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Victor L. Berger Continues his Review of A. F. of L. Convention

THE RECORD OF THE YEAR.

Eugene V. Debs' Summing up, which he sent the N. Y. World

HE greatest achievement of the year in the field of Socialist agitation was the International Socialist Congress, held in Amsterdam, the largest and by far the most important in the history of the international Socialist movement,

Every civilized nation on the globe was represented upon the basis of universal equality and fraternity, to which the international

movement is irrevocably pledged.

One of the dramatic and inspiring scenes was the hand-clasp and brotherhood greeting exchanged between the representatives of Russia

This Congress is the bona fide Peace Congress, since there can be no eace as long as industrial exploitation and commercial piracy animate

and dominate the nations of the earth. These, and these alone, are responsible for modern warfare and all its unspeakable crimes and As long as these continue, larger armies and more powerful navies

will be the demand and all pretensions to establish peaceful relations between nations essentially at war with each other for commercial supremacy, will be delusions born of hypocrisy and entirely consistent with a system that dare not avow responsibility for its own war-inciting regime.

Economic conquest must cease before peace can prevail.

The international Socialist movement is based upon the principle of economic freedom and equality, applied to all the nations of the earth, and the triumph of this principle will realize the long hoped-for "Peace on Earth and Good Will toward Men."

In this great world movement the real leaders are the rank and file of the working class, and the men who distinguish themselves by the services they render in the conspicuous positions assigned them, are simply the voices of the revolutionary host of labor and are of special value or importance only in proportion to the fidelity with which they discharge their obligations to their constituents.

Among these valiant spirits, Bebel of Germany, Jaures of France, Ferri of Italy, and others have served with such exceptional brilliancy

and success during the year just closed as to add fresh laurels to the movement and increase the lustre of their own well-earned fame.

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RUSSIA IN JAPAN! MORE PERSECUTION!

As we stated in the last issue, the garden party at Takinokawa was dissolved by the authorities. It was quite a surprise to us because the party was meant to be a perfectly innocent one, having not in the least any political meaning. All the friends of paper looked forward to the day with great pleasure as a day of refreshment among the beautiful maple trees. That it was not a political demonstration could easily have been seen from the fact that many women and children were welcomed. Some dramatic performances women and children were welcomed. Some dramatic performances and comical processions were prepared. But the authorities, getting more and more nervous, could not be generous enough to let these things pass unnoticed. Several tens of policemen were distributed in the new proposed of Takinokawa in order to prohibit our friends from ga, g there. Two or three hundred of them returned home disappointed, and the rest assembled in the Heimin-shate take some refreshments. But even this place was not a refuge. Police new came again and ordered us to disperse. We at let, went to Hibira Park and, selecting a good spot, we made preparation to have our picture taken as a meniorial of the day. Just at the moment when the photographer was going to snap the camera policemen appeared again in order to stop it by force. We shouted, "Banzal?" for socialists several times and at last returned home.

On the 16th inst. our comrade Nishikawa was called to the kojimachi police headquarters and was told that the Minister of the

kojimachi police headquarters and was told that the Minister of the Interior has given an order to dissolve the Socialist Association because it is considered detrimental to public peace. This Association has been in existence for the past six years, and has done much for the cause of socialism. Alas! Its name will be remembered

only as a historical fact!

As our readers were informed by the last issue, the sale of our paper issued on the 6th inst. was prohibited by the authorities. And at the same time, the editors, Kotoku and Nishikawa, were accused by the Chief of the Metropolitan Police of having violated our Con-stitution. The court was held on the 15th inst, in which Kotoku and Nishkawa appeared to defend themselves without being acimpanied by a lawyer. The lobby was packed. Both Kotoku and Nishikawa explained their own principles succinctly, believing that they were well understood by the judges. But on the 19th inst. Kotoku and Nishikawa were sentenced each to five months' imprisonment and to pay a fine of fifty ven. Moreover, the publication of our paper was stopped. Kotoku and Nishikawa appealed to the higher court, and we do not know what the result will be.

It is true hat we are financially suffering a loss every time that persecution comes, but as our friends and readers are rendering pecuniary help constantly, we believe we can continue our movement without much difficulty. The blood of martyrs has even been good nourishment for the seeds of any great cause.—Heimin Shimbun, (Japanese Weekly), Tokyo, Nov. 27.

Lawson's disclosures seem at least | course not. The police are employed o have added fuel to the tre for to detect and suppress crime, not to surance business. Men wise in the science of insurance say the lay is not many down years off when cheap insurance will have to be abandoned, because of the increasing inability of the reinvestment of the wast accumulations in the treasurance, it is evident that the gambling profits was the record for but one of the wast accumulations in the treasurance of the big companies, and contains the department of capitalist. government supervision of the in- commit it! quies of the big companies, and con-sequently the increasing difficulty of making that money bring in the increase that successful insurance

The presence of numerous houses prostitution in the cities of the sm already has destroyed homes.

for that much!

One thing ought to be rather ap-parent to the American people by higher up the rottener. Blame capitalism, not the individual.

Dean Wickham of England says "Hunger is at bottom a blessing, It Where in Dante's Inferno is there untry is an evidence that capital-calls out men's faculties. It is the so hellish a proposition as that! But a already has destroyed homes. law of life." It may be the law of then, the capitalist system wasn't life under the capitalist system, but supposed to rale in that realm. "Right or wrong, give Debs credit we are willing to wager our last for at least two qualities—ability summer's straw hat that the dean and sincerity," says the Spokane Daily Chronicle, Well, thanks, even cinc, but manages to see that his Berlin and the pastor, who was a

this time, that there is a vast the Social-Democrats are in a peramount of rottenness and false mor-petual campaign and that now that ality in business circles. And the election is over they are at it again gher up the rottener. Blame cap-alism, not the individual. with renewed zeal. Old partyworkers have to be paid to work and then swindle those that pay them, where-as a large fraction of our work is

Starvation in the midst of plenty

The German Kaiser was present recently at a church dedication in own stomach is always well lined. Lutheran, scored atheism and Catholicism and it is reported that the German ruler expressed displeasure A thing that is giving the capitalist press the cold shivers is that as showing how much the Kaiser depends on the good will of the Catholic church in his fight on So cialism.

Evidently some of the plute pa There are workingmen working half time, and no time, and slowly starving and even committing suicide. But what of it, their "representatives" in the Civic Federation are not worried about life, nor are they driven to suicide. Moreover, what does it matter if labor goes hungry, when these sleek fellows are stuffing their stomachs at the bandard of the interval of the cartalists of the cartalists. The wonders where it's to end, and it is stuffing their stomachs at the bandard of the cartalists. pers themselves see through the

Purposely Published for Propaganda.

LTHOUGH the convention was held in the distant city of San Francisco there were, nevertheless, 275 delegates present, representing no less than 1,558,000 mem ers. The total membership of the American Federation of Labor is 1,736,000, according to the secretary's report. Most of the Central Labor

unions of the large cities were not represented at all, for the reason that they could not afford the expense of sending delegates such a great distance. But the system of representation in vogue in the A. F. of L. is such that the large national and international unions are virtually the only ones which count. The absence of delegates from the Central Labor bodies of the large cities, therefore, was little felt, except that the socialistic element of the convention was thus considerably weakened.

The San Francisco com ntion was, in general, only a rehash of previous conventions; the only bright spot being the adoption of a resolution fixing an assessment for three weeks of one cent per week for each member of the Federation for the support of the striking textile workers of Fall River, Mass. This trifling assessment will not the sum of \$17,-363 a week, or \$52,089 in three weeks, according to the present membership of the A. F. of L .- a further proof of the immense power that might be wielded by the Federation of Labor, if its leaders were classconscious, more sensible, and less egotistic.

