherwise it would be plain that he had not attained to the standard prescribed in the system under which he works. Now the question as to whether he is happy or not is left to a partial judge, that is, it is left to the decision of a man who is trying to wring as much profit as possible out of a man's muscle."—Congressman Pepper before the House committee on labor during the hearing on the Taylor system of shop management, April 28. That system seeks to bring about conditions under which the worker is happy. Asked who was the judge of such happiness, Pepper replied, "the employer," and continued as quoted.

That is not the only fact of the labor-enslaving nature of the Taylor system admitted by Pepper. Pepper cited an illustration given by Taylor himself relative to the loading of pig iron on cars. "The men," said Pepper, "who had been handling the big iron had been leading sixteen tons per day on the car. By various experiments and by picking out the big husky fellows—that is the men who looked as if they could do a great deal of work—and by encouraging them, it was found that it was possible for some of these men to carry forty-eight tons in a day.

Forty-Eight Tons Standard

"That became the standard; it was what the best man he could find could carry in a day, working under a constant pressure all the time, and while the other men were getting thirty-five a day, he at once paid the man who could carry forty-eight tons a day \$1.85. He did not explain how the man felt when he went home to his family and what was the effect on the man himself for putting forth such exertion."

Taylor, who originated the system, was master mechanic in the Midvale Steel Works at Pittsburgh. In that city there is no mercy for the steel mill employe.

The full brutality was thus brought out by W. B. Wilson of Pennsylvania and chairman of the committee, when he said:

"If an employer has to replace a machine because it is worn out, that would naturally cost him money, but if he has to replace a human machine that he has exhausted by his method it would not cost him anything."

Pepper replied to this with the remark: "No, sir. Labor is on the free list."

No Regard for Men

During the time that President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor was before the committee, he referred to the testimony of President Elmer of the Midvale Steel company. Reading from the record of the hearing held March 1, 1909, the following was shown:

Mr. Graham: "Everything is run to its full capacity now."
Mr. Harrah: "Yes, sir, we have absolutely no regard for machinery or for men."
Harrah had explained that if a machine was not broken at the end of its estimated life, he wanted to know why not.

SHOWS CHERRY DISASTER SHOULD HAVE BEEN AVERTED

By United Press. New York, May 20.—That the Cherry mine disaster, which reaped a fearful toll of human life in Illinois, and caused a monetary loss of \$1,000,000, might have been averted if ordinary precautions against fire had been observed. Reading from the record of the annual meeting of the National Fire Protection association here today by Herbert M. Wilson, chief engineer of the federal bureau of mines.

"The engineers of the bureau of mines," he said, "have reached the conclusion that the introduction of comparatively inexpensive fire fighting appliances, the adoption of proper regulations and the institution of a system of fire drills are the best way to confine them to a brief period of time with little damage to life and property."

TODAY SEES CRUCIAL TEST IN SWITCHMEN'S TROUBLE

By United Press. Minneapolis, Minn., May 20.—Cross-examination of President Frank T. Henry of the Switchmen's Union of North America, covering each step he took in the famous northwest strike of the winter of 1909-10, is the program of the secret session of the Switchmen's convention.

Today will be the crucial test in the investigation and probably will close with some action for or against Hawley. The "insurgents" are said to control, and it is not unlikely today's session will end in sustaining their charge of mismanagement and a severe censure of Hawley.

WILL KEEP STRIKE DATE SECRET

Glasgow, Scotland, May 20.—At a largely attended meeting of seamen Secretary French of the local seamen's and firemen's union stated that a date for a general strike at all ports had been fixed, but that the union officials had decided to keep the date secret until the eve of the day the strike is to become effective. He promised the shipping federation the biggest fight ever known among the transport workers of Great Britain.

Ship owners on the Clyde are preparing for emergencies. It is reported here that May 29 has been chosen as the day of the strike.

INDOSED BY UNION LABOR

The Illinois State Federation of Labor and the Chicago Federation of Labor have both indoctrinated the Daily Socialist because it is of great value to unionism at all times, leading in educating the workers, in seeing the work of organization, in the publication of union news and information of all kinds, such as is printed in no other paper."

PAINTERS, NOTICE

Stay away from Beloit, Wis. Strike is now in its fifth week and every member is standing firm.
C. A. DOWNES, Sec'y.

GARMENT WORKERS' NOTICE

The Daily Socialist needs the names, addresses and telephone numbers of the officers of every garment workers' union in Chicago and vicinity. Also the dates upon which the union meets and the hall. This is necessary in order that our editorial force keep in close touch with the activities of the locals.

MACHINISTS' DANCE TONIGHT

Lake View Lodge, No. 290, International Association of Machinists, will give a reception and dance in Lower Lincoln Turner Hall, 418 E. 12th St., at 8 o'clock, tonight. A hearty invitation is extended to all unionists and friends and a good time assured to all.

COMMITTEE

UNION MEETINGS TONIGHT; DON'T FAIL TO BE THERE

Bakers, 2, 535 Wells, 8 p. m.
Bakery Wagon Drivers, 784, 28 N. 8th av.
Blacksmiths, 14, 322 N. Clark
Blacksmiths, 123, 47th and Princeton
Blacksmiths, 208, 76th and Drexel
Blacksmiths, 418, Abel Hall, Aurora, Ill.
Blacksmiths, 528, 47th and Princeton
Blacksmiths' U. Bro., 1, 354 Halsted
Boilermakers, 232, 242 W. Madison
Boilermakers' Helpers, 4, 118th and Michigan
Brick, T. & T. C. Wks., 40, 7013 Ravenswood Park
Carpenters, Bro. Dist. Cl. 50 Randolph
Carpenters, Amal., 728, Evanston, Ill.
Carpenters, Amal., 1, 231 La Salle
Corkers, 448, 515 S. Halsted
Corkers, 62, 417, 271 W. Washington
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Engineers, 117, Laug's Hall, Hammond, Ind.
Engineers, 208, 232 W. Madison
Freight Handlers, 78, 2600 North av.
Garment Workers, 138, Halsted & Maxwell
Hod Carriers, 232, 242 W. Madison
Insurance Agents, 180 W. Washington
Janitors, Flat, 12074, 1144 N. Clark
Machinists, 14, 782 Madison
Maintenance Workers, 148, 49th and Paulina
Metal Workers, 2, 418 N. Clark
Molders, 218, 218, 224 S. Halsted
Molders, Machine, 218, 201 S. Halsted
Molders, Bench, 232, 242 S. Halsted
Molders, 372, 4600 W. Madison
Mosaic Workers, 418 N. Clark
Painters, 121, 3101 State
Hoofers, Gravel, 4, 490 S. Halsted
Steam Fitters' Helpers, 4, 100 W. Washington
St. Ry. Emp., 1187, 200, 121 La Salle
Teamsters, Stone, 718, 227 W. Washington
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Teamsters (Chl.), 218, 224 S. Halsted
Teamsters, 728, 227 N. Clark
Teamsters, 782, 8 N. 5th av., May road, Ill.

