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Comment on Passing Events By Frederic Heat

There are four daily Socialist pa pers published in Chicago in various languages, nine weeklies, and seven monthlies. A company has just been formed to undertake the publication of the entire number.

A certain old party smarty wrote to a Pennsylvania paper to stop his subscription if it printed any more news about the Socialists. Of course it was only a bluff, but the paper, a daily that had decided to give the So cialists equal consideration with others, printed the letter and cancelled the subscription. The poor fellow is probably now getting the paper in some one else's name, or borrow ing it every day over the back fence

be about 1,200 feet. It is wonderful and yet ridiculous. There is land enough in the country for all the buildings that are required, but capitalism does not work that way. It makes some land so high priced that story on story to make it worth while to build at all.

J. Wesley Hill, a tainted preacher who thought he saw a graft for himself in instituting a great anti-Socialist agitation under the benefactions of crooked capitalists, has had a rather hard row of it. Recently at Pana Ill., in the mining region, he was billed to give a chautauqua lecture, but the Socialists put out leaflets giving the fellow's record, and he was conspicuous by his absence during the entire chautauqua. What fierce enemies we do have!

More Straws

Word comes that the recent convention of the Letter Carriers in Rochester, N. Y., that there was a right smart of Socialist sentiment manifested. The delegates coming from all over the country, and being men who are in daily contact with many people, made a significant showing in this regard, and it was simply one of the many recurring "straws" that show which way the wind is blowing in this country of ours. The Milwaukee delegation were the observed of all between and were kept busy telling about the la-bor administration c. the city. And it is related that when one delegate found an opportunity to mention the name of Berger while addressing the meeting, the roar of applause was instantaneous and thunderous in its de-

The Nostrum Game

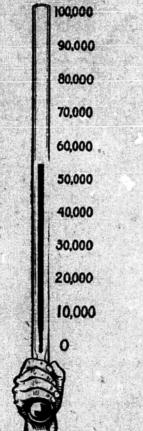
Seven million dollars' worth of pat-ent medicines were sent to Europe from this country last year, and each year the amount increases. But a year the amount increases. Durastill bigger purchaser is this country

Granting that here and there there

Granting that here and there there may be a patent medicine of real merit, although I do not know of any, the fact still remains that there is nowhere a business where less is given for the money than in this matter of proprietary nostrums.

Based on the actual value of the drugs and water and cheap alcohol that go into the bottles, or the actual cost of the stuff that goes into the little pills, the business; is a swindle, a thing of vicious overcharge, and the people are badly buncoed. They only submit because besides the actual substance that they get for their money, they are willing to pay for certain mysterious virtues that are supposed to reside in the hidden formulas. It is a sort of witch doctor business.

Oh, for a social system that will



POLITICAL REFORMS ARE OF MINOR IMPORTANCE

That is the reason that we refuse to be diverted or changes in economic conditions. led astray by political reforms like the initiative, referendum and recall. Each in itself is a good enough reform and has been agitated for a long time by the Socialists and forms a part of

Mere changes in the mechanism of expressing the will of the people are, however, of minor importance when compared with the reform of economic conditions.

We want the Initiative. But we want much more the oldage pension for every working man and working woman of sixty and over.

We want the Referendum, and we vote for it. But we want insurance against being out of work far more.

We want the Recall. But a pension for orphans-at least Plans have been prepared for a those who have no father—or one for working women during hundred story building in New York the period of child-bearing, is of infinitely greater importance those who have no father-or one for working women during than the right to recall a judge.

> Of the political reforms a new constitution is the most important. Because with the old constitution social reforms are almost impossible. No matter how good and beneficial a hovels. They live in the hovels, and the few capitalists live law may be-it will, as a rule, be declared unconstitutional by in the palaces. the supreme court. And, as a rule, it really is unconstitutional, because our constitution was framed at a time entirely different of fine cloth and millions of yards of shoddy. They wear the it. We have the franchise, and on election day your vote is as from ours and for an ntirely different people.

When the constitution was framed, this was a nation of

There was no machinery in use-and there was no manufacturing to speak of. There were no railroads-no telegraphs. There were no millionaires and no proletarians. There

those days meant a city. And there were no trusts, of course.

If Washington, Jefferson, Madison and Hamilton could get up from their graves today they would not know the country. We live in a different world. And yet we have to wear the same political cloak-to live under the same constitution.

In other words, a grown-up nation still has to wear its baby clothes. They do not fit anywhere, and have been torn and patched in the most miserable way by "decisions of the supreme court." But any body who dares to suggest a new suit is considered a traitor by the "interests."

Aga'n I say, though political reforms are desirable they dom the world then had. quence. Economic issues are the important questions, are of little account when compared with the necessity of

> Moreover, the changes in economic conditions are upon us. We see the trusts not only doing away with competition. but also asking for government interference and for government regulation of prices.

> In other words, we have the spectacle of the trusts surrendering part of their ownership and practically offering that part of their ownership to the government.

Thus the trusts-or at least some of the trusts-are willing to part with their ownership because they now feel that their business has ceased to be a private concern. Because the trusts feel that their business has become a public utility of the most public and most utilitarian sort.

But the change is also coming from the other side.

The great majority of the people have no interest in keeping up the present system. And especially the working class is bound to become revolutionary as a class.

Our working men today build a few palaces and many

shoddy, and the idlers wear the fine cloth

Workingmen and workingwomen have to go down into the mines or into dingy, ill-ventilated factor.es and workshops and frontier farmers and hunters, with a few merchants in the toil there from eight to twelve hours a day. They ruin their health by work, so that the few people who have the money can continue to ruin their health by doing nothing.

The majority now degenerates through poverty to that the were no corporations in the present sense-a corporation in small minority shall be able to degenerate through luxury.

> Again I say, the great majority have no interest in keeping ten times as many slaves as freemen in Rome. up this system.

There is also this fact to be taken into consideration: In former epochs the ruling class was by far the abler and

stronger-physically and mentally. In former years a few nobles, clad in iron and accustomed to warfare, could hold in subjection ten to twenty times their have to do is to stand with

number of common people. was in possession of the wisdom of the world-whatever wis- be counted.

The ruling class also had in its favor the belief that this system was God-ordained, and that anybody defying it was a rebel to God.

Things are different now-a-days

The working class not only builds the houses, ships and machines, but that class also teaches the public schools. Not only the man who sets up the papers and books is a workingman, but also the man who writes them, usually belongs to

The capitalist class depends upon us not only for a living but also for information and defense.

We deny that the capitalist class is our superior in any way.

The capitalist class surely has not better fighting qualities. In case of a fight the capitalists would have to hire some of our class to do their fighting for them.

And as long as the public schools exist no priest or clergyman can make us believe that this system is God-ordainedthat it is God-ordained that a trust magnate should have an income of sixty million dollars a year or more and that his employes should hardly earn \$400 on the average, so that the magnate may be able to buy a prince for a son-in-law.

Moreover, we have the ballot. No subjected class ever be-Our working men in the woolen mills make a small amount fore had the same political basis as the ruling class. We have good as Rockefeller's if you make the right use of it.

If, however, you throw it away and vote with Rockefeller, that is your own fault, not his.

Therefore, I say, make use of this advantage that no subjected class in history has ever before had. Make use of your numbers on election day.

The old Romans used to say: "? is fortunate that the slaves never have the chance to count 'a." Because there were

Now there are ten times as many wage slaves as there are free men in America, but there is a chance for a count on election day.

All you have to do is to stand with your own class and be counted. All you have to do is to stand for your wives and children on election day and be counted. All you

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stop the necessity for part of the hu-man family to prey upon the rest!

Significant Development

The Socialist encampment at Grand Saline, Tex., this year scored another great success. By the day before the opening date the irregular stream of incoming vehicles changed into an unbroken one, pouring into the grounds, while equal numbers came by train. The daily attendance was put at ten thousand, fifty thousand different persons being admitted during the week. The tabernacie, with two thousand seats proved inade-quate. During the middle of the week a Confederate encampment met at Grand Saline, with brass bands, free shows and office-seeking Democratic oratory, but did not interfere with the encampment, but on the contrary, about half the old soldiers came out. wearing Socialist badges and preaching economic justice, several even aking the platform for Such an encampment is a novel thing, yet there are several such held every year in various parts of the United States.

Wonderful Awakening

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The appearance of new Socialist papers from all sections of the country is simply phenomenal. No such development in favor of a great movement was ever seen in this country before. Scarcely a day but a new party paper comes to this office and is put on our exchange list. What does it mean?

does it mean?

The result of this astonishing pwakening is that tons of Socialist

ewakening is that tons of Socialist propaganda matter are going out to the distressed people. And they are in a receptive mood, which makes it still more effective.

Is our movement spreading? The answer to that is that, if anything, it is spreading almost too fast. Still this recent development has been preceded by years of solid foundation laying, so that there is doubtless no real danger. One word of caution, no real danger. One word of caution. however, may not be amiss. It is easier to start a paper than to keep it going. Our comrades should not start hastily or without carefully can-vassing their chances of making a pa-

Even at that there are cases where a paper, even where it does not con-tinue to live, has still justified its brief existence by the amount of local is pre-eminently and deservedly brief existence by the amount of the agritation and propagands it has national game, and may in time beachieved.

We cannot look on this enormous increase in the Socialist periodicals as in any way artificial. On the contrary, the movement has expanded to the point where it must have its lo- try who live upon fallen women and

The Socialists with the exception

THESE Are the Good Old Times!



when we can have enough Socialists be on the square-makes for whole- a vast army of baseball fans, but they in congress to permit of team work!

Home-Owned Baseball Baseball is a clean sport. It is a

grand sport. It is at out-door sport. It interests thousands on thousands of people from all walks of life. It

Without it the pink supplements

some sport

But while baseball is all right, its present management is not all right. And the time is not far off when the people will have to step in, in the in-

under present conditions, whereby a with a team that was not perpetually ball player is sold like so much mer-chandise when his owner thinks fit. ing management baseball in Milwanis not a nice exhibit for a country kee would escape from its bondage founded on individual freedom.

