

WAR FLAME MAY COVER ALL EUROPE

First Week of Italian-Turk Struggle Favors the Former.

London, Oct. 7.—The first week of the war between Italy and Turkey closed with all the tricks thus far taken by the Italians.

Tripoli has fallen, an Italian force holds the coast of Cyrenaica, the Italian navy dominates the Mediterranean, the Adriatic and the Red Sea, menacing the ports of European Turkey and assuring the safe passage of the military expedition of 50,000 men that Italy is about to land in Tripoli to complete her conquest.

Turkey Is Helpless

Turkey remains inert and apparently helpless. She has seen the last remnant of the one-time great Ottoman empire in Africa torn from her grasp, practically without an effort to save it. Her internal divisions, threatened with revolt in her ever turbulent European provinces, surrounded on every hand by relentless foes, she remains plunged in apathy.

At the outbreak of the war grave fears were expressed in the capitals of Europe that a general European conflict might be provoked.

Italy's action in attacking Prevesa, a port in European Turkey, was bitterly resented by Austria, which threatened to take a hand in the dispute if Italian troops were landed in Albania. The storm was averted, however, by the decision of the Rome government to cease its operations in the Adriatic.

Would Seize Thessaly

The most disquieting news at present comes from Athens. One army corps of the Greek army has been mobilized and there is a feverish activity on the part of the Greek war department.

Turkey, helpless in Africa, is said to be willing to recoup herself by seizing Thessaly. Already 250,000 of the Sultan's troops are under arms and double this number are being mobilized.

Young Turks Active

A new ministry has been formed at Constantinople, but its stability is seriously doubted. The Young Turks are determined to seize full control of the government and are strenuously endeavoring to fan the war spirit of the nation for political purposes.

At present there is a lull in the storm, but it is impossible to forecast what the future holds. It is hardly too much to say that all Europe is holding its breath, fearful that before the sword is again sheathed the flame of war may have blazed from the Baltic to the Mediterranean.

TAFT FURNISHES SUBJECT FOR LEWIS LECTURE

President Taft has applied his legal learning on many occasions to great problems of history and economics. He has also freely expressed his views of Socialism. His published ut-

terances in these fields will furnish Arthur M. Lewis with the subject of his lecture at the Garrick Theater tomorrow afternoon at 8:30 o'clock.

The doors will be opened at 8 sharp. Subject: "The Economic, Historical and Socialist Theories of President Taft."

Caroline Van Name will provide the musical program, accompanied by Miss Austin. Meeting free.

THUNDER

"Cloudy and cooler tonight; Sunday, fair and slightly warmer; diminishing northeast winds by tonight, becoming light and variable Sunday." is the official forecast today.

The official temperature for the last 24 hours shows a maximum of 71 degrees and a minimum of 54 degrees.

Sunrise today, 5:54 a. m.; sunset today, 5:22 p. m.; moonset, 6:58 a. m.

CHICAGO SOCIALISTS!!!

The office of The Daily Socialist will be open until 10 o'clock tonight and tomorrow (Sunday) from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m. This gives you an opportunity to join in raising the amount due the landlord for back rent. The \$3812.89 must be raised AT ONCE.

IS IT TRIUMPH OR DISASTER?

With the sudden serving of the landlord's five-day notice on The Daily Socialist, you stand aghast at the realization of the perilous position of the paper. But we must not flinch—we cannot flinch. Like a glaring message written in letters of fire, this notice should burn itself into our minds and awake us to a consciousness of the work that is before us. Work that we should have done, but have left undone. It should spur us on to redeem ourselves with greater interest, greater effort and greater sacrifice. It is a gap—a chasm—which must be bridged by courageous hearts and willing hands, thrilled with the spirit of loyalty and devotion to a cause which gives inspiration and hope to a suffering humanity.

BE ALWAYS READY

Men and women belonging to the great working class rebellion must expect to meet with nerve-trying crises. In the struggle for the triumph of a revolutionary movement obstacles are but the stepping-stones to success. You have had many of them and there will be more of them. Just as the scorch of the flame hardens the steel for its work, these bitter obstacles try and test us and equip us for the responsibilities which come with the growth of the movement. If you become discouraged at the big trials and tribulations which are in your path, let your discouragement goad you on to better things. If you become disheartened at the "continual grind," let your discontent spur you on to greater efforts for the better day which is coming. If the troubles of the struggle worry you, let them worry you into accomplishment and achievement.

WHAT FOR?

After all, what are we fighting for? Can there ever be a fight without a bitter struggle? Can we ever hope to WIN without work, worry and sacrifice? If we are to dodge and cringe before the tasks which tax our loyalty and vitality, what do we mean by a revolutionary movement? If we honor the martyrs who suffered for humanity in the prison

cells, on the scaffold and before the bayonets, why should we shirk the duties which destiny calls us to fulfill?

