Until both men and women learn to oppose war effectually, the ruling class will continue to force it upon us as often as it suits their purpose .-- J. Keir Hardie, London.

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[From the Chicago Tribune.]

# BIGGER NAVY AND ARMY OF 200,000 PLANNED FOR U. S.

May Be introduced for Investigation at this Session of Congress.

### EUROPEAN WAR CAUSE

BY ARTHUR SEARS HENNING.

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Washington, D. C., Sept. 5.— Special.

As a result of the lessons of hational defense taught by the European war, congress will be urged to appoint a commission to study and recommend the most effective measures for the protection of the United States on both land and sea from foreign aggression.

The object of the proposed investigation will be to determine how large an army and navy the country needs for adequate defense, and how such forces should be obtained an maintained.

The bill to create this commission will have the support of non-partisan organizations primarily interested in securing the peace of the United States. The measure probably will be introduced before the adjournment of this session of congress and will receive consideration at the next session.

Minimum Requirements. Minimum Requirements.

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That the United States must take immediate steps to increase its navy and to provide a larger and more efficient army is the conviction of the more progressive officials of the government, who are profiting by the object lessons of the great conflict in the eastern hemisphere. Conservative authorities on the subject say the minimum requirements of an adequate national defense are:

The addition of at least twelve battleships and a proportional number of lesser craft to the navy.

Increase of the standing army to a body of at least 200,000 men, with a reserve of 1,000,000 trained fighters, procured through the compulsory service system.

On account of its isolation in the western hemisphere, the navy always will be the chief defense of the republic. In this respect the United States is like Great Britain. In the present wat the English isles and British possessions throughout the world are immune from the attack of their enemies because the British navy rules the seas.

Navy Should Be Stronger.

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The above is merely a sample of ould reach from Chicago to San gence. Francisco, standing one abreast, the American army would extend only from Chicago to Kokomo, Ind. make a business of war as Germany is doing.

All of which shows that the armament trust is still at work, ready to plunge this country into war, provided it will enhance its profit. "Put it up to Wilson!" profits. The exploiters will learn nothing from the European horror the dying in war and in peace pay for the orgy of blood, and it is up

every effort to prevent gold being children. sent from this country, but is not

ers and less for the bankers. profit basis.

THE masters get the loot and the workers get the boot.

A VICTORY is reported every days But the victory is never for the

THE gun is a poor substitute for If workers thought, they would not fight.

THERE is a vast difference be tween gory and glory, but some people do not recognize, it yet.

THE way the capitalists render it it reads: "Rather than give up our

THE war may change national lines in Europe, but class lines will remain as they were-between the haves and have-nots.

THE war has cost to date two billion dollars. The workers not only pay in blood and tears but also in material wealth.

LET us raise the railroad rates. The million dollar palace owned by Goulds near Paris has been razed on account of the war.

WAR is a king's game for killing off the young and strong so that old cheaper than the able-bodied would

A BILL has been introduced into ongress authorizing a raise in the ployers to pay their employes more wages. Why?

ports: "The state of Montana, having decided to restore law and

IF women were in control of the nations of the world there would As Olive Schreiner be no wars. pointed out in one of her books, woman knows what life costs and that it is more easy to destroy than

This is the first lesson, it is contended, that the United States should take to heart. The American navy should be strong enough to repel any enemy which may attack the republic. Although such danger may seem remote, the best way in which to prevent a foreign attack is to take steps to make one futile.

More than anything else, say the naval and military authorities, the European war is demonstrating the advantages of preparedness. The Germans were fully prepared for this war on land, the British were fully prepared on sea. Each has been winning victories in its own province of preparedness.

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the purpose of causing the people the matter already appering in the capitalist press of America. ly establish press censorship. In

"Pur rate raise up to Wilson," reads a headline. The article says as though it were desirable to Wilson force the interstate compresidents demand merce commission to permit them to raise their rates. Why can't you demand that the government seize

THE press reports that the bankers of New York are holding a conmoney. It remains for you work-ers to learn the lesson that you do the doing in western." It would seem that the APPEAL'S exposure of the fiat currency steal has kept

# A Voice from the Battlefields---Hear Yel histories say. To generation after the "hot-headed southerner than the story is told the stor

BY ALLAN L. BENSON

HEY say that dead men tell no tales, but it is not so. The oratory of no living man is so passionate as the oratory of the dead peasant killed in war. To every man, at some time, nature gives a tongue. The peasant, when he is alive, is thick of speech. His words halt. His sentences stumble. He is eloquent only as his sufferings indict his time. But when his heart is still profits we will see America starve and his face is upturned to the stars above the battlefield—then it is that he speaks as living man never spoke.

Every dead soldier in Europe is today speaking so loudly that the living can hardly be heard. Every dead soldier in Europe has a particular message for the people of the United States. That message is:

"Take war into your own hands.

"Don't let one man, two men, three men or 500 men say whether a hundred million shall be plunged into war."

This is the most important message that could be given to the people of any nation: "Take war into your own hands." It is the most important because it so largely means: "Take horrible, pre-mature death into your own hands." To make war little children and women is to assume the greatest responsibility that can be forced to do the work come to human beings. The responsibility of making war is so great that it should be borne only by the people. No ruler should speak for them. No congress or parliament should speak for them. They should speak for themselves. They should speak rate of railroads. No measure has for themselves by direct ballot. Not a gun should been introduced compelling the em- be fired until the people have said, "Fire all the

This is new doctrine. No nation on earth agrees to it. No political party on earth advocates it. All of which does not matter. The only question worth considering is: "Is it true doctrine?" If it is true order, first closed the saloons and doctrine, everybody will ultimately advocate it the courts." They evidently know it is true doctrine, it will yet come to pass. doctrine, everybody will ultimately advocate it. If the promoters of disorder all right. may not live to see it come to pass. That all depends upon how rapidly we move. But it will come to pass, and those who come after us will thank us for bringing about the change.