One point of difference between the 'Frisco convention and previous ones was the fact that the reactionary element in control of the Federation was better organized than ever before. Samuel Gompers is certainly a good trades-union politician, and although a cigar-maker by trade, an excellent machine builder by profession. Nor can it be denied that he es a great deal of cunning, despite his vanity and bombastic ora-It must also be conceded that the erstwhile humble English eigarmaker has developed intellectually in no small degree. And in years past he has done some good strokes for the benefit of the labor movement. His success, however, has puffed him up and turned his head-it seems to have come to him quite unexpectedly. He takes an insane pride in the fact that the big capitalists and captains of industry con-descendingly pat him on the back. When he spoke at Valejo, during the excursion to Marc Island, he took great pains to inform the world what good friends he and President McKinley had been and what great chums he and President Roosevelt are now. It is really wonderful what influence Gompers has at Washington; almost as much as that great negro, Booker T. Washington! 'The latter's lunch seemed to go a reat deal further, however, for the Southern states are in danger of losing a goodly number of congressional seats in consequence of their disfranchise ment of the negroes. Gompers, on the other hand, who has also had lunch once in the White House and been patted on the back as a harmonizer for the last twenty years, has not even succeeded in getting a paltry eight-hour bill passed,

Far be from me to condemn Samuel Compers because he is not a A man, even a workingman, may be honest to the backbone and even highly intelligent, and yet not believe in Socialism as a system of social philosophy. Some men are such pronounced individualists that anarchism or a similar doctrine appeals to them more strongly than Socialism, even though such a doctrine be absolutely impossible of realization in the next phase of human civilization. We will not quarrel about this. Such a man, however, if he is honest and not a self-seeker and endowed with common sense, will not oppose any proposition which aims at ameliorating the condition of the working class and which is in line with the oconomic and political development of society and, indeed, inevitable. Yet Compers has not only invariably apposed such measures, but in recent years has frequently given the impression of having acted the traitor, or at least of having tried to act as one. It is not surprising, therefore, that in radical circles, especially among Socialists, he has often been accused of being a traitor to the cause of labor. The writer of this article has never thus far accused him of this; but I say in all candor that his actions often could not be much different had he been paid by the capitalist class instead of the workingmen.

Gompers completely rates the conventions of the A. F. of L. His word is law and any proposition which does not meet the approval of the "administration," that is, of the "old man," has little chance of being adopted. Sam Gompers is an excellent chairman; whatever this, Such a man, however, if he is bonest and not a self-seeker and

ing adopted. Sam Gompers is an excellent chairman: whatever may be said against him, this raust be conceded. He has the power of may be said against him, this raust be conceded. He has the power of keeping in check the turbulent elements of the convention without in the least curtailing the freedom of speech—as a rule, he gives even the Socialists full opportunity to voice their opinions, although he does not conceal dis deep-rooted dislike of them and takes delight in displaying socialists full opportunity to voice their spinials, attack the social dis deep-rooted dislike of them and takes delight in displaying it. But on the other hand he openly uses his power as chairman of the convention and president of the Federation to defeat anything savoring of Socialism. In fighting the Socialists he frequently loses his self-control and usual equipose of temper and he becomes violent in expression and malicious in action. And the majority of his "boys"—the general organizers and camp followers—are never more delighted than when Gompers "kills" the Socialists. The American Federation of Labor is a very loose organization, giving expression to its opinions but once every giving expression to its opinions but once every. In the interim the Federation exists merely. on paper, as each national union possesses autonomy. All that remains is the President and the Secretary, for even the executive council meets only at long intervals. The prestige and power which Gompers wields, therefore, may be easily comprehended.

To make a long story short, his is a light that blazes up off and

on but does not illuminate. Sam Gompers may be characterized as the "will-o-the-wisp" of the American labor movement. Woe to us if we follow it into the swamp of capitalist politics and into the mire of cap

In n,y next article I will try to give a sketch of the convention and its personnel, which will also tend to

explain why Gompers has been able to hold on to his job for so long a

Victor L. Berga.

COOING ROUND THE CAPITALIST THRONE

"There was a little incident come to light last week which needs no account. 'Comrade' Parry is sending out circulars to the 'Appeal to Reason' Berger's paper and others of the kind, asking them to club their papers with the organ of the American Manufacturers' Association, i. e. Parry's national organ. Surely 'Comrade Parry was fighting for us.' Do the trades-unionists fully grasp the intent and purposes conveyed by that incident?"

The above paragraph is taken from the editorial columns of the United Mine Workers' Journal, the afficial organ of the United Mine Workers and the unofficial organ of the United Mine Owners and the Civic Federation. The name of the editor of this paper is Sexton. It is so dead and full of rank odors that it should properly be in charge of a sexton or coroner.

Sometime ago the Herald in discussing Parry allwied to him as "Comrade" Parry in a vein of satire which everybody understood except the long-eared Sexion who tolls the bell for the mine-owning class while drawing pay from the poor coal diggers who dig coal for their masters while digging graves for

Everyone with as much brains as a gallinipper knows that Parry hates Socialism with the venom of an adder, and that between Porry and Socialists there is war to the death: and the asimine attempt of Mitchell's official organ grinder to make it appear that Parry and the Socialists are in collusion exposes his peanut calibre and will be laughed to ridicule by his own followers.

The same issue of the U. M. W. Journal contains on the first page a three-column portrait of August Belmont, financial agent of the Rothschilds in the United States, Railroad Magnate and Labor Fleecer, Arch-type of the capitalist exploiter, recently elected presiden; of the Civic Federation, with whom Mitchell and other alleged labor leaders dined is high style in New York recently, while thousands and thousands of miners are working half time or not at all, as in Colorado.

The name of Parry, the avowed capitalist, who stands squarely on his ground and fights labor, free from hypocriey, throws these fake into fits, but they find it perfectly consistent to put their feet under the mahoganey tables of the plutocrals and drink costly wines with the Belmonts, the Carnegies, the Basleys, the Morgans and the Strauss's while a dozen vourses of scab menu are served them.

The labor fakir knows his master's banquet as "the ox knoweth his master's crib." Parry does not banquet the Benedict Arnolds of organized labor and so the Sextons have no use for him; but they fall down on theis knees in advantion of the Belmont gaps of peales whose names are squammons with the rabbery of labor and the crushing of their helpless with its subjection beasaft the tron heel of capitalist despotism.

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The U. M. W. Journal waxes wroth with counterfeit virtuous indignation at the thought of Parry, treating Socialists with some mark of respect. Be it noted that Parry and every other exploiter of labor is compelled to respect Socialists, much as he may hate them, for he knows that they do not snuckle like sycophants and crawl like vermin; that they do not attend plutocratic banquets and drink the blood of their victims; that they are honest and cannot be bought, and even the editor of the U.M. W. Journal in his heart respects them unless his servility to the mine owners has caused his heart and kidneys to change place and functions.

What has the Sexton of the U.M. W. Journal to say about John Mitchell, the National President, being decorated with elaborate diamond badges pur based by mine owners with the money wrung from the sweat and agony of the black-faced coal diggers whose scant wages are filched to pay him a salary to protect their interests against their exploiters?

It would be a crushing answer to Sexton if every miner in America could see the luxuriant banqueting board scene (full page illustration) in Hurper's Weekly for Dec. 31st, where the tables are loaded with the costliest foods and long arrays of bottles of choicest wines and surrounded by the sleek and smooth plutocrats and their professors and priests, while wedged in between, as if to leer and mock at labor, are its alleged leaders toadying to their masters in furnishing a Civic Federation, the very contemplation of which arouses honest men to leathing, indignation and contempt.

In the same issue of the U. M. W. Journal there is yet another editorial paragraph crowing lustily over Mitchell's reelection and citing this as proof of his vindication for forcing down the miners' wages (CONTINUED ON PAGE 4.)

Blessad be Capitalism -- Hunger Pangs Midst Plenty!!