Too much sacrifice? Do we ring true or are we playing a game of mock heroics?

THE VITAL ISSUE

The issue is plain before you—you who have established and supported this paper. You who own and want the paper. YOU, to whom it reflects the things you plan and the things you think—YOU must carry it forward and onward by the things you do.

In the midst of a judicial campaign, with the rumblings of the presidential campaign of 1912 already reaching our ears—with the capitalist press thundering its vilifications and abuse against Socialism and against Labor, can we afford, can YOU afford—can we DARE to be dumb and speechless, without a voice, without a press to strike back blow for blow?

You answer NO! So say we all. Then on to the rescue.

WHAT MUST BE DONE

The rent due the landlord has been demanded through a legal five-day notice. It must be met—if the Daily is to live. The Daily can not live if it will not be met; \$3,812.00 must be on hand for this purpose Oct. 10, or the lease is cancelled and the entire plant of the Daily is lost, five years of work and sacrifice scattered to the winds—the battery of the Socialist movement silenced—AND THIS ON THE VERY DAY THAT IT IS NEEDED MOST, WHEN THE MCMANARAS GO TO TRIAL.

A quick response from you, from every one of you. "For the want of a nail the shoe was lost," etc. For the want of your help the Daily will be lost.

Send in your "Rent Fund" remittance.

Don't hesitate—don't falter—don't waiver—don't wait—don't hang back. Join in the one mighty master stroke for Socialism and the Socialist press.

THE DEMAND

\$3812.89 **LANDLORD'S FIVE DAY NOTICE.** **Oct. 10th**

To WORKERS PUBLISHING SOCIETY

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED, that there is now due ME the sum of THIRTY EIGHT HUNDRED & TWELVE Dollars and 89 Cents, being rent for the premises situated in the City of Chicago, in Cook County, in the State of Illinois, and known and described as follows: THE FOUR STORY & BASEMENT BRICK & STONE BUILDING NUMBER 207 WEST WASHINGTON STREET (OLD NUMBERS 180 & 182 EAST WASHINGTON ST.)

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ROBERT L. NORTH is hereby authorized to receive said rent so due, for ME.

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THE ANSWER

\$500 Pledged by Garrick Audience

The Workers' University Society, which conducts the Arthur M. Lewis lectures in the Garrick Theater every Sunday afternoon, has issued a challenge to the landlord, and incidentally to the Socialists throughout the country, by pledging itself to raise \$500 of the amount due on rent, providing the remainder is raised by other friends of the paper. All money raised for this purpose will be used exclusively for the payment of the rent.

Special Rent Fund

Chicago Daily Socialist,
207 W. Washington Street, Chicago, Ill.

I enclose \$..... as a loan for the Special Rent Fund. This loan is to be returned to me on or before..... 19.....

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Chicago Daily Socialist,
207 W. Washington Street, Chicago, Ill.

I enclose \$..... as a donation to the special Rent Fund.

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Your Answer Should Be INSTANT ACTION! HURRY!

STRIKERS IN DEFENSE AS BIG RAILROADS PLAN U. S. PROSECUTIONS

Court Attack on Labor Will Affect Politics, Says Buckalew.

Legal batteries of the Union and Southern Pacific railroads are being trained on the system federation strikers for the purpose of invoking the Sherman anti-trust law to break the strike.

Take Like Action

That a course similar to that outlined by General Counsel Bluet Lee of the Illinois Central, which contemplates the seeking of indictments against labor officials connected with the strike, will be followed by the two great Harriman railroads is practically admitted.

Strike leaders do not fear the threatened prosecutions.

Vice President Julius Kruttschnitt of the Union and Southern Pacific roads in reply to queries as to what his superiors on the Harriman lines had decided, said:

"There is no branch of the law department of the Union and Southern Pacific roads located in Chicago. But the law department of the road in New York and elsewhere is carefully going over every phase of the strike situation and will take any and all steps which the law allows for safeguarding the interests of the roads."

Indicate Prosecutions

This statement, taken together with the admissions of the general counsel of the Illinois Central, added to the suppressed Shortwell telegram which predicted federal prosecution, and illumined by the statement of President Taft that he believes courts to reflect heavenly justice, indicate impending federal prosecutions.

It is characteristic of President Taft that when he is about to take some course which is foreordained to be unpopular, he seeks the most high-sounding phrases at his command to justify his policy.

Pretended Friendship

When the Taft injunctions broke the American Railway Union strike the language which accompanied the issuance of the order of the court was replete with Taft's belief in the right of the wage worker to better his lot.

"If the Sherman anti-trust law is to be used against the system federation, the sooner it is found out the better. Then the voters will send men to Congress to repeal the law."

Strikers Not Afraid

"We are not afraid of the Sherman anti-trust law. It was not intended to be used against labor, but if invoked by the federation and representing the workers to the best of my ability means going to jail, then I'm ready to go."