SUNDAY MEETINGS

Chicago Federation of Labor, Musicians' Hall, 125 W. Washington
Bakers, 2, 535 Wells, 8 p. m.
Beer Bottle and Liquor Drivers, 244, 180 W. Washington, 3 p. m.
Brewery Coopers, 94, 630 W. Lake, 9 a. m.
Brick & T. C. Workers' Dist. Cl., 1, 156 W. Washington
Carpenters, 54, 18th and Ashland
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WILL CONSIDER MONEY PROBLEM OF CIGAR STRIKE

Garment Workers' unions, Workmen's circles and other progressive Jewish organizations on the West Side have taken the cause of the striking cigar-workers of the Havana-America Cigar company in hand. In a conference which has been arranged for Monday night at Shapiro's hall ways and means will be formulated to finance the further carrying on of the big strike of the La Preferencia workers.

Tonight a dance will be held at the West Side Auditorium which it is expected will add greatly to the strike fund.

Three conferences have been held during the past week with the management of the trust concern. None of them were of avail. The bosses are willing to allow the workers "sanitary conveniences," such as the garment bosses were last winter, but the employes' reply has invariably been that the question of more money must be used.

Morris Isaacson, one of the strikers, was arrested for distributing cards telling of the strike near one of the cigar trust's stores at Van Buren street and state. A jury trial will be demanded.

MILWAUKEE TYPOS ELECT OFFICERS AND DELEGATES

Milwaukee, May 20.—O. E. Thomas was elected president of Typographical union No. 23 at the annual election, defeating Charles J. Shurr.

William J. Geismar defeated W. B. Ames for vice-president, and in the contest for recording secretary Horace W. Hamilton was victorious over J. F. Bickely. Joseph La Fleur was elected treasurer and Fred W. Stearns sergeant-at-arms without opposition.

John M. Benemann, John Doyle, Walter S. Fisher and Charles J. Shurr were elected delegates to the next convention of the Wisconsin Federation of Labor. William A. Westerman and Frank J. Zimmerman were elected delegates to the next convention of the International Typographical union, with R. C. Anderson and H. O. Kent as alternates.

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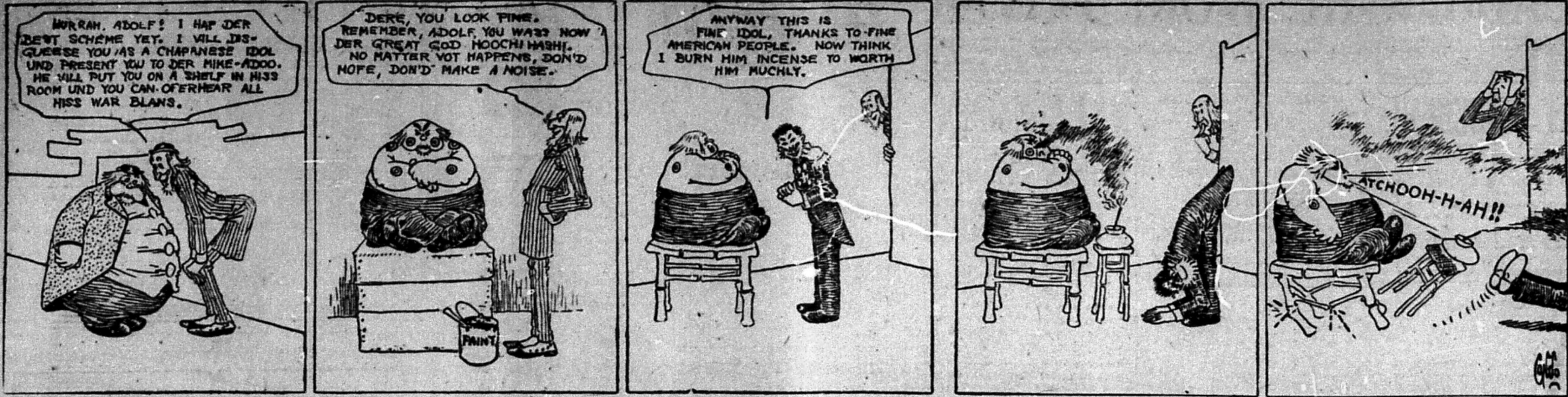
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CUBS WIN 7-2 OVER QUAKERS

Philadelphia, Pa., May 20.—Chicago drove another spike into the pennant hopes of the Phillies Friday in a quiet, though nevertheless, as effective a manner as on the previous day. The score was 7 to 2. For just two innings the Cubs allowed the Quakers to delude themselves that they had a chance, but in the third they wiped away every vestige of hope, and though the Phillies appeared to be within halting distance the champions showed what they could do, let out a link in the eighth and clinched the game. Base hits were few on both sides, but that was not because both teams did not hit hard, but simply because of sensational work and at times fielding that bordered on the phenomenal. In almost every inning some play was pulled off that stirred the 4,900 fans to enthusiasm, and the good plays of the champs, though not as numerous as those of the Quakers, received every bit as warm recognition as those of the home team. Unlike Thursday's game there was hardly a ripple over the umpiring, the only one to take exceptions to Klem being Chance, who objected once to a called strike. This may have been due to the presence of President Lynch, who came over in response to the yelp of the Quaker management. Governor Tener of Pennsylvania, who pitched for the old Chicago White Stockings in the '90s, was a guest of President Lynch at the game. The kickers of yesterday got off leniently, being let down with a fine instead of drawing the usual three days' suspension.