Among the top-notch American cities Democratic New York does not have a monopoly of distress an the working class. Republican Philadelphia also makes it bid, and makes it strongly. Both cities are ruled capitalistic interests under the capitalist system, so that the workers find that there is no appreciable differ between Democratic starvation and Republican famine. Here is the proof from Philadelphia, taken from Phila. North American of Dec. 28 (Christmas-tide!):

Phila. North American of Dec. 28 (Christmas-tide!):

"Distribution of soup and bread to needy foll. was begun at many of the soup societies' houses yesterday for the first time this winter. All the other societies will open within the next week and keep open as long as the rigors of winter demand or funds for maintenance permit.

"An unexpectedly large demand for the first day met the beginning of the distribution at the house of the Western Soup Society, 1813-18 South street, the doors of which were opened at 11 o'clock. Long before that hour a line of persons were waiting, ticket in hand, to get some of the food that is promised.

"A similar scene was enacted at the house of the Northern Soup Society, 817 North Fourth street, and the Central Soup Society, 709-11 Cherry street. Others that have opened or will do so within the next week are the Kensington Soup Society, 1036 Crease street; the Moyamensing Soup Society, 926 South Eighth street, which will open on Tuesday next; the Northeastern Soup Society, 1940 North Front street; 'he Northwestern Soup Society, 1030 Buttonwood street.

Scarcity of work during the fall and early winter months has reduced many families to distressing povert, and increased the number of persons whom the sonp societies will be called upon to feed. The managers of the Moyamensing Society say 'he demand for tickets for soup and bread is trice as great as at the corresponding time of last year. At all the societies whosee houses have opened the line of applicants is many times longer than it has been for many years."

operations require. Judging from the Lawson exposures, however, it would appear that there are at present even ways enough open for intestment of the people's money so liat the officers of the companies and manipulate a good deal of the merease into their own robber peckets.

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ABOUT HYPOCRITES

Rockefeller's.

Some of these hypocrites are very dangerous to society as present constituted.

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present constituted.

The most dangerous hypocrite is the one who is the most ardent defender of the present capitalist lack-of-system.

He usually has an ax to grind or is hired to grind somebody else's ax.

He is always public-spirited and has a very high regard for the dear

people.

He is also extremely patriotic. You don't have to ask him about this. He will tell you all about it the first chance he gets. He will also let everybody else into the secret.

If all the people were fairly well versed in the science of Socialism, the above-described brand of hypocrite would be almost as harmless as

A Socialist paper is an excellent introduction to a knowledge of

This brings us right back to the consideration of those yearly sub-acription cards.

If you're out of them, send for five more, and pay us two dollars when you have sold them, same as before.

THIS MEANS YOU, OF COURSE.

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Classics of Social-Democracy.

SOCIALISM FROM UTOPIA TO SCIENCE. By FREDERICK ENGELS.

[Frederick Engels, who jointly with Karl Marx put the philosophy ocialism or scientific basis, was born in Barmen, Germany, Nov 28, 1820, and was the son of a manufacturer. He received a scientific education and afterward entered mercantile life in Berlin and in England in establishments partly owned by his father. He 'joined with Marx in writing the celebrated "Communist Manifesto," and was the author of other Socialist and economic works. His "Socialism from Utopia to Science" was written in 1875.]

In the trust, freedom of competion changes into its very oppositeinto monopoly; and the production without any definite plan of capi talistic society capitulates to the production upon a definite plan of the invading socialistic society. Certainly this is so palpable that it must break down. No nation will put up with production conducted by trusts, with so barefaced an exploitation of the community by a small band of dividend-mongers.

In any case, with trusts or without, the official representative of capitalist society-the State-will ultimately have to undertake the direction of production.* This necessity for conversion into State-property is felt for the first time in the great institutions for intercourse and com-

munication—the postoffice, the telegraphs, the railways. If the crises demonstrate the incapacity of the bourgeoisie for managing any longer modern productive forces, the transformation of the great establishments for production and distribution into joint-stock companies, trusts, and State-property, show how unnecessary the bour-geoisic are for that purpose. All the social functions of the capitalist are now performed by salaried employees. The capitalist has no further social function than that of pocketing dividends, tearing off coupons, and gambling on the Stock Exchange, where the different capitalists despoil one another of their capital. At first the capitalistic mode of production forces out the workers. Now it forces out the capitalists, and reduces them, just as it reduced the workers, to the ranks of the surplus population, although not immediately into those of the industrial army.

But the transformation, either into joint-stock companies and trusts, or into State-ownership, does not do away with the capitalistic nature of the productive forces. In the joint-stock companies and trusts this is obvious. And the modern State, again, is only the organisation that bourgeois society takes on in order to support the external conditions of the capitalist mode of production against the encroachments, as well of the workers as of individual capitalists. The modern State, no matter what its form, is essentially a capitalist machine, the state of the capitalists, the ideal personification of the total national capital. The more it proceeds to the taking over of productive forces, the more does it actually become the national capitalist, the more citizens does it exploit. The workers remain wage-workers—proletarians. The capitalist relation is not done away with. It is rather brought to a head. But, brought to a head, it topples over. State-ownership of the productive forces is not the solution of the conflict, but concealed within it are the technical conditions that form the elements of that solaion.

This solution can only consist in the practical recognition of the social nature of the modern forces of production, and therefore in the harmonising the modes of production, appropriation, and exchange with the so ialised character of the means of production. And this can only come about by society openly and directly taking possession of the productive forces which have outgrown all control except that of society as a whole. The social character of the means of production and of the products today reacts against the producers, periodically disrupts all production and exchange, acts only like a law of Nature working blindly, forcibly, destructively. But with the taking over by society of the productive forces, the social character of the means of production and of the products will be utilised by the producers with a perfect understanding of its nature, and instead of being a source of disturbance and periodical collapse, will become the most powerful lever of production itself.

Active social forces work exactly like natural forces: blindly, force ibly, destructively, so long as we do not understand, and reckon with, them. But when once we understand them, when once we grasp their action, their direction, their effects, it depends only upon ourselves to subject them more and more to our will, and by means of them to reach our own ends. And this holds quite especially of the mighty productive forces of today. As long as we obstinately refuse to understand the nature and the character of these social means of action—and this understanding goes against the grain of the capitalist mode of production and so long these forces are at work in spite of us, in opposition to us, so long they master us, as we have shown above in detail.

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WHAT THE PRESS SAYS:

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society; the direction of labor, State business, law, science, art, etc. It is, therefore, the law of division of labor that lies at the basis of the division into classes. But this does not prevent this division into classes from being carried out by means of violence and robbery, trickery and fraud. It does not prevent the ruling class, once having the upper hand, from consolidating its power at the expense of the working class, from turning their social leadership into an intensified exploitation of the

But if, upon this showing, division into classes has a certain historical justification, it has this only for a given period, only under given social conditions. It was based upon the insufficiency of production. It will be swept away by the complete development of modern productive forces. And, in fact, the abolition of classes in society presupposes a degree of historical evolution, at which the existence, not simply of this or that particular ruling class, but of any ruling class at all, and, therefore, the existence of class distinction itself has become an obsolete anachronism. It presupposes, therefore, the development of production carried out to a degree at which appropriation of the means of production and of the products, and, with this, of political domination, of the monopoly of culture, and of intellectual leadership by a particular class of society, has become not only superfluous, but economically, politically, intellectually a hindrance to development.

