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DEBS VOTE NOT KNOWN

Returns Coming In Too Slowly for Estimate.

Western States Not Heard From, Though Increase Is Expected

Returns of the Socialist vote are slow in coming in. Practically nothing has been heard from the Middle Western States, but it is certain that both Ohio and Indiana will show good increases.

DEBS SAYS "WE MADE ACTUAL GAIN"

HERE HAUTE, Ind., Nov. 6.—Eugene V. Debs has made the following statement concerning the Socialist vote:

"The so-called falling off was not a falling off. I attribute the votes falling short of the expected mark to the fact that an unusually large vote was cast for the Socialist candidate in 1904. Then there were a great many disgruntled Democrats who were disgruntled because Parker was nominated, and they voted with the Democrats. This year they went back to the Democratic party and voted for Mr. Bryan. I count that we have made a gain in the actual Socialist vote."

MASSACHUSETTS VOTE LOOKS GOOD

BOSTON, Nov. 6.—The returns of the Socialist party vote from all but twenty-nine towns give Debs 8,859, and Carey for Governor, 12,900. In the same towns Gilhaus, Socialist Labor party, got 8,244 and Higson, Independence party, 19,123.

While the probability is that the Debs vote in the complete returns will show a loss of about 2,500 from that of 1904, Carey's vote shows an increase of about 8,000 over that given to Brown, the Socialist candidate for Governor, in 1907.

The Debs vote in several of the larger towns and cities is given below:

- Adams, 107; Amesbury, 55; Andover, 16; Athol, 44; Attleboro, 25; Ayer, 20; Beverly, 77; Boston, 1,447; Brockton, 683; Braintree, 66; Cambridge, 123; Chelsea, 108; Chicopee, 49; Clinton, 117; Danvers, 93; Dedham, 217; East Bridgewater, 39; Everett, 103; Fall River, 143; Fitchburg, 285; Georgetown, 20; Gloucester, 85; Groveland, 24; Haverhill, 676; Hudson, 65; Holyoke, 249; Hyde Park, 89; Lawrence, 298; Lowell, 117; Lynn, 422; Malden, 178; Marlboro, 61; Medford, 60; Melrose, 25; Merrimack, 25; Methuen, 22; Milford, 34; North Andover, 21; North Ferrisburgh, 109; Newton, 11; North Adams, 21; Northampton, 61; Oakham, 49; Peabody, 33; Pittsfield, 79; Plymouth, 24; Quincy, 115; Rockland, 24; Salem, 158; Somerville, 201; Springfield, 468; Stoughton, 49; Taunton, 69; Wakefield, 21; Ware, 72; West Ferrisburgh, 41; Webster, 24; West Springfield, 48; Westboro, 18; Whitman, 22; Worcester, 154; Westfield, 78.

MILWAUKEE CAST GOOD VOTE

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Nov. 6.—Corrected returns show that Debs received 18,041 votes in this city and 10,100 in the county. The total vote received was 28,141, and Debs, 18,041. In the 4th Congressional District, the Socialist candidate, Debs, received 3,231; Carey, the Republican, 11,817; and Ferguson, the Democrat, the Socialist candidate in the 5th Congressional District, received 4,936; Stafford, the Republican, 11,290; and Dabney, the Democrat, 1,115.

SOCIALISTS GAIN IN NEW JERSEY

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Nov. 6.—Returns of the Socialist vote in this city party vote in this State were about 12,000, a gain of about 1,000 over the Debs vote four years ago. Hudson County's vote is about 12,000.

PENNSYLVANIA VOTE ALL RIGHT

Quaker City Leads Off with Big Socialist Vote and State Follows.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 6.—Returns of the Socialist vote in thirty-four counties out of sixty-seven in this State give Debs 12,863 votes, and the indications are that his vote will exceed that of 1904 by several thousand, as among the thirty-three counties not yet reported are a number of Socialist strongholds, such as Allegheny, Erie, Schuylkill, Clearfield, Northumberland and Luzerne.

The counties reported in full are: Berks, 1,406; Butler, 162; Cambria, 284; Cameron, 6; Carbon, 563; Centre, 27; Crawford, 107; Dauphin, 753; Delaware, 156; Forest, 36; Franklin, 163; Fulton, 16; Greene, 33; Huntingdon, 223; Indiana, 2; Jefferson, 197; Juniata, 3; Lancaster, 453; Lawrence, 1,054; Lebanon, 203; Lehigh, 369; Lycoming, 372; Northampton, 349; Mifflin, 60; Montgomery, 246; Philadelphia, 5,153; Pike, 14; Potter, 119; Somerset, 204; Sullivan, 16; Susquehanna, 637; Washington, 127; Wayne, 61; Westmoreland, 472.

NUTMEG VOTE SHOWS GOOD INCREASE

SHELTON, CONN., Nov. 6.—The Socialist vote in Connecticut, as compiled by State Secretary S. E. Beardsley, of the Socialist party, totals 5,053 with thirty towns yet to be heard from. The Debs vote in 1904 was 4,543. The vote for Hull for Governor in 1906 was only 2,932, but during the past two years the agitation and organization work in the State has been carried on with great energy, and the result is shown in the vote this year. When all the returns are in the vote will no doubt reach 6,300.

THE VOTE IN THE NINTH

Shows That Republicans Supported Democrats to Defeat Socialists.

The vote in the Ninth Congressional District of New York is announced as follows: Goldfogle (Dem.), 6,195; Cherry (Rep.), 2,312; Hillquit (Soc.), 2,585; Salem (Ind.), 236; De Leon (Soc. Labor), 157; Rugarad (Pro.), 41.

The vote for Debs for President in the Congressional district was 1,530, showing that Hillquit polled 815 more than the head of the ticket.

Goldfogle, the Democratic candidate, ran ahead of Bryan in the same district, and Cherry, the Republican candidate, ran behind the vote for Taft, showing that Republicans combined with the Democrats to defeat Hillquit.

SOCIALISTS GAIN IN ILLINOIS

HAGERSTOWN, Md., Nov. 6.—This city gave Debs 60 votes; in 1904, 52. Washington County gave Debs 105, against 55 four years ago. A. L. Young, candidate for Congress got 97, against 73 in 1904.

MORE JERSEY RETURNS

PLAINFIELD, N. J., Nov. 6.—Vote for Debs, 105; in 1904, 42.

DOVER, N. J.—Vote for Debs, 109; in 1904, 82.

MORRISTOWN, N. J.—Vote for Debs, 200; in 1904, 55.

DEBS AHEAD OF BRYAN

CREIGHTON, Pa., Nov. 6.—Corrected reports of the vote cast here Tuesday show that the Socialists beat the Democrats and cast 16 per cent. of the total. The result was: Taft, 183; Debs, 49; Bryan, 22.

MONTANA MAKES GAIN

HELENA, Mont., Nov. 6.—The Socialist party vote of this State is estimated at 9,000, a gain of about 1,500 over 1904. The Socialist candidate received only a 1,500 vote.