SOX LOSE TO BOSTON--4-3

In a game that was stretched out over twelve seasons and in which the Speed Boys from Boston had all the better of the pitching, Patay Donovan's crew hung the high sign on Duff's team and captured the victory by a 4 to 3 score. It was a game in which the Sox played the part of the "under dog" the better portion of the entire distance. To the superior twirling of Joe Wood must be given the credit of the victory, and it was Joe who came through with a wonderfully quick-thinking fielding effort late in the game that prevented the Sox from tying up the game and having further chance to battle for it. In addition to pulling off the banner stunt Wood pitched wonderful baseball from the moment he took Ray Collins' place on the hill until the very end. He struck out no less than ten White Sox in seven innings, and his victims were the surest batters in the Sox line-up. Wood is some twirler. He showed the best brand of the curved and assorted stuff that has been dished up this season here, while his speed was tremendous, and with him starting the Sox would hardly have had a look-in. He was just a rescuer, but he was there with the life buoy, grappling hook and life line when he was put to the task.

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BASEBALL GAMES TODAY NATIONAL LEAGUE Chicago at Philadelphia, Pittsburg at New York, St. Louis at Boston, Cincinnati at Brooklyn. AMERICAN LEAGUE Boston at Chicago, New York at St. Louis, Philadelphia at Detroit, Washington at Cleveland.

ILLINOIS DEFEATS WISCONSIN By United Press. CHICAGO, Ill., May 20.—By defeating Wisconsin University track and field athletes 69 to 57 in points, Illinois University today holds the western conference championship. Wisconsin took all the track events, excepting a two-mile race and low hurdles, and Illinois won the contest in weights and hammer throwing. Richards, of Wisconsin, was the individual star, winning the century, 220-yard dash and quarter-mile. Belling, for Illinois, took the discus and hammer throw.

PURDUE DAY TODAY AT CHICAGO UNIVERSITY Track and baseball athletes from Chicago University will celebrate "Purdue day" on the Midway campus this afternoon. The Mar'us and Bollermakers first will compete in their annual dual track meet, and then the baseball stars will mix.

HEAT STOPS BOXING BOUT Milwaukee, Wis., May 20.—For the first time in the history of the fist game here a fight card has been postponed on account of hot weather. The promoters of the show to be staged here last night in which Jimmy Clabby and Mike Gibbons were to fight the windup battle, decided the weather was too warm.

BLOOM GETS COLD FEET Niles, Mich., May 20.—Morrie Bloom refused to fight with Spike Kelly here last night. Spike took on Jack Mavis, whom he defeated in three rounds of spirited fighting.

KID BERLIN IS WORKING OUT WITH KID LITTLE at the Princeps. They worked out ten rounds last night. Berlin is ready for 116-pounders.

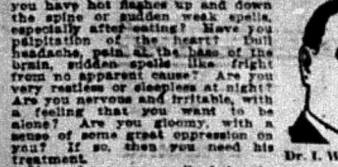
A TRIUMPH "Do you think it is becoming?" she asked, appearing in her new gown. "Don't bother about that?" gushes the friend. "It is perfect! It is simply delicious! My dear, it makes you look absolutely helpless."—Judge.

RESULTS FRIDAY NATIONAL LEAGUE Chicago, 7; Philadelphia, 2. Brooklyn, 2; Cincinnati, 0. New York, 4; Pittsburg, 3. St. Louis, 5; Boston, 3. AMERICAN LEAGUE Boston, 4; Chicago, 3 (12 innings). New York, 10; St. Louis, 6. Detroit, 9; Philadelphia, 8. Cleveland, 7; Washington, 1.

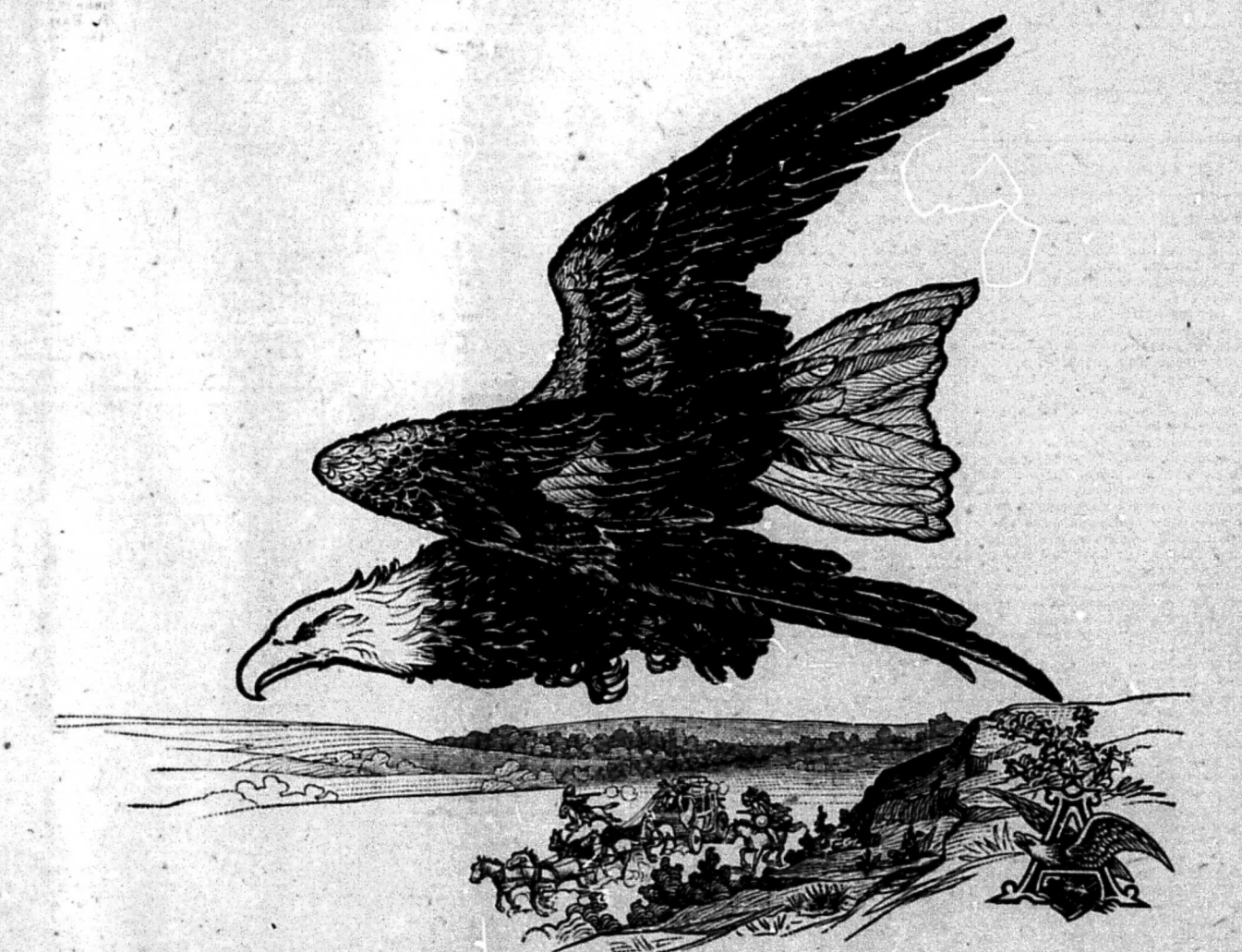
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WHAT A WOMAN WANTS TO KNOW