> WHAT I PROPOSE is an amendment to the constitution of the United States.

The constitution of the United States now says that congress shall have power "to declare war. Sounds a good deal like a man who grant letters of marque and reprisal, and make rules concerning captures on land and sea."

> I propose that the constitution shall be amended by the substitution of the following paragraphs:

The military forces of the United States shall not be used against any other people except by direct affirmative vote of a majority of all the citizens of the United States more than 18 years of age. The word "citizens" shall be contablished a press agency that is strued to include women as well as men, but the reservation to the people of the sole right to declare offensive wa shall not be construed as any limitation upon the duty of congress and the president, hereby imposed, to resist invasion, or upon American warships to defend themselves, if

attacked.

War shall be proposed only by a majority vote One paper prints a cartoon show- either case, they show they are houses of congress, by the legislatures of more than half ing that while the German army afraid of knowledge and intelli- of the states, or by petition of 30 per cent, of the population more than 18 years of age. War having been proposed, a general election to determine the question shall be called to take place not less than 60 days nor more than six months from the date of the proposal.

This constitutional amendment should be supelemented by certain statutory provisions. printed ballots supplied to the voters should read:

Shall the United States declare war Shall the United States declare war against Naming the country

Each voter should indicate his will by signing to you to stop the madness of armament.

Unless you do something you may be called on to fight in America. What can you do? Circulate the APPEAL. Make demand in accordance with the suggestion of Comrade Benson in this number. Vote the Socialist ticket. When you do a little practical work against war, then your prayer for peace in October will sound less like a child's cry or like an insult to the Almighty.

It them from realizing on it, and they therefore must devise a means of robbery to which the workers are not hep.

If the war succeeds in dispelling the hypnotic influence of imaginary geographical lines it will have accomplished something worth while. It's time the world dispensed with the crazy notion that one set of human beings on one side of an imaginary line are any better or worse than another set on the other side. It's time for the human race to put to you to stop the madness of ar- them from realizing on it, and they him name in ink opposite the word "No" or "Yes." man who voted against war should be compelled to | America?

It's time for the human race to put or polling place, the first man who voted for war GOLD OR GRAIN?

Away their playthings and recogPresident Wilson is making nize that they are men and not last man who voted against war should be the last man.

If such laws were in force in this country today, sent from this country, but is not lifting his hand to stop the shipping out of food. Indeed, he openly advocates the sending out of wheat in order that it may bring gold from the warring nations of Europe.

Gold cannot be eaten. It does not go into the hands of the worker, but only to the banker. Food may prolong life. The worker may use it, if he gets a chance. That which the worker meds is to be exchanged for something that only the banker ever wately owned. The only safe foundation of such nations is privately owned. The only safe foundation was against anybody. If such laws were in force in this country today there is no human likelihood that anybody who is opposed to war would ever be compelled to go. We have in foundation," says the Star writer, war would ever be compelled to go. We have in some than 18 years of age. If we could not begin war unless more than 20,000,000 men and women woted for it; if every man who voted for it must go to war before any opponent of war could be drafted; if no opponent of war could be drafted until every woman who voted for war had taken her place on the firing line—we should have an army of at least 20,000,000 men and women before THE Kansas City Star thinks the there is no human likelihood that we should ever

needs is to be exchanged for something that only the banker ever sees. That is imbecility. It is worse. It is crime.

Let the gold go; we can issue money based on the property of the whole people, that will circulate at par in any section of the United States. But we can't coin wheat. The wheat American farmers raised is needed by American citizens. Keep it here and feed America. At the same time starve the war. Do a little for the work-ers and less for the bankers.

distribution of such nations is privately owned. The only safe foundation for world peace is public ownership and public management of all public utilities. When world trade is conducted for the purpose of the purpose of the world instead of the people of the world instead of for the purpose of making a profit, then we will have world peace and not before. Good will and friendship play no part in the America. At the same time starve the war. Do a little for the work-ers and less for the bankers.

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suffer from war, they have an equal right with men est calamity that has occurred to say whether there should be war.

But responsibility should be coupled with power, such is not the fact. Any woman who might vote to send another human being against the guns should herself be compelled war. A few men in the to go against the guns. But I have not the slightest idea that there are or ever will be a thousand such women in the United States. If it were left history of the civil to the women of the world there would never be "The American Conflict," t another war in the world, precisely as it is also true they did it. The facts ar that if it were left to the men of the world there would never be another war. The people them- ers tried to rush the south out of years. You may not know this law selves are peaceful. It is only our rulers that are ometimes bloodthirsty.

We should make arrangements to give these gentlemen all the blood they want, taking care, mean. The other eight balked. Five while, that it shall be their own blood.