"I've been expecting some such move on the part of the company all along; but it's only a bluff," said Nelson Marman of the Brotherhood of Railway Carmen.

The answer given by the officials of the system federation to the Illinois Central's threat to have them indicted for conspiracy in restraint of trade under the Sherman anti-trust act was decisive.

Can't Convin

That a conviction for restraint of trade would be impossible, and that the law never was intended to be used against labor unions to break strikes was the unanimous opinion of all the strike officials.

J. D. Buckalew defied the company to begin the prosecution and said that it would be the costliest victory the Illinois Central ever won if they should succeed.

Step Switching Work

All switchmen employed on the road in other yards were ordered to report for duty at Fordham. There has been no switching done at any of the other yards since Tuesday afternoon. It is expected most of the switchmen will be laid off until the end of the strike.

The local service on the road has been demoralized by a lack of a sufficient number of engines to pull the trains. There are more than 100 engines in the yards at Burnside awaiting repairs before they can be used again.

In the meantime, it is reported, the company requested a loan of a few engines from the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern until the end of the strike. Had such a loan been made the Lake Shore shophmen would have demanded that they be returned or a strike would be immediately called.

DON'T FEAR INDICTMENTS

The spirit of the striking members of the Illinois Central System Federation and their brothers of the Harriman system toward proposed criminal prosecution under the Sherman anti-trust law is expressed by Vice President J. D. Buckalew of the International Association of Machinists. He says: "If the Sherman anti-trust law is to be used against the System Federation, the sooner it is found out the better. Then the voters will send men to Congress to repeal it. We are not afraid of the Sherman anti-trust law."

ROADS DETERMINED

The determination of the Union and Southern Pacific railroads to use the powers of the government against the strikers through the Sherman anti-trust law was admitted by Vice President Julius Kruttschnitt of the Union and Southern Pacific roads.

He said: "Our counsel are going into the legal problems involved in the strike of the System Federation very fully. Any and all means which the law affords us to safeguard our interests will be used."

the federal injunction which was granted in Jackson and which covers the whole state.

Following the indignant protests of citizens of the city against the railroad's sending thugs through the town in a special train and against sending of troops at the behest of the railroad, Governor Noel of Mississippi sent word to Chicago asking arbitration of the strike issues.

It is generally conceded that President Charles H. Markham of the Illinois Central, who headquarters is in Chicago, will claim that there is nothing to arbitrate.

Strike Breakers Quit

Telegrams from Memphis state that 400 strike breakers have quite the shops there because they are tired of the food and the tyranny of the railroad guards.

The Southern Pacific and the Texas Central roads have posted notices in their New Orleans shops that after Monday they will operate an open shop road.

The employees now on strike are given till that date to return to work. This effort will not, however, break the strike.

Despite official statements given out by the Union and Southern Pacific railroads to the effect that traffic on both roads is normal and that their shops are being operated at a normal rate, the facts are that the roads are badly crippled because of equipment, which is in need of repair, and is not receiving attention because of the inefficiency of the present shop forces.

It is not generally known that the car builders on the Illinois Central are divided between two unions, the Brotherhood of Railway Carmen and the International Association of Car Workers, and it is important to remember that it is the Brotherhood of Railway Carmen which is striking and the International Association of Car Workers which so far has remained at work.

Whether the association of car workers will also strike will be determined by the convention of the American Federation of Labor at Atlanta, Ga.

BURGLARS BUSY, WITH POLICE AT BURNSIDE IDLE

Residents of Hyde Park, Woodlawn and Kensington are suffering from a lack of adequate police protection because so many patrolmen have been taken off their beats and sent to Burnside to create a public impression that the strikers are violent.

While parts of the city which should be protected from burglars and pickpockets are left unguarded, a force of 300 patrolmen has been stationed at Burnside where they are not needed.

So many patrolmen have been taken off their beats to aid the railroad that many districts are practically unguarded at night and day.

Residents of Woodlawn and Kensington have been the chief sufferers, according to the number of complaints made to the police department. Several petty burglaries and robberies have occurred in the wealthy part of the city, where such occurrences were unknown except in cheap hotels.

The night force of policemen especially has been greatly diminished and the robbers take advantage of their absence.

COURTS LIKE HEAVEN, SAYS PRESIDENT TAFT

Pogonillo, Idaho, Oct. 7.—President Taft here bitterly assailed the critics of the United States Supreme Court and asserted anew his views as to the relations of government to business.

"I love judges and I love courts," said the president. "They are my ideals on earth that typify what we shall see afterward in heaven under a just God. And when a court is doing its duty, when it is trying to interpret the law as it ought to be, to have it condemned and attacked and its motive questioned for mere political purposes without any solid ground for such a step goes to my heart and I resent it with deep indignation."