This point is now reached. Their political and intellectual bankruptcy is scarcely any longer a secret to the bourgeoisie themselves. Their economic bankruptcy recurs regularly every ten years. In every crisis, society is suffocated beneath the weight of its own productive forces and products, which it cannot use, and stands helpless, face to face with the absord contradiction that the producers have nothing to consume, because consumers are wanting. The expansive force of the means of production bursts the bonds that the capitalist mode of production had imposed upon them. Their deliverance from these bonds is the one precondition for an unbroken constantly accelerated development of the productive forces, and therewith for a practically unlimited increase of production itself. Nor is this all. The socialized appropriation of the means of production does away, not only with the restrictions upon production, but also with the positive waste and devastation of productive forces and products that are at the present time the inevitable concomitants of production, and that reach their height in the crises. Further, it sets free for the community at large a mass of means of production and of products, by doing away with the senseess extravagance of the ruling classes of today, and their political repre-The possibility of securing for every member of society, by means of socialized production, an existence not only fully sufficient materially, and becoming day by day more full, but an existence guaranteeing to all the free development and exercise of their physical and mental faculties-this possibility is now for the first time here, but

With the seizing of the means of production by society, production of commodities is done away with, and, simultaneously, the mastery of the product over the producer. Anarchy in social production is replaced by systematic, definite organization. The struggle for individual exist-ence disappears. Then for the first time, man, in a certain sense, is finally marked off from the rest of the animal kingdom, and emerges from mere animal conditions of existence into really human ones. The whole sphere of the conditions of life which environ man, and which have hitherto ruled man, now comes under the dominion and control of man, who for the first time becomes the real, conscious lord of Nature, because he has now become master of his own social organization. The laws of his own social action, hitherto standing face to face with man as laws of Nature foreign to, and dominating, him, will then be used with full understanding, and so mastered by him. Man's own social organization, hitherto confronting him as a necessity imposed by Nature and history, now becomes the result of his own free action. The extraneous objective forces that have hitherto governed history, pass under the control of man himself. Only from that time will man himself, more and more consciously, make his own history-only from that time will the social causes set in movement by him have, in the main and in a constantly growing measure, the results intended by him. It is the ascent of man from the kingdom of necessity to the kingdom of freedom.

A few figures may serve to give an approximate idea of the enormous expansive force of the modern means of production, even under capitalist pressure. According to Mr. Giffen, the total wealth of Great Britain and Ireland amounted, in round numbers, in

1814 to £2,200,000,000. 1865 to £6,100,000,000. 1875 to £8,500,000,000.

As an instance of the squandering of means of production and of products during a crisis, the total loss in the German aron industry alone, in the crisis 1873-78, was given at the second German Industrial Congress (Berlin, February 21, 1878) as £22,750,000.

(CONTINUED NEXT WEEK.)

WHAT THE PRESS SAYS:

And This They Call Prosperity!

Minneapolis Tribune: A desire to obtain work, so intense as to have become a mania, drew several hundred young men and women into a struggling, pushing, clamoring mob at the rear First avenue entrance to Powers' store yesterday. The aid of policemen was called by the managers of the store, who dared not open the doors to the excited crowd made unruly by a pressing need and a determination to get employment at all hazards.

HUNDREDS DISAPPOINTED.

The throng about the store held its place from 8 until 10 o'clock and no agency could dispell it, until finally despair succeeded hope and hundreds turned away in disappointment.

A casual glance at the crowd would have given the impression that it was a well-dressed one. Fussy bows of ribbon and chiffon showed in rainbow hues in the crowd, but-There goes the ruffle off my sister's best skirt," a young woman cried out, as the crowd unceremoniously jostled a man's clumsy feet on the train of her dress.

'I've got on all the best clothes we have in the house and I somehow lost my big sister's black ostrich plume, but I don't care if I get a position," another girl told the first unfortunate sympathetically, while others in the vicinity furnished pins to temporarily mend the rent. It was easily discovered they wanted to make a good impression and wore borrowed finery in most cases to do it.

Well, I just have to get a position," a pretty young woman said, with her brows drawn into an anxious frown, 'father got hurt, three weeks ago and we aren't going to have any Christmas, unless I can get some work to do.

She was exchanging confidences with a small boy nearby

who squared his shoulders to say:

"Mother 'pends on he. She hain't got no one else and I thought mebbe they'd need a cash boy."

RUSH AND SCRAMBLE.

When the doors were opened to admit as many as the managers thought they would need, the rush and scramble was pathetic. The golden rule and ordinary politeness could not be remembered. They crowded, pushed and strained to get in, and when the doors closed a groan of disappointment went up from the crowd outside, and those within was just as unmanageable. A policeman had to be called to subdue the excitement and his efforts at first seemed feeble. They were impotent anyway, to restrain the jubilant spirits of the successful multitude, until in a moment the feeling had changed from one of gladness to one of feverish anxiety as to whether now they were in the store, employment could be secured. The crowd surged madly to the desk of the employment clerk and fought for places in the line.

As nearly as could be ascertained, large numbers were salespeople of experience, who had been out of work some time and had unsuccessfully tried to obtain employment in many of the big stores during the holiday rush. more than we need," they had been told, and the disappointed ones hoped great things from the necessity of the Powers store to secure a large number of extras for this week. There was an equally large number of inexperienced girls in the crowd, and they provoked sympathy more than the others, for in every case they were poorly dressed and urgent need had driven them out to attempt to secure a chance to earn

Catholic Citizen: What with Lawson's articles in Everybody's Magazine, Miss Tarbell's expose of Standard Oil methods in McClure's, Steffen's expose of "The System," the articles now running in The Era Magazine of Philadelphia, uncovering the deals of the large New York life Insurance companies, the impression is strongly made that American business methods are baday in need of reorganization. Unsafe men seem to of reorganization. Unsafe men seem to be conducting high finance and control-ling some of the great monetary insti-tutions of the country.

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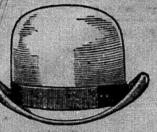


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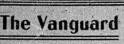
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SOME ANSWERS TO MR. PARRY

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minded man wants every cents worth of what he himself has produced. Republicans claim the credit of abolishing negro chattel slavery. So cialists, demand the abolishment of every form of involuntary servitude as well as involuntary bondage enforced by poverty. I have no right to enjoy the fruits of your labor, nor have you any right to the fruits of my labor—unless a full equivalent is given the exchange. The American Declaration of Independence refers to this right and designates it as "inalienable." Ask your learned graduates of eduted ignorance to give workingmen he plain definition of "inalienable." The majority of political wiseacres

Gleanings from Busy Socialistic Fields!

NOTE: In some states the organization is known as the Socialist Party, in others as the Social-Der

intergin of profits for his wage masters were made the subject for discussion he gets the g. b.—cannof work at all. A master has no use for slaves unless big-profits are realized. Talk of having the "right to labor when where and for whom he pleases." My own experiences is an educator more reliable than the random assertions of a thousand plutes and their tackeys. It is to their interest to deceive—to perpetrate their system of exploitation. Fifty years ago I realized \$5 a month from the sale of my labor-power, chopping cord wood from sunrise till sunset for an Anglo-American in southeast Hoosierdom—about 20 cents a day. Oh, such a "gift!"

"The ethics of Secialism are identical with the ethics of Christianity."—Encylopedia Britannica. This is enough to give every parastic employer of labor board reads and an attempt to charge the Socialists and an attempt to charge the Socialists and the sect and a survey of the sect and a survey of the blood of the innocent, and an attempt to charge the Socialists and the survey of the survey parastic employer of labor the blood of the innocent, and an attempt to charge the Socialists and the survey of the survey of the survey parastic employer of labor the blood of the survey of and an attempt to charge the Social-ists with being lawless anarchists, and by such cowardly utterances, instead of fair and honorable discussion, hope to crush out the coming dominant party of the nation. We know of no way to force you from your position among the slimy rocks, the habitation of hissing adders, but a word of advice may be of value to you. If you hope to make a success of your Campaign of Education, Alon't hide behind paign of Education, don't filde behind a subterfuge of lies. You say you are pledged to personal liberty for the la-boring man. Yes? Can a man be free who is forced by circumstances the fruits of your labor, nor have you any right to the fruits of my labor—
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History claims Thomas Jefferson as the author of the doctrine-of the non-transfer of "life. Miserty and table to be inclear to the plain honest people of modern patriot can no doubt convince you that justice upon American citizen's "life, liberty and happiness" our present system of graft, business of the property and happiness our present system of graft, business.

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Who weralth accumulates and men decay.