To this end, we should provide by statute that union. every speaker, writer, legislator or other public most of the border states had, by in your face. Demand the right to official who advocates war should file notice of overwhelming vote, refused to decide whether you shall kill or such advocacy with the war department, under seconds. Of the border states, be killed. Agitate for an amendsuch advocacy with the war department, under heavy penalty for failure to do so; and in the event of war, these gentlemen should be summoned to the further, but took no action. front at the first fire and compelled to stay there began to look as if none of the giving it to the people. until the cessation of hostilities, unless sooner other states would take action. You will not get the amendment killed. Whatever their military abilities they should The southern clique who wanted the moment you demand it. The not be permitted to be officers, because officers of war became fearful. They deter-people have never gotten anything the higher sort have a habit of surveying the carnage from a safe point in the rear. Writers, speakers and public officials who egg their country on to bayonet charges, to storm all forts and to be where they can catch the bursting shells when they come hot out of the guns.

I COMMEND THIS PLAN to the consideration of all those who sincerely desire to keep this nation at peace. I commend it particularly to Secretary Bryan and Andrew Carnegie who are most loud in their protestations in favor of peace. I commend it to these gentlemen, knowing full well that they will ignore it or repudiate it. The ruling class of this or any other country would regard it as an act of presumption for the people to take over to themselves the war-making power. This is a power that the ruling class has always arrogated to itself and still asserts. The common people are good enough to do the killing and the dying, but they are not wise enough to say whether they want to kill or be killed.

I contend that if there is any subject upon earth upon which a man is competent to speak it is this subject. I contend that if it is worth while to hold a national election to determine whether the tariff shall be increased or diminished that it is vastly more worth while to hold a national election to determine whether the hundred millions of people as follows: who comprise this nation shall be put to the tortures of war. The common people may not know whether they would be best served by a high tariff or a low tariff, or whether the tariff question is war. Some time after the ordinance of by protesting against the power really of any importance to them, but every man knows whether he wants to kill or he killed.

If the Bryan-Carnegie faction really want peace, the secretary of war, Gilchrist, the mem- here suggested. let them come out and work for peace. If they believe in democracy, let them work for demoracy others were present. As I entered the feliow workingmen. Write about in war-making. The actual, though not the political convention ceased. They were evidently it to the editors of your local newsin war-making. The actual, though not the political meaning of democracy, is rule by the people. If there be any governmental function that, more than another, should be democratized, it is the function christ say to the secretary of war: "It of war-making. How absurd of Mr. Bryan to confine his activities in behalf of peace to the negotiation of treaties with little nations, when forms the man stays in the union. You must when one shall die in war is as tion of treaties with little nations, when fewer than sprinkle blood in the faces of the peo- sacred as the right to say how one 300 men in congress have the power to plunge this ple. country into war at any moment they choose. As a matter of fact, the question of peace or war in on pages 450 and 632 of Volume I you have done your duty to yourthis country has always been decided by a handful of men. The civil war itself, as I shall show in this article, was precipitated, probably by not more than half a dozen men.

THIS QUESTION is so important that we may do well to read them. well go to the bottom of it. Today Europe is wel- who has read them, the war betering in the blood vats, but our day may come to-morrow. What are the facts with regard to see, not a "hot-headed" southern America?

The constitution says that only congress may descountry, but a people into whose clare war. But the constitution does not say that faces blood had to be "sprinkled" the party in power shall not commit acts that may make war inevitable. There is the weak spot in such defenses as we have. The diplomatic relation- firing as attack upon the union just made a shipment of 3,500 tons ships of this country are in the hands of the presi- and prepared to resist the attack, of beef to Great Britain. For a dent. In that respect, we are no better off than the The southern people construed the long time the capitalist press have Austro-Hungarians, the Russians or the Germans. resistance as an attack upon the been telling us that the high price The emperor of Austria-Hungary brought about a south, and the bloodiest war in situation that precipitated a war with Servia.

President Wilson diplomatically brought about a situation that almost precipitated war with Mexico. situation that almost precipitated war with Mexico. had directly voted upon the ques-Mr. Wilson, in his attitude toward Mexico, may have been ill-advised, but certainly he was well disposed. The point is that if he had been bent upon plundering Mexico, he could have done all States may imagine that they are that he did and more. He could have diplomatically that he did and more. He could have diplomatically that he did and more that a few packing that he did and more. He could have diplomatically in no danger of war. The people of the United States may imagine that they are in order that a few packing in no danger of war. The people of the United States may imagine house magnates may make more of the United States may imagine workingman's family today does would have compelled congress to declare that "a body would be compelled to go not get meat in order that a few packing meat in order that a few packing more workingman's family today does body would be compelled to go not get meat in order that a few packing meat in order that a few packing in no danger of war. The people of the workingman's family today does body would be compelled to go not get meat in order that a few packing in no danger of war. The people of the profits? The average American body would be compelled to go not get meat in order that a few packing in no danger of war. The people of the profits? The average American body would be compelled to go not get meat in order that a few packing in no danger of war. The people of the United States may imagine that they are not get meat in order that a few packing in no danger of war. The people of the profits? The average American body would be compelled to go not get meat in order that a few packing in no danger of war. The people of the profits? The average American body would be compelled to go not get meat in order that a few packing in no danger of war.

No president should have such power. If the congress. If so, the people of the of such a condition, the nation matter had been left to the people, there is hardly united States would do well to stands calmly by and lets the war now ravaging Europe, the country. What would you think war with Mexico by capturing Vera Cruz. The war now ravaging Europe, the United States will at once be composed with cold silence. Mr. Wilson news was received with cold silence. Mr. Wilson pelled to arm itself to the teeth enough food stored to keep began to regain public favor only when he set about it to repair his mistake by contriving for peace. Yet, if he had been a war-blusterer, or if he had been less successful in his peace negotiation. The formula is a successful in his peace negotiation of the factor of

Agitate for an amendment to the constitution of the United States taking away from congress the right to declare war and giving it to the people .--- Allan L. Benson.