GOOD PERCENTAGE OF VOTES

KEENE, N. H., Nov. 6.—The vote for Debs was 172 out of a total of 2,267. Matthews gave Debs 9, Swabney gave him 25.

BREAK IN GOLD MARKET

ATLANTA, Ga., Nov. 6.—The vote for Debs was 48, Warren, 190; Chase, 22.

BIG GAINS IN COLE CO.

Socialists Beat Bryan and Taft Combined in Creek Co.

GIRARD, Kan., Nov. 6.—One hundred and fifteen precincts out of 232 in nine widely scattered counties in Oklahoma give 2,118 for Debs. In 1907 the total vote in these precincts was 1,452. Figured on this basis the total vote will be above 23,000. In Kingfisher County Socialism cast 225 votes against 94 last year. Carter County gave 525 votes as against 252 last year. Each precinct in Creek County gave more Socialist votes than the combined Taft and Bryan votes. Sixteen precincts in Cole County gave Debs 329 votes, as against 247 last year. Jackson County, which last year gave Socialism 94 votes this year cast 200 for Debs. Fourteen precincts in Johnson County gave Debs 438 and Bryan 914. Colgate gives Bryan 593, Taft 256, Debs 218.

ANOTHER VICTIM SOUGHT BY CZAR

Christian Rudowitz Arrested in Chicago on Charge Similar to Poursin's.

Special to The New York Evening Call. CHICAGO, Nov. 6.—Encouraged by its success in having Jan Joffe Poursin held in New York, the Russian government has had Christian Rudowitz, 33 years old, arrested on a warrant sworn out by the Russian Consul of Chicago, on the charge that he was implicated in the murder at Bener, Province of Courland, Russia, in January, 1906, of three members of a family.

According to Baron Schilling, the Consul who seeks to have the prisoner extradited and taken to Russia for trial, Rudowitz was one of fifteen rioters who entered the home of a wealthy brick manufacturer named Kinze, and after looting the house murdered the occupants. Through a window one member of the family, it is alleged, saw the murders committed, but was unable to give assistance. Taken before United States Commissioner Poole, Rudowitz asserted his innocence. His case was set for hearing on November 7.

IS THIS ANOTHER POURSIN CASE?

It is not certain whether Rudowitz is actually a revolutionist, but the fact that he is alleged to have been one of fifteen rioters would indicate that like Jan J. Poursin, he was one of the "Brothers of the Woods." Bands of robbers in Russia do not comprise like Poursin, as it has no bandit system and no organized gang of murderers. The only well known organization of robbers in Russia is the "Black Hundred," of which the Consul himself is a member, and it is not likely that the fugitive is one of them. They are well protected by their own government and are not in the habit of fleeing the country. The word "rioters" is always used by the government to denote revolutionists.

There in New York much concern is felt by the members of the various Russian revolutionary societies over the arrest of Rudowitz. They say it is evident that Russia means to reach out for as many of the fighters for freedom as it can. The attitude of the people in Washington in allowing the Russian government to rearrest Poursin and keep him in jail until a lot of red tape is disentangled, did much to take up another case.

Many on the East Side yesterday expressed their indignation and urged prompt action on the part of the friends of Russian freedom to check the progress that Russia is making in having the United States imprison and punish its enemies. It is worthy while for Russia to arrest these fugitives, even though extradition can not be effected. The imprisonment, the worry, and the possibilities of an inadequate defense are of sufficient consideration for Russia to venture on the policy of wrong arrests and imprisonment as a means of punishment. It is said that measures will be taken at once to have the Poursin Conference postponed as a permanent fixture in the party program of attending to the many cases that are expected to come up.

MAT MCGUIRE DYING

Former Socialist Labor Party Leader Has Serious Accident.

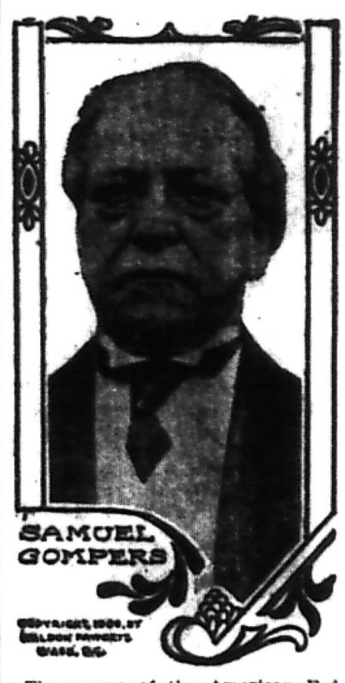
PATERSON, N. J., Nov. 6.—Matthew McGuire, who was candidate for Vice President on the Socialist Labor party in 1904, and who was the first Socialist elected by that party in the United States, is reported to be dying at the General Hospital.

McGuire is suffering from an accident which happened to him on Wednesday night last. He slipped on the sidewalk and fell, fracturing his skull so seriously that he will probably never recover.

NIGHT RIDERS IN GEORGIA

MOULTREE, Ga., Nov. 6.—The home of C. F. Williams, a prominent citizen of this place, was visited last night by a party of men who were reported to be night riders, who had broken into the house and were reported to have been seen.

SAMUEL GOMPERS, WHOSE LEADERSHIP MAY BE CONTESTED



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The course of the American Federation of Labor in the recent election is likely to come up for discussion in the organization's national convention which meets in Denver on November 9.

TAFT SAYS HE'LL ENFORCE THE LAW

Speaking to Capitalists at Cincinnati Declares Roosevelt Policies Will Continue.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 6.—Judge Taft was the guest of honor last night at a dinner given by the Cincinnati Commercial Club, which was attended by practically all of Cincinnati's leading business and professional men.

In the course of his speech Judge Taft said he hoped he would be able to get along without a "swelled head" and be able to meet the burdens that were bound to come.

"I am very hopeful that the predictions made by me in my canvass in regard to the business future of the country may come true. I am hopeful that the business future has been more or less determined and made certain by the result, and that with such certainty investors may feel justified in investing capital and in putting out funds for railroad construction and for proceeding and carrying on great business enterprises.

"I feel that this is entirely consistent with the maintaining and enforcing of the Roosevelt policies as I understand them and as you understand them. It is the duty of the law to be enforced and that business men are to be shown the lines of legality.

"We all are charged with the duty of retaining the standard reached by the present administration. No favors are to be expected from the next administration by men who break the law. Every business man who is obeying the law may go ahead with all the energy in his possession; every enterprise which is within the statutes may proceed without fear of interference from the administration when acting legally, but all interests within the jurisdiction of the Federal Government may expect a rigid enforcement of the laws against dishonest methods."

DEMOCRATS CARRY COLORADO

Both State and National Ticket Are Successful in That State.