A WOMAN'S PLACE

BY ROBERT H. HOWE

CHAPTER II.

We hear the term "woman's work" used. Why should some work be sacred to woman which would be discreditable if performed by one of the opposite sex? Why should certain other vocations be the monopoly of man and into which sphere it is discreditable for woman to enter? There never has been any person or body of persons authorized to designate what labor one sex should perform and what labor the other sex should perform. The truth of the matter is that the work of the world has been divided between the two sexes through many centuries merely by custom and convenience.

fire became the first public servants and as the state developed they absorbed other functions and became priests and magistrates and even kings. The rude shed evolved into a temple in which the sacred fire burned. This was the origin and development of the Temple of Vesta where the sacred fire of the Romans was kept burning by the Vestal Virgins for, it is said, a thousand years.

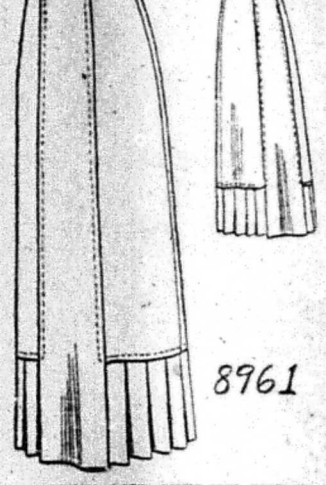
man to be absent for more or less prolonged periods during which time the fire would need attention or it would die out, and this, one of the most important duties of the domestic economy, devolved upon the woman, and the allied domestic industries gradually came to be her province.

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MOTHER'S SUGAR PIE

Mother used to make a maple sugar pie that we children dearly loved. She used the soft sugar, sprinkled it well with bits of butter and baked it in two crusts, and we ate it warm. It is rich, but so good. I cannot get the soft sugar, so do not make it myself.

WORD FROM THE WORKERS

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COMRADE FOSTER'S SUGGESTIONS

I have read with much interest the articles in the American Magazine by Frederick W. Taylor on what he terms "Scientific Management." I have also read several comments in the daily—our daily—the only daily worth while. But don't you think that you some times misinterpret. Now, my conception of this "Scientific Management" is that it is in line with evolution and is bound to play a great part in the development of industry and that it is in harmony with Socialism in so far that it will eliminate unnecessary labor and produce more wealth with less energy expended. I have practiced considerable of what he preaches even before I ever heard of Frederick W. Taylor, and, although not profiting materially by it, still I have made my labor much easier by managing my own work "scientifically."

COMRADE FITZGERALD PROTESTS!

I demand a new trial for this man! Dietz of Cameron dam fame at Hayward, Wis. A human soul placed behind bars during his natural life for the sake of defending his family, his home, on one side, and a dam and pine logs on the other. No! It's wrong. Arouse, you people of Hayward, Wis. Arouse, and get this neighbor of yours a new trial. All will help you to free him. Give Dietz his liberty and a pension for defending his home and family. L. G. FITZGERALD, M. D., Port Huron, Mich., May 18, 1911.

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Strickland at Elgin The Elgin comrades will have the pleasure of hearing that pioneer agitator, Frederick G. Strickland, on June 16th. Comrade Strickland is campaigning under pleasant circumstances now than some years ago. In his early career he used to have to keep his eyes peeled for hemp rope brigades. Nothing daunted, he always came up cheerful and smiling in his own peculiar way.

She's Mother of "Father's Day"



MRS. J. B. DODD. Say, dad, here's a very clever lady who really ought to know. She is Mrs. John Bruce Dodd, of Spokane, Wash. Mrs. Dodd recently won national fame and praise by founding a "Father's Day," similar in idea to "Mother's Day."

BURNING DAYLIGHT By Jack London

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SYNOPSIS OF PRECEDING CHAPTERS.

"Burning Daylight"—Elam Harnish—is introduced to the reader as he enters a Circle City dance hall, saloon and gambling house like the whirlwind that he is.

Essentially a man's man, Burning Daylight respects, or rather fears, the wiles of the women who frequent the dance hall. But he is afraid to be even civil to a woman, because he dreads the idea of being mastered by anybody or anything, and to surrender to a woman means, in his mind, that he is conquered.

Drink leads to boasting and in the turmoil that follows Burning Daylight shows his amazing muscular strength. He wins all the tests and downs all the giants that come before him.

Then comes a poker game—the greatest ever played in the Klondike. Burning Daylight's luck deserts him at the end, and he rises from the table penniless—worse than broke.

The indomitable courage of this man among men shows itself. He declares himself a gambler, and to accomplish an impossible task—to run the mail to Dyea and back with a dog team and an Indian.

After overcoming what to the ordinary man would prove insurmountable difficulties he reaches his goal, and returns to Circle City a winner.

Without rest this amazing man makes a wild night of it. He outdances men and women, too, wins at roulette, and then, still scoring slumber, or any regular sleep, starts a night with three partners and a dog team for the newest gold-strike in the upper country along the Stewart.

Then comes the battle for gold. Strike after strike is explored. Daylight sees himself the dominant figure along the Yukon and in the golden Dawson. Discouraged frequently, he refuses to allow life's loaded dice to beat him, and in the end comes victory—and millionaires.

win. So he begs her to go horseback riding with him on a day. "To reach some kind of a conclusion," she asserts. "Nor did he dream that he would acquiescence was due as much as to anything else to the beads of sweat on his forehead, his trembling hands and his all too evident general distress." The man who never trembled before a man or a set of men is as a child in the presence of the girl, who as determined in her way as he is in his.