We note with much satisfaction that the rapidity swelling Socialist vote. Your sins are finding you out. Little wonder you cross and contradict yourself in your editorials. You are confused. If you would know the fate of the monied opposition to Socialism I refer you to the fifth chaper of James. He that the Gods would destroy

He that the Gods would destroy they first make mad. This accounts very likely for the hisses and vindic-tive utterances of the mouthplece of Citizens' Industrial Association.

The great industrial class of this country has created all the wealth, while a few selfish ones have taken it to themselves.

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SAN FRANCISCO.-An interesti real relations in the card of future events in S Francisco is likely to grow out of controversy as to the merits of t dectrine of "Natural Rights" or as it

doctrine of "Natural Rights" or as it is expressed in the S. L. P. platform, "in alienable rights."

Comrade Arthur Morrow Lewis has challenged Miss Olive M. Jonnson of the S. L. P. to a public debate as to the merits of the question and it is expected that the S. L. P. will accept the challenge or sing in a little lower note about freaks and cowards and so forth. The proposal is to turn Comrade Lewis' class lecture of Feb. 7th into a debate with Miss Johnson.

The first course of these Academy of Science Lectures closed last Thursday. They have been in every way a brilliant success, the financial receipts being \$120.00.

Dr. G. Frankel, late editor of the Tageblatt, is to speak for the party in Carmens Hall, 310 O'Farrell st., lan, 15.

Miss Josephine R. Cole, member of the state committee and president of the Women's Socialist Union, was to have spoken last Sunday night in Carmen's Hall, but found that she was not sufficiently recovered from a recent sickness to fulfill the engagement.

Comrade Arthur Morrow Lewis lectured in her place and the meeting was a complete success financially and otherwise.

Our most effective speaker Mrs. Lewis is recovering from her sickness and expects at a near date to meet Miss Gail Laughlin of New York City in a debate on Socialism.

Socialist Bricks. How many more chances does

the Democracy need? What use is Debs anyhow! The dull world asks, a blinkin'. He's lots of use, that feller is He's set the world to thinking.

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Wisconsin State Secretary's Financial Report for December.

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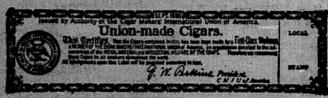


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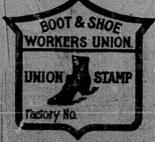
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The new municipal platform adopted in St. Louis is modelled on the lines of the Milwaukee municipal platform and platforms and is a clear mixed to the necessity of united actions.

COLORADO.—It is very apparent the spirit out of the already weak-kneed Liberals.

The volume of Karl Marx' "Capital," which is familiar to English speaking readers, is merely a part of Marx' monumental work, the first time would be to still further take the spirit out of the already weak-kneed Liberals.

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pal platforms and is a clear cut expression of the thing American Social-Democracy stands for in its municipal work.

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the other day the light was between the Republicans and Socialists.

Comrade Debs suffered a collapse after the strain of the national campaign and has been ailing ever since. In a letter just received, he says.

"Your letter is received and finds me into the drawn into the conflict."

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Joan M. King, Lucila Twining, M. E. White, Ludwig Lare, Jul. Franken,

Great gains have been shown for Social-Democracy in the recent elec-tions in Norway. In Christiana the

launching. Justice, the Social-Democratic

mia. I have had almost everything else and the account should now be almost settled. For the past several weeks I have been confined to my room under the care of a doctor and my work is sadly neglected."

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Engels had intended, but has been given the title. "Theories of Surplus Value." The first volume, the only one that Dr. Marx himself prepared for the press, was modified in some slight particulars by the other volumes. It will protably be some years before English translations will be breacht out of the entire work.

volume, in fact. A second and a third volume have been published in German, edited by Fredrich Engels, co-worker with the great eco-nomist, but have never been translated into English. Now comes the announcement of a fourth volume, which has been edited by Karl Kautsky, but which, however, is not called the fourth volume of "Capital," as Engels had intended, but has been

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EDITORIAL ETCHINGS.

A tailor boss in England was fined for working his employes (women) all night. One witness state in court that she was dismissed because she refused to work ...er midnight. Oh, the capitalist system is a fine system, all right!

Consumption, the great devastater of the working class, is beginning to get something of the attention it deserves from scientific and omic students. Tuberculosis is essentially a poor man's disease, and it is making fearful inroads into the population of this country, principally in the congested portions of the cities, but also to some extent in the farming districts of the poorer as, where the houses are closed tight in Winter and the occupants to save fuel avoid ventilation, and where also for cheapness sake they live on salt-embalmed pork and other unnatural foods.

We note, with some pleasure, that learned circles are coming to see that consumption is not a disease which once "caught" must necessarily run its fatal course, but that it is simply nature's fight against wrong conditions and unhealthful ways of living, nature's protest, in fact, against bad housing, the breathing of too much house air, the eating of wrong and poisoned foods, and the working in dusty and unsanitary factories. There is a vast amount of educating necessary in order that people may know what to avoid in these directions, and no better way could be suggested than that the children be taught it in the schools. Let our school boards take the subject up and let text books be prepared on the question. There is no time to be lost, for human lives are

at stake. In this connection we would urge our readers, especially those of the factory worker class and those who must live the usual existence of the modern wage worker, to buy the January number of McClure's Magazine and to read the article on "Tuberculosis: The Real Race Suicide," which covers some fifteen pages with instructive reading about the "great white plague." The magazine costs ten cents, so that almost anyone can afford it. "Tuberculosis," it tells us, "is not, as was believed a few years ago, a mysterious and inevitable fate. Modern science has shown us that the environment which man makes for himself, the habit of life which he practices, determines his liability to the disease. Tuberculosis is the chief cause of death throughout the world. Its one serious source of infection is from man to man by the sputum expectorated or coughed up; but although communicable in this way, it is not, in the ordinary sense, contagious." A careful consumptive, who understands that his sputum is to be destroyed and not expectorated about where it can dry and get into the air as dust for others to breathe into their lungs, is never a public peril, it says. The article holds to the theory that the bacillus of consumption is the means by which the disease is spread, and says that an ordinary consumptive coughs up about seven billions of these bacilli in a day. Sunlight kills them, so that ordinarily spitting into the street is not a source of public danger. But sputum upon sidewalks where it has not dried and been acted on by sun-light, is easily tracked into our homes by walking on the street, and once trodden into carpuis or rugs may be calculated to make up a part of the dust that the house wife, who usually breathes through her mouth, draws in at each sweeping. Here again, the danger of these little microscopi-ers germs depends on conditions. If the person breathing them is weak-ly and in a run down physical state, they are likely to find favorable soil for growth, and a case of consumption is slowly developed. This, of course, is the view of medical science. While we do not fully share it, the fact remains that it is the person in good health, whose living habits are proper, who need have no fear of contracting the disease. The article in McClure's states that in tuberculous hospitals the nurses, who

than outside their walls. The article makes this point, which is interesting and should put consumptives on their guard against the creosote-poison quacks who are always ready to take a consumptive's money and then ship him off to "a better climate" when he has become so bad that cure is impossible, "a better climate" when he has become so bad that cure is impossible, that there are no specific remedies for consumption nor sure-cure drugs or poisons. The only cure that has really been found of value is the fresh air cure. Best of all it is cheap. Consumptives, warmly clad, have slept out doors Summer and Winter, and breathed out door air as many hours of the twenty-four as possible, and cures have been wrought in all cases where the patient had not let his case run until his vital forces were completely broken down. A clean body, food that is not irritating to the stomach by means of spices, peppers, alcohol, or drugs or narcotics of the tobacco order, careful attention to breathe nature's air at first hand, well ventilated bedrooms—all this is necessary to reestablish the right relations that nature demands, if our consumptives are to regain their health. "Drugs are practically useless, patent medicines, with their testimonials either faked entire, or wrung from sufferers by blackmail, are cruel swindles and in many cases criminally harmful. Fresh air, sunlight and good food (this means as natural food as pos-

are often persons who have been cured of consumption, stand in no danger of contracting the disease, because the expectorations from the diseased lungs of the patients are burned up, and the surroundings are kept in a sanitary condition—there being less danger of contagion there

by blackmail, are cruel swindles and in many cases criminally harmful. Fresh air, sunlight and good food (this means as natural food as possible, cutting out coffee, tea, vinegar, mustard, chemical leavens, also meat to quite an extent) will save any case of tuberculosis that has not progressed too far—and nothing else will."