The above may seem a wild dream

exist in spite of conditions that ar calculated to kill their nthusiasm, and the wonder is that they have any left. Milwaukee continues to trok in second class company year after year terest of real sport. The city baseball teams that each year battle for
the championships before excited
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The above may seem a wild dream the point where it must have its located who live upon tallen women and lounded on individual freedom.

The above may seem a wild dread, but it will come. I am convinced.

In many cases it works great mission will be inevitable. And think what it All this makes for debased sports, will be inevitable. And think what it All this makes for debased sports, will mean for Socialism in America whilst baseball—the game that has to has been Milwaukee. Milwaukee has alone, but for all the cities.

Gompers for Socialist Success

(By National Socialist Press.)

Los Angeles, Cal., Sept. 10 .- Samuel Compers, president of the American Federation of Labor, addressed five thousand people at Spring Auditorium today. He placed strong approval on political action, advocated the election of Job Harriman, Socialist candidate for mayor, and the entire Socialist ticket. He said:

"Out of all attempts to stifle labor in Los Angeles and all the malad-ministration of laws that have made men and women victims of capitalist greed, comes this solidarity of action. The workers stand as a unit as they have never stood before. They have expressed their determination for political action by nominating men upon whom they have united. Originally this unity of action may have been a protest, but now it means something much greater and the results will be shown in the triumph-ant election of Harriman and his co-

warkers."
The utterances received the wildest enthusiasm. The demonstration lasted several minutes Harriman made a stirring address and was given a great ovation.

Beware Land Schemes!

We must warn Socialists from the land swindles that are found in big full page newspaper advertisements, usually Florida land, or in some other far away place. The land is there all right, but the advertisements do not tell all the facts, all the conditions that effect it as a place of successful residence for the stranger.

The land companies are after you oney. They would not think of also mentioning the drawbacks.

Only the other day a priest wrote a church paper from Florida, warn-ing Catholics to be on their guard. "Land that is offered for sale in Florida," he wrote, "is land that the sawmill has made as desolate as a cemetery. It is full of stumps and weeds and no matter what is paid, it will take much more to clear it. I could fill volumes with stories that disappointed settlers have shouted in my ears." He says it is useless to settle away from a railroad, and tells of one man who sent fifteen boxes of grape fruit to Baltimore and it needed him 8 cents in postage stamps for the whole lot.

There is good land in Florida, but the whemers choose remote and

The Berger Speech

In answer to a correspondent: Com-rade Berger has had printed 100,000 copies of his speech at a cost of \$205.
When these are exhausted he can only have more printed by a further payment. Still :00,000 copies will do a good deal of good if our comrades get them well scattered among the peo-ple. While the congressmen have to pay the cost of printing for their speeches, congress has authorized the use of the franking privilege and the printing of envelopes without charge. But members have to pay for the addressing of their speeches. Franking means the use of the mails free of charge. The speech may be had at a slight reduction from the cost of course. Socialist newspaper, equal to the respect and dignity due the cause of spect and dignity due the cause of slight reduction from the cost of printing that is, 25 cents a 100, or at that the funds required are already raised in a 16-page pamphlet printed by the the remainder must be raised in a wernment, and each pamphlet will short while. If you have not already the enclosed in an envelope ready for subsectived for honds, do so now remains.

subscribed for bonds, do so now mailing. All that is required is to You might just as we'll do it today write on an address. Comrade Beras later on. The workers themselves ger's office in Washington has been swamped with orders and all kinds of correspondence. All orders should be addressed only to the national office of the Socialist party, 205 West Washington street, Chicago, Ill., accompanied by a remittance of 25 cents per

One of the worst habits that some Socialists get in the habit of is in predicting the many and little things of life as they will be (will they?) in the Socialist era. It is a form of utopianism, and a michievous one. It is much safer to stick to broad principles. You may think you know what the prevailing carpet patterns may be under Socialism but to claim to know such a thing is ridiculous, but a whit more ridiculous than guesses as to what kind of houses, what kind of machinery or what kind of, laws there will be when society has finally got well in to the coming Day Branch, S. D. P., City 1 stage.

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Mr. Dooley on the Power of the Press

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John D. All-Spattered and Torn.

"Th' printed wurrud! What can' I do against it? I can buy a gun to jury. But there's no escape f'r wurrud. It follows me wheriver I go an' strikes me down in church, in me avether here or hereafter. A happy man, a relligous man. He had squared ticians an' th' Baptist clargy. He saw th' dollars hoppin' out iv ivry lamp wurruld an' hurryin to'rd him. His heart was pure seein th' way iv business. His head wa hairless but unbowed. Ivry Monday mornin' I read iv him leadin' a chorus 'Onward Christyan sogers marchin' f'reth' flesh, an' th' divvle. A good man! What cud harm him? An' so it seemed he might pro-ceed to th grave whin, lo an' behold, up in en' what's left iv Jawn D an' his power wudden't frighten crows dy knows. He's about to tell thim him a kick, a counthry grand jiury in parlor. Why, childher, does father's knife an' fork an' jaw dhrop at wanst? A year ago, annybody wild take his Why does a pale green flush of indig-money. Now if he wanted to give it

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The Power of the Printed Word

'No. sir. as Hogan says, I care not who makes th' laws or th' money iv a country so long as I run th' asked Mr. Hennessy.

presss. Father Kelly was talkin' about it th' other day. 'There ain't annything like it an' there niver was." place," said Mr. Dooley.

millyon wanst a day, aye, twinty times a day, he says. W give ye hell on Sundahs an' they give ye hell all th' time, he says. 'Tis a wondher-ful thing,' he says. 'I see a ber'l iv ful thing, he says. 'I see a ber'l iv printer's ink goin' into a newspaper office an' it looks common enough. A bar'l iv printer's ink, a bar'l iv linseed that's half stink an' half perfume But I tell ye if all th' dinnymite, lyddite, cordite an' gun cotton in the wurruld was hid behind thim become there wudden't be as much disturb messy stuff that looks like so much he says. 'Printer's ink! dhrop iv it on wan little wurrud in type, he says, will blacken th' fairest name in Christendom or,' he says make a star to shine on th' lowliest brow,' he says. 'It will find its way into millions iv homes an' hearts an memories, it will go through iron dures an' stone walls an' will carry some message that may turn th' cur rent iv ivry life it meets, fr'm th' Imdle in Hanningan's flat,' he says. may undo a thousand prayers or start a millyon. It can't be escaped. It cud dhang me out iv me parish house to-morrah an' make me as wellknown in Pekin as I am in Halsted Sthreet, an' not as favrably. To-day th' pope may give me no thought thin he gives Kelly Rowlin Mill Man. To-morrah he may be readin' about how great or bad I am in th' Popylo Romano. It' got Death beat a mile in levellin' ranks. 'No man, be he king or potintate or milkman, is anny bigger anny littler thin what ye see iv him in th' papers. Ye say it 'nvades our privacy. But so does th' polisman. on'y he carries a warrant an' th' press nabs us f'r crimes that are too intilligent f'r th' polis to understand. It rules be findin' out what th' people want an' if they don't want annything it tells thim what it wants thim to want it to tell thim. It's against all tyrants but itsilf an' it has th' boldest thim crookin' th' knee to it. few years ago if th' iditor iv th' Saint Pethersburg "What-d'ye call-it' wanted to print an item announcin pienic iv th' Fpworth League he' have to take it around to the Czar to have him look at it first ye cud read Rooshyan ye'd see this

Letter From the Czar

Dear Sir:-Me attintion has been called (first me th' headlines an' thin an' thin be me wife to an item in ye'er usually acc'rate an' fair-minded assassynated. While I commind ye'er entherprise, I beg to say that th' mentioned has, through an oversight not yet occurred. I hope with ye'e customary fairness ye will insert this orrection in a place as conspicuous in ve'er valvable columns as th' original inal statement, an' thus prevint an unintentional injury to a desarving

"'"Yours corjally, Alex Romanoff.

At Once the Best Policeman and the

The Injunction Nuisance By John M. Work

More Mail Than Speaker Clark

Cleveland Plain Dealer. - Victor my mind not to talk in congress underger, who helped make Milwaukee less I have something to say.

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(Written for the Herani) the development of our instipainful. tutions the courts have acquired

enormous powers which no one at the beginning of our national career dreamed they would ever pos-

The issuance of injunctions against workingmen is one of these.

They say that Mr. Taft is not an original man.

But if he originated the injunction labor disputes, he is entitled to discredit and everlasting ignominy for at least one original thought.

When this misuse of the injunction first came into vogue back in the nineties, we were all amazed and shocked. The audacity of it almost

We have now got used to it. But the fact that we have got used

took our breath away.

it does not make the bare walls of a jail any more cheerful. It does not make the club of a po-

reman descending upon the alleged violator of an outrageous injunction feel any softer.

It does not make the despair over a lost strike-lost because the strik-

Berger, who helped make Milwaukee

famous. Socialist congressman No. 1.

champion of the underdog, dispenser

of eloquence with a German accent, and apostle of government ownership

Berger arrived yesterday morning.

He saw Cleveland from the hurricane deek of a "buzz wagon." He ad-

dressed a mass meeting of Socialists

at the Grays' armory. This afternoon he will tell about the children of the

rich and the wrongs of the tariff

while officiating as Labor day orator

row night he will address a meeting

in New York and just between times

he will attempt to keep his four secre-

or four times as much as the speaker

would be known as a little friend to

all the world, and he explained yes-

terday in his room how he happens

"Whenever anyone is in trouble in

San Francisco, Waco, or Cohoes they

write to me and ask me to take the

matter up with congress. Now you

know I am all alone in congress and I answer all letters and do the best

I can, but sometimes, even Socialists might be wrong and I have made up

Like Kipling's "Kim."

to get so much mail.

for Berger gets three

is in room 110 Colonial hotel.

extraordinary at Lune park.

thing to win the strike-any less

It does not make long hours of labor seem any shorter.