CHAPTER XXVIII.—Continued.

"Winter will soon be coming on," she said regretfully, and with provocation one day. "And then there won't be any more riding." "But I must see you in the winter just the same," he cried hastily. She shook her head.

"We have been very happy and all that," she said, looking at him with steady frankness. "I remember your foolish argument for getting acquainted, too, but it won't lead to anything. It can't. I know myself too well to be mistaken."

Her face was serious, even solicitous with desire not to hurt, and her eyes were unwavering, but in them was the light, golden and glowing—the abyss of sex into which he was now untrusting to gaze.

"I've been pretty good," he declared. "I leave it to you if I haven't." It's been pretty hard, too, I can tell you. You just think it. Now once have I said a word about love to you, and I love you all the time. That's going some for a man's that used to having his own way. I'm somewhat of a rasher when it comes to traveling. I reckon I'd rush God Almighty if it came to a race over the ice. And yet I don't rush you. Of course, I want you to marry me. Have I said a word about it, though? Nary a chirp, nary a flutter. I've been quiet and good, though it's almost made me sick at times, this waiting quiet. I haven't asked you to marry me. I'm not asking you now. Oh, not but what you satisfy me. I sure know you're the wife for me. But how about myself? Do you know me well enough to know your own mind? He shrugged his shoulders.

"I don't know, and I ain't going to take chances on it now. You've got to know sure whether you think you could get along with me or not, and I'm playing a slow, conservative game. I ain't a-going to lose for over-looking my hand."

This was love making of a sort beyond Dede's experience. Nor had he ever heard of anything like it. Furthermore, its lack of ardor carried with it a shock which she could overcome only by remembering the way his hand had trembled in the past, and by remembering the passion she had seen that very day and every day in his eyes or heard in his voice. Then, too, she recollected what he had said to her weeks before. "Maybe you don't know what patience is," he had said, and there he told her of shooting squirrels with a big rifle the time he and Elijah Davis had starved on the Stewart River.

"So you see," he urged, "just for a square deal we've got to see some more of each other this winter. Most likely your mind ain't made up yet." "But it is," she interrupted. "I wouldn't dare permit myself to care for you. Happiness, for me, would not lie that way. I like you, Mr. Harnish, and all that, but it can never be more than that."

women in the world who could marry a man like you and be happy, but I could not. And the more I cared for such a man the more unhappy I should be. You see, my unhappiness is sure to tend to make him unhappy. I should make a mistake, and he would make an equal mistake, though his would not be so hard on him because he would still have his business."

"Business!" Daylight gasped. "What is wrong with my business? I pay fair and square. There's nothing underhand about it, which can't be said of most businesses, whether of the big corporations or of the cheating, lying, little corner groceryman. I play the straight rules of the game, and I don't have to lie or cheat or break my word."

Dede hailed with relief the change in the conversation and at the same time the opportunity to speak her mind. "In ancient Greece," she began pedantically, "was judged a good citizen who built houses, planted trees, and drew the conclusion hurriedly. 'How many houses have you built? How many trees have you planted?'"

He shook his head non-committally, for he had not grasped the drift of the argument. "Well," she went on, "two winters ago you cornered coal?" "Just locally," he grinned reminiscently. "And I took advantage of the car shortage and the strike in British Columbia."

"But you didn't dig any of that coal yourself. Yet you forced it up \$4 a ton and made a lot of money. That was your business. You made the poor people pay more for their coal. You played fair, as you said, but you put your hands down into all their pockets and took their money away from them. I know; I burn a grate fire in my sitting room at Berkeley. And instead of \$11 ton for Rock Wells I paid \$15 that winter. You robbed me of \$4. I could stand it; but there were thousands of the very poor who could not stand it. You might call it legal gambling, but to me it was downright robbery."

Daylight was not abashed. This was no revelation to him. He remembered the old woman who made wine in the Sonoma hills, and the millions like her who were made to be robbed. "Now look here, Miss Mason, you've got to see me in business a long time now, and you know I don't make a practice of robbing the poor people. I go after the big fellows. They're my meat. They rob the poor, and I rob them. That coal deal was an accident. I was not after the poor people in that, but after the big fellows, and I got them, too. The poor people happened to get in the way and got hurt, that was all."

"Don't you see," he went on, "the whole game is a gamble! Everybody gambles in one way or another. The farmer gambles against the weather and the market on his crops. So does the United States Steel corporation. The business of lots of men is straight robbery of the poor people. But I've never made that my business. You know that. I've always gone after the robbers."

"Wait a minute," she admitted. "And for a space they rode in silence. 'I see it more clearly than I can state it, but it's something like this. There is legitimate work, and there's work that—well, that isn't legitimate. The farmer works the soil and produces grain. He's making something that is good for humanity. He actually, in a way, creates something, the grain that will fill the mouths of the hungry.'"

eye. Something has been done, in a way, been created just like the wheat." "But the railroads rob like Sam Scratch," Daylight objected.

"Then the work they do is partly legitimate and partly not. Now we come to you. You don't create anything. Nothing new exists when you're done with your business. Just like the coal. You didn't dig it. You didn't haul it to market. You didn't deliver it. Don't you see? That's what I meant by planting the trees and building the houses. You haven't planted one tree nor built a single house."

"I never guessed there was a woman in the world could talk business like that," he murmured admiringly. "And you've got me on that point. But there is a lot to be said on my side just the same. Now you listen to me. I'm going to talk under three headings. Number one: We live a short time, the best of us, and we're a long time dead. Life is a big gambling game. Some are born lucky and some are born unlucky. Everybody sits in at the table and everybody tries to rob everybody else. Most of them get robbed. They're born suckers. A fellow like me comes along and sizes up the proposition. I've got two choices. I can herd with the suckers or I can herd with the robbers. As a sucker I win nothing. Even the crusts of bread are snatched out of my mouth by the robbers. I work hard all my days and die working. And I ain't never had a flutter. I've had nothing but work, work, work. They talk about the dignity of labor. I tell you there ain't no dignity in that sort of labor. My other choice is to herd with the robbers. And I herd with them. I play that choice wide open to win. I get the automobiles and the porterhouse steaks and the soft beds."