We shall refer to this subject again next week. In the meantime we would point out this fact, that consumption is itself part of the present labor question, for it is devastating the working class, and its severity is increased by the capitalist system, which locks up the workers in dusty factories away from nature's sunlight and weakens their powers of resistance to disease by imposing inhuman tasks upon them.

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Description of itself that remarks then

Call attention to an evidence of this Berger of itself that wrought them up. Their carefully planned fight on him was because of a certain fact that he stood typical of: The incessantly swelling tide of Socialism in the trade union movement. They have reference to. It is a low-lived exhibit, and serves well to measure the fever of its source. It is taken from the columns of the Western Laborer, a pure and simple short edited by a man closely identiin the trade union movement. They realize what this means, they realize that it is getting up near the danger mark for them, and they are furious. Whom the gods would destroy they first make mad. And the Gompersites are mad, there's no doubt about its represented the national committee. Their fight must have a concrete object to vent its fury upon, and they chose Victor L. Berger, and established by a man closely identified with labor faking. Here it is:

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Do You See This, Mr. Common Workingman!



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The annual dinner of the National Civic Federation of Labor (1) was held at the swell Park Avenue Hotel, New York, on Dec. 15. Harper's Weekly (capitalist) printed a flashlight view and wrote a long editorial slobbering over Gompers and Mitchell. At the banquet besides millionaire fleecers of the working class like Belmont, Strauss and others were Pres. Eliot, who said "the scab is a hero," Samuel Gompers, John Mitchell, and the high-up misleaders of labor. Carnegie, of bloody Homestead days, who was to be made president in place, declined and Belmont was chosen. Gompers was toastmaster at the above kingly feast!

COOING ROUND THE CAPITALIST THRONE! - Continued from page I.

a year ago. It is only necessary to say that the mine owners are in control of the mine workers' union. To prove the it is sufficient to say that the mine owners collect the dues of the union miners by with-holding them from their wages, and if the miners object to having the dues taken from their wages; they are discharged. In other words, the miners are, compelled to pay their dues into the union or lose their jobs, and under such circumstances it is not strange that Mr. Mitchell was "vindicated" by reclection. The mine owners saw to that, for they have in Mr. Mitchell too valuable an ally to lose. We have any amount of proof that miners who objected to hiving their dues docked down from their wages to support Mitchell, Sexton et al, were promptly threatened with discharge. This tells the story and the whole of it, and no amount of squirming will alter the facts and in due time they will be known and the misleaders of labor who are now toasted and banqueted will be remembered, if at all, for their infamy.

When such a notorious labor hater and scab sheet as Harper's Weekly, the private organ of Jno. Pierpont Morgan, that never had a decent word for labor in all its career, nor anything but venom for any honest labor leader—when such a sheet pours its fulsome editorial flattery on a labor leader as it now does on John Mitchell and Sam. Gompers, it is time for union men to open their eyes and do some thinking, for there is surely something going on that will bear investigation.

Not long ago the same U. M. W. Journal had an editorial attack by cowardly innuendo, that is characteristic of that organ. No name was mentioned, but it was plain that it was aimed at Comrade Eugene V. Debs. The editor wanted to know what right Debs had to say that the miners would have to take a reduction of wages and afterward condemn John Mitchell for making the reduction. He then asks how these positions can be reconciled and closes by delivering himself of the coarsest and vulgarest abuse.

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and fatal railroad wreck. When Mr. Berger arrived back on earth after the first shock he at once began to look first shock he at once began to look for his valise lefore he took time to inquire as to whether Mrs. Berger had been injured, or whether any one was sinjured. While the trainmen and passengers were taking out the dead and injured from the wreck and ministering to their wants, Mr. Berger was looking for his valise. Nothing was thought of the matter until the "Are They Traitors?" circular was distributed in the convention. The delegates then recalled Berger's exciting search for his valise contained the circulars with which he hoped to drive Mitchell and Gompers to five heartedness was ignoring the cries of the injured and imprisoned victims of that railway wreck and was pending the time looking for his of that frenzy.

denied all knowledge of the circulars at some baggage. And this wretched story is told, the miserable slander sent broadcast in order to bolster up the untruth about Comrade Berger having circulared the anti-Gompers circulars at San Francisco. Comrade Berger never saw the circulars until the trap was sprung on him in the convention. The delegates then recalled Berger's exciting search for his value of the American Federation of the injured and imprisoned victims of the injured and imprisoned victims of that railway wreck and was person to f the American Federation of Labor convention—but the next day he

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nad had its plans all laid beforehand, and carried them out, although no Socialistic resolutions introduced. The whole thing nad been cut and dried.

On motion a vote of thanks was extended to Bro. Berger. The vote for treasurer resulted as

follows: Tonsor 63, Hendricksen 47, Scattering 7. Tonsor declared

At this point the newly elected officers were installed.

Executive Board Report: The books of Council had been audited and found correct. The receipts for the quarter were \$1,365.72, disbursements \$686.52. Balance on hand last quarter \$220.15. The present balance on hand was \$899.-

35. Delegate Rooney was called be-fore board to explain the dissemi-nation of certain labor literature. The matter was satisfactorily ex plained. Report adopted.

Regular meeting, Jan. 4.—Dele- Communications: From West-gate Healy in the chair, Delegate ern Federation of Miners reporting on growth of the organization and Roll call dispensed with.

New delegates seated from Carwas not settled but that the men had New delegates seated from Carpenters' No. 1748, Brewery Workers' No. 9, Coopers' No. 35, Newspaper Writers', Marble Workers' Steamfitters' Carpenters No. 188, Tobacco Workers', Beer Bottlers', Hardwood Finishers, Stereotypers and Stereotypers renewing stock Tobacco Workers', Beer Bottlers', in its official journal. Placed on file.

On motion the following resolution presented by Bro. Neuman, was passed:

Whereas, Recent experience and the sters', Boot and Shoe Workers', Hod Carriers', Core Makers', and Bardelers', and deplorable lack of the support mer-

deplorable lack of the support mer-ited by the Tobacco Workers' Inter-Carriers', Core Makers', and Barnational union and its blue label; urer would have to be elected as therefore,

Resolved, That M. F. T. Co Bro. Esche had not been returned as a delegate from the Boot and Shoe Workers. Delegate Hemiricksen and the Tobacco Workers' label, and we have the tobacco Workers' label, and we have the tobacco Workers' label, and we have the tobacco Workers' label. again repeats its endorsement of Tonsor nominated. Tellers: Melms, urge upon members of affiliated unions the cultivation of a taste for the union article in the tobacco line, bearing in mind that none is strictly mended the selection of Bros. Ton-sor and Griffin to fill vacancies. Re-Resolutions from several dele

port approved and committee now gates were presented to have the stands Welch, Neuman, Reichert, minutes read in Gorman and mo-Heath, Weber, Feeley, Griffin, and tions restated in German. A motion to place on file was voted down. On motion the resolutions were Workers, Louisville, Ky., granted adopted.
the floor, speaking on the conditions A mot

A motion to suspend the rules to in this city. He urged the purchase consider the proposed amendment to the constitution was lost, 53 to Delegate Berger reported on the San Francisco convention of the A. ing committees.