DENVER, Col., Nov. 6.—Estimated plurality by counties based upon incomplete returns show that Bryan and the entire Democratic State ticket, headed by John F. Shafroth for Governor, carried Colorado with plurality in the neighborhood of 8,000. The Democrats probably will control the Legislature by a narrow margin, securing the election of Charles F. Hughes, Jr., as United States Senator to succeed Teller, Hughes having been endorsed for the position by the State convention.

BRONX BANKERS STRIKE

Men Quit Work Against Low Hours and Small Wages.

The bankers employed at the bakery of A. Dreder, 240 Longwood avenue, Bronx, have gone out on strike against low hours and small wages.

COSSACKS IN JERSEY

Brutal Police Help Boss Fight Butchers' Union.

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Nov. 6.—Great indignation is expressed by the residents of Jersey City Heights at the Cossack-like action of the police in their efforts to help in breaking the strike of the twenty-two members of Butchers' Union No. 190, who walked out of the Flechenstein Bros. Company's shop, 338 Central avenue, on Monday, in order to force the company to pay the union scale.

The men say that the cops are helping the company in every way possible, even beating up union pickets and innocent citizens. This action is not confined to the mere patrolmen, when President George Knoke, of the Butchers' Union, went to the station house at Central avenue and Hutton street, and asked if an American citizen had the right to walk the streets, the police captain, in true Russian style, threatened to throw him out, and said:

"I'll fix you yet. If I catch you on Central avenue I'll pinch you sure."

The union intends to show the police hoodlums that it will not stand for such work, as Frank Andel, a union butcher who works in another shop, but happened to be looking for a friend on Central avenue and who was taken for a union picket by Patrolman No. 102 and severely beaten up, has filed a complaint at Police Headquarters, where the inspector in charge promised to investigate the matter and discipline the brutal cop.

Another particularly outrageous case in that of Henry Kraeter, a union picket, who was ordered to come along into the Flechenstein shop by Patrolman Haeger, Wednesday, and upon refusing was chased down the street, captured by another uniformed thug and then brutally clubbed by Haeger. The cop then had the assurance to take his victim to the station house and prefer a charge of disorderly conduct against him.

CARLES WILL FIGHT CASE

The union at once secured the services of the well-known labor lawyer, Harry Carles, of the New Jersey Labor Secretariat, who, when the case came up before Magistrate Quinlan yesterday, had it put over until to-morrow morning when evidence will be presented that will cause the charge to be dismissed and the offending policeman disciplined.

The case of V. Faupel and Hubert Vidour, a mutual charge of assault and battery, comes up to-day and Lawyer Carles will represent Vidour.

Faupel, who is a non-union man, and one of the half dozen who remained at work when the men struck, became incensed the other day when Vidour, who is one of the strikers, asked him for the return of a five-dollar loan and instead of paying picked up Henry Carles in a restaurant and on the arm so severely that it required medical attention.

Vidour got out a warrant for his assailant, who did likewise, and an exciting time is expected at the trial. Henry Carles is representing Vidour and will see that his client obtains justice.

The strike which was caused by the refusal of Boss Neiderlitz, of the Flechenstein Company, to treat with the men upon the question of paying union wages and signing a contract with the union is still on. The strikers are confident of victory, as the boss has only been able to get a few sales.

SOCIALIST WINS IN BRAZIL

RIO DE JANEIRO, Nov. 6.—The first notable Socialist victory has been gained in Brazil. In the elections to the Federal Senate just held the noted Socialist writer Castro Pinto was elected to the first Socialist seat in that body from the constituency of Parahyba, one of the northern communities.

Pinto is known throughout South America as one of the foremost writers on political topics of the day. He has preached Socialism up and down Brazil and was instrumental in the election of five of the twelve Socialists in the lower house of the republic.

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GIRL DRESSMAKERS CONTINUE STRIKE

Are Loyal to Their Struggle Against the Oppressive Piecework System.

Undaunted by the efforts of M. Cohn & Co., of 92 Fifth avenue, to discourage their cause by dragging them into the police court, the 125 girls on strike at the dressmaking shops of that firm met last night at their headquarters at 133 Eldridge street and enthusiastically resolved to carry on their struggle to the finish.

The girls quit work on Tuesday, October 27, when their employers tried to inaugurate the oppressive piece work system. The strikers claim that had they submitted to the proposed change their pay would have been greatly decreased. They point out that as they are employed on high class work the styles change very often and that this would mean a continual struggle for the proper compensation for the new style of work.

STRIKERS ARE LOYAL

The strikers, who are mostly Jewish and Italian, have stood out loyally. Last Saturday they organized themselves into a Dressmakers' Union.

The company has tried to secure Italian girl strikebreakers, but most of the few they have managed to get have quit and joined the ranks of the strikers.

Angered by the success of the strikers the company caused the arrest of five pickets of the strikers yesterday morning. All were discharged in Jefferson Market Court, except one, Miss Esther Axelrod, of 66 Montgomery street, who was fined one dollar. It was alleged that she held the hand of one of the strikebreakers while asking her not to take the strikers' places.

ORGANIZED LABOR SUPPORTS STRIKERS

The Women's Trade Union League has interested itself in the struggle of the girls, and Miss Rose Schneiderman, vice president of that organization, has taken charge of the strike. The United Hebrew Trades has furnished the strikers with meeting rooms free of charge.

The union made a vigorous appeal for financial support of the dressmakers employed in the shops on Fifth avenue. All the workers of the industry feel that the strike is a common struggle and that if this particular company is victorious, the piecework system will be introduced in the other dressmaking shops.

DOUGLAS MOVES DESERTING UNIONS

BROCKTON, Mass., Nov. 6.—As a result of its inability to arrive at a settlement with its employees, the Douglas Shoe Company has dismissed 2,500 of its employees and has signed a five-year lease for a big shoe factory at Springfield, Me., which will be opened Monday with an output of 6,000 pairs of shoes daily.

The union label has been withdrawn from the Douglas Shoe Company by the Boot and Shoe Workers' Union because of alleged violation of the agreement between the company and the union.

W. L. Douglas, head of the Douglas Shoe Company, was elected Governor of Massachusetts in 1904 on the Democratic ticket and was supported by the trades unions of the State on account of being a "fair employer." The union made a vigorous campaign for Douglas and he owed his election to their support. The famous "bring wedge" organized by leaders of the Boston unions was a feature of this campaign.

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He was for a time one of the editors of the Socialist daily at Lisbon, O. Socialist.

BANKERS IN JAIL

Morse and Curtis Both Found Guilty.

Lawyers Will Appeal Case in Hope of Getting Bail—They Could Be Sentenced to 500 Years on the 22 Counts—Judge Hough Will Impose Sentence To-morrow.

Charles W. Morse, who was worth \$22,000,000 last year, and Alfred H. Curtis, former president of the National Bank of North America, were prisoners last night in the same cell on the seventh tier in the Tombs prison. There are two berths in the cell, an upper and a lower one. Morse slept in the lower berth. The cell is about six feet wide and eight feet long.