"Number two: There ain't much difference between playing half-way robber, like the railroad, and playing farmer's wheat to market, and playing all robber and robbing the robbers, like I do. And, besides, half-way robbery is too slow a game for me to sit in. You don't win quick enough for me."

"But what do you want to win for?" Dede demanded. "You have millions and millions already. You can't ride in more than one automobile at a time, sleep in more than one bed at a time," he said, and here it is. Men and things are so made that they have different likes. A rabbit likes a vegetarian diet. A lynx likes meat. Ducks swim. Chickens are scared of water. One man collects postage stamps, another man collects butterflies. This man goes in for paintings, that man goes in for yachts, and some other fellow for hunting big game. One man thinks horse racing is it, with a big I, and another man finds the biggest satisfaction in actresses. They each help these likes. They have them, and what are they going to do about it? Now, I like gambling. I like to play the game. I want to play it big and play it quick. I'm just made that way. And I play it."

"But why can't you do good with all your money?" Daylight laughed. "Doing good with your money! It's like sleeping God in the face, as much to tell Him that. He don't know how to run His world, and that you'll be most obliged if He'll stand out of the way and give you a chance. Thinking about God doesn't keep me sitting up nights, so I've got another way of looking at it. I'm not it funny to go around with brass knuckles and a big club breaking folks' heads and taking their money away from them until I've got a pile, and then, repenting of my ways, going around and bandaging up the heads and the other robbers as breaking I leave it to you. That's what I do. I go good with money amounts to. Every once in a while some robber turns soft-hearted and takes to driving an automobile. That's what Glenwood did. He smashed heads in pitched battles—regular wholesale head-breaker he was, held up the suckers for a few hundred millions—and now he goes around dribbling it back to them. Funny! I leave it to you."

She rolled a cigarette and watched her half curiously, half amusedly. His replies and harsh generalizations of a harsh school were disconcerting, and

she came back to her earlier position. "I can't argue with you, and you know that. No matter how right a woman is, men have such a way about them—well, what they say sounds most convincing, and yet the woman is still certain they are wrong. But there is one thing—the creative joy. Call it gambling if you will, but just the same it seems to me more satisfying to create something, make something, than just to roll dice out of a dice box all day long. Why, sometimes for exercise, or when I've got to pay \$15 for coal, I curry Mab and give her a whole half hour of brushing, and when I see her coat clean and shining and satiny I feel a satisfaction in what I've done. So it must be with the man who builds a house or plants a tree. He can look at it; he made it; it's his handiwork. Even if somebody like you comes along and takes his tree away from him, still it is there, and still did he make it. You can't rob him of that, Mr. Harnish, with all your millions. It's the creative joy, and it's a higher joy than mere gambling. Haven't you ever made things yourself—a log cabin up in the Yukon, or a canoe or raft or something? And don't you remember how satisfied you were, how good you felt, while you were doing it and after you had it done?"

While she spoke his memory was busy with the associations she recalled. He saw the deserted flat on the river bank which he made it; it's his handiwork. Even if somebody like you comes along and takes his tree away from him, still it is there, and still did he make it. You can't rob him of that, Mr. Harnish, with all your millions. It's the creative joy, and it's a higher joy than mere gambling. Haven't you ever made things yourself—a log cabin up in the Yukon, or a canoe or raft or something? And don't you remember how satisfied you were, how good you felt, while you were doing it and after you had it done?"

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"Lord, What Fools These Mortals Be!"

There never was a more sinister conspiracy to fool the people than is being perpetrated by the capitalist press upon the people...

Drastic cartoons showed the panic of the robber chiefs and the triumph of the "dear people."

It was proclaimed that finally the great, venerable, Supreme Court had spoken the death sentence of the oily octopus...

It is thus attempted to manufacture public sentiment in favor of the court and the NEW LAW IT HAS SPOKEN INTO EXISTENCE...

The fact that the COURT DESTROYED THE SHERMAN ANTI-TRUST LAW was carefully ignored until the fool public had been starved on the wrong track...

How important, for the public welfare, that there be a powerful Socialist press, that will expose the underhanded, misleading bunc...

Socialists expected the verdict. The inevitable trend of capitalism is toward combination, concentration and monopoly.

Socialists welcome the decree. It closes definitely and officially the competitive stage of capitalism and opens legally the monopoly stage...

The Supreme Court builded better than it knew. It does not wish to favor Socialism. Its decision was forced by the ECONOMIC CONDITION OF THE WORLD...

What is the next step? The Democrats will clamor for a strong, drastic, prohibitive anti-trust law...

That phrase is typical of the old fossil party that does not yet know that the war is over.

A stone fence fixed and rigid to confine the plastic, progressive spirit of America! China built a stone fence a thousand years ago...

The Republicans will probably advocate a national corporation law, putting corporations that do interstate or international business under the direction of the government...

Law will regulate their business, making it a criminal offense to stifle competition or restrain trade. Law will also regulate price of the products...

The Supreme Court has finally recognized that "combinations in business are legitimate and many be beneficial."

The question arises: Beneficial to whom? The Supreme Court had only one thought: "Beneficial to the class which owns the capital..."

THE COMMON PEOPLE WERE ENTIRELY IGNORED. The Supreme Court violated the letter and spirit of the Sherman anti-trust law...

All wealth, that which nature provides, as well as that created by labor, exists for the benefit and welfare of all, and the time is coming when society—call it state or government—will direct its production and administer it for the good of all.

"If I may venture an opinion as to the most important question in political economy before the American people, it is this: Shall the chief and controlling means of production in the United States, including mineral and forest resources, waterpower sites, railroads and means of communication, patent rights and the enormous funds of loanable capital be owned by a billionaire four hundred, who, in virtue of such ownership, will be able for all practical purposes to own a hundred or more millions of us ordinary human beings; or shall we ordinary human beings, in our collective capacity, own the means of production ourselves and proceed to work out the reality of a democratic republic?"

Want, or the fear of it, is the physical basis of evil. Everything that increases life, that widens and deepens it, that augments its joys and diminishes its pain is good.

Stocks of all kinds have advanced since the Standard Oil decision was rendered. Capitalists feel assured. The tendency toward combination and concentration will continue.

The means of production, land, machinery, money, in the hands of a few, is like a pistol held by a highwayman to extort the wealth of the wayfarer.