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y could be compelled to serve ist his will except by special of congress authorizing drafts. ew years ago, certain clever tlemen quietly passed a law wn as the "Dick military act." is law authorizes the president, time of war, to compel the enetween the ages of 18 and 45 the union. Secession ordinances in existence, but it exists. is there. In case of war, you would the 15 southern states. Seven know it is there.

that comes from the dead peasants months after the seven seceded of the European battlefields, the other eight were still in the "Take war into your own hands." Tennessee, Arkansas and Don't let anybody "spatter blood Kentucky, Maryland and Delaware ment to consented to consider the question United States taking from confurther, but took no action. It gress the right to declare war and

You will not get the amendment Greeley tells what that step was, right to vote on anything came Greeley derived his information only after a stubborn fight. But

# This Broadside in Leaflet Form

Benson's article this week, if read by the majority of the people of this country, will make war absolutely impossible. A referendum on war means no war. Why not get all the people to and it? Isn't this a sensible question? Well, let's start at once. No delaying. The Appeal has printed this war referendum article in leaslet form and will sell it dirt cheap. We have made it a four-page leaflet, and our rates are \$1.50 per 1,000 or \$1 per 1,000 in lots of 5,000 and more. There is nothing better, cheaper and more effective propaganda in this war crisis than the war referendum leaflet, entitled "A Voice from the Battlefields-Hear Ye." Every Appeal Army comrade is urged to rush his order for this epoch-making leaflet at once. We pay the postage.

the war, was a United States sena-officials was at last wrested from tor from Alabama. Clemens spoke the ruling class, and the right to at a unionist meeting that was vote on the question of war will held at Huntsville, Ala., on March yet be won. It is monstrous that 13, 1864. Greeley quotes Clemens a single man or a handful of men

Before I declare this meeting ad-millions into war. ourned. I wish to state a fact in relationship to the commencement of the secession was passed, I was in Mont- of a few to murder many. gomery and called upon President Davis discussing the firing upon Fort Sumpter. Two or three of them withdrew to a corner of the room, and I heard Gil- and coolly.

These statements may be found of "The American Conflict," lished in two volumes in 1865 by O. D. Case & Company of Hart-ford, Conn. These books may be workers merely get gory found in almost any public library. Anybody who is interested would lo anybody people, bent upon crucifying their to make them rebel. The "sprinkling" was d ne by firing upon Fort Sumpter. The north regarded the tion of war or peace.

from Jere Clemens who, before the right to vote for most public should have the power to plunge

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Urge it upon your neighbors and papers. Write briefly-not more than 100 words-write earnestly Write briefly-not more

shall live in peace. Then no matter what happens, you will know pub- self and your fellow men.

THE masters get the glory. The

ENGLAND has created a commission that forbids high pric food. America has not. Why?

WHY is the war? Because the workers don't know any better than to kill each other when their mas-

ters say, boo! KEEP THE BEEF HOME.

A New York news dispatch states that Chicago packers have

If this be true, wouldn't it be just plain common sense to keep

Colorado Victory Is In Sight

The agitation of the APPEAL and its loyal Army against the Rockefeller infamies in Colorado is bearing fruit. Like a voice in the wilderness the little old APPEAL has been denouncing the terrible conditions existing in the inter-mountain state. First we sent John Kenneth Turner to represent us and his articles on Colorado gave the people the first inside view of the rule of gunmen and militarism in that Rockefeller province. Later we printed reports furnished by a number of correspondents who were on the ground, but who could not afford to have their names published. A few weeks ago we dispatched John Murray to renew our fight for the Colorado miners and their imprisoned leaders.

Murray's work is well known to you. The fact that Judge McHendrie had him arrested for contempt of court and turned him over to the tender mercies of another Jeffreys for sentence shows that Murray has been rubbing the sensitive spots. Both Murray and Marians are now out on bail furnished by Trinidad comrades and their cases have been appealed to the higher courts at the expense of the lad Appeal. Their cases will be fought to define the conditions which exist here. We hold that we have the right as American citizens to talk to any and all persons, as long as we do it peaceably.

On August 24, 1914, two non-union workmen arrived here to work for the Royal Fuel Company. Our committee talked to these existed. Our committee women work for the Royal Fuel Company. Our committee talked to these existed. Our committee women work for the Royal Fuel Company. Our committee talked to these existed. Our committee women work for the Royal Fuel Company. Our committee talked to these existed. Our committee women work for the Royal Fuel Company. Our committee talked to these existed. Our committee women to captain men, who said they were shipped in here, not knowing that a strike existed. Our committee women work for the Royal Fuel Company. Our committee talked to these existed. Our committee women work for the Royal Fue

cases have been appealed to the higher courts at the expense of the little old APPEAL. Their cases will be fought to a finish. The Appeal wants to know whether the right of recall can be throttled by a judge at whom the recall is aimed. And we will find this out or know the reason why.