DEFENSE LEAGUE MEETS

The Political Refugee Defense League of Chicago will meet Monday, Oct. 9 at 8 p. m. at Hull House, corner Dearborn and Halsted streets. All resolutions are requested to be ready. An urgent appeal is made to all individuals who are maintaining the right of citizens in this country to attend this meeting.

POLITICAL REFUGEE DEFENSE LEAGUE OF CHICAGO

LAUDS GIRL WHO BRAVED ARREST TO AID STRIKE

Becky Fisher, of Cleveland, Is Compared to Barbara Fritchie.

By United Press. Washington, Oct. 7.—Comparing her to Barbara Fritchie and proclaiming her one of the most notable heroines of the present day, the American Federation of Labor today issued a tribute to Becky Fisher, a 17-year-old girl, who has been arrested thirty-nine times during the strike of garment workers in Cleveland, as follows: "For fifteen weeks six thousand members of the International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union have been on strike in Cleveland, Ohio. Two thousand of the strikers are women and girls and no advance movement has been made or more self-sacrificing exponents than the girl strikers who are now fighting for the very life of their loved ones in the home city of John D. Rockefeller.

Spirit of Girls Undaunted "Hounded by the private detectives and sluggers of the various employers, driven from the streets and arrested by the city police, the women have maintained the picket line, and with undaunted spirit continue the fight for living wages, reasonable hours of labor and industrial freedom. "Even the spectre of the jail, with all its attendant horrors for frail women, has not kept them from responding to the call of duty, and scores of them are arrested daily for attempting to exercise the rights of American citizens. "Humiliating and mortifying trips in

the patrol, abuse at the hands of bullies, private detectives and city police, and even confinement in vile cages in station houses, have all failed to break the spirit of the strikers, and the battle is being waged with undiminished vigor and marvelous courage. There can only be one ending for such a conflict, and that a complete victory for the strikers.

Arrested Thirty-Nine Times "Becky Fisher has been arrested thirty-nine times in eleven weeks and driven in the patrol to the station house, because she refused to surrender her right to talk to her fellow workers and try to persuade them not to take the places of strikers and help unscrupulous employers to defeat honest toilers.

"She has been insulted and abused by those who should have been her protectors. Becky has never flinched. Released from vile dungeons, she has always hastened back to the scene of the fray to succor and cheer her fellow unionists.

Compared to Barbara Fritchie "She has a horror of the police, the patrol wagon and the jail, but her union is as sacred to her as was Old Glory to Barbara Fritchie, and fear is an unknown quantity," to this little girl when she is fighting for her loved union and the cause it represents.

The strikers want a fifty-four-hour week instead of a seventy-five-hour week, the abolition of the sub-contract system, the charge of 25 cents a day for the use of the machines, and many other obnoxious conditions.

WORKINGMAN GETS \$12,000 AFTER TWO-YEAR FIGHT

Carl Ferguson, a structural iron worker, who was injured while working on the Crane Company building at 14th place and Canal street August 11, 1909, agreed to accept an offer of \$12,000, which the company offered after the case came up in Judge Kavanaugh's court.

Frank Dahl, R. A. Cook and John Green appeared as witnesses for Ferguson. After his side was heard, the case against the company being a clear one, they offered to settle for \$12,000. Ferguson fell from the fifth story of the Crane building after being given the wrong signal by the foreman. One leg is four inches shorter than the other.

HAVE EXCELLENT PROGRAM FOR ENTERTAINMENT TONIGHT

A free entertainment will be given by the Fourteenth ward branch tonight at Nelson hall, corner of Robey street and Chicago avenue.

The program will be rendered by professional people and will consist of a vocal solo, "Constancy," by Miss Willie Duane Thomas; "The Call," a dialogue, by Terrance Vincent and Miss Thomas; a recitation entitled "The Telephone Romance," by Miss Thomas, and a vocal solo by Terrance Vincent.

GAMBLERS DEFTY MAYOR AND CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

"You can't scare the gamblers by a police investigation," said one man, old in the gambling profession. "We've never yet seen a police investigation that wasn't a bluff, and we've no reason so far to think this one is on the square."

The vice trust and gamblers are openly defying the mayor and the city civil service commission. Houses closed for a time at the beginning of the police quiz are now open as wide as ever, and the order of Chief McWeeny that no unscrupulous women be permitted in the downtown resorts is openly disregarded.

Teaching Thrift to Boys and Girls

The young man or young woman cannot learn too early in life the lesson of how money grows with the accumulation of interest. It is the semi-annual payment of interest that encourages a boy or girl to be more thrifty and saving. The receipt of interest money is a genuine object lesson that will repay the self-denial of little luxuries that can be easily dispensed with. A dollar in pocket or in secret hiding place remains only 100 cents. Put a dollar a month in the Security Bank and in one year it is \$1.19. In five years it is \$1.97. In ten years, \$3.48. Call today at Security Bank at Chicago, 11 W. Cor. Milwaukee Ave. and Carpenter St., and you will receive any information desired with reference to savings accounts. If out of town, write for free literature. NOTE: The Second Security Bank, Milwaukee Western Ave., opens on or about Nov. 1st.