It does not make men, women and children feel the deprivation of everything worth while any the less

This use of the injunction was an usurpation in the place. It came into existence by the udges stretching their own powers

There are two ways to get rid of it. One way is by enacting laws prohibiting the courts from exercising it For that purpose, all workingmen should vote for the Socialist candi-

dates for the legislature and for con-The other way is by electing judges who will nullify this judge-

made law. In order to accomplish that purpose, every workingman should vote for the Socialist candidates for judi-

cial positions. Then we will have judges on the bench who are opposed to the use of injunctions against workingmen.

They will abolish the injunction nuisance in short order by refusing ers were enjoined from doing any- to grant such injunctions.

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real taxpayers and the real taxdodg-

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he people. No law can hold them

n check The only way is to nation-

Nothing can stay the rising tide of

Socialism all over the world.-Col.

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ment and at the same time use you

money where it will be doing excel-

lent work for the cause of the toilers

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United States, and not constructive? stand by six boys in Los Angeles Thirty million members, worldwide That reminds me of a joke of one of Thirty million members, worldwide —not upbuilding, eh? Three hundred weeklies and 141 internationals, and never get together? Well! There is something viciously wrong where it is a fact that 30,000 organizations—labor unions—are organized to meet the fee and the damnable thing of it all is that labor has had to fight for over twenty years to secure a few of the security of the security and unequal taxation.

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in the last issue of "The Fra," when he revealed the Bridgemen's union had advanced the pay of the bridgemen, or demanded and saw their pay you like to hang on a bridge and risk life every moment?

Then the Typographical union has alone."—Allan thrust its long arm throughout the son's Magazine. Typographical union is too large to

upbuilding and tends to disso- who wished to learn the printing hubbard, banker and editor, and deeply interested in boys that they Thirty thousand labor unions in the fight 20 years against union labor to

> That Glass Bottle association check for \$5,000 for the John J. McNamara cious capital.-Albert Garwood Detch.

"What do you believe the supreme court would do if congress should en-

"I believe," said the senator, "that the court would let the law severely alone,"—Allan L. Benson, in Pear-

Justice at Last, is the title of

melodrama in five acts, which has

"'Yes, sir,' says he, 'th' hand that rules th' wurruld. Th' pres is fir th' whole univarse what Mulligan was fr

his beat lie was th' best polisman an' th' worst I iver knew. He was a terror to evil doers whin he was so ber an' a terror to ivrybody whin ne was chrunk. Martin, I dhrink to th la'ads all over th' wurruld who use th' printer's ink. May they not put too much iv th' r-red stuff in it an' may

it niver go to their heads."
"Ans what did ye say to that?

over twenty years to secure a few ing and unequal taxation a Homestead riot. The English coromillionaire brother is there also and looks on with awe and wonder

Hubbard let the cat out of the bag advanced from 22 to 75 cents an hour -here is where the Erectors' Asso- act a law concluding with this paraciation is insane—a solid advance of graph:

"This act shall not be subject to 53 ceuts an hour—that's enough to make the Erectors' Association frantic—but, say, friend, how would court?"

United States and Canada for the eight-hour law and has won. The Berger did in his old age pension bill. be whipped by capital, therefore the Erectors' Association of New York iumped on the smaller union, the International Bridgemen, and for 20 which sells, bound in paper at 50 years Otis, the millionaire "Times" cents a copy. It calls for some lifeware, fought the Typographical teen characters, and will doubtless be union and kept them out of Los An-geles, and Hubbard would have you go into such an entertainment. Our believe that all that Otis was fight-book store handles it.

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Prof. John Graham Brooks, the Noted Sociologist, Charmed with Milwaukee Socialist Administration

tive, But Up-to-Date-Milwaukee and Butte

Have Best Administration in History

DISTINCT progress toward Says Nation's Trend Is Socialistic-Not Destruc-Socialism throughout this country, with results in better government where Socialists have elected to office, is the observation of Professor John Graham Brooks, newly appointed lecturer on economthe University of California, at

Professor Brooks has given his life to the study of labor conditions and economic problems, and speaks with the authority of a leader in his field. He is the author of several books, among them the famous "Social Un-

est." He is not a Socialist."

Brooks has just come from Butte, Mont., where the heads of the city government are Socialists, and spent much of his summer in Milwaukee, where the Socialists are in office.

He reports that these two cities are having their governments cleaned up as never before in their history, and feared the Socialists on their first candidacy are praising their work now that they are elected.

Giving Best Administration

"The point is," said Professor Brooks, "that there is scarcely a thing in the government of these Socialists, at Milwaukee or Butte, which is really Socialistic. They are not changing the economic system, but they are giving these cities the best, the cleanest and most satisfactory business administration in their history, and are repairing the damage, wrought by years of the old graft re-

"The Milwaukee Socialists came into office greatly handicapped. Their city was heavily in debt. They are devoting their efforts, wisely, to the clearing off of this debt and to a general eivic cleanup, doing what the governments before them did not do.

"The mayor is Emil Seidel, a German of Pennsylvania extraction. was a patternmaker, an out-and-out laboring man, and he is in many ways the most competent mayor that Milwankee ever had.

"Seidel and the Socialists have a majority of the aldermen.

their energies to cleaning up. voters, who expected, as they expect city. They are winning the support in Berkeley, that revolutionary of citizens in general for a clean, safe, changes would follow the election, progressive government." are also supporting them heartily, realizing that though the representa-tives of laboring men are in control, under present conditions nothing

revolutionary could be lasting. Socialists Purify Butte

"The problem in Butte is harder, for the Socialists there have not a majority of the aldermen. They are however, doing great work along for class consciousness. In labor cir-moral lines. San Francisco might cles, the International Workers of ment of Commerce and Labor, in

study them ... h profit. and, a quarter of debt, left them by the old grafters. They are making ordinances now for the separation of the brothels from the saloons, for the brothels from the saloons, for the exclusion of messenger boys from the brothels, and for the abolition of "Now, as soon as this class-consci-

and the state legislation. The Social-itis have made no attempt to be revo-trying to devise a scheme for the lilutionary. They have devoted all censing of certain forms of business, their energies to cleaning up. "It is a surprise to the men back

Business men who hated them and there that the Socialists, instead of feared them are giving the government their support. The Socialist They have restored the credit of their

Socialism on Up-Grade

Professor Brooks notes a general progression all over the United States in the direction of Socialism.

"In Chicago, Minneapolis, Milwau kee, Butte and Seattle, where I stopped recently, I saw nightly large crowds of hundreds of men listening on the street to the orators pleading cles, the International Workers of the World and the labor leaders gen-"They had a heritage of a million erally are striving to solidify the la-

we have the elements of a condition of Socialism. The workers are solidified; their internal differences have vanished; then, if they become uppermost in politics, they immediately tend to gain not only control, but ownership. That is, they tend to-ward Socialism. This drift is very apparent, and that is not only in the United States, but in Europe

The observations of Professor Brooks bear out his definition of Socialism in his "Social Unrest." that Socialism "is so largely a conflict over the ownership of machinery that lit tle headway can be made until its difficulties have been faced."

Professor Brooks has been a lecturer and writer on economic subject for many years. He has held positions in the Harvard faculty, and was for many years lecturer in the extension department of the University of Chicago. While holding the post of ment of Commerce and Labor, in Washington, he compiled the report of 1893 upon workingmen's insurance

Wonderful Growth of Socialism in the Churches By the Rev. J. R. Perkins

ery and restoration, has been going under the caption of the social and or creeds and no creeds, listening to Soon quietly for nearly two decades.

But it is within the past ten years,

Coming Out Boldly perhaps less, that Socialism has en-trenched itself in the churches of this ountry. Who is responsible?

First, the ministers are responsible. In this respect, notwithstanding the old adage, the pulpit has been far in ing it, perhaps without knowing it in themselves against the attacks of So-every instance, they have been cialists, who have loudly declared that

Coming Out Boldly

fer? Absolutely none! Most of them. in fact, are now boldly asserting that the Gospel cannot be preached without preaching many of the doctrines of Socialism. It is highly probable advance of the pew. Without label- that the preachers, seeking to fortify even in staid congregations ajority of the aldermen. every instance, they have been cialists, who have loudly declared that the Bible teaches their doctrines, have discovered the clear-cut social mes- elected as legislators and mayors sage of the prophets and of Jesus. Stitt Wilson, mayor of Berkeley. They found that the declarations of Cal., the Boston of the West Socialism is the New Patriotism the Socialists, that the prophets were social salvation prophets and not individualistic, is true. And in the light of historic criticism they also found another dogma of Socialism to be true, namely, that Jesus attempted to tion he was invited to address a repestablish the Kingdom of God and resentative gathering of both clergy not the church.

I have interviewed the clergy of all nominations, and while they radically disagree on questions of baptism, the Trinity and the inspiration of the Scriptures, they are practically one when it comes to Socialism. However, they are ofttimes guarded. 'Now I am not really a Socialist," is the stock arowal of most of them, though they hold the doctrines.

But the responsibility for Socialism being previlent in the churches is not solely with the minister. Conditions have made it imperative that he preach a social gospel. The church is insisting as never before that the preacher "make good." In this he has been left largely to himself. As a consequence he has chosen live subjects to catch the public ear. He has fully tested the old themes-faith, repenthis sort did not draw the crowds. and the pew-the official portion of it-insisted on the crowds. Then the preacher turned to the social teaching of the Bible. So closely allied is it with the teaching of street Socialists, and with ethical conceptions of a majority of citizens in each com-munity, and so parallel with insurgency, that the crowds gave heed. The church rejoiced, but the official pew has awakened to the fact that a great many undesirable citizens are taking

Asks Social Message

But the responsibility can now be placed at the door of the average member in any orthodox church. He is now insisting that his pastor deliver the social message, not because

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pool is concerned, the strike has recialist speakers adroitly show the parallel between their doctrines and those of the prophets of Israel. This What excuses do the ministers of has been the surest method of approach on the part of Socialism to the laity of the churches; and coupled dockers occupy a happier position towith the social preaching of thousands of ministers, it has resulted in the entrenchment of the doctrines

Here is another significant fact Several ministers, or men who once held pastorates, have been recently Stitt Wilson, mayor of Berkeley, preached for seven years in the Methodist Episcopal church. He preaches yet and to the largest Sunday audi ences in the state, though now in some theatre. Shortly after his elecresentative gathering of both clergy and laity of a certain denomination in San Francisco, and was roundly applauded for many utterances very similar to those he made during hi campaign. As these men and women may be termed orthodox, this inci-dent simply confirms what has already been said about the hold of Socialism on the church.