Another significant fact is the reported activities of President Wilson in trying to settle this strike. Whether his terms of settlement are just or not we will not discuss. This matter must be decided by the strikers themselves. They know best what is just or not. But we non-union men would stay away from this district, and that the say that the president and the federal authorities could have ended say that the president and the federal authorities could have ended from this district, and that the the strike long ago if they would have earnestly forbidden the federal coal operators would have consid-troops now stationed at Colorado from actively aiding the mine owners. It is reported from reliable sources that these soldiers are openly permitting scabs to be imported despite President Wilson's proclama-

However, victory appears to be in sight. The reports printed on this page show that the tide is turning in our favor. The Colorado workers will yet win. The APPEAL Army may feel certain that their efforts in behalf of Colorado will not be wasted. Another Appeal victory is imminent!

Appeal Jumps Into Fray

Get a good lawyer to at once ap-peal Murray and Marians' cases and get them out on bail. The Appeal will fight their cases to the finish and stand expense.

Protest Against Federals

Judge Dodges Cases
By telegraph to Appeal to Reason.
Trinidad, Colo.—Public opinion stirred by the Appeal to Reason has forced Judge A. W. McHendrie off the bench in all cases wherein striking miners are defendants, as was made known today when an application for another judge was granted in the district court. The cases comprise five for murder, twelve for assault to murder and two for rioting and intimidation. Helen Schloss, the trained nurse, has been arrested for the second time for picketing at Ludiow, by order of Captain Shelly of the United States army, and will

Appeal Jumps Into Frav.

work day for all classes of labor in or around the coal mines and at coke overand at a copy of these resolutions be sent to the president of the United States, Secretary of War Garrison, Congressman Edward Keating, for their respective consideration.

Committee Picket Squad: Mrs. Ed. E. Jones, captain; Mrs. M. Freeman, Mrs. John Harris, Mrs. Bert McGuire, Mrs. William Philips, Mrs. R. H. Fawcett.

By telegraph to Appeal to Reason.

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Black Hole of Trinidad

The stink of the cells stays in my nostrils," said Comrade Marians on being released from the Trinidad county jail on an appeal bond. "Where there were but 12 cells built for the keeping of 24 prilsoners they crowded in 66 of the notroious and criming camps of Colorado for many or or one insane Mexican, until the sweat from our heated bodies.

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the United States army, and will be tried by Campbell, the com-

JOHN MURRAY.

# Who Will End the Strike?

urged by President Woodrow Wilson is adopted wherein it is set for that in the election of a grievance committee for each mine all of the employes shall have the right to participate, will these grievance committees be for as well as noon the latter of the release of agony. I could not support the set of the release of the prisoner were designed that allows such dirt and bith to exist in a public place? Bonds totaling \$212,500 were required by Judge McHendrie for the release of 20 of the union miners. Some of the prisoners were designed that allows such dirt and bith to exist in a public place? Does the release of 20 of the union miners. Some of the prisoners were designed that allows such dirt and bith to exist in a public place? Does the release of 20 of the union miners. Some of the prisoners were designed that allows such dirt and bith to exist in a public place? Does the release of 20 of the union miners. Some of the prisoners were designed that allows such dirt and bith to exist in a public place? Does the release of 20 of the union miners. Some of the prisoners were designed that allows such dirt and bith to exist in a public place? Does the release of 20 of the union miners. Some of the prisoners were designed that allows such dirt and bith to exist in a public place? Does the release of 20 of the union miners. Some of the prisoners were designed that allows such dirt and the public place? If this is so, and the settlement in Re Murray and Marians Contempt have the right to participate, will is a direct attack upon the ballot box, were ones of agony. I could not these grievance committees be for as well as upon the legislature of our help thinking of poor Gust Markas the union or against it?



# Socialist Candidates-

et the Appeal to Reason print ve **CAMPAIGN CARDS** 

ered a settlement long ago. We believe that instead of being the fair and impartial man he claims any other district. Resolved, That copy of these resolutions be sent

us, all union men with the exception of one insane Mexican, until the sweat from our heated bodies made the foul pen smell like a made the foul pen smell like a and Clyde M. Lane, a sox-foot

Mine Workers has called a convention to be held in Trinidad to consider a strike settlement on the basis of the terms outlined by President Wilson.

Cat a good layer to shout to shout to not the recall of Judge Mctout the words because a double Hendrie, was condemned years ago by the state board of health and it has been filled time after time to bursting with striking miners at the direction of the officials of the Colorado Fuel and Iron Com-

The first two nights most of us slept on the steel floors without mattress or blankets," continued Marians. "all except those who Who Will End the Strike?

Will and stand expense.

Bail was promptly forthcoming by two comrades of Trinidad and for Lawyers O: H. Dasher, an attorney for the United Mine Workers of America, said to a representative of the APPEAL To REASON that today there were as many men at work in the coal strong general, were engaged.

Will aght their cases to the haish mattress or blankets," continued mattress or blankets, and mattress or blankets, continued mattress or blankets, conti Workers of America, said torney for the United Mine Workto a representative of the Appeal to to go into a cell sand sleep on what is called the roof. There we lay all through the sweltering night, attorney general, were engaged.

Dasher's legal opinion of the coal particular to the top of the second tier of cells and sleep on what is called the roof. There we lay all through the sweltering night, through the sweltering night, three deep, with vermin crawling three deep, with vermin crawling over us and making sleep impossible.

This is the usual Rockefeller to have jailed.

The roof of the second tier of cells and sleep on what is called to go into a cell for and had been very sick and had into the might desire to have jailed.

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This is there a board of health in Northcutt who commented and the swell of the coal barons, the conservation of the top of the Supplementation to go into a cell for hand been very side and angle the same predominant figure—Northcut, the representative of the C. F. & I.

The roof of the Supplementation to go into a cell for hand here intendent Weitzel of the C. F. & I.