OPEN FIRST MUNICIPAL COMFORT STATION IN CITY

The first municipal public comfort station in the city of Chicago is now open to the public in the city hall, at the corner of Washington and La Salle streets.

It has one of the most finely furnished lavatories in the United States, all the latest sanitary arrangements having been introduced. Everything is free, including the attendance of salaried civil service employees. This public comfort station fills a long felt want for men, women and children.



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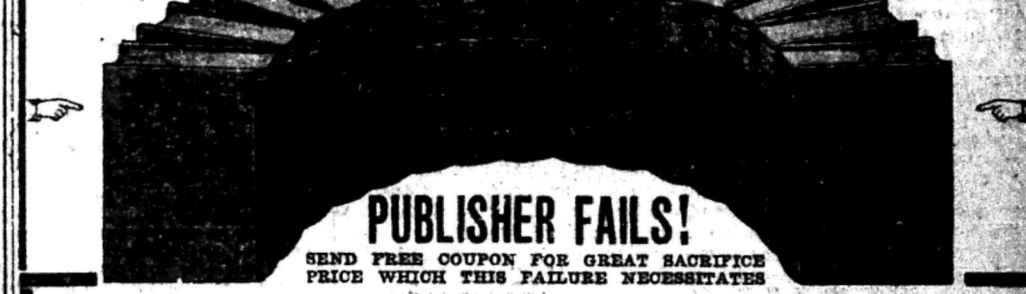
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Read About This Wonder Country

Advertisement for Canada featuring 'A CITY BUILT ON A GOLD MINE', 'RAILROAD SPIKE', 'HOW BIG MONEY IS MADE IN CANADA', and 'A TRAIN LOAD OF MONEY'. It describes the completion of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railroad and the investment opportunities in the new towns.

New Grand Trunk Pacific Towns Pay Big Profits to Investors

CANADA—the land which has paid such enormous profits to its pioneers, is about to make its one last and greatest bid for investment. When this chance is gone there will be no more times like the days when Calgary jumped from 4,000 to 40,000 population and sent values of \$150 to \$500 town lots up to \$1,000, \$5,000, \$10,000 and on the luckiest corners to \$30,000. But this same kind of opportunity is alive right now for those who act quickly. The new Grand Trunk Pacific Railroad is pushing its way into this great last west. It is opening up a territory wider far than any other section of Canada and which will soon be settled by the hosts of good American and Canadian families who are making their way to this tremendous wealthy country by the hundreds of thousands. Directly on the main line of the registered right of way of this new railroad is the new townsite of

Fort Fraser, B. C.

The site of Fort Fraser has long been famous for its natural advantages. For more than one hundred years it has been a great trading post, made so by its easy accessibility by land and water. Yet it has had no chance to grow—it lacked the railroad. But now the Grand Trunk Pacific grading camps are within two miles of Fort Fraser and the boom in real estate is already beginning to show itself. Streets are being laid out; buildings planned and the advance guard of pioneer investors are seeking to locate the lots which will be worth fortunes in the future. In 1913, perhaps within a year, the railroad will begin to run its trains into Fort Fraser, and the rising tide of prices will commence to bring its golden reward for those who are wise enough to get in before the rush. How great will be the advance in prices can be judged by

What Other Towns Have Done

Advertisement listing the success of other towns: Prince Rupert, B. C. (210 miles from Fort Fraser, population 4,000 in 1901, now 40,000); Calgary, Alta. (4,000 people in 1901, now 40,000); Edmonton, Alta. (500 miles from Fort Fraser, population 2,000 in 1901, now 20,000); Vancouver, B. C. (one of the older British Columbia towns, population 150,000).

SANTAL MIDY advertisement for bladder ailments, claiming relief in 24 hours.

THE CHICAGO PROGRESSIVE PREPARATORY SCHOOL advertisement listing subjects like shorthand, typewriting, and commercial arithmetic.

STATE DENTISTS advertisement for dental services.

EMBLEMS advertisement for societies, listing various medals and emblems.

Union Made Beer advertisement for Ale and Porter.

CLASSIFIED advertisement for various services and goods.

DEMAND THIS LABEL ON YOUR ENGRAVINGS advertisement for I.P.E.U. Chicago Photo-Engravers Union No. 5.

ALLIED PRINTING advertisement for trades union label council, Chicago, Ill.

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Socialists of America, you have looked upon Chicago from afar. You have not understood and we can not tell you all in words.

There are low rumbles of the coming storm. A thousand scurrying leaves on the crest of the wind indicate its direction.

For five years we have been building our great daily newspaper, the one fort which is sufficient to repel the attacks of the enemy.