Study Social Question

Moreover, in hundreds of Sunda Schools and in many Young People's Societies Socialism is being taught There is no far-reaching scheme or of leading Socialists to subtly "ducate the young in these doctrines, but it is being done. This education is going on not only among the children and the youths. but classes for men in the churches are studying social questions that inevitably lead on to Socialism. In such a class I personally questioned eleven men and found nine Socialist voters. Not one of them belonged to a local and carried a red card, but they voted the ticket, and several laughingly confessed that sermons they had heard from orthodox pulpits had converted them to Socialism. And in this connection, let no one b deceived about the membership of a Socialist local in any town or Recently, in an election in a Pacific

What is the attitude of the official pew-and by this I mean the seat of authority in the congregations? the most part this authority is hostile wherever it has recognized So cialism in the church. But it is a decided minority, for minority rule prevails in all the denominations with congregational government. This authority has been slow to see and to hear. For years it has been prating of love, fellowship, comradery and so on in an abstract sense, and lo! these in reality have filled the souls of the rank and file. Authority is now wak-ing up and almost desperate efforts of Socialism in the churches. Brotherhoods to discuss partial reforms, societies to teach the church a wider charity, and clubs to promote a mas culine type of religion are being organized. But none of these seem to take Jeep root, for most of the peo-"The Menace of Socialism," by Fa-ther Gasson, and a Reply by J. F., ple in the church want Socialism or something very much like it.

Are Not Hostile

One of the most singular things about it all is the attitude of the official pew, composed of both the rich and the poor, for the board of officers n a majority of congregations is formed without respect of person in Ill, give and lend to your neighbors.

No one will fail to read these books

so far as worldly goods are con-Ten cents each; 75 cents per dozen; perience of the writer, the wealthy and well-to-do laymen are not, for the most part, hostile to the ethical

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There is a new heresy. It is not theological and metaphysical like old heresies, but it is social like old heresies, but it is social. The churches are honeynow take cognizance. But for the most part the doctrines of Socialism have been standing in the streets to the street outside the str combed with this new doctrine. The most part the doctrines of Socialism have been standing in the streets touching elbows with men of all cheered to the echo. So far as Liver-dispute, excepting the railwaymen, have cause to congratulate themselves sulted in victory on all sides. The because of advantages gained.

the low-grade men. The low-grade stantial gains in the matter of wages and conditions, with the abolition of men have demonstrated their power, the Shipping Federation ticket. The and they have won. The transport dockers occupy a happier position to- worker has shown his importance to day than ever before. They have be such that, if he will, the port of won complete recognition from the Liverpool can be effectually closed.

It's a pity that some dog catcher doesn't trail Upton Sinclair to his lair and muzzle him. When he wrote

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its of the nation his head began to

swell until he believed that he could do any fool thing and everybody

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May Mean Religious Unity

Socialism may prove a new cause for division in the church, or, again, it may prove the meeting-ground of a divided Christianity. The tendency at present is none to happy, for signs are not wanting that a portion of the ministry, whose motives I shall not impugn, is setting itself to the task of discrediting that other portion believing in the necessity of the social rather than the doctrinal emphasis. In other words, the theological batfle is about to take another shift, and this time from the field of traditional dogma to that of Socialism. Once the church disputed over the date and the authorship of the books of the Bible, over the nature of Jesus, over position a churchman and a minister estimable people in private life, they hold on social questions.

Already this has come to pass. I when they think it is in the interest have knowledge of more than one of their party to be so .- Justice, Lonclergyman who has had to leave his don. church within the past three years beause of his social views. In his attacks on traditional dogma relative to the ancient manuscripts he hardly twenty-five. four hundred and fortyseven citizens voted the Socialist
ticket, and the writer happens to
know that fully one-half of them caused passing comment, but when know that fully one-half of them are churches that the party in question members of the church. The church has already arrayed itself in two hostile camps on the question of Socialism, and the situation is far more grave than when it contended over the fine points of textual crit-

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should belong to society as a whole.

Whereupon we took occasion to jocu-

arly point out the learned man's con-

Straightway the Journal rushed

reply in which he said he was a 'collectivist, not a Socialist," the silly

sheet broke out into great headlines

over the fact that President Eliot be-

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that Socialists also stand for private property, but in the hands of its pro-ducers and its honest owners. The

ducers and its honest owners. The working class today is despoiled of

A Profitable City Department .-

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department reports a net profit of \$700,000 last year. The city council

has resolved to reduce the price to consumers from 55 to 49 cents for 1,000 cubic feet. The gas department

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000 which will reduce taxation by

German Socialist Con-

gress

JENA, Germany, Sept. 11 .- The

Socialist congress opened here last

night with 450 delegates from all

parts of Germany present. These in-

cluded all the members of the Social-

ist party in the reichstag and numer-

Herr Bebel, leader of the Social-

ists in the reichstag, in a long speech

said that British intervention had

made the Morocco question so im-

portant that the representatives of

German labor must of necessity dis-

cuss it at the congress. In spite of

the emperor's peace speech before

the merchants of Hamburg, there

Doubtless, said Herr Bebel, a great

result in a frightful advance in the

price of food and hunger to millions of Germans. The Socialist party

would do its utmost in the reichstag,

he promised, to secure the opening

of the frontiers to the importation of

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The Book Table

"What Diantha Did," a novel by Charlotte Perkins Gilman, will be is-

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Recent Herald callers: Lewis Recent Herald callers: Lewis Central lowa, is practically the sole survivor of the many communistic experiments that were begun in the United States in the nineteenth century, and a contradiction to the rule, for it not only still lives, but is as strong, apparently, as it ever was. There is a fascination, we must con-

union has, by referendum, declared against the bonus and piece work systems that have been allowed to prevail in many printing offices. All The named takings and a reason for studying them since such undertakings still continue to attract supporters—and victims in many printing offices. "speeding up" schemes are vicious and inhuman. It is a fine thing, indeed, that the workers, who are the ones really concerned, are able to proschemes are vicious and nounce sentences upon these barbari

A California Socialist editor, H. C. Tuck, is serving a 90 days' sentence in jail for publishing an alleged libelous cartoon on a local police official in Oakland. Inasmuch as the efforts of Tuck were aimed at moderating and improving police conditions, the arrest and sentence takes on the look of persecution rather than prosecu-While in prison Comrade Tuck, who is sightless, is spending his leisure hours in weaving hammocks and in writing for his paper. He expects Boston in which he framed a new to sell the hammocks to help pay for his defense.

Delegate George Koop of Chicago, introduced the following resolution at the convention of the International "ypographical union, recently in ses

sion at San Francisco.
RESOLVED, That the International Typographical union emphasizes that it is distinctly a class organization, embracing in its membership all workers following the kindred crafts in the priming industry, who upon the industrial field are antagonized by their employers on every occawhich fact should impress the members of this organization that to subserve their interests as wage workers it is essential that act as a unit upon the political field, from whence capitalism derives its power to oppress, and we declare it consistent with the ethics of unionism and the sacred duty of every honorable member of this union to sever his or her affiliation with all political parties of the exploiting class, which are constantly encroaching upon the liberties of the working peo-

The National committee has just that hereafter no member of the said committee or of the National Executive committee shall be employed by either committee. The main purpose of this section is sound of course, but it is just possible that the new rule will not be found to work out well in every case. In any organization the most active members naturally are chosen for official positions, and generally speaking this true of the National committee which now consists of many members, covering the different states of the Union. Many of these are natural organizers and speakers, and already the national headquarters has taken steps to retire all national committeemen who may have been doing organization and lecturing work, and to prevent any such from taking part in the new national Socialist lyceum movement. Doubtless the matter will in time readiust itself. but meantime, the party's hands are was no question of disarmament. tied in the matter of a free choice in

A. W. Ricker has just issued a pamphlet on "The Amana Society: a Study in Co-operation from the Viewpoint of a Socialist," which he sells for 25 cents. Included in this volume is "Testing Socialism in the Canal Zone," and other features. The Amana community, which has for a half century been located in south

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REACTIONARY LABOR UNIONS SOCIAL-DEMOCRATIC HERALD-Business Dep't

They Invite Capitalist Judges to Speak at Workers' Demonstrations— The Progressive Side—By Silas Hood

(Written for The Herald.) THERE are progressive labor unions and reactionary labor

unions. And those organizations which are entitled to the dishonor of place in the latter list exposed their non-progressive attitude at the Labor day demonstrations just past.

At the Labor day picnic and mass neetings at Cleveland, O., Milwaukee, Wis., Oshkosh, Wis., Fond du Lac, Wis., Kiel, Wis., Sheboygan, Wis., and in many other cities, the speakers invited to deliver the principal addresses to the throngs of workers were Socialists. Victor Berger was at Cleveland, Frank J. Hayes at Milwaukee, Carl D. Thompson at Fond du Lac, Mayor Stolze of Manitowoc at Sheboygan and A. B. Mance

Labor unions are not political organizations and all of the members of the unions in the cities named in the foregoing are not Socialists. But the majority of the members are sufficiently enlightened to realize that it would be a reflection upon their infelligence to invite a partisan of either of the old capitalist parties to address them on labor's great day.

At Fond du Lac, when the time arrived for making arrangements for a speaker on Labor day, the committee of union men appointed to draw up the country to city officials trying to a 1 speakers presented a list of twelve. Carl D. Thompson's name headed the list and a motion was made that Mr. Thompson be invited had been settled on as best adapted to be the orator of the day. Before to Milwaukee streets. Now it springs the matter could be put to a vote a the matter could be put to a vote a union man, who has not yet been able, up to date, to see the light, exclaimed:

"Why Thompson is a Socialist. We don't want any Socialist to talk to us

"Thompson is a Socialist all right, racial feeling among the workers by and that's the reason we want him," saying that "the American workingargued one of the progressives in the Machinist's union.