The roof of the second tier of the coal barons that the predominant figure—Northcut was not all the same predominant figure—Northcut the roof of the coal barons, the coal barons that the predominant figure—Northcut the roof of the coal barons the coal barons the coal barons that the predominant figure—Northcut

the convention which are as follows:

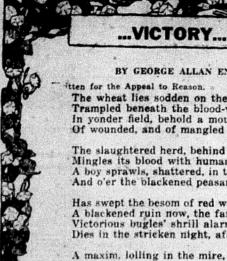
First. We demand recognition of the union. (State law on this subject, but not complied with.)

Second. We demand a ten per cent advance in wages on the tonnage rates and a day wage scale, which is practically in accord with the Wyoming day wage scale. (The present Colorado scale is the lowest paid in any of the Rocky Mountain states. Wage advance is justified.)

Third. We demand an eight-hour life. (An and the processing of the processin Trinidad county jail.

kept the jail ship on an even keel. Colorado voter should be put on the list The

the importation of workmen into the strike district, to take the places of striking miners. This proclamation was enforced during the time that Captain Gordon Johnson was in charge of the federal troops here. Since Captain McKinley has been in charge large numbers of non-union men have



...VICTORY... BY GEORGE ALLAN ENGLAND. tten for the Appeal to Reason. The wheat lies sodden on the plain. Trampled beneath the blood-wet ground. In yonder field, behold a mound Of wounded, and of mangled slain. The slaughtered herd, behind the garth, Mingles its blood with human blood. A boy sprawls, shattered, in the mud; And o'er the blackened peasant-hearth Has swept the besom of red war. A blackened ruin now, the farm. Victorious bugles' shrill alarm Dies in the stricken night, afar.

Flares from the crackling village spire. A mother, sabred as she fled. Clutches the baby at her breast. Red glare the heavens, in the west A burning town, where all lie dead.

Points its grim muzzle to the sky, Toward which the flame-sheaf, blazing high,

A ravished maiden, stark and cold, Stares at the sky with sightless eyes. In the ditch her father lies Shot down by Uhlans, riding bold!

In yonder hedge the ravens croak, Full-gorged on unaccustomed fare. And, drifting through the evening air, Trail somber clouds of heavy smoke.

Aloft, the whirring Zeppelin's scout, Seeking what they may shatter, still; How they may work their grisly will To add new slaughter to the rout.

Night shrouds the red earth from God's eve. Beneath the mercy of its pall. Hark! Once again the bugles call! Behold a banker's victory!

as a union man. Catsoulas is small, curly-headed and full of life, so full that his bonds are placed at \$15,000 as a warning to

to Ludlow to arrest and bring in concerned about the matter. the last bunch of striking miners a telephone call was sent to Super-

Colorado.

This question Diamond did not judiciary in a position to prevent its heart in the Walsenburg jail—the trict attorney agreeing, and again of the large of the pen's swer.

most feared man in southern Colorado boys are doing their part; they orado by Rockefeller's agents, is the greatest safeguard against violence that has ever entered the Trinidad county jail.

Colorado boys are doing their part; they are contributing to the fund and paying for thousands of names, but it is too big a job for the comrades of any one came to see me. I had to call for her.

When the men's part of the whole Arnest Army

Trinidad county jail.

The following resolution adopted by the strikers and their families of Aguilar, Colo, shows how the federal soldiers are aiding the coal companies in breaking the striker.

Whereas, on or about April 30, 1914, the federal troops arrived in the strike district; on May 11, 1914, a proclamation was issued by the war department forbidding.

Trinidad county jail.

"I saw him presiding over the kangaroo court with a kindly humor and determined hand that kept the jail ship on an even keel. Every man knew his share of to-bacco and grub was safe in Bob's bacco and grub was safe in Bob's bacco and grub was safe in Bob's lands.

"In jail even longer than the war department forbidding liblich. Louis Zancanelli has suf-1914, a proclamation was issued "In jail even longer than ever you do, do it today. And remember the war department forbidding Uhlich, Louis Zancanelli has suf- for every \$3 you contribute to this fund

district, this with the knowledge agreements to everything these and sanction of Captain McKinley, filling the mines now operating to capacity. Said Captain McKinley win-Felts murderers of Organizer refused to allow the striking miners to talk to said non-union men. Therefore, we, the mothers, wives, daughters and friends of the striking coal miners organized a Womdaughters and friends of the striking coal miners organized a Woman's Picket squad for the purpose rades here who also went on the ity.—Ralph Waldo Emerson.

## ...My Bastile... BY HELEN SCHLOSS.

EN come and men go from

be tried by Campbell, the company's weigh boss and justice of the peace.

Word comes from Denver that Word comes from Denver that the policy committee of the United the policy committee of the United to the public must country, but no one troubles giant who is under \$10,000 bonds as proof that the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company for God knows how many prison-to the policy committee of the United to the policy committee of the United to the public must country, but no one troubles giant who is under \$10,000 bonds as proof that the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company for God knows how many prison-to the public must country, but no one troubles giant who is under \$10,000 bonds as proof that the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company for God knows how many prison-to the public must country, but no one troubles giant who is under \$10,000 bonds as proof that the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company below to clean the public must country, but no one troubles giant who is under \$10,000 bonds as proof that the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company below to clean the public must country below to clean the public must country but no one troubles giant who is under \$10,000 bonds as prior that judges must country, but no one troubles giant who is under \$10,000 bonds as prior that judges must country below to clean the public must countr the bastile of Las Animas Common decency would seem to

require fresh bedding on any bed Greek warriors to keep away from that is to hold a newcomer. But This Colorado Fuel and Iron Company is the principal representative of the Rockefeller interests in Colorado and before the sense authorities do not seem the defendants were prodded by him, and the judge was punched up and corrected from the same source whether or not it is a sick man.—Jesse G. Northeutt whether or not it is a sick man suffering with some incurable disests in Colorado and before the suffering with some incurable dis-sheriff's office sent its deputies out ease, those in authority are not ation, the complainant in the case

In the case I speak of the newcomer happened to be a boy of 17 himself-Northcutt spoke for him.