The two men were locked in the cell at 6:30 o'clock, and at midnight neither of them had gone to sleep. Morse's bedroom in his palatial home at 728 Fifth avenue, has the costliest and most luxurious furnishings money can buy. The cell he occupied last night had no covering on the cement floor, and the berth in which he slept was merely an iron framed affair with the slits of mattresses and coarse cheap bed clothing.

The jury found both not guilty on the conspiracy charge, which was the least serious in the blanket indictment, involving only a maximum punishment of two years in prison or a fine of \$10,000, or both.

The jury's verdict of guilty applied to both the charge of misapplication of funds and of making false entries in the books of the bank and in reports to the Comptroller of the Currency.

In the indictment charging misapplication of funds there were twenty-three counts against each man, and on the false entry charge there were twenty counts against each.

The jury found both men guilty on every one of the fifty-three counts.

The minimum punishment fixed by the Federal Banking law for misapplication of funds is five years in prison, which would be the maximum punishment. For making false entries the minimum punishment is the same. In each case the maximum punishment is ten years.

In rendering its verdict the jury made a strong recommendation to the court for mercy in the case of Curtis.

As the law fixes no alternative of a fine on either the charge on which Curtis was found guilty the smallest sentence the court can impose is five years in prison.

IMPORTANT MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS

A very important meeting of the Workingmen's Co-Operative Publishing Association will be held at Pearl Hall, 475 Pearl street this evening. Every member must be on hand and all proposed members must have their party membership cards with them. Many worthy matters will be discussed. All Socialist party members with cards will also be welcome. The meeting will start promptly at 8 P. M.

NICHOLS WAS RE-ELECTED

SCRANTON, Pa., Nov. 6.—Thomas B. Nichols was re-elected to the 10th Congressional District in the Legislature. He was re-elected by a plurality of 284. Nichols is the Socialist candidate in the United States House of Representatives.

THE NEW THEATER WANTS PLAYS

The New Theater announced that it is ready to receive plays and consider them for production during its first season, which will be the 6th year from the present season.

COMMITTEE ASKS FOR SETTLEMENT

The committee of arrangements of the election night affair held at Grand Central Palace requests all party and labor organizations which have tickets or money for the sale of tickets in their possession, to kindly forward the same to the committee, care of The Call, at once, as it wishes to make a report of the results of this undertaking as soon as possible.

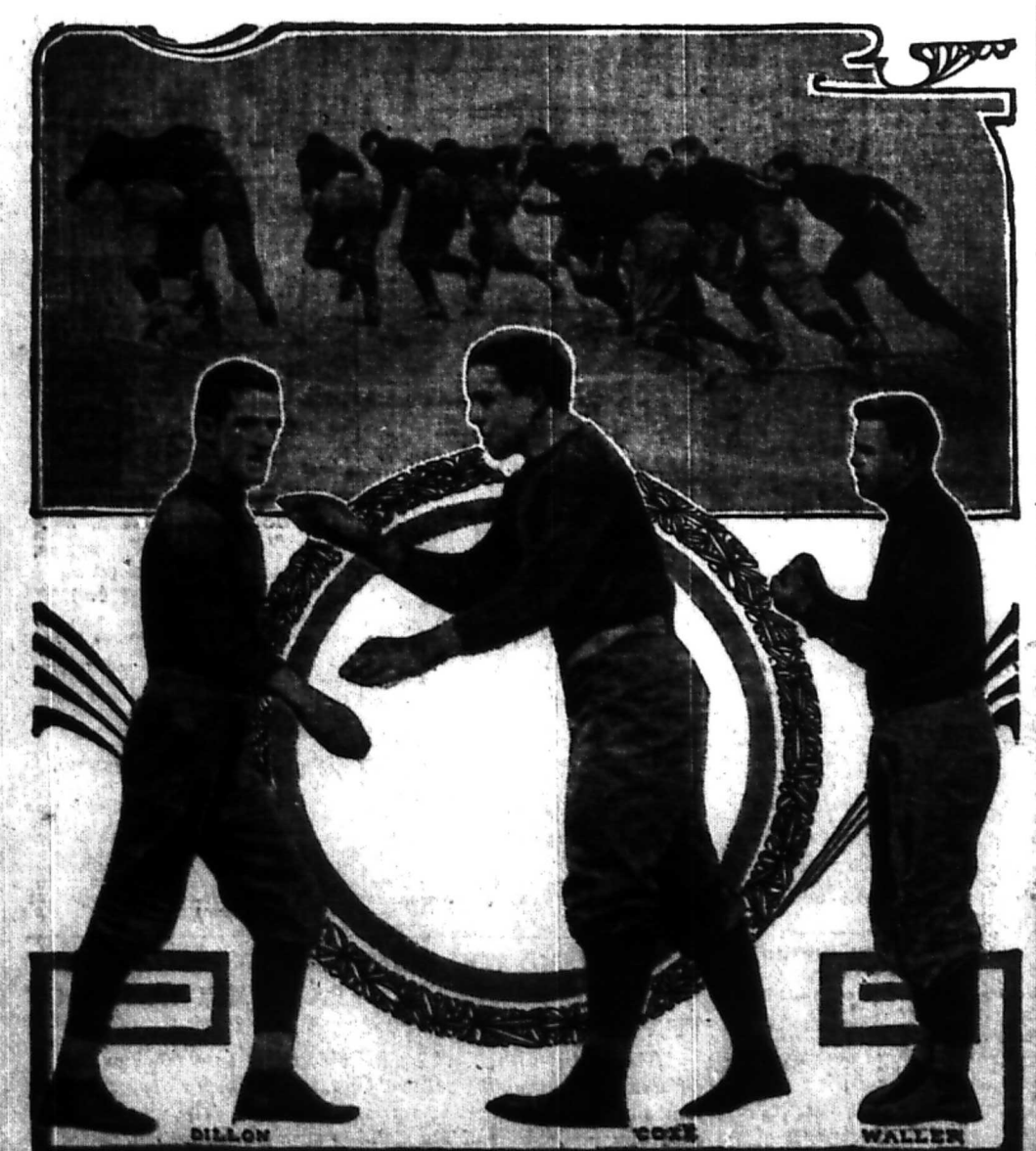
WHAT HAPPENED TO UMPIRE?

Were 100 Players on a Side When Mound Builders Played Baseball. CHICAGO, Nov. 6.—Baseball is not a modern game and all credit for the invention of it should go to the mound builders.

BROWN'S OPENS TUESDAY.

The regular weekly entertainment will be resumed at Brown's Gymnasium beginning next Tuesday evening, November 10, with an all-star show.

Princeton's Captain, Two Star Players and the 'Varsity Eleven in Action



Princeton hopes for an easy victory over Dartmouth on November 7, having indulged in some hard practice in the last ten days. Captain Billon is expected to receive the ball from the hands of the Princeton players.