"I contend," shouted another real union man, "that if a speaker isn't a Socialist he isn't worth a tinker's dam to speak for labor. The Demo-Republican speakers have nothing but bunk to hand labor. We

don't want bunk, we want principle:" There wasn't much opposition to engaging a Socialist but the chairman of the committee which had selected the list to choose from settled the discussion by announcing:

"Every man on that list of twelve is a Socialist, so there isn't any doubt about what kind of a speaker we are going to have here on Labor day. The committee also came to the conclusion that the only speakers who are saying anything worth listening to in 1911 are Socialists."

Cheers from the union men greeted this announcement, and Comrade Thompson was the unanimous choice of the union men, as there was not a dissenting vote when the decision was called for.

But how different was the attitude of the labor organizations at Mani-towoc. Although there is a Socialist mayor in this Wisconsin city, he was ignored by the union men there when it came to the selection of a Labor day speaker. The choice of organized labor was Judge A. H. Schmidt, who for many years has been render-ing decisions in favor of the rights of property and whose official conduct has never been known to favor the

working class. park read for an hour from a care-fully prepared paper, and in his re-things which denies the workers their marks he attempted to stimulate the rights.

man was far superior to the foreign in intelligence, industry and charac-

Listen to that attempt to try to in duce the American worker to look down upon his German, Irish, Polish or other European brothers.

The judge also warned his hearers not to make "hasty and unreasonable demands from their employers, but to always remember there were two sides to a question."

For an hour the capital speaker,

engaged and paid by the Central Trade and Labor Council of Manitowoc, delivered to the workers thou-sands of words of bunk similar to what is quoted. And to clap the climax, at the conclusion of his address when Judge Schmidt was asked to say a word in condemnation of the McNamara kidnaping outrage the capitalist speaker bluntly refused, his excuse being that he did not care to be accused of criticising the action of judges in other states.

Members of the Trade and Labor Council of Manitowoe you should hang your heads in shame for inviting in this enlightened age a capital-ist judge to address you on Labor day! And the union men of that city who elected this judge were scabs on election day, when they voted him into power. And if this same judge in the near future issues an injunction against the men who invited him to speak for them at their demonstration, September 4, they should not complain, even if they are placed bevorking class.

The capitalist judge at Silver Creek strated by their actions that they are

Definition of Socialism-By Clyde J. Wright Socialism means to stop the crim- ernment would have no use for prof-

(Written for The Herald.)

Socialism. is the readjustment of the control of the means of producperturbed letter to him, and getting ing the necessities of life, placing that control in the hands of the whole people, the object, or rather the necessity of Socialism is to make an opwhole lives-not only length of life, but breadth of life.

> It requires time for thinking and for/studying. The long days and the intense speed that the working class are forced to conform to means that men and women with fertile minds go home at night too tired to do their best thinking. Whether the natural bent of their natures is art. or music, or invention, or science, or elocution or philosophy or any other natural qualification, they are cut off from their opportunity to develop themselves. It being true that an average working man can produce about \$4,000 worth of wealth per year, it is self-evident, that if he got what he produces, he would have time to think and study, and thus could come up to the full limit of his natural qualifications. The whole status of civilized society would be heightened and broadened.

inality among the poor on the one hand, and the criminality among the rich on the other hand-by taking all forms of wealth used by society or by the many away from the few and portunity for everybody to live their making this wealth collective property to be owned and controlled by the people collectively.

It is an unavoidable condition of what is termed "business" which forces the owners of the machinery of production to hire labor at its cheapest figure. The poor are born with all natural human ambitions and upon a very low wage they cannot keep up with the standard of dress-ing, the standard of culture. This leads the sensitives to stealing. It leads girls to prostitute their sex, in order to get good clothes, jewelry,

Many men and women necessarily cannot be employed under the present system, where the workers produce more than they can buy back. The unemployed problem is the mother of thieves, robbers, highwaymen, and in extreme cases murderers. If the means of production were owned by the government the gov-

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its. The product of labor in general would go back to the producers of it. Each producer would have more than he could even waste if he worked eight hours a day. need to steal. If the workers could buy back all of their product there would be room in the factories, etc. for all to work. Each would get his own. The criminals on account of unemployment would disappear.

The criminal rich would disappear. The owners of the machinery of production steal at least \$2,000 every year from each producer under the name of "business." This is tremendously large stealing. If the ma chinery of production was made collective property this thievery would have to stop. Legislators are bribed black-mailed, courts are corrupted, opposing politicians are even murdered, laboring men kidnaped, working people departed from their own homes, daughters of the poor debauched by the idle rich, preachers led to deny the very teachings of their Christ. If the means of production was made collective prop-erty this criminality would stop among the rich.

Uniform Counting Industrial Accidents

"For the first time in America six of presentation do not permit us to tates (California, Connecticut, Illi- compare the statistics of one state states (California, Connecticut, nois, Michigan, New York and Wis- with another." consin) have this year passed laws requiring physicians to report cases of occupational diseases," said Dr. John B. Andrews at the Chicago Conference of the Association for Labor Legislation on Saturday. European countries have long classed with in-dustrial accidents such diseases of occupation as "phossy jaw," lead colic, and the caisson workers "bends," and now America bids fair to take a hand. "Unnecessary poisons such as phosphorus in the match industry, declared Dr. Andrews, "should be abolished by congress as recompicking its lecturers and organizers.

A. W. Ricker has just issued a hill to cover the cost which would and all diseases due to employments bill to cover the cost which would and all diseases due to employments should be as uniformly reported as

other industrial injuries Mr. Don D. Lescohier, expert of the Minnesota bureau of Labor, described the work of securing reports of accidents in Minnesota, where the best law in the country is in operation. "In 1910, the year this law went into effect," said Mr. Lescohier, foodstuffs and import certificates and tion. "the number of accidents reported jumped from 1,200 to 8,400. By 1912 Minnesota's accident statistics will form an adequate basis for a scientific workmen's compensation or accident

President Syl ester Dunham of the Travellers Insurance Co., sent the following message to the conference: "I hope the association will have an her only through her sociological writings. In a brisk and vigorous story, she here shows the practical important influence in favor of uniform provisions in legislation relat ing to the obligations of employers to employes for occupational accidents and diseases. The diversity that now exists is a great disadvantage not only to insurance companies but to employers who employ men in

several states. "As a result of the present wide spread movement for reform in dealing with industrial injuries, we are now on the eve of a great extension work in the counting of accidents. said Mr. L. W. Hatch, chief statistician for the New York department of "At present the lack of uniformity in American accident statistics is a national disgrace. laws, our schedules, and our methods

There never was a good war nor a bid peace.—Benjamin Franklin.

now being prepared by a committee of experts, and a vigorous campaign will be conducted by the Association for Labor Legislation.

As a practical step toward uniformity a standard accident schedule is A con.plaint of the railway clerks One Dollar and 55 Cents worth

These are rented from the railroads at an annual average for rent and hauling of \$4.050 for a car which costs \$6,000 to build. Last year's appropriation bill contained a clause designed to enforce proper sanitary conditions in these cars. In October, 1910, the Harpoon sent out to the clerks a carefully worked out questionaire in regard to sanitation. plies were received fro 140 full cars and 500 apartment cars and the results as presented in (that 90 per cent of these are regarded by the men as insanitary and unclean. Only 5 per cent of the total number have flushed toilets, and very few of

But danger of death is even worse than insanitary conditions. In the railway mail service, figures for 1910 show twenty-four killed and 6:7 in-jured, 98 of the latter seriously. In-juries to clerks traveling in wooden steel or steel under-frame cars, and yet, according to the reports of the second assistant postmaster, more than half the 1,114 mail cars at present in use are wood. A very frequen practice of the railroads is to wedge wooden mail car in between steel cars, with the result that even in accidents where little injury is done to the whole train the mail car smashed by the weight of the cars at each end of it .- The Survey.

More Treason.-A comrade calls at tention to the fact that the two cent stamps, the really useful kind, are printed in red. Possibly this is treaon.-Flint Flashes.

The Scandinavian Socialist Federation, which for some time has published "Svenska Socialisten," a weekly Socialist paper in the Swedish language, has by a referendum vote decided to publish another weekly paper in the Danish-Norwegian languages. The name of the new publication is "Social-Demokraten." "Social-Demokraten." A sample number of it was issued on August 3. It contained general news of the tion, communications have been sent movement here and in the Scandina- to all members of the National Exvian countries, besides several good ecutive committee and National com-articles on various subjects of inter-mittee who have been assigned as lec-

Dangerous Mail Cars

the condition of the mail cars. the toilets are inclosed.

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the end of this month the "Social-Demokraten" will be issued regularly every week. The federation urges that this paper be supported by all class conscious Danish and Norwegian workingmen in this country. It also wishes to call attention to the fact that the Scandinavian Federation has decided that no advertisements for patent medicine, etc., shall be accepted by its papers. Subscription

price, \$1.00 a year. All subscriptions should be sent to N. J. Juel Christensen, Translator-Secretary of the Scandinavian Socialist Federation, 2517 Ems street, Chicago, Ill. National Committee Motion Num ber 4. prohibiting the National Ex-

ecutive committee and the National committee from directly or indirectly employing any of their own number has been adopted by the following vote: Yes, 35; no, 22; not voting, 14. . In compliance with the above me

who are on the available list for the yceum Course, asking them to inform, the national office which they prefer to resign from, their respective ommittees or the Lyceum.

As for national organizers and lecturers, the acting national secretary takes it for granted that the national committee does not desire him to

cancel dates already assigned. O. F. Branstetter, who made a rec ord for efficiency as state secretary of Oklahoma, has accepted a position in the national headquarters. He wil

have charge of a mass of correspon mion and unorganized state ments, as well as numerous miscel laneous duties. Since last reported contributio

for the McNamara Defense fund have been received at the national office and forwarded to the president of t nternational Association of Brie and Structu: al Iron Workers, as lows: E. W. Darling, Papeete, hiti, Society Islands, \$2: Finnish cialist local "Jousi," Hancock, Mi

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berg's haii, Twelfth street near North

tween Cedar and State streets. South Side Women's Branch Korch's hall, 653 Greenfield aven.