Is there a board of health in Northcutt who comment Trinidad that allows such dirt and Northcutt who questioned.

prison became overcrowded they sent prisoners into the women's pen. This deprived all privacy. The reeking fumes of tobacco almost suffocated me.

They speak of Russia-is worse than this?

numbers of non-union men have ness he lost his reason for the been brought into this part of the time being and jabbered insane much abused as patriotism, whose fortunate enough to have a spare quar-We hesitate to employ a word so for the facts it contains. And if he is

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# Our Day in Court

Marians as they entered the Trin- the field, have been received:

contempt.

Lawyers, lawyers, lawyers—lawyers to the right of them, lawyers to the left of them—no one but lawyers volleyed and thundered! Whose interests are menaced by the horde of legal parasites arrayed in court today. Every lawyer who is not a judge hopes some day to be one. "Therefore let us have protection."

Judge Molley of them have protected to the form of legal parasites arrayed in court today. Every lawyer who is not a judge hopes some day to be one. "Therefore let us have protection."

Judge Molley of them, lawyers lawyers in the left of them—no one but lawyers volleyed and thundered! I am repeating it the take preventive measures immediately. I shall refer your message to the executive committee your message to the executive your message to the executive your message to the executiv

est to try men himself, for contempt of himself, for asking the recall of himself, had a neighbor with fellow feeling, Judge Strong, of Greeley, brought in to do the work for him. To be fair, one must say Judge Strong showed evidence of being a living man of this day and time, even a man with an outlook on another day—not quite a petrefaction.

tary, Clarksburg, W. Va.

Your night letter received this a. m. and I wish to report that a suitable resolution has been prepared to be circulated by the locals in this state calling upon the president to maintain the federal roops in the striking district and advocating the abolishment of the private outly, and further calling upon him to drive government by gunmen out of the United States. A copy will be forwarded to you when in print tomorrow. Judge McHendrie, being too mod-

He was interested and even kindly in his solicitude for Murray, whom he pressed to seek counsel for his defense, or to allow the court to appoint counsel for him. Murray declined. He and Marians faced alone, and without legal advice, the entire bar association of Las Anima. Las Animas county, who in relays of twos and threes and fives assert-

till fatigued about the purity of the courts, then took second wind and puffed about precedent—anand puffed about precedent—datNampa, Idaho. ing back to Mosaic times. All this, notwithstanding the fact that Murray had shown conclusively that this is a world of growth and that evolution distinct the state of the state of the state committee for Sunday, the 30th, at which time the matter will be taken up. I will advise you immediately as to their evolution disintegrates precedent, as witness the passage of the Clayton bill in congress affirming the will be exhibited in the public munew principle that judges must seums, just as an instrument of

there appeared an overshadowing personality in the court room. He had his hand in everything. All the lawyers were prompted by him, the defendants were prodded by

The president of the bar associagainst Murray and Marians, never arose and spoke one syllable for

When John Murray arose to speak he was scrutinized with keenest curiosity. Necks craned and eyes peered from here and there all Some of the prisoners were destable to the prisoners were dest In reply to the question "Who of the electors of this state.

In reply to the question of ending in this state the miner's officials or matter has virtually said, that a judicary could decide, whether the subject said the convention held in Trinidad September 16, 1913, decided the policy committee of District 15, U. M. W. A., was empowered to make a settlement provided the operators first agreed to make a settlement provided the operators first agreed to make a settlement provided the operators first agreed to make a settlement provided the operators first agreed to make a settlement provided the operators first agreed to make a settlement provided the operators first agreed to make a settlement provided the operators first agreed to make a settlement provided the operators first agreed to make a settlement provided the operators first agreed to make a settlement provided the operators first agreed to grounds assigned for such recall and the will to bring order out of lows:

The Colorado Campaign

The call for funds to circulate the policy form and prosecutors, calming the condition of the coal companies. The women's pen is in the old part of the building that was condemned years ago. The floors and swalls are decaying and the terrible odors that come from them are overpowering. As there were no lifted to the building that was condemned years ago. The floors and walls are decaying and the terrible odors that come from them are overpowering. As there were not proven to the notorious tool of the coal companies. The women's pen is in the old part of the building that was condemned years ago. The floors and walls are decaying and the terrible odors that come from them are overpowering. As there were no light to make the solution of the coal companies. The floors and walls are decaying and the terrible odors that come from them are overpowering. As there were not proven to the notorious tool of the coal companies. The floors and walls are decaying and the terrible odors that come from them are overpowering. As there

for the inevitable, the oncoming democracy.

To the judiciary arrayed the plain disappointment at the close of the trial was the refusal on the part of both defendants to avoid the immediate jailing offered by the court. Newell Pharmacal Co. Dest. 162 St. Louis. M.

Socialists Pledge Aid.