"The social problem of the future we consider to be how to unite the greatest liberty of action with a common ownership in the raw materials of the globe and an equal participation of all the benefits of combined labor."

SAVE THE BABY!



HOT WEATHER MEANS THE DEATH OF MANY OF THE BABIES IN CHICAGO.

One More Socialist Daily

BY J. L. ENGBAHL

"A party without a paper is like a modern army without artillery."

This is the belief of the Socialists of England, who are just now very busy planning to start a daily Socialist paper.



Keir Hardie, Who is Working Hard to Establish the First Socialist Daily in England.

The English working class must have been strongly organized indeed to have been able without a paper to acquire the influence that it possesses."

"But henceforward it would not be able to accomplish its task without that instrument. To an ever-increasing degree the proletariat disengages itself from the old parties."

"To an ever-increasing extent Socialism is permeating the working class, and the task of the latter is increasingly complex."

J. Kier Hardie, the coal miner-Socialist of England, is the biggest factor in raising the \$125,000 which it is claimed will be necessary to start the paper right."

In order to get the matter before the workers of England a special edition, known as the May Day Garland, the Herald of the Socialist daily, was issued on May Day, and 150,000 copies were sold and distributed.

"The cause of the worker during the strike and during the election, and all the periods which lie between, will be its first prime care," says Hardie in speaking of the coming "daily."

So one sees that everywhere the working class army is fashioning its artillery, and that artillery is the printing press.

On the first page of a late issue of the Social-Demokraten, the Socialist daily of Copenhagen, Denmark, is the picture of an up-to-date printing press that has just been installed.

It is similar in some respects to the press that will soon print the issues of the new Socialist daily in Milwaukee, Wis.

After the heat of the political conflict cities are carried and men are sent to the national assemblies. These are times of real war.

But the Socialists have their victories of peace. The establishment of a Socialist daily is as important as the carrying of some important political struggle, because it would be impossible to win political struggles and take advantage of the victories thus won without a "daily organ to denounce every intrigue which may threaten, and to advise and illuminate every detail," as Jaures puts it.

So the Socialists of the United States must remember that all the work is not done upon the spectacular political battlefield.

The most useful work is done quietly and unostentatiously between campaigns in building up the party press, which in turn adds strength to every other part of the organization.

So the comrades of America cannot help but wish every success to the comrades in England in their new endeavor, so that in the next election they may be able to deliver the death blow to the house of lords as Congressman Berger is here seeking to abolish the senate, and bring about the downfall of those other institutions that are blocking the way to the final emancipation of the working class.

The Kidnaping Case

BY ALLEN COOK.

It is about time the working class of America is waking up. The courts, from the justice of the peace up to the Supreme court, have legalized the kidnaping of working men and made illegal the kidnaping of capitalists.

The ruthless kidnaping of Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone, tearing them away from their families, refusing their constitutional right of habeas corpus and delivering them into the hands of their enemies in Idaho, is fresh in the minds of all intelligent people.

Now comes the kidnaping of Secretary McNamara of the Bridge and Structural Iron Workers and other union officials by a detective agency and delivering them in Los Angeles, two thousand miles away into the hands of their enemies to be hung upon the gibbet in defiance of law and by worse than anarchistic methods.

If these men are guilty of the many crimes with which they are charged, hanging would be too good for them. But the guilt or innocence of these men is not the question in controversy.

The question is whether the detective agencies or the officials of any state, at the behest of great capitalists, can operate all law and the constitutional rights of the people and kidnap workmen and carry them out of the state without giving them an opportunity to defend themselves.

If such be the case, then no workman can feel safe and secure in his own home. Governor Marshall of Indiana secretly aided and abetted the Burns Detective Agency in trampling the law and constitutional rights under foot. This is anarchy pure and unadulterated.

About the time McNamara was kidnaped, the governor of Illinois issued a requisition for a wealthy bridge builder in Terre Haute, Ind., to be taken to Illinois where he was indicted for bribing county commissioners all over the state.

The governor of Indiana informed the rich bridge builder and gave the news to the public press so that he might be prepared with a writ of habeas corpus when his arrest took place. The courts refused to permit him to be taken to Illinois.

On the next day the governor of Illinois issued a requisition on the governor of Indiana for the same man.

Illinois issued a requisition on the governor of Indiana for a workman who was a glass blower, for some trivial offense he had committed in Illinois. The glass blower was kidnaped and delivered into the hands of the Illinois authorities without an opportunity to defend himself. And yet the capitalist press and many so-called labor papers say we have no class rule in America, and deny that the courts are frequently used as instruments of capitalism.

If the working people of America do not resent the kidnaping of their officers and comrades, then they have become subservient creatures unworthy of the name of men and deserve not the little liberty that is left to them.

The governors of all the states are against the working class and not the voice of a single governor in the United States has been raised in their behalf.

The tendency of the courts is against the working class. The police, the militia, the army and the navy are instruments of a capitalist government used for the subjugation of the working class. Not another civilized government in the world would dare to kidnap and carry away in so barbarous a manner any of its citizens or subjects.

Barbarous, uncivilized Russia is the only other government in the world where such acts are legally sanctioned.

Our president does not raise his voice against this great crime and anarchy. Even ex-President Roosevelt is endeavoring to justify the anarchistic actions of the detective agencies and the governor of Indiana and is denouncing the working class for their expressions of sympathy and denunciations of the kidnaping.

This method of dealing with the working class will some day suddenly come to an end with a jar so great as to jolt the rulers from their thrones.

Those who favor such methods are enemies of good government and breeders of anarchy. The working class can expect just such treatment so long as capitalism remains.

The capitalist masters, the capitalist governors, the capitalist president, the capitalist courts, the capitalist police force, military, army and

navy are used as instruments for the subjugation of the working class. The working men who cannot see it are either densely ignorant or politically blind as a bat.

The working class must tear themselves away from the fake leaders who are betraying them into the hands of their enemies. Gompers and Mitchell and other fake leaders advise them to vote for capitalism and then raise a great "hue and cry" when capitalism starts to carry out its program.

These fake leaders coax and drive the working people into the shambles and then pretend to pity them while they are being slaughtered. The worst enemies that the working class have in America are the fake labor leaders and the fake labor papers which about unionism from the housetops and then advise the working men to vote a scab, capitalistic ticket.