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Table listing various organizations and their vote counts for the library contest. Includes Turn Verein Vorwaerts, Bakers' Union, etc.

DUNN TO FIGHT ADAMS.

Danny Dunn and Joe Adams will meet in the star bout at the Long Acre A. C. to-morrow night.

HYLAND TO FIGHT PALMER.

Joe Hyland and Joe Palmer have been matched to fight in the star bout at the Dry Dock A. C. to-morrow night.

There will be five other bouts for the club members, and the Dry Dock A. C. is protected by an injunction the managers do not look for any police interference.

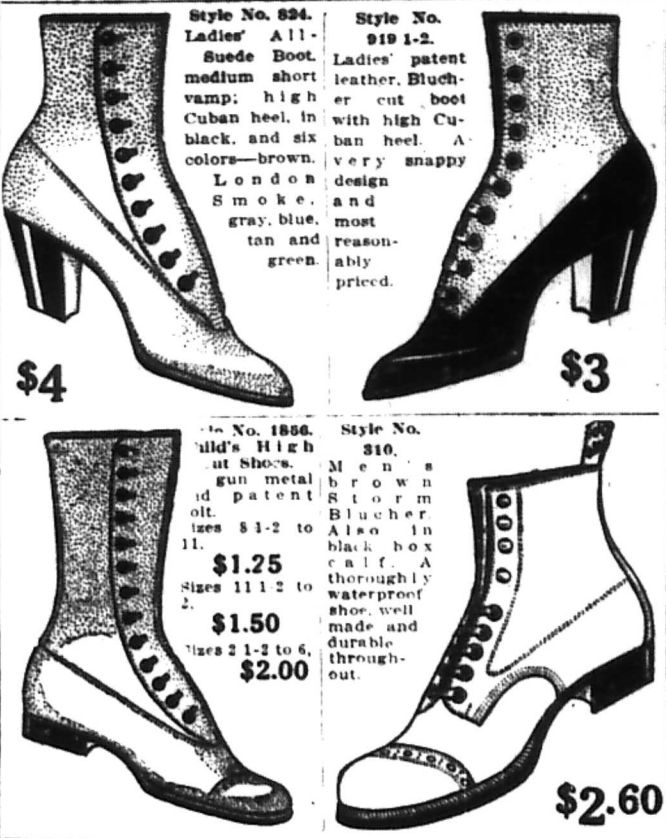
RAGO AFTER COULON.

Manager Billy Newman yesterday issued a challenge on behalf of Young Rago to fight Johnny Coulon or Young O'Leary any number of rounds at 105 pounds.

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STAN LUTCHER IS STILL AT WORK

Woodhounds Torture Vassilief While Waiting Chance to Murder Fouren.

ST. PETERSBURG, Russia, Nov. 6.—The details of the execution of the death sentence against Vassilief, the chief of police here last week, have just leaked out through the channels. Vassilief is being slowly, very slowly, tortured to death in the prison. He is confined in a subterranean chamber into which not the faintest ray of light can penetrate. The chamber is too short to permit him to lie down, and the ceiling is too low to permit him to stand up. The walls of this horrible chamber are so thick that not the slightest sound can penetrate them. There is complete darkness and silence. The prisoner is fed at very infrequent intervals, and then just enough to prolong his agony. He sees and hears absolutely nothing, but the sound of a voice for days at a time. It is a miracle that Vassilief has not died long ago. He is an exceptionally strong man, both physically and mentally, however, and the count upon his endurance to the torture for months before death comes to his relief. It was this shameful torture that the republic of Switzerland returned Vassilief on the demand of the czar, the crimes with which he was charged were provoked by the horrible torture of a young girl Socialist by the chief of police whom Vassilief shot. The girl was a cousin of his, and it was driven to a frenzy by her wrongs when he took the law into his own hands and shot the chief of police. The latter was riding through the streets.

INDEPENDENT LABOR PARTY FOR GOMPERS

CHICAGO, Nov. 6.—The forming of an independent labor party by the followers of President Samuel Gompers is one of the possibilities growing out of the defeat of Bryan and the "labor issues" proclaimed by Gompers and his leaders say. The subject undoubtedly will receive consideration at the American Federation convention which opens at Denver next Tuesday morning. In many ways this will be one of the most important conventions ever held in the nation. The labor federation, President Gompers will be called upon to give an account of his "political leadership" of the labor vote he has won.

MISSOURI UNION MEN DENOUNCE GOVERNMENT FOR HOLDING RUSSIAN AND MEXICAN REBELS.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Nov. 6.—The Deer Lake Lodge No. 17, International Association of Machinists, has denounced the Government in scathing terms for the attitude assumed toward Jan Pouden, the Russian refugee, and toward the Mexican revolutionists now in jail at Los Angeles. A copy of the resolutions passed by the lodge will be sent to President Roosevelt. The resolutions read in part as follows: "Whereas, One Jan Pouden, a Russian political refugee, has been languishing in the Tombs for the past nine months at the behest of agents of the czar, and

INTERVIEW BEARS THIS OUT.

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BROOKLYN. The County Committee of Local Kings County will meet Saturday, November 7, at the Labor Lyceum, 949 Willoughby avenue. Delegates are urged to attend this meeting.

TROL. N. Y. Branch 128, Workmen's Circle, will hold a regular business meeting at Germania Hall, River street, Sunday, November 8.

NEW HAVEN, CONN. Considerable Socialist sentiment is to be found among the rising generation here, as was shown by a straw vote for President taken in the High School which resulted as follows: Tatt, 1,265; Bryan, 691; Debs, 132; Chaffin, 9; Hilsagen, 5. Several of the pupils claim that the Socialist vote would have been much larger if the principal had not failed to give out Socialist ballots in a number of rooms.