The vote for the organization ports sent out over the country were committee stood: Weber 78, Tonsor 70, Raasch 69, Wilson 69, Hendrickwilfully misleading. He was not committee stood: Weber 78, Tonsor the only one who voted against President Gompers, there being fully two dozen others, but he was the only one to object to his election being made unanimous, although the mittee stood: Handley 60, W. Prehm mittee stood: Handley 60, W. Prehm mittee stood: Handley 60, W. Prehm of the property of the p

me made unanimous, although the mittee stood: Handley 60, W. Prehn onvention tried to howl him down 56, C. Prehn 41, Zastrow 60, Winand it was fully twenty minutes be- ternitz 44, Diedrich 63, scattering fore he could get his vote recorded. 2, and 7 votes cast for Prehn (no He read the different resolutions he initials). Bro. C. Prehn withdrew his name and the chair declared Bros. Handley, W. Prehn, Zastrow Winternitz and Diedrich elected.

The vote for Legislative committee stood: Berger 52, Melms 50, Feeley 51, Weber 37, Dippel 30, Zastrow 29, Wilson 27, Neuman 5, The first five were de-

For Sanitary committee the fol-lowing were elected by acclamation: Bros. Taves, Berger, Heath, Wilson and Silver.

The Wilson amendment to the nstitution was then put to vote

and lost on a rising vote.

The request from the Stationary
Engineers for help in organizing
was again put over.

Announcement was made by State Secretary Brockhausen that the leg-islative committee of the State Fed-eration would be in session all day Sunday at Lipps hall, Third and Prairie streets and the new legislaive committee of council was asked

Receipts for evening \$68.08. Disoursements \$124.05.

Frederic Heath,

MATTHEW BIDDINGER DEAD! Just as we go to press word comes of the death of Comrade Matthew Biddinger of Racine. This is a serious loss to the movement, as he was a vigilant member of the party, and much of the success of the growth of the party in that city was due to his strictness and watchfulness.

LECTURES AT WHITEWATER. The following is the forepart of lecture program arranged by the Whitewater comrades:

Jan. 7. Social Evolution, Rev. Carl D. Thompson, Lincoln, Nebraska. Jan. 14. Idealism and Materialism, George L. Teeple, Whitewater, Wis-

consin.
ah. 21. A Socialist View of History.
Ira B. Cross, Madison, Wisconsin.
an. 28. The Rise of Capitalism, Prof.
D. O. Kinsman, Whitewater, Wis-

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Peb. 4. The Fundamentals of Socialism, Daniel W. Hoan, Madison, Wis-

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Feb. 11. Some Problems of the 20th Century, Edmand T. Meims, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Alderman of the 11th ward.

Feb. 18. The Ethics of Socialism, Prof. H. H. Schroeder, Whitewater, Wisconsin.

Feb. 25. The Class Struggle, T. M. Watson, Whitewater, Wisconsin.

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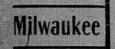
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CAPITALIST PARTIES TOO CORRUPT TO PUT HONEST MEN IN OFFICE.

Supervisor McGovran moved that the above accounts be allowed.

Ayes—Baldanf, Y. L. Bell, S. R. Bell, Burkhart, Cjeszinski, Cywicki, Danielski, Dorner, Farries, Fisher, Gensz, Greene, Guenther, Jacobus, Julien, Kehrmann, McGee, McGovran, Meyer, Naczek, O'Rourke, Reichardt, Singles, Watts, Wiesenthal, Woetsner, Mr. Chairman—27.

Noes-Boness, Geerdts, Joske, Shachan 4. The above is taken from the official proceedings of the last meeting of the Milwaukee Board A

Supervisors. Who are these four members who stood out against the bunch on the allowance of above accounts? The Social-Democratic Supervisors. They were voting against a steal. The representatives of the two capitalist parties were voting for a steal. As long as the people keep old party officials in office grand juries will always be imminent. So long as such misrepresentatives occupy seats in the Board of Supervisors the county treasury will be rifled by thieves.

weeks ago we exposed a theft of a plain on the subject. committee clerk from the court Wisconsin Statutes of IS98:

Lorenz admitted the theft (accordthe county treasury. On Pheip's ad-

where the new "Reform" district attorney is to come in on this rape of refer to the County Board. There mon thief. torney is to come in on this rape of the county treasury! It is pretty would be no sense in the Board vot- Moreover, no common man could just before Christmas, inc. a fee to the clerk out of the large to day for canyaise. near time for him to show where he ing a fee to the clerk out of the hope to draw \$10 a day for canvass-

But Mr. Phelps is an unregenerate grafter. He doesn't seem to be ate grafter. He doesn't seem was dered and for which he has now But that ten dollars a day means the above excerpt from the last been illegally paid \$240, was fer quite a different day than the "comhas no more right to that money propriety that go to make up the man takes life leisurely. The repeat Pholiss. street and go through his pockets izen, he would have asked the Of course he would not hold up a County Board to name some one man on the street, for such petty else in his place to the committee the work. If the board has a right ment. thieving is well covered by the crimof three, as he was himself a canto pay him ten dollars a day for inal law and with a Javert-eyed po- didate in the election and ought not lice department to make short shrift to have been called on to pass upon of the offender. It is different where ballots while being an interested a person steals officially, with a none party. But Phelps is not that kind too honest county board to endorse of a man. He is a good deal of a porker in his way; the finer in-the theft.

The bill was put in at the fag end stincts do not trouble him. Still,

of the meeting, when it was thought it would attract little attention. But law on his side in this. Thus, it the Social-Democrats were not to be reads, in specifying his duties: caught napping and voted solidly against it. After the meeting Pheir walked over to Supervisor Sheehan's desk and told him that he was legally entitled to the money and that the elections. district attorney had told him he could take it. On the other hand it that the canvass of the ballots is is said that the district attorney made a part of his duties as county Boss Tweed was wont to say, "What told Phelps that he could not legally clerk. Yet our Republican and are you going to do about it!" is said that the district attorney

Social-Democratic Notes.

The branches are making preparations for the distribution of dodgers for our monster carnival.

monster carnival.

One often hears the expression: "My train was delayed," "This is my train," etc., as though the one making the expression owned the train. It is like a workingman speaking of "my job" and "my country," when he does not own the shadow of a job or a foot of land. The capitalists own the train, they own the jobs and they own the country.

The 2nd Ward comrades are going to work with a will of late.

The Sedgwick Kanas Particular.

work with a will of late.

The Sedgwick, Kansas, Pantagraph sugests a new table to be incorporated in our school arithmetics: "Ten mills make one trust; ten trusts make one combine; ten combines make one merger; ten mergers make one magnate; one magnate makes all the money."

Society is divided into two classes—the job owners and the job seekers.

Be sure to attend that mask ball as

Be sure to attend that mask hall arranged by the 20th ward Saturday evening, Jan. 7th. at Volkmann's hall, cor. 21st and Center sts.

The capitalists say they are tired of this never ending war between capital and labor and want peace, but the trouble is they want the higgest piece. Comrade E. T. Melms will deliver a lecture before the 19th ward Social-Democratic branch, Wednesday evening, Jan. 11th. Everboly is welcome, and a discussion will follow the lecture.

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of course, he had the letter of the

Chapter 37, Section 709. To perform all duties imposed on him in relation to the assessment and collection of taxes.

and the canvas and return of votes at general, judicial, and special

The point to be noted here is

JEWISH MEETINGS.

The City Central Committee will meet next Monday night at the Liedertafel thall, cor. 7th and Prairie sts., at eight P. M. sharp. As the election of new officers for the ensuing year will take place, everydelegate should be present without fail. Other matters of great importance will come before this meeting.

Selevish MEETINGS.

The Jewish comrades of the 2nd and the following propaganda meetings to be held at Paschen's hall, 325 Chestnut street:

Saturday, January 7th, 1905, Alderman E. Seidel, "The Mission of the Social-Democratic Party."

Saturday, January 7th, 1905, Alderman E. Seidel, "The Mission of the Social-Democratic Party," Saturday, Feb. 11, Alderman A. J. Welch, subject "Socialism."

Most of the branches are now ready to weigh, subject Socialism. Saturday, March 11th, Alderman E. Tomore and the lookout and don't stand in the way of progress, or you wilbe plowed down sure by the workers of Socialism, who are going to make this year a record breaker.

We will all be there when the fight begins. Well! The fight is now on and you had better get into the organization and help fight.