Many of these fake leaders receive pay from capitalistic sources. Some of them have been members and are now members of the Civic Federation, organized by J. Pierpont Morgan, Belmont and Mark Hanna for the purpose of destroying the labor unions.

Some of these fake labor leaders are supported by money received from capitalistic sources.

These fake labor leaders and papers advise the working people to lick the hand that smites them and to fondle at the foot that stamps them into the earth.

How long will the working class continue to vote themselves into renewed slavery and fasten the chains of capitalism upon themselves? How long will they continue to follow the lead of those who are betraying them into the hands of their oppressors? How long will they continue to fight over religious and political and craft differences while their oppressors unite as one man for their destruction?

Socialism points the way out of the inferno in which they are now living into the promised land where the working class would receive the full product of their toil and labor would be a badge of honor and this grand old world of ours would be a veritable kingdom of God, in which to live and have our being.

The Supreme Court of Socialism

BY L. A. MALKIEL

Labor won a great victory, and, like Pyrrhus, Labor can say: "One more such victory and I am lost."

For, while the officials of the American Federation of Labor were discharged, the court expressly affirmed the principle that freedom of speech is no longer sacred against the onslaught of capitalism, and that was the main issue in the case.

To a close student of events the outcome is by no means surprising. It has ever been thus: Whoever wished to attain anything must fight for it.

This is as true of classes and nations as it is of individuals. The lower courts have committed the serious error of treating a civil contempt as criminal. The officials of the federation committed the still more serious error of not meeting the issue squarely and courageously. The trouble is that they followed the advice of lawyers and tried to get around the court's injunction.

Now while it is permissible for capitalists to evade the law by a subterfuge it is a CRIME FOR LABOR TO DO SO.

When the injunction was issued forbidding the federation to publish the "We Don't Patronize" list it discontinued it, but tried to further the boycott indirectly. The court held that the officers of the federation were trying to evade the decision, and the court was right. They violated the injunction in spirit. Thus they were caught in their own net and could not even claim the credit of martyrdom, for it was involuntary.

What the federation officials should have done was to continue to publish the "We Don't Patronize" ad and openly defy the injunction, setting up the claim that the Constitution is above the courts.

They would at least have earned the respect of their opponents. And their very courage would have resulted in a different decision. For who doubts that, if labor had openly declared that it would not submit to the usurpation of their rights by the courts and the rank and file of the federation openly avowed its readiness to go to jail rather than abandon the rights guaranteed under the Constitution, the courts would have backed down and proclaimed the principle that freedom of speech is not to be curtailed.

FOR YOU CANNOT PUT A WHOLE NATION IN JAIL.

A concrete example was furnished by our comrades in Spokane and elsewhere in their fight for free speech. They went to jail and were clubbed, but they won their fight. The federation might well take a leaf out of their book. Cowardice never won a battle yet.

The first skirmish has been lost. It will be all the harder to win the real battle for free speech. For now the lower courts will have the decision of the Supreme Court to point to. But the battle will be won and the Socialists will have to lead the fight.

OPEN FORUM

VOTE THEM DOWN!

I am amazed at the two constitutional amendments proposed by the committee on constitution of the Cook County Delegates Committee.

Comrades should get out their national and state constitutions and look for themselves and see just what these amendments mean.

These two amendments deliberately propose to strike out the provisions which enable the membership to change the state and national constitutions of their own accord. They leave to the membership only the hollow right to vote yes or no on amendments proposed by state and national conventions; and the equally hollow right to initiate motions and propositions outside the constitution.

That is what they actually propose. Look it up for yourself and you will find that I am telling the truth. I could not believe it until I scrutinized the constitution and found that it was even so. They strike out the vital thing and leave the valueless.

The talk about a constant stream of amendments is tommyrot. The more interest the membership takes in party affairs the better. The only danger is that the membership may not take sufficient interest in party affairs to safeguard the movement. The initiative tends to make them take interest. The initiation of amendments has already been made difficult. Now they want to take it away altogether.

We criticize our capitalist enemies because they oppose the incorporating of the initiative and referendum in the constitutions of the state and nation. We also point out that the United States senate, and the veto powers of the Supreme Court, and the president should be abolished, and the initiative and referendum adopted in their stead.

And then it is seriously proposed to emasculate the initiative in our own party constitutions and shear our own membership of its power to control the movement!

A pretty position to place ourselves in, isn't it? Members of the party, are you dead? Are you asleep?

Do you intend to keep still and let this monstrous infamy be perpetrated upon the movement? I do not believe it.

Every branch in Cook County should at once instruct its delegates to the County Delegates Committee, in unmitigated terms, to vote against initiating these reactionary amendments.

JOHN M. WORK.

Scattered Shot

BY REV. GEO. D. COLEMAN

A commission has been appointed to investigate magazine rates. President Taft appointed Lawrence Maxwell, the attorney of the Adams Express company as one of the members of the commission. Query: Why is the commission like Mother Eve?

Because it was made for Adam's Express Company.

The Akron, Ohio, Salvation Army held and auction and hold fifty white babies to the highest bidder. Query: Was this according to the Gospel of Christ, or the Gospel of Capitalism?

Was it according to the law of the Kingdom of God or a justification of the Kingdom of Rent, Interest and Profit?

In Los Angeles, California, the police are ordered to arrest workers who assemble in groups, upon the charge of

conspiracy, but capitalists can freely assemble at their will unmolested.

Article I of the Amendments of the United States Constitution says that congress shall not abridge "the right of the people peaceably to assemble."

Article IX and X declare that all rights and powers not enumerated or prohibited to the states are retained by the people. Query: Has any state or municipality the power or right to nullify the provisions of the United States Constitution?

THINKS WITH HIS PAY CHECK

"Does the speaker know what century he is living in?"

"Don't mind him, he is only a professor of political economy."

"But, doesn't he know any better!"

"Perhaps, but he has to hold his job."—Coming Nation.

"That spinner neighbor of yours had not yet given up all hope."

"How do you know?"

"Because I saw this morning that in her garden she was sowing bachelor buttons."—Baltimore American.

Everett True and the True Triplets

NOW I WANT YOU THIS TO LEARN HOW TO DIVE. TAKE A RUNNING JUMP AND FLOP RIGHT IN. AIM FOR THIS SPOT HERE!