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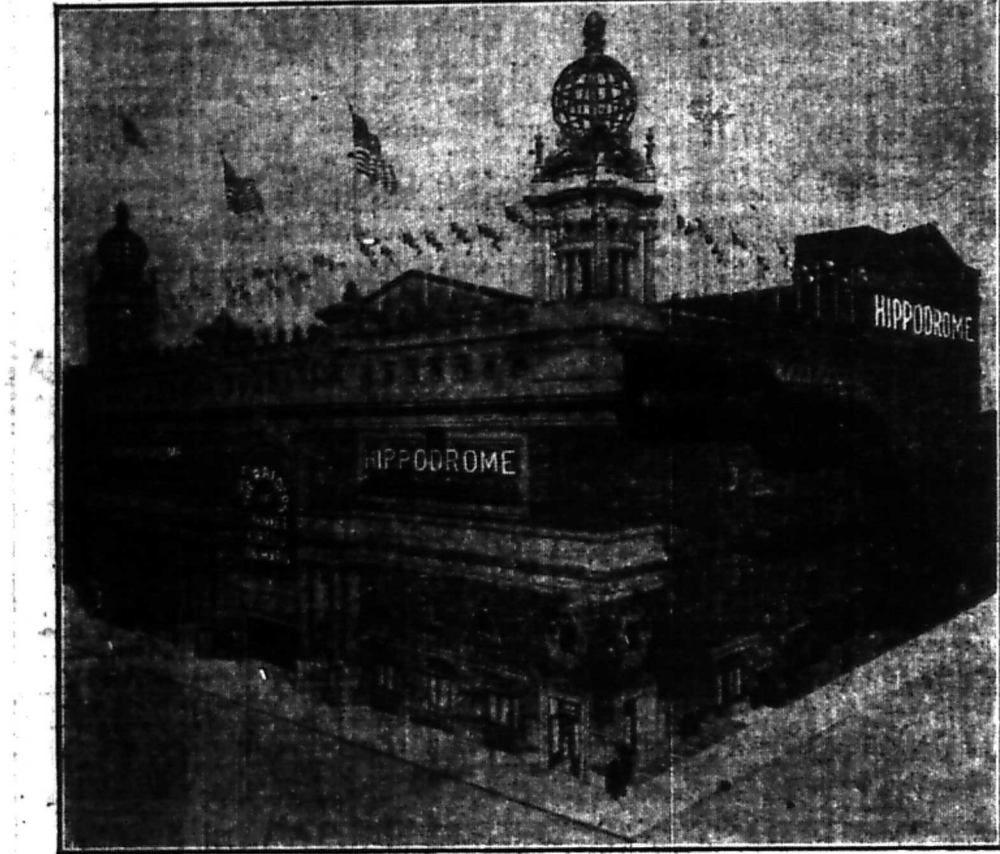
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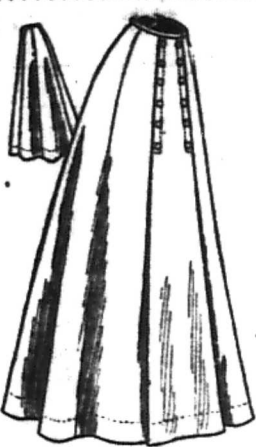
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A NEWSPAPER FOR THE WORKERS

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You who have voted the Socialist ticket, the next thing for you to do is to join the Socialist party organization. Every Socialist should be a member of the party and do his full share the year round to carry on its work and direct its policy.

THE CAUSE OF HARD TIMES.
The working class of the United States cannot expect any remedy for its wrongs from the present ruling class or from the dominant parties. So long as a small number of individuals are permitted to control the sources of the nation's wealth for their private profit in competition with each other and for the exploitation of their fellowmen, industrial depressions are bound to occur at certain intervals.—From the Socialist Platform.

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Mr. Gompers says that "the moral influence of the campaign is with the cause of the workers." That may be true, whatever he means by it. But a surer thing is this, that Mr. Gompers did what he could to prevent the moral influence of the workers from being materialized in such

PRESIDENT GOMPERS' "MORAL INFLUENCE."

a form as would command the respect of the workers' enemies—that is, in votes against capitalism. And he has not even the poor justification of having achieved what is called practical success.

The Socialist vote has grown, in spite of his opposition. It would have grown more had his opposition not been in the way, and perhaps the capitalists will recognize the service he has done in obstructing its growth.

But his positive influence has been proven to be practically negligible. The party which he supported, for which he sacrificed consistency and such reputation for sagacity as he ever had, has gone down in crushing and ignominious defeat. Whatever elements of apparent radicalism it had are repudiated. Bryan and his associates have lost their hold—lost it publicly, as they had actually lost it even before this campaign. The most reactionary interests within the Democratic party are rejoicing—the interests that used Bryan as a stalking-horse and Gompers as a decoy. They are now in the position where they can discard both and run the party to suit themselves. They have used their "moral influence" and used it up and have no further occasion for it.

As for the masses who have followed Bryan and Gompers and lost, their hearts are heavy to-day. They are wondering where to turn. And they will find out. We are going to help them to find out; and now that the heat of the electoral contest is over, now that they have time to think calmly instead of getting excited over personalities and guessing about immediate results, we shall find such opportunities as we never had before for fruitful educational and organizing work.

The New York "World" predicted some weeks ago that probably fifteen hundred thousand men would be disfranchised this year as a result of the hard times—workingmen who have lost their jobs during the last twelve months and have had to go from place to place in quest of employment and have not had time to acquire a residence qualifying them to vote. While it is impossible to be at all sure as to the accuracy of the figures, there can be no doubt that this has happened in an enormous number of cases, more than in any previous national election. And it cannot be doubted that the Socialist party suffered more than any other from this cause.

One of the things that several of our old-party contemporaries find occasion to rejoice over this year is the increase of the so-called independent vote. Some of them are pointing with pride to the large number of Republicans who scratched for Chamberlain, the Democratic candidate for Governor. Others are pointing with equal pride to the number, also large, of Democrats who scratched for Hughes, the Republican candidate for Governor. We have only to remark that the net result is virtually the same as if all these independent gentlemen had voted their party tickets straight. This well illustrates the futility of what is called independence in politics.

One set of Republican dailies announce that the Japanese are rejoicing over Taft's election, because they are sure he will stand for peace. Another set of Republican dailies announce that the Chinese are rejoicing over Taft's election, because they are sure he will use the power of the United States to oppose Japanese expansion. Which is right? "God knows," as Mr. Taft himself would say. We are sure that the President-elect does not know, and will not until the big-capitalist interests of the country get ready to tell him what they want done.