Dur Day In Court

BY GRACE B. MARIANS.

The following replies to the telegram sent by Local Las Animas County informing the national office and the state secretaries of the Socialist party that the milities are recognizing in Talvid. digious personages, lights of tia was reorganizing in Trinidad, the law in Colorado, ranged and that the same Company A round the court room, met which massacred women and chil-the gaze of Comrades Murray and dren at Ludlow was about to take

From Erward H. Kintzer, State Secretary, Clarksburg, W. Va.

Las Animas county, who in relays of twos and threes and fives asserted and reasserted and said again that the holiness, honor, dignity and purity of the courts had been assailed by the two culprits at the bar.

These lawyers in droves fumed till fatigued about the purity of the courts, then took second wind

action. A day will come when a cannon

If my soldiers should think care-

fully, not one of them would remain in the ranks .- Frederick II.



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# Homeless! Hungry! Naked! Ignorant!

BY GEORGE R. KIRKPATRICK, Author of "War-What For?" Written for the Appeal to Reason.

lions of workers outside of Europe, people in Europe do not possess Smith, who has returned from Eu-in addition to the vast burdens of homes of their own worth \$1,500. rope. He formed this opinion, he interest on war bonds for the next fifty years, in addition to the loss in race hatred and national jealousy and stupefying national isolation, in addition to the immense losses in social feeling and international reco-operation, love and fellowship to week month after month. interest on war bonds for the next co-operation, love and fellowship, ter week, month after month, and in addition to the flood of blood sweeping swiftly down this street and tears, the Niagara of blasted at the rate of fifty miles per hour, hopes and ruined, shriveled life devouring all these homes, driving plans—in addition to all these losses, what is human society's loss every sixty minutes. This devastative has been sold shall be sold the sold of the in Homes, Food, Shelter and Edu-tion represents the cost of the

First of all, let us get distinctly ship in Europe. in mind the sum representing the cost of the present war, \$110,000,-York Independent, the New York flour. list of items included in Professor Richet's estimate does not include -ridiculously omits - the largest item of all in the daily cost of the war, namely, the unused, wasted, and therefore lost, labor power of the twenty million men who are w disengaged from productive industry by this war. If these 20,000,000 men were provided with this war. If these productive equipment as perfect as the killing equipment now pro-vided in the European armies, they easily produce, each, \$3.00 days now fast approaching. worth of value in a day, or a total cost of the war-every twenty-four dustry. Hold this sum in mind for

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HE war, the prolonged spasm boastfully prosperous country of "It isn't patriotism alone that sanity of vanity and greed, the nomes of their own and live in makes Englishmen flock to the present appalling war in Eu-rented homes. Undoubtedly the recruiting offices. It's the knowl-In addition to the loss in many is with us. It seems perfectly safe months of unemployment for mil- to estimate that five-sixths of the

present blood and iron statesman-

running side by side on a double wives and children an allowance. cost of the present war, 111,000, running side by side of the present war, 111,000, running side by side of the present war, 110,000, running side dollars—every twenty-four hours. posed of cars each laden with \$1,100 Publications of high rank, the New worth of vegetables meat and worth of vegetables, meat and with another story.

flour. Imagine these two trains "On the night En World, the Philadelphia North flour. Imagine these two trains "On the night England declared rushing into the ocean at the rate war," he said, "a big mass meet-of thirty-five miles an hour. This ing was held in Trafalgar Square. the estimate made by Professor loss of food gives us in another But it fell flat, in spite of all the Charles Richet of the University way an idea of the cost of the war speeches. Then the crowd marched way an idea of the cost of the war speeches. Then the crowd marched the cost of the present of Paris, for the cost of the present in Europe. Millions of undernour- to Buckingham palace, and King war, \$50,000,000 per day. But the ished men, women and children George came out on the balcony will easily sicken and die in Eu- and made a little speech. He rope this winter—starved, thin-wound up by saying: blooded, easy victims of disease.

In Clothing: Twenty-six days do his duty!'

"At this a tall, ragged giant who cost of the present war would provide four ten-dollar suits of cloth-ing for every family in Europe, palings of the fence broke the will shiver in their rags this com-will shiver in their rags this com-will shiver in their rags this com-will shiver in their rags this com-Many scores of millions in Europe silence with a laugh. He yelled and women will shrink in shame of their tattered clothing in the bleak the band concerts in the park?

In Education: "Education is to of \$60,000,000 worth in one day, the human mind what sculpture is This labor power is now unused in to a block of marble." Six months' production. It is wasted, lost. This cost of the present war would prosixty millions, added to the fifty vide a four-year university educamillions itemized by Professor tion for every one of the 20,000,-Richet, gives a grand total of one 000 men who are now by the war hundred and ten million dollars disengaged from productive in-

Twenty million men mentally disthe following illustrations of cost: ciplined, developed, richly in-In Homes: Remember that more formed! The like has never been known in all the history of the human race. Twenty million men roused from the benumbing slumber of ignorance - prepared for greater social service, disciplined for the great work of delving into the secrets of nature that the human race may make greater and greater use of the forces of nature, disciplined to plan, to encourage, to think, to write, to paint, to compose, to sculpture, to build, to beautify and gloryfy the world we live in-to enrich the meaning of life; twenty million men prepared with greater force and finer vision to aspire and inspire-to better serve the human race in its upward climb to physical, mental and moral maturity.

But instead of all these things e have capitalist statesmanshipsettling an argument with fire and sword, in the roar and smoke of belching cannon-blood