We are besieged within that fort today. It is as strong as ever. We can fire more deadly volleys than ever.

It is for the Socialists of America to heed this call and send the reinforcements.

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McCarthy Administration Repudiated; Not a Defeat for Organized Labor

From The Citizen, Owned and Conducted by the Labor Unions of Southern California.

P. H. McCarthy and his administration went down to defeat in the San Francisco primary election Tuesday.

It was not a defeat for union labor only for the McCarthy administration. The Times is chortling over the overthrow of the McCarthy rule and is attempting to use it as a warning to the people of Los Angeles.

It is attempting to show that the people of San Francisco tried a labor administration and found it entirely wanting.

Now, while The Citizen believes that P. H. McCarthy is an honest, sincere and energetic union labor leader, it never did believe that his political program was a sound or satisfactory one.

It was out of line with the fundamental and dominating lines of the labor movement.

It was an attempt to accomplish the impossible, in conducting a workers' administration along capitalistic party lines.

It was an attempt to apply obsolete machine methods to a distinctively progressive democratic and Socialistic movement.

The result was an alienation of the progressive elements—the elements which serve as the leaven, preservative and propellant of any movement.

John Graham Brooks recently contrasted conditions in Milwaukee and Butte with those in San Francisco. He showed that in the former cities the administrations were eminently satisfactory.

In Milwaukee and Butte the elected officials were elected on progressive Socialist platforms and are actuated by that indispensable asset, class consciousness.

Class-consciousness does not mean the fostering of classism, the building of a class despotism, but the recognition of the vital fact that classes exist and that the interests of the working class are the paramount social interests and can not be served by capitalistic methods or measures.

It insists that the vital social interests take precedence over all personal and partisan interests.

The movement in Los Angeles—back of Job Harriman and his colleagues—is a pure class conscious working class political movement.

The men on this ticket were placed there solely by the workers.

The platform upon which they stand is the expression of the purest working class ideas.

They are men whose class consciousness has been thoroughly tested in the fiercest fires of the class struggle.

When they are elected they will go into office not to "do politics" but to do the will of the people explicitly expressed in a plain platform, impossible of evasion or misconstruction.

The defeat of the McCarthy administration does not mean the overthrow, but the emancipation, of union labor in San Francisco.

It is not a warning against the failure of a labor administration, but an assurance that they are on the right track—that only by severing all entangling alliances with capitalistic methods, measures and interests can the interests of labor be served.

Some of us say that craft-unionism lead to Socialism. Others hold that it stops short of the goal and content themselves by securing for their members a living wage, indifferent to the welfare of the rest of the people.

That at the most craft unionism can only keep up an eternal conflict between the owning and working classes.

Here is ground for honest difference and a fair, dispassionate discussion of the merits of the proposition will lead to a solution.

Some of us hold that such a plan is not feasible; that it is not the most efficient method.

Here also is room for honest difference.

Some of us hold, and the number is steadily growing, that Socialism in its broad and inclusive aspect (nothing short of that can satisfy the human heart) can only be attained by getting control, in an orderly and constitutional way, of the lawmaking and law-interpreting and law-executing organs of society—in short, of government for the purpose of abolishing the private class ownership of the means of production, and thus freeing the workers, once for all, from the tributes they must pay to the owning class for the privilege to live.

It is through the private ownership of the means of production, and only through that, that a small class can and does exploit the workers of the world.

There is no ground for conflict between these divisions of the working class. On the contrary, there are many points of agreement which should be emphasized in order to bring us clearer and closer together.

Unity of purpose rather than uniformity of methods is the vital force of progress—that is to say, equality of opportunity for all—will come sooner or later, but we can hasten the day of its triumph by helping to educate the masses and by inspiring them with a well grounded faith in the unending progress of humanity.

THE PARTY FORUM

PINELAND HAS AMENDMENT To the Editor: Local Pineland, Florida, has proposed an amendment to article 3 of the national party constitution as follows:

"Section 2.—No person professing or practicing free love shall be eligible to any national party office."

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practicing rape shall be eligible to any national party office.

"Sec. 9.—No person professing or practicing wife beating shall be eligible to any national party office."

"Sec. 10.—No person professing or practicing riot shall be eligible to any national party office."

"Sec. 11.—The Socialist party specialty prohibits all acts or doctrines to which it is opposed, and persons professing or practicing objectionable, illegal or immoral doctrines not herein enumerated shall be eligible to all national or party offices until such time as the party shall embody a special provision in this constitution making them ineligible to hold such offices."

The above is not altogether a joke. Any local which would propose or second the amendment proposed by Local Pineland might reasonably be expected to propose the above amendments.

Yours for common sense, O. F. BRANSETTER.

DISTURBING ELEMENT To the Editor: There is a disturbing element in the United Mine Workers in this state that is bending every energy to defeat Duncan McDonald for re-election to the office of secretary-treasurer of the Illinois miners.