THURSDAY

Fifth Ward Branch-382 Washingion street. Ninth Ward Branch-Odd Fellows'

All, Nineteeuth and Vliet streets.

Eleventh Ward Branch - Meier's
hall, Mitchell street and Muskego ave-Eighteenth Ward Branch-Century

hall, 480 Farwell avenue.

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est Home avenue.

Thirteenth Ward Polish branch-J. Slomanski's hall, Center and Weil

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Wisconsin State Organization

E. H. Thomas, Brisbane Hall, 528 Chestnut St., Milwaukee, Wis., state secrejary, to whom news and other matters of this department should

Valley district will be held in Green Bay next Sunday, September 17. The morning session will be held at Odd Fellows' hall, commencing at 9 a. m. The formal organization will take place at to a. m. 'Addresses of welcome and response will be followed by dis-cussion on "The Proper Relation of the Party and the Unions," and "The County Unit for Party Organization." The afternoon session will discuss among other topics, "The Proper Re-Sixteenth Ward Branch—Schmidt's lation between the Party and Co-operatives." The afternoon session Wauwatosa Branch, 37th Street, be will be held at Comrade Joseph's Grove, between Green Bay and Depere. In the intermission of the business, the comrades can view from this point the public aeroplane flight which will take place on that day. The evening session will be held at Turner hall and will be addressed by District Attorney Zabel of kee. The state organizer and state secretary will also be present. This very interesting program ought to call together a large audience.

Sheboygan, Sheboygan comrades have subscribed for thousand copies of the quarterly bulletin. At their last meeting they received six new members. They report that their meetings are well attended. Sheboygan seems to be doing excellent work and gives good promise of a larger organization in the future. The vote of that city would certainly permit a larger membership, and the Sheboygan comrades are taking the right steps to secure this.

Stevens Point Convention. The Seventh Ward Branch of Milwaukee offers the following suggestions to be brought before the Stevens Point convention by their delegate: "1. That a State Conference be held bicnally. The dues paying membership to be the basis of representation. Such conferences not to be held in the same city for two consecutive times. The purpose of such conferences to be for the suggestion of nomination of state candidates for the referendum of the membership and for consideration and action on the affairs of the party gen-West Side Young People's Socialist League—Odd Fellows' hall, Nine-teenth and Vliet streets.

Socialist Damenchor "Aurora"—At ant official reports and announcements,-the business transacted by

> Tippecanoe car line. Hungarian Branch - Heumann

Green Bay Conference. The confer- the State officers and such other mat-nce of the Lake Shore and Fox River ters pertaining to the organization as membership. It is also to be the means of communication by the mem bers on all matters of party interest (Article VI, Section 3) be abolished and that the functions of that office be combined with those of the State Secretary, and that the State Secretary be compensated in an amount not to exceed Twenty-five (\$25.00)

River Falls. This comparatively new local is doing good work. They have just admitted two more new members. They want a date for Com-Socialist agitation to the front in River Falls.

Elroy. Elroy comrades sent in \$10 for the Milwaukee Leader bonds. This is a payment of \$2.50 for four compades who have subscribed for these bonds. Comrade Burkholder writes that he was disappointed since they wanted to send in six bonds, which would have made an even \$100 worth from the Elroy comrades. However, we should be well satisfied if all the locals would do as well. Comrade Burkholder also writes that he has a few dollars worth of sub-scriptions for the Social-Democratic Herald which he will send in a day

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LOS ANGELES, Sept. 13 .- John J. McNamara has spent the past few to be on the alert for any of the days reading labor papers and maga-thugs who might come into Berkeley. zines giving accounts of Labor day parades, meetings and demonstra-tions. Today he gave out the follow-ing statement with the request it be ent to his friends:

I appreciate and am deeply touched by labor's demonstra-tions, and I take this opportunity of expressing my heartfelt thanks to friends and co-workers for the time and energy put forward to make the Labor day celebrations a success, and particularly for the large share of attention my and my brother's cause have re ceived in the demonstrations and by orators at all points,

I also take this opportunity of thanking co-workers and friends for the sacrifices and the efforts put forth in raising the necessary funds for the defense against the unjust and untrue charges that have been lodged against us.

(By National Socialist Press.)

BERKELEY, Cal., Sept. 13. startling contrast between the difference in the way capitalist and Social ist administrations deal with gun-men and strikebreakers was given here when John P. Fifley was arrested by a plain clothes patrolman and lodged in jail on a charge of carrying concealed deadly weapons.

men who are acting as scabs in lumous fact that Oakland police drive drivers and lumber shovers.

Mayor J. Stitt Wilson, the Socialist hands of the jailers.

record in Berkeley, ordered the police The result was the arrest of one bad man who doubtless will be given a jail sentence.

Orders given to Sheriff W. A. Hammell by Burns operatives has resulted in curtailing the liberties of John J. and James B. McNamara in the county jail. Henceforth the men will be restricted within the confines of their cells.

The barred cells where the men are confined are enclosed in a steel walled room about 14 feet square. There is a narrow passage all around the cells and when the prisoners were permitted to walk around the outside of their cells it gave the men oppor-tunity to get near a barred window and breathe pure air. It also gave them an opportunity to get some ex-

The orders given to the jailers will work a severe hardship on the men and especially on John J. McNamara, who feels the need of the walk round, and around the narrow room where he paced hour after hour much of the time with book in hand and only stopping at intervals to make notes on a pad he kept on a small table in his cell.

It is believed Burns hopes to break the men down by the close confine Fifly was one of a number of gun ment and break them physically beber yards in Oakland. It is a notori- for the defense declined to comment on the treatment of the prisoners but around r buggies guarding the scab they confirmed the statement of the treatment they are receiving at the

News of Organized Labor Conducted by Walter S. Fisher

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SHOP

Try to Use Union as a Vehicle to Drive Independent Employers into Marble Industry Employers Association. Washington .- The strike commit-

of the International Association Marble Workers in New York has ent out a statement to the builders and architects of that city declaring hat the present trouble is the result of a plan on the part of the Employ-Association to induce the unions force all independent employers nto the employers' association.

The committee claims to be in a employers have oeen threatening reductions in wages, the establishment of open shops and other undesirable conditions if the mion would not accept the terms of the agreement of 1003. The agreement in question stipulated that members of the union should not work for my employer who was not a member the Marble Industry Employers Association.

It states further that in March 1011, the union was ordered to withdraw its members from the shops of all employers doing business in Greater New York, who were not members of the employers' associa-tion, and that when the union refused do so the employers' association refused to consider an increased wage scale until the union complied with its demands.

The agents of the employers have been scouring Europe in an effort to secure workers to take the places of the strikers, but the officials of the union say they have been unsuccessful and that the strikers will soon terminate in a victory for organized

General Strike Threatened in Italy Varrara, Italy .- The dispute belatter are firm in their assertions that they will not concede the demands of that are manning the vessels. the workmen, and the quarrymen are! determined not to recede. A general strike is now threatened which will

"GO THOU AND DO LIKE-WISE"

talian Union Men and Women House and Feed Children and Wives of Elba Strikers.

the battle they are now waging against their employers. The sight of starving women and

chi'den has often unnerved men fighting for industrial emancipation, and the organized workers of Italy are determined that the men of Elba will not have to face such an ordeal. They have made plans to take the women and children, especially the children, from the strike district and leave the men untrammeled in their battle to abolish the horrible conditions under which they have been forced to labor. Many of the dependents of the

ionists and it was a memorable day and they were carried away amidst cheers to be housed and fed and com-forted until their fathers had gained the victory that would ensure com-

Hosick Sneaked Back

tho assisted Burns in kidnaping John McNamara is back in Indianapolis. He did not come back in chains, but ravelled in a luxurious train, and enjoyed every comfort during his jouri his crime

fornia honored the requisition, Attor-ncy Seyffied, representing the A. F. of L., sent for a legal officer to bring the kidnapper back. When the officer appeared Hosick had disappeared Later he appeared in Indianapolis alone and immediately went to the office of Attorney Spann, who represents Burns and Hosick in that city Accompanied by the attorney he went was made to have the bonds reduced from \$10,000 to \$5,000. The effort failed and the \$10,000 bond had to be

maximum penalty for kidnaping in Ten thou Indiana is 14 years, the kidnapper has increase. lost much of the arrogance he displayed on the occasion of his last visit to Indianapolis.

Representatives of the Atlantic Coast Scamen's union reported at the the Central Federated union of New York that the union is an established institution along the river front of that city The New York and Porto Rice Steamship company is the only line that has not conceded the demands ween the marble quarrymen and of the seamen, and travel on that line their employers still continues. The is said to be exceedingly dangerou

Will Contest T

effect thousands of marble workers. taken a decided stand against the introduction of the Taylor system. The men say it is being introduced gradually and that they are determined to resist further encroachments. Columbia lodge. International Association of Machinists, with a membership of L400, has appointed a committee to Rome, Italy.—Imbued with the spirit that made Rome the mistress of the world, striking workers at Elba are determined to win or perish in the striking workers are opnosed to the system and bers are opnosed to the system and the system are system as the system are system bers are opposed to the system and will stand out against it. It has called for action on the part of the Metal Trades Department, of the A. F. of L., and has arranged for a joint mass meeting of all unions with members employed in the yard.

Navy Yard, the Philadelphia Navy Yard, the Watertown Arsenal and other Government works.

Girls Battling for Union Shop Sixty girls, employed by Levy & Finkelberg, New York City, showed their determination to maintain the

Children Win Strike

Milwarkee, Wis. ing a spirit of self sacrifice that will gauntlet to a publisher and in the

list have overthrown their opponent The little vendors of newspapers went on strike for a better share of the profits, and conducted the controversy so well that the City Commissioners have been called upon to act as arbiters. The publisher has agreed to pay the boys five cents a week on each subscriber, but the lads want more and are prepared to convince the arbiters that six cents a week on each subscriber is not too much.