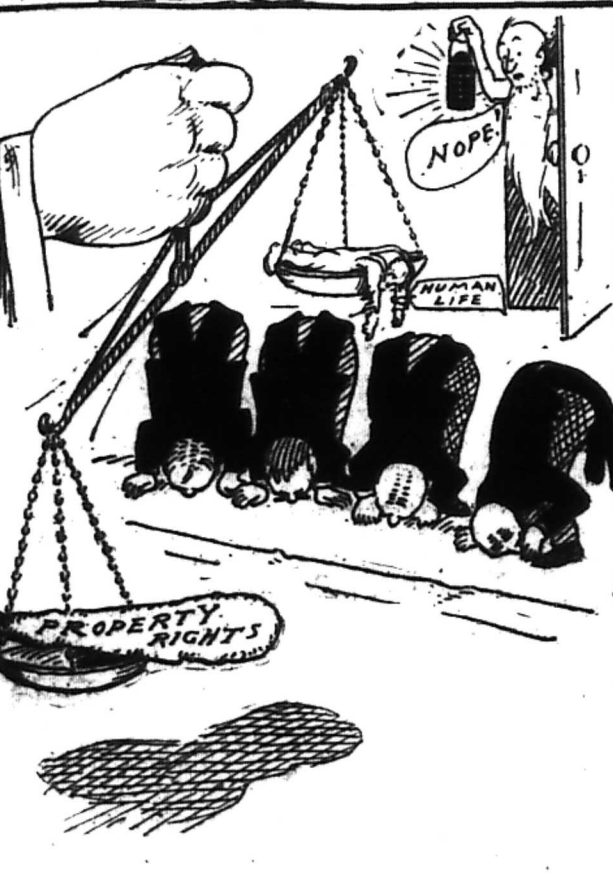
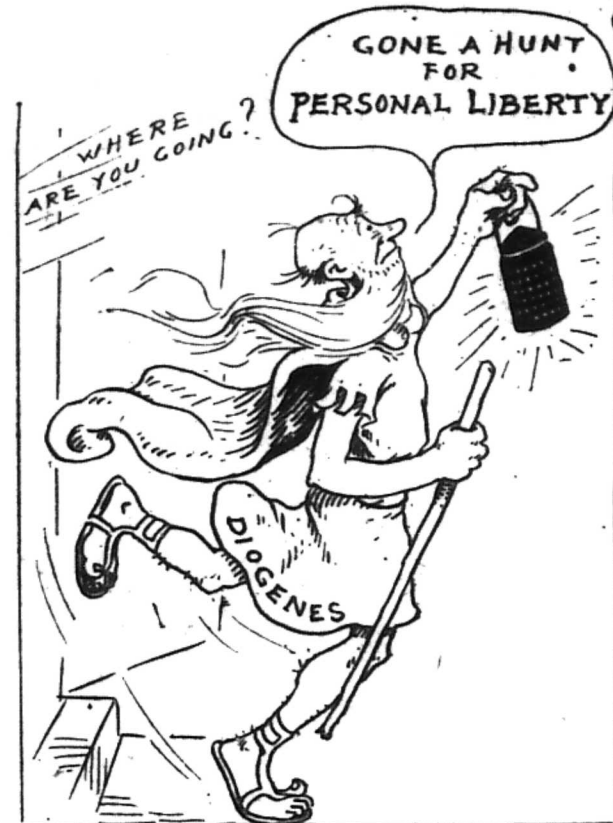
Amidst the chorus of praise that is going up for Charles William Eliot as he retires from the presidency of Harvard University, it is timely to remark that millions of men will remember him as the man who said "The scab is a high type of American hero." Not all his undoubted scholarship and all his services as an educator in the narrower and more technical sense can conceal that blot upon his fame.

Now it is up to the capitalists of the country to make good their promises of returning good times if Taft was elected. The Republican press is printing many reports of increase of wages and re-employment of men, and no one will be more pleased than we if the improvement proves to be genuine and lasting. But we want to be shown.

Bryan sends congratulations to Taft. Why not? For men to whom politics is a game, the best thing is to play the game like "sports" and shake hands when it is over. But who will congratulate the man who was in earnest, who fixed their hopes on Bryan's success, and to whom his defeat seems a national calamity?

Chairman Mack predicted that there would be a landslide for the Democratic party. With one slight change, his prediction would have been perfectly correct. It was a landslide on top of the Democratic party, that's all.

Thieves entered the house of a police sergeant in Brooklyn and took everything in sight. Evidently they were amateurs, for professionals would not have forgotten the maxim about honor among thieves.



"REST."

By J. A. G.

A black hearse stands before the house in an East Side tenement block. Hitched to the hearse is a pair of fine black horses, covered with heavy black and white draperies. In front of the hearse is an open carriage or brouche, filled with flowers. One piece, a large pillow of rare white roses, bears the simple word "Rest."

There is a crowd of about a hundred women and children between the hearse and the house, with an open space through the center leading to the door.

The house is an old-fashioned, four-story, unpainted brick tenement. The lintels and sills of the windows, of brown stone, are cracked and broken; not one but has great chunks torn from it. The old green shutters have several blinds missing from most of the windows; some are tied with ropes, and all are very much dilapidated and seedy.

At the entrance a huge cluster of white and purple flowers covers most of the frame of the low door. In the transom above two or three panes are broken, and the paint that was once on the door has long since blistered and peeled.

In the doorway appears a man wearing a black frock coat and trousers, a plaid waistcoat and black tie and gloves. He is the undertaker. Following him are four men in black, carrying a polished oak casket with heavy silver handles. After them come the relatives and friends in new garments of black.

The room from which they have come, the late home of John McCormack, the poor truck driver, who lies in the casket, fits appropriately the exterior appearance of the house. In the room are, in addition to the camp chairs loaned by the undertaker, two wooden kitchen chairs, a common kitchen table, an oil stove and several ragged pieces of oilcloth laid between the threshold and the table at the end of the room. A couple of pots, a frying pan, a tin ball and a soap dish and soap are piled upon the sink board. Two plates, cups and saucers, knives and forks, broken, discolored and of cheap manufactures, are on the table to complete the visible furnishings of the room.

In an adjoining room stands a cot with some rags, masquerading as "curtains." The entire outfit of the two rooms, excepting the contents of two closets, wouldn't bring a dollar and a half at an auction sale.

And this is the apartment from which poor John McCormack has just been carried in a one-hundred and fifty dollar casket, made of polished

cushions and trimmed with silver handles.

Fifty dollars more wouldn't pay for the flowers carried in the open brouche.

As I look from the open window of John McCormack's late home, I see, standing out in bold relief from the mass of flowers riding at the head of the funeral procession, the word "Rest."

At ten years of age John began working about the stable. At fifteen he was trusted to drive a team, and from that day to three days before his death, at the age of fifty-two, he had continued to drive.

In the burning heat of the summer's sun John guided the horses of his master's truck through the busy streets. In the winds and snows of winter he drove the team among the mazes of wagons and cars in the city.

All these long years no one ever thought that John McCormack needed a rest. No one ever sent John a pretty flower to brighten the hole in the bricks he called a home, to gladden his eyes with its beauty, to displace a little of the foul, stale atmosphere for a brief spell with its perfume. And as for soft satina pillows, to have sent him these would have saved the way for committing the sender to the insane asylum.

But now—how kind we are to those who can no longer know our kindness. How gently we deal with those who can no more feel our touch. How carefully we shut out the strong rays of light and heat from eyes now indifferent to them.

Many a hot night John sat and gazed in the stifling air of his two little rooms. Sometimes he dragged his weary limbs to the street for a bit of air to revive his exhausted strength and was driven back by the stench from the gutters. Then he would painfully climb to the roof, where, just as life seemed returning to his aching body, a sudden drowsiness would warn him against the peril of sleeping on the roof, where no protection from falling off had been provided.

There was no one then to provide the way for a ride to beach or suburb. A five cent ride then would have been, oh! such a boon.

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"PERSONAL LIBERTY."

By ARTHUR GOODENOUGH.

Wherever Liberty is banned
And Freedom fettered foot and hand;
Wherever Justice sleeps and Hope is
crushed,
And tyrants work their woful will,
And scowling despots maim and kill—
While feeling lingers in my breast,
I will protest! I will protest!