Those who would have him defeated are not satisfied to leave the matter of electing officers for the organization to an unbiased judgment of the membership, but they are working like a thief at night, under the cover of darkness, resorting to all kinds of lies to accomplish their heinous ends.

There is little danger that McDonald will be defeated, and I am not writing this for the purpose of soliciting votes nor nominations for him.

If the Illinois miners do not want him to serve, then in an official capacity that is their business, and I now anyone else has a right to interfere.

And if the membership of the organization were not molested with the presence of self-aggrandizers and character assassins there would be no need of spending a moment's time on this subject.

And were the fight against McDonald one of principle I should gladly let it take its course. But that is not the case. It received its birth when the searchlight was cast upon the paths of some who owe their popularity, such as it is, to some accident.

It is natural that those who have been divorced from the district pick-counter seek revenge, but they should at least possess the decency to remain within the limits of truth.

The secret war against McDonald is due to the fact that he has a mind of his own, and on several occasions has uncovered the work of some who have hung like leeches on the organization, and have not been elected by the rank and file, either.

Those who are familiar with the proceedings of conventions of the U. M. W. of A. in the last few years will recall the herculean efforts that were put forth to keep the rank and file from discovering some dark and shady paths that had been tread in the organization. And why should they not seek the removal of McDonald?

He has stood, is yet standing, in the way of the spoils. McDonald is their arch-devil and must become their victim.

President Walker in several articles has warned us against the fanatical impossibility. I confess that the impossibility is a danger. Not that he is dishonest, but because of his suicidal tactics.

But a thousand times rather would I stake my destiny with the impossibility than with the reactionary disturber, whose only purpose is to promote his personal welfare. The impossibility is honest and has little hope for immediate material gain. But the reactionist—well, "ADOLPH GERMER."

ECONOMY All Socialist papers won't lie about news. But no Socialist paper is financially able to maintain special correspondents in Washington, Los Angeles and the storm centers of working class activity.

But the national executive committee can keep all Socialist and labor papers supplied with Socialist news at a cost very little above that needed to keep only one paper supplied. W. S.

FUSE, COMRADES, FUSE To the Editor: The controversy between Comrades Deba, Bentall, the present editor of The Socialist et al., is interesting. No doubt it also is necessary, our tempers being what they are, but I am quite sure that the same space devoted to a clear exposition of the meaning and demands of Socialism, the purpose and demands of craft unionism and industrial economy, would bring better results.

The controversies are largely personal and weaken and confuse the real issues.

What is the heart of Socialism? It teaches that the resources of nature are inexhaustible; that human energy applied to the raw material freely furnished by nature produces all the real wealth mankind possesses, and that it easily could and would produce enough for all if it possessed the means of production used arbitrarily, though legally, owned by a small class.

It holds that such the workers col-

SOCIALIST NEWS from EVERYWHERE



TOLLERS BETTER STATESMEN THAN ARISTOCRATIC RULERS

New York, N. Y.—The following appeared in the New York World: Italian Socialists, who include 329,000 voters and an unknown number of non-voters, threaten a general strike if the government persists in its plan for the conquest of Tripoli.

German Socialists and others to the number of more than 100,000 gathered in Treptow Park, Berlin, on Sept. 3, to protest against the German Imperial policy of threatening war in Morocco to secure concessions in Africa.

The workmen of Barcelona, Spain, rose in fierce riots in 1909 as a protest against the Riff war, in which Spain was prodigally wasting men and treasure for the benefit of a few exploiting mine owners.

Germany's African possessions have been only an expense to her, costing \$130,000,000 in a single little aggressive war on natives and producing nothing. Tripoli costs Turkey much more than it brings her in revenue or trade. Spain clings at heavy cost to a corner of Africa mainly to soothe her grandees' pride because Britain keeps Gibraltar.

The workmen of Europe in opposing war are better statesmen than their aristocratic rulers. They learn their statesmanship in the hard school of experience. They pay the taxes. They furnish the "cannot-food." Europe will be happier and wiser when her governments pay heed to them.

WOMAN LECTURER WILL TOUR ILLINOIS FOR THIRD TIME

Ethel L. Edelson, who has met with decided success in all towns in which she has lectured, will leave Chicago for her third tour of Illinois. She has accomplished a great deal in building up the Illinois movement, many locals asking for her return. Her last tour resulted in a profit of more than \$40 to the state. Following are her dates: October 7 and 8, Lincoln; 8, South Wilmington; 11, Marseilles; 12, Ottawa; 12, Bradley; 14, Kankakee; 15 to 12, Streator and La Salle County; 21 to 22, Ladd and Bureau County; 29, Keokuk; 30, Galva; 31, Sherrard.