Will Attend Chicago Conference

Secretary Brockhausen of the Wis-consin-State Federation of 1 abor will attend a conference of the American Association for Labor Legislation at Chicago, Sept. 15 and 16. This is to keep up the interest of those outside of the labor movement inclined to do a good turn.

Ironworkers Convention

The annual convention of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers will be held in this city, beginning Monday, Sept. 18, 1911, at the St. Charles hotel. The national executive board and national officers arrived here and have been in session since the 14th.

Engineers Elect Business Agent.

Frank W. Neumer, well-known in the trade union movement in city, has been elected as business manager for Locals Nos. 311 and 139. International Union of Stationary Engineers. During the past two weeks Bro. Neumer has been "doing things" along organization lines and reports much success. He also makes the statement that within a short time every engineer in the city will be within the ranks of organized la-Bro. Neumer is now located at Brisbane Hall, where all those who are in need of his services will be able to find him.

Iron Workers Gaining

Members of the Architectural Iron Workers' union, who are on strike in New York, are very optimistic and say the strike will be settled and won soon. The men are on strike for recognition of their union and an increased wage scale. Settlements are being secured daily and the officials of the union say the employers, who are still standing out, will soon be in A Montana Parade

Organized labor in Philadelphia

has decided to hold a McNamara demonstration on October 12, the date on which the trial of John J. McNamara is expected to begin There was no Labor day parade

the unions deciding to postpone it until the latter date, when the hosts of labor will parade the streets of the "City of Brotherly Love" as a protest against the un-American act of kidnaping the McNamara brothers. In Bartlesville, Okla., the Brother-

hood of Carpenters and Joiners has increased the wage scale from \$3.60 to \$4.00 a day. The increase was secured without a strike.

British Workers Gain Increase London, Eng.-Under an agreement entered into between the Engineers

and Allied Trades Societies and the Birmingham and District, the scale of fitters, turners, and smiths, has been increased from \$9.00 to \$9.24 a week, and the scale of the patternmakers from \$9.48 to \$0.73 a week Ten thousand men are affected by the

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"Thou shalt not take thy neighbor's job;" scab not. IV.

Thou shalt not labor more than right hours for one day's work. nor on the Sabbath, nor on any of the John Schuetz

Thou shalt not hire out thy of-spring of tender years. "Poverty and shame shall be to him that refuseth instruction to his children." VI.

Thou shalt not live in a hovel, nor feed on the husks that swine doth eat. Take not alms from the unrighteous, lest it bemean thee. VIII Honor the female sex, for on this

rock rests the future welfare of man

Waste not thy life in the chase after the etherial lest the substance be filched from thee. The Lord helps those who help themselves. Thou helpest thyself best by helping they brother workers in the union of of labor. Thy brother's welfare is thy con-

cern; therefore shalt thou have a care for him and his. Associate thyself

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When Governor Johnson of Cali-

to the court house, where an effort Engineers Employers' Association of

Hosick is at liberty, but at the

Seamen Win Union Shop Conditions

Washington machinists employed Holy Days (holidays).

Similar action has been taken by the men employed in the Charlestown

union shop, when an attempt was made to violate union rules in regard to prices, and an intimation was given that the shop would be run on a non-union basis. They immediately levent on strike and in three days brought the employers to terms. The union price list will be maintained and the shop will be run under strict union principles.

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Down in Mobile, Ala., the children are rebelling against industrial coedi-

fortable homes and sufficient food and tions and through organization have avoid the delay of delivery when the demonstrated the fact that even infants may become a power. The wood now from the members of the unions are show. "newsies" have thrown down the how and through organization have avoid the delay of delivery when the demonstrated the fact that even infants may become a power. The wood now from "newsies" have thrown down the how and through organization have a wood now from the wood no

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pleasure to acknowledge your very

of those who have been following a certain political leadership in this city that leadership may not be reliable. can only mean that they believed that THE INTENT that it should not be The leadership to which I refer is the Stern bill was faulty.

that of which the Milwaukee Journal Frankly—my first impression of the My dear Mr. Morehouse, I am not

article in the Social-Democratic Hergave an analysis of the Home Rule bill, and some of the history attend-ing its enactment. That article conmy reasons for the opinion I hold of that bill.

On the floor of the Senate I chalmerits of the questions involved-and raised by myself and others on the floor and in the Committee on Cornot had the study and attention which

The answer given-ON THE FLOOR-was, that "eminent Mil-

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Mr. Frederick C. Morehouse, City. bill was the result of their labors, the conduct of their own municipal My dear Mr. Morehouse: It is a and that the Senate was taking their affairs. No one claimed that this bill

ing, as indicating that at least some had—PERSONALLY—expressed the of those who have been following a opinion that the bill offered by mycertain political leadership in this city self was "better law" than the Stern THE MEN" who were responsib

is the principal mouthpiece at present. Stern bill was rather favorable. But a reader of minds. The ascertaining I regret that you did not read my I had at that time made no thorough of INTENT is one of the most diffiald of some weeks since, in which I that none of the gentlemen whom you

But the more study I gave the question in general, to the existing statutes, to the constitution of the lenged the good faith of the Senate state and to the juudicial decisions after they may be — had made at least in passing the bill, and voted against feeting the subject, the more doubtful as thorough a study of the question

The Stern Home Rule law is a complicated attempt to DELEGATE there were grave constitutional which are fighting the socialists. The POWERS to the cities of the state, which powers are expressly vested by the constitution in the senate and asporations. I claimed, AND IT WAS which powers are expressly vested by ADMITTED—that the subject had the constitution in the senate and asclared by the courts.

The bill introducted by myself ful

waukee lawyers" had made a careful aimed to GRANT POWERS to the whether power could be DELEGA-

pleasure to acknowledge your very word as to the character and contents was not good law. Mr. Campbell of the Journal called it "conservative." that absence from the city will be a sufficient explanation of the delay in my reply.

Your letter is exceedingly interest.

Meanwhile, two members of the More than one member of the Judiciary Committee, home rule bill introduced"—which in and all of the Milwaukee Senators, volved the acknowledgment of doubts

You are asking ME to "NAME certain political leadership in this city begin to realize the possibility that bill—the one which was enacted. That

> study of the matter. And it is likely that none of the gentlemen whom you name had at the time they appeared before the legislative committee gone very deeply into the legal phases of the matter.
>
> INTENT is one of the most difficult things known to investigators of buman history. And I am not nearly so much concerned with MEN as I am with the INTERESTS concerned that all of the men back of the legislative committee and the POLITICAL PARTIES for the legislative committee. Which REPRESENT THOSE IN.
>
> You were in closer touch the property of the most difficult things known to investigators of the most difficult things known the investigators of the most difficult things known the most diff TERESTS.

Surely, I am justified in assuming that the "learned lawyers"—who-ever state and to the jundicial decisions af-fecting the subject, the more doubtful as thorough a study of the state and to the jundicial decisions afin passing the bill, and voted against it. I demanded the appointment of a special committee to consider the framed on the lines of the Stern bill. would be impudence on my part to THROUGH WHICH THEY ACT. assume that they did not know that ED. THE INTERESTS are those sembly. That these powers cannot be suming that THEY KNEW that it delegated has been repeatedly deto DO THINGS, when it was doubt-- to say the least -- as to

> I hold the INTERESTS responsible who have all along fought the socialist movement and the Social-Democratic Party. Originally they were opposed to Home Rule as well. And they do not want Home Rule for Milwaukee SO LONG AS THE SOCIALIST ADMINISTRATION year?
> IS IN THE CITY HALL. Why

And as for the men - look for those men, in that group of interest which acted under the form of the Federation of Civic Societies, and those in the legislature, who knew the facts and the law, and those who were in their confidence.

For instance - you, and others like you, evidently thought that it would be possible to change the elec-tion laws for the city of Milwaukee under the provisions of the Stern Bill. (I did-not.) WHO LED YOU TO BELIEVE THAT? Did they no know that ELECTION LAWS ARE rate uniformly" throughout the state'

WHO led YOU to believe that the municipalities could take the place of the legislature and "provide for the organization" of cities — as the constitution puts it?

I KNOW BETTER than to think that all of the men back of the Stern

You were in closer touch with those men than I was, Mr. More-

be made AGAINSTS THE SOCIA-

The policy of these interests has been consistent, as represented by the Journal. But it has been deceptive to minds not accustomed to look ing under the sarface of political events for the class motives which are the basis of all important political action.

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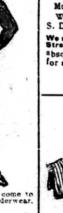
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The South Slavonian Branch No. 9. P., has arranged for their annual Weinlese-Feier, to be held Sun-day, October 8, at the Harmonie hall, First ave. and Mineral st. A dance will follow in the evening. Admission to cents; at the door, 15 cents. Every body cordially invited to attend.

Comrades, Attention!

The executive committee of the county central committee is planning to organize a study class in Socialism and hereby request each and every comrade who is interested in this study class to send his name at once to Comrade E. T. Melms. The class is to take up this work about Oct. I. this at their branch meeting, so as to get as many interested as possible.

The South Side Women's branch will hold their cinches every first and

has made arrangements for their in-ternational "Weinlese-Feier," to be and Prairie streets. A fine program is being arranged for, and everybody attending is assured a good time. Ad-

mission, 10 cents; at the door, 15

Sunday, Nov. 12, 1911, will be great event. The Social-Democratic Singing society, Aurora, has planned for that day a grand entertainment and ball. The South Side Turn hall the upper Milwaukee River, where we has been selected and everybody is requested to keep that date in mind.

requested to keep that date in mind.