Wherever Wealth is warmed and fed
And Want creeps shivering to its
shed;
Where Vice is clothed with pomp and
pride
And Virtue goes with tears undried;
Wherever Truth is under foot
And Error in the soil has root—
Against the wrongs of the oppressed
I will protest! I do protest!

I will not say that wrong is right,
Nor bad is good, nor black is white,
Nor make one effort to conceal
The indignation that I feel
Against the spell of cant and caste
Which blinds the toiler to the last;
And in behalf of what is best
I will protest! I will protest!

In this broad land of ours to-day
Is felt the Spoiler's evil sway;
We hear his bonds, we wear his
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We are beneath his grim dead-end;
And day by day and hour by hour
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"A YANKEE MAUPASSANT."

Every reader of current American newspapers and magazines is familiar with the name, "O. Henry." It is a pen name, concealing the identity of Mr. Sidney Porter, the author of five books of short stories. For some time now his reputation has been steadily growing. Throughout the country are scattered people of all sorts and conditions who are enthusiastically on one point—that no one else can write short stories like O. Henry's. Mr. Porter has had a romantic career. He has lived in almost every State of the Union, and has been in turn cowboy, sheep herder, merchant miner, tin-type man, druggist, and newspaper man. It is not so many years since he was a penniless, homeless, and penniless man. The suggestion that he was a "Yankee Maupassant" came from his publishers and did not, for a while, impress the writing federalist. He now the tables are completely turned. We had William Maria Brady, of the St. Louis "Mirror," suggesting that, in his thinking, Mr. Porter deserved the very interesting designation "Yankee Maupassant."

DEFIANCE OF THE LAW.

Labor's defiance of the law—this is the main count in the indictment offered against the labor movement. And by whom, as a rule, is this charge pressed? By those who live on the bounty, however indirectly given, of the men whose defiance of the law is deliberate, shameless, and constant—not like the spontaneous and irresponsible act of the man who takes to desperation on seeing another take his job from him, but studied, planned, organized and carried on after years of effort, and if not generally by the aid of lawyers and judges, through the mechanism of the law itself.—W. J. Ghent, in Mass and Class.

WORKERS' A SLAVE PEN.

The Werner plant at Akron is getting to be a proper slave pen. The latest is that 14 non-union girls have been discharged because they refused to accept a piece system in which they were made to make their own

LETTERS TO A CYNIC.

By S. A. DE WITT.

You laughed at me and mocked my earnestness, my cynic, when I told you so enthusiastically that I was a Socialist. Nor did your ridicule surprise me to any extent, for you, being a man of the world, only estimate in it, and judging it externally, and being comfortably situated in the way of worldly wealth, you could not afford to be cynical and disparaging of what you could not or would not conceive. You told me that to your matters as they were at present were as phrasing and as ideal as you could wish them to be, nor do I blame you to you they most assuredly are so.

You have very seldom seen the sunrise, but I am sure you have seen the early dawning of the day as it looks but under totally different conditions—you have seen the beautiful Aurora, before going to sleep, and I have seen and appreciated the splendor of nature after four or five hours of much needed rest, and know no hour of rising to work, and do you watch very anxiously for the hour hands to move to the six or seven o'clock mark in the evening, which announces the end of your day's work. No one cuts your meal time to any extent—while I have to cram my food down in huge undigested chunks within twenty minutes, to a hungry stomach, which naturally resents the sudden influx of the raw materials. I use the commercial expression, "I never count or figure out the money you have earned during the day, subtracting hours absent, and adding hours of the expense of the day, and must meet. You have no say in the one cutting your wages down; raising your rent, lengthening your hours of toil; you have never been "racked" on account of lack of occupation. Always amidst serene indifference, and whirling safety; you no longer think of the wretched one who languish in the tenements, sweatshops and disease breeding gutters than a healthy man thinks of counting his heartbeats, unless through the way of material gain.

Sometimes while strolling, you pass by an East Side part, and you see sitting upon the benches or standing in small crowds, pale faced, hungry looking, ill-clad men, and countless women. Do you have any idea of the prevailing power and regime, causing such conditions? No, you don't bother about them. If you did you would never mock me when I speak of Socialism. You are a member of the same army of the unemployed. I doubt if you would continue in your mocking gallery of me, if I were bold to detail to you the abject misery of these human beings. You are like the leaves that must necessarily fall with the autumn, but to me they are the most vivid exponents, and yet unrealized, of that great maxim: Truth crushes out each victory. They are like the leaves that must necessarily fall with the autumn; they are the most vivid exponents, and yet unrealized, of that great maxim: Truth crushes out each victory.

In fact, they are a part of the world—a terrible, naked truth. There is nothing hidden in their lives; it is an one constant nightmare of hideous truth. And they will rise again, the trampled flowers of the earth, and consider the unheeding hosts of such men as you, my cynic, and the millions of feet of the grasping, all devouring rich, who would pocket the earth itself and walk away with it, were it only small enough to carry.

Yes, they will rise and be reborn again, when once the spirit of Socialism is infused into their souls and its doctrines fire them with the underlying desire and struggle. Years of gallows toil have not their muscles, perhaps dulled their brains. Months of enforced idleness and misery have robbed them of their strength, but have made them think, and they shall see the fruits.

You sneered, my cynic, before you know. When you know a little, I am sure you will laugh less at the Socialist who wants each man to receive an equal share of life, happiness and peace, and who wants the world to be made in fact, as in theory, that all men be created free and equal, and should in all cases, whether powerful or weak, receive life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

S. Joseph.—These universities and colleges of the State of New York have now given credit for work reported by Regents' certificates of the probability continue to do so. There is no indication of a tendency to discontinue the recognition of these certificates on the contrary, the tendency is for the State certificates to be more generally accepted by the colleges. Columbia University has never accepted any certificates except those of the Middle States and Maryland College Examination Board, and will probably not change its policy with regard to New York State Regents' certificates.

H. E.—For information about the Socialist Sunday school movement, address Mr. Stephen J. Gorman, Sunday school, at Grand Street, Science, 112 East 19th street, New York.

A. Weinstein.—Anyone born in the United States is a citizen of the United States, regardless of his parents.

N. Johnkowsky.—Apply to the relevant Trade School at 11th street, between Second and First avenues.

M. G.—Leon Colquhoun was of Great Britain.

G. Henschler.—Sweden has not a complete suffrage; what she has is as well as a tax question. The provision is as follows: Every man who has attained the age of twenty-one, is of good standing, is not a pauper, and who either owns a house valued at 100 kronor, or has a salary or pays taxes to the State for an income of at least 400 kronor, or has a net income of 200 American money.

THE SENATE AND THE LABOR.

The United States Senate, in its part of the British Empire, is the government of affairs in the very heart of the world. It is the only body that is not elected by the people, and it is the only body that is not elected by the people.