Ry the way, how about your last

were made to build up the membership of your branch?

Don't forget that Schafskopf Tourney of the 23rd Ward branch, Saturday evening, Jan. 14th, at Bresemeister's hall, cor. 13th and Washington st.

Also remember that lecture arranged by the Women's Socialist Club of the West Side, Sunday afternoon, Jan. 15th, at Nick, Peterson's hall, 2714 North ave. E. Seidel will lecture on "Socialism and he Wontan."

The branches are making the semestration of the great January clearing sale which is now in progress and will continue all of next week at the two large stores of Hahn Bros. 537-539 12th and 309-371-373 Grove sts. Genuine bargains are offered the workingmen at this sale and the firm the workingmen at the semestration of the great January clearing sale which is now in progress and will continue all of next week at the two large stores of Hahn Bros. 537-539 12th and 309-371-373 Grove sts. Genuine bargains are offered the workingmen at this sale and the firm the amountement of the great January clearing sale which is now in progress and will continue all of next week at the two large stores of Hahn Bros. 537-539 12th and 309-371-373 Grove sts. Genuine bargains are offered the workingmen at this sale and the firm the workingmen at the stores of Hahn Bros. 537-539 12th and 309-371-373 Grove sts. Genuine bargains are offered the workingmen at this sale and the firm the workingmen at the stores of Hahn Bros. 537-539 12th and 309-371-373 Grove sts. Genuine bargains are offered the workingmen at the two large stores of Hahn Bros. 537-539 12th and 309-371-373 Grove sts. Genuine bargains are offered the workingmen at the two larges and will continue all of next week at the two larges and will continue all of next week at the two larges and will continue all of next week at the two larges and will continue all of next week at the two larges and will continue all of next week at the two larges and will continue all of next week at the two larges and will continue all of next week at the two larges and will continue all of n

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Carl P. Diets, Secretary.

An open meeting will be held by the Second Ward Branch, Milwaukee, at Fourth and Chestnut streets, on the third Friday in January, for the purpose of agitating for an increase in membership.

TOWN TOPICS BY THE TOWN CRIER

Beginning next week we shall print a series of answers to the arguments of the Milwaukee Gas Co. against Social-ism. Ald. Welch will write the articles.

Great Scott! Our scandal-monger ing Prof. Monaghan is down for some more public schoo! lectures. The filthy mouthed professor is a fine specimen to put before the people as a teacher of facts.

State Supt. of Schools Cary of Wisconsin, who took school book combination money for political uses when he first ran for his present job, read a paper at the recent meeting of the Wisconsin Teachers' Association on the corruptive work of the school book trust. Cary, like some other La Follette "reformers" that we might name, is not lacking in nerve!

The Filer & Stowell Co., Milwaukee, worked a new dodge on their men on New Years. Instead of County Clerk Frank O. Phelps take the money. But whatever the Democratic misrepresentatives in the decent employers would naturally has been caught stealing again! Two district attorney said, the law is County Board help him with their do, in order that they might have rotes to work through a steal on the money with which to provide some-Here is the law, as found in the county treasury. Phelps knew the thing extra for their holiday din-visconsin Statutes of 1898: law. The steal was deliberate and ners, this firm of intolerable laborself, do your own thinking. Get those within your community to do likewise, within your community to do likewise. The victory must be ours. Civilization demands it. Do try at least to leave this world with better surroundings for the multitudes than with what you found it. Go down on the pages of his former Fred. Lorenz (LaFolletteite) found it. Go down on the pages of the monor women who to you as one of the men or women who with the pages of the poor man squeezers announced that January 2. Chapter 37, Section 708. Every count that his necessities drove him to it. 2 would be pay day—January 2. All fees allowed by law to county clerks shall receive for compensation that his necessities drove him to it. 2 would be pay day—January 2. All fees allowed by law to county clerks shall be former Fred. Lorenz (LaFolletteite) and served there some two weeks. This clerk was kept under the county and was farmed out to the Republican County former Fred. Lorenz (LaFolletteite) and served there some two weeks. This clerk was kept under the county and was farmed out to the Republican County former Fred. Lorenz (LaFolletteite) and served there some two weeks. This clerk was kept under the excuse of the poor man squeezers announced that January 2. All fees allowed by the econety board, AND NO MORE. . All fees allowed by law to county clerks shall be collected by them AND PAID TO THE the Milwaukee pages of his for every member to be present.

**Lorenz admitted to attend the scalary from the county and was farmed out to the Republican County and was farmed This naturally provides for cases average wages for a year of the av. ing to go there for their pay the ing to Phelps' reply to a reporter's where some other official body than crage Milwaukee wage worker was men would be expected to improve onestion) and sent this clerk a check the county board pays moneys over only \$565! If workers can main-the time by working. And this was for \$60 and advised him to refund to the county clerk. As, for instance, tain homes in our midst on less than just what a good many of them did. the state may require some service \$600 a year, certainly porkers ought It was just such a trick as might vice the clerk did not turn the money over to the county treasure, to make good the salary that had been illegally drawn. And we are wondering to the clerk would have to be turned over to the dredth past thereof, he would spend to would spend to be able to on \$4,000 a year! But be expected from a pious old hypotomy to be able to on \$4,000 a year! But be expected from a pious old hypotomy to be able to on \$4,000 a year! But be expected from a pious old hypotomy to be able to on \$4,000 a year! But be expected from a pious old hypotomy to be able to on \$4,000 a year! But be expected from a pious old hypotomy to be able to on \$4,000 a year! But be expected from a pious old hypotomy to be able to on \$4,000 a year! But be expected from a pious old hypotomy to be able to on \$4,000 a year! But be expected from a pious old hypotomy to be able to on \$4,000 a year! But be expected from a pious old hypotomy to be able to on \$4,000 a year! But be expected from a pious old hypotomy to be able to on \$4,000 a year! But be expected from a pious old hypotomy to be able to on \$4,000 a year! But be expected from a pious old hypotomy to be able to on \$4,000 a year! But be expected from a pious old hypotomy to be able to on \$4,000 a year! But be expected from a pious old hypotomy to be able to on \$4,000 a year! But be expected from a pious old hypotomy to be able to on \$4,000 a year! But be expected from a pious old hypotomy to be able to on \$4,000 a year! But be expected from a pious old hypotomy to be able to on \$4,000 a year! But be expected from a pious old hypotomy to be able to on \$4,000 a year! But be expected from a pious old hypotomy to be able to on \$4,000 a year! But be expected from a pious old hypotomy to be able to on \$4,000 a year! But be expected from a pious old hypotomy to be able to on \$4,000 a year! But be expected from a pious old hypotomy to be able to on \$4,000 a year! But be expected from a pious old hypotomy to be able to on \$4,000 a year! But be expected from a pious old hypotomy to be able to on \$4,000 a y festly the provision quoted does not rection. This is the fate of the com- worry a good many of the manufacturers. At the Vilter works, we are informed, a sign was posted up treasury and the clerk then paying it ing ballots. Common men feel lucky which people celebrated as Christworks would be open on the Monday under the present system, if they mas and that those who wanted The service which Phelps ren- can get \$3 a day for good hard work, work at the regular rate could do so. But the men were not to be County Board proceedings that he canvassing the vote in the last county mon" man has to put in. It means with the employers provides that has lined his pocket with a cool \$240 election. If he had been possessed a day of four hours at the most, they are to receive "time and a that he has no right to take. He of any of those finer instincts of for your ten-dollar-a-day committee-half" pay for work on legal holidays and they saw very readily that this was a trap set for them by their county clerk are laid down by law honorable bosses to get them to and he is paid a fat salary for doing themselves break down that agree

canvassing the ballot, it has just as Report of State Treas. S. D. P. of Wis. legal a right to pay him a ten-dol- Dec. 1, Cash on hand 877.12 Receipts from state sery 228.80 Total.......8305.92 EXPENDITURES.

by statute from taking any amounts above their specified salaries.

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