The West Side Women's Socialist Club have arranged for an entertainment and hall, to be held Sunday afternoon and evening. October 29, 1911, at the Freic Gemeinde Hall, 264 Fourth street. The proceeds will go towards the Socialist daily. Every-body is most cordially invited to attend, as a good time is assured to alt Miss E. H. Thomas, state secretary, will deliver an interesting leeture before the West Side Women's Socialist Club at 'heir meeting which is to be held at 'Waedckin'a hall, 2714 North avenue, Thursday afternoon,

North avenue, Thursday afternoon, September 28, to which all ladies are most cordially invited. Admission free. Milwaukee County Campaign Fund

Send all contributions to Edm. T. Melms, Treasurer, 528 Chestnut street The following have contributed ince last week: Amount previously acknow-

leged\$1273.17 B. J. Woltz.......50 and we urge all comrades to mention H. T. Jones, on "royalty".... 50.00 Total\$1376.67

third Tuesday of the month, at William Ferber's hall, 611 Union street. Then you will know it is a good plan. The meetings will be held the last Friday in the month.

The Hungarian branch, S.-D. P., has made arrangements for their in our advertisers just the street of has made arrangements for their in-ternational "Weinlese-Feier," to be held Sunday afternoon, Sept. 24, at the Liedertafel hall, corner Seventh vertisers. Get back of your paper,

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Outrage Upon Outrage!

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ing a union, to keep hiring new and people, during those awful moments green men, farmer boys just come to ran high. cluding the motorman, were pinned under the car, and in the frantic moments that followed it developed that the cars that were following was not equipped with lift jacks, as the city jacks on the cars, Janssen has made pened to carry was without a handle, way-obeyed the law and therefore worthless. When Just because the ciprisoned men were got out. One, vored, he has placed the ambulance company for it

The street car accident last Sunday Henry Homolka, a switchman, died a to one side and refuses to have it at Washington and Sixth avenues few minutes later. brought out some sensational facts. Right here some more of the hellster. What does he care for human
and also tended to increase the feelish' tactics of Chfef Janssen became life so long as he can work out his
ing against the bull-headedness of manifest. The new police auto amMilwaukee's chief of police, John T. bulance which the city purchased
Janssen.

Some time ago, was not in use, and

It is against all this sort of devil-

In the first place, the motorman in the injured had to be driven in the ishness that the Social-Democratic charge of the car is said to have been old jolting wagons across the city to city administration has to contend a new man. It is the policy of the Trinity hospital. It was a good thing The Kletzcka schemers got a law compan,, which is trying at all haz- for Janssen's hide that he was not ards to prevent the men from form- within reach, for the feeling of the

town preferred, as this keeps wages to down and discourages the men talking organization. The car was bounding along the street at ting up a little monarchy of his own, a lively rate. The motorman was in alongside the regular city govern-ignorance of the switch at Sixth ave. ment-which he is now able to do. nue, and when the car with its human thanks to that foxy Kletzcka law-he freight struck the junction of the has held the city government at defi-tracks it was thrown round and lit- ance and has been working against erally skidded on its side till it it for months. He has outlived his reached the curb. Several men, in-

laws require, and when a third car no effort to see that the street rail getting the names of witnesses for came along the lift jack that it hap- way-one of his real masters, by the

Just because the city government enough of a crowd had gathered all practicated a modern auto ambulance rule is an infernal one and the coun-joined in lifting the car and the im- without buying from a firm he fa-

through that makes the chief independent of the city government, and here we see some of the results.

And to show how the people are held at bay, how all sorts of work is done to shield the street railway from financial loss, when Coroner went to Trinity hospital to get the testimony of those injured in the street car accident, those in authority tried to prevent his seeing the vic-

The powers of evil are pretty well organized in this town!

Another shameful thing that was added to the horrors of the car accident was the conduct of the con-ductor, who instead of aiding the injured passengers, got busy at once the company. He cannot be individually blamed, because he was simply following company rules-but such a

Stopping the Grabbers

County board and district attorney co-operate for economy.

"Keep your fingers out of public money that does not belong to you!" These are the orders of the county administration to the circuit judges the court reporters, and to lawyers looking for loot.

The county board of supervisors and District Attorney Zabel have been co-operating along this line actively. When they get through with the gentlemen who have been drawing more money than they are entitled to, a sum amounting to thousands of dollars for every year will be saved the county treasury.

Suit will begin early in September to compel the "non-partisan" circuit judges to pay back to the county salary money which they have drawn over the amount the law specifies.

Also, County Treasurer Schmidt has been instructed through an opinion from the district attorney that he renders himself personally liable if at the rate of \$1,000 a year as in the

that a circuit judge is not entitled to is the theory of the law on which the more than the \$5,000 a year, which suits will be based, in part. It would

the state pays. These "nonpartisan" judges have \$1,000 by the county.

District Attorney Zabel believes

fitness is certainly cheeky.

years. He was a switchman, success-fully braving death every minute in

Naturally they would stand by him.

A reader well says in a letter re-

ceived by us that nickel theaters that

put before our boys pictures of In-dian and outlaw life out West, are simply feeders for Bloody Sixty-four

the dangerous railroad yards, only in

the end to be killed by a street car. Milwankee is getting the best gov

ernment it ever had and a professor from an interior college dares to stand in the pulpit of one of our

churches and throw stink-pots at it.

Christ drove money-changers out of the temple. It would be unlucky for

some churches, were he to suddenly come again and find the pulpits used

When the devil gets John Janssen.

suggest that his punishment take this

line: That he be run over and pinned

down by street cars, that the other cars be found to be unprovided by

lift jacks, and that afterward his mangled body be jolted a few miles to the hospital in a horse and wagon

with an elegant and modern auto am-bulance standing idle in plain sight.

When the Bloody Sixty-four gang

Sheriff Arnold's net it was found that

some of the members played high-

waymen on Sundays and during the week plied the trade of prize fighters

for the elevation of Milwaukee's

places. This fact is deserving of a

of desperadoes were drawn in

to boost mammon and graft.

gangs in our community.

Letters were sent to each of the judges by Zabel on Aug 26. These of Milwaukee. Poss specialty through-letters set forth courteously and in out the trial proceedings was delay. traightforward manner the reasons why it is illegal for the nudges to draw the \$1,000 a year which they have been quietly appropriating to themselves. On Sept. 7, twelve days after the latters were mailed to the judges, no reply from any of the six udges had been received.

law entitles them to. It sounds queer, absurd, preposterous. In fact, it judges appointing jury commissioners without consulting the civil judges of the county and then because if they found out it was not legal went back and did it over again with the civil judges included.

The court reporters have been dong a nice little businees of the same kind as the judges drawing salaries from the county. Fifty dollars a month from the county has been the small extent of their operations. Suit will also be brought against the court he continues to pay the circuit judges reporters to recover for the county what has been paid them.

The operation of the circuit courtshould be paid for by the whole state be illegal, for instance, for the legis-lature to provide that of the \$5,000 day's time this, \$5,000 was paid by the state and \$1,000 should be paid by the county

of Milwaukee. One of the interesting grabbers. that the case, when tried, will prove who has recently tried to reach his the merits of the points of law cited hands into the county treasury is \$570.40.

In the brief sent to the county board. Benjamin Poss, attorney-at-law, and Distr the brief sent to the county board, benjamin ross, attorney-at-law, and This brief goes thoroughly into the law partner of Judge Carpenter, pro-Poss be allowed \$315. The motion law and the facts, and sets up a case fessional lobbyist for the Merchants was granted by Judge Backus.

every honest man must admit, repre-

sents a type of men who are occupy-

ing places of influence to the injury of our youth. Just that prejudiced.

jaundiced speech showed him unfit to

honestly impart instruction on any

subject, yet the fellow holds a chair in Carroll College at Waukesha and

children are being "taught" by him!

Give the kids a chance! After

Town Topics by the Town Crier

Henry Homolka, the victim of the If he had been an honest man he

last Sunday street car "accident," was would have made a personal inspec-a Socialist, and had been for several tion of the work being done by the

Poss was appointed to defend Henry Klein, charged with murder of a union eigarmaker on the west side He delayed to get have depositions secured in Boston. He set up claims that the defendant was insane, though twice he was adjudged sane. Poss delayed to get new witnesses, new testimony not materializing. Poss claimed early this summer, after the case had been dragging for months For six years six judges have each that his physical condition was not drawn \$1,000 a year more than the good and therefore he wanted a con-law entitles them to. It sounds queer, tinuance till fall. He threatened to wear out an affidavit of prejudice seems almost as queer as these six against Judge Backus, who had ap-judges appointing jury commissioners pointed him to the defense. Poss had the judge, the jury, the defendant, and the whole court go out to the residence of Dr. Kempster, a so-called expert of insanity, indisposed and nfined to his home.

On repeated occasions, Judge Back delivered reprimands to Poss for delay in the conduct of the trial.

Klein was convicted and sentences to Waupun. Poss sent in his bill. If was itemized. And it was sworn by before Judge Paul D. Carpenter, lobbyist, and notary public.

The bill called for \$542.40. This

was at the rate of \$15 a day for some days and ten dollars a day for other days. For being in court on some days from one minute to five minutes

When this bill was not allowed, he sent in another one, adding a few This made the total bill for his serv ices in delaying the trial amount to

District Attorney Zabel moved that

on fire chiefs of the state, who are cast slurs at the city administration, after day they may be seen there having an association with him to testify the best Milwaukee has ever had, as ing bushels of fun in a healthy way It only shows that what the kids need is simply a chance

> How newspaper "news" is colored to fix up the reader's mind for him. is shown in this paragraph, taker

from Thursday evening's News: The second accusation of the

day the Park Board did not have the unds to fix it up and it soon took on the aspect of a dead planet. The number of children playing there was small The other day the board put A czar for a chief of police is a little thought, as showing certain tennice spectacle for this day and generation! up some modern play aparatus swings, slides, merry-go-rounds, te-ters, and the like, and in the twinkling of an eye the park began to fill up with the little fellows, and day That perfesser who had the nerve That Clancy is the limit. Calling to stand in a pulpit last Sunday and

day in the Clancy hearing) was that Commissioner Peterson of the board would demand the arrest of W. G. Williams, a contractor, who testified for Clancy, on a charge of perjury. Mr. Williams, in an off-hand answer to a question, said he employed about

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