NOMINATE FULL TICKET IN STATE OR ARIZONA

Phoenix, Ariz.—A full ticket was nominated by the Socialists in convention here, headed by P. W. Galentine of Globe, for governor. Other candidates nominated were: Secretary of state, G. H. Newsholme; state auditor, J. L. Milton; state treasurer, J. D. Martin; attorney general, J. N. Morrison; superintendent of education, William Moore Clayden; for judges of the Superior Court, William Sherman Crowe, Robert L. Morton, and Fred G. White; corporation commissioners, John Kelley, A. Charles Smith, and W. H. McCormick; for representative, John Halberg.

NOMINATE FOURTH COUNTY TICKET IN NEW MEXICO

Santa Fe, N. M.—The Socialists of San Juan county have nominated the following ticket, this being the fourth Socialist county ticket to be in the field in New Mexico:

For representative, William McRee; county clerk, A. J. Frits; assessor, Joseph Hill; treasurer, Charles E. Cuttings; probate judge, S. O. Kingrey; sheriff, Hector McEae; superintendent schools, Lizzie M. Holmes; commissioners second district, Fred Scrivner; third district, Sam Rush; surveyor, H. B. Long.

POLL BIG VOTE AT WATERBURY; OLD PARTIES RECEIVE SCORE

Waterbury, Conn.—The influence of Socialism defeated William B. Hotchkiss, Republican, for mayor here, who lost by 240 votes to Francis T. Reeves, Democrat. Had the Socialist party with its nearly 1,100 votes polled what it expected, 1,500, it would have buried the entire Republican ticket.

The Socialists, whose ticket was headed by Frank O. Pilgrim for mayor, made a vigorous campaign. Their ticket was endorsed by many of the labor unions.

ANOTHER TOWN HAS TICKET IN FIGHT FOR SOCIALISM

Gallon, O.—Complete city and township tickets were put in the field by the local Socialists. Fred W. Hahn heading the ticket as candidate for mayor. The full ticket is as follows: Mayor, Fred W. Hahn; auditor, Henry E. Zimmerman; treasurer, Theodore H. Poister; councilmen, first ward, William A. Plummer; second ward, John Poister; third ward, Charles W. Foltz; fourth ward, W. G. Ernst; councilmen at large, E. E. Blaise; John E. Roelle, Fred W. Quigley; assessors, first ward, G. M. Ellis; second ward, F. H. Marshman; third ward, H. G. McVey; fourth ward, A. R. Rusk.

Township ticket: Trustees, T. W. Cole, H. I. Grubbaugh, W. D. Stewart; clerk, D. W. Heffelfinger; treasurer, Fred C. Cline; justice of the peace, Levi Ricker, John Bowers; assessor, Carl Ertter.

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THAT'S WHY 'T WAS CHEAP.



Jorkins—How did you ever come into possession of such a cheap-looking umbrella as that? Dorkins—Why, I got this umbrella in a very peculiar way. I bought it!

THEIR FIRST TASTE

She—Poor Cousin Jack! And to be eaten by those wretched cannibals! He—Yes, my dear child; but he gave them their first taste in religion.—London Opinion.

A CAT-NIP

Harold had rescued the family cat from the well. Covered with green moss and water, he rushed to his mother with the declaration: "Ma, I got the cat out by the stem."—Christian Advocate.

WORDS

"How about that airship?" "It went up in smoke." "Burned, eh?" "Oh, no. Made an ascension in Pittsburg."—Toledo Blade.

Mudslinging at Foreigners

Shallow minded editors of flamboyant little newspapers frequently get off trades about foreigners who "show a lack of appreciation of American Institutions" by participating in some Socialist meeting or parade. The Fort Wayne News furnishes a fair sample in the following:

"The Socialists of Boston, marching to Faneuil hall the other day, trailed the American flag on the dirt of the streets. Practically all of those taking part in this disgraceful demonstration were newly arrived aliens, who could not yet speak the English language, and their action was thoroughly expressive of their estimate of our American institutions. Utterly ungrateful for the haven here afforded them, they celebrate their newborn freedom by seeking to tear down and destroy the very government that has extended to them a helping hand and fostering care. They are snakes."

The facts are that the flag referred to was lowered for a moment to readjust it on the staff, but that is not important here. The striking point is that only when aliens declare themselves Socialists do such papers as the Fort Wayne News howl about "appreciation of American Institutions."

We could agree with the News that there are many foreigners coming to our shores who do not appreciate the American institutions, but they are not the Socialists. They are the ones who, fleeing from political oppression and the greater evils of capitalism in their own countries, come to America and instead of keeping up the fight for liberty ally themselves with the parties of reaction.

Every foreigner who comes to America ought to be a Socialist. He ought to see that these American institutions can be easily used to bring about a still greater freedom. Having gained more freedom than he had in his own country, the foreigner should not be content here, but should be willing to help the American working man carry on the struggle for still more liberty. Every foreigner who joins the old political parties of this country shows himself utterly inappreciative of American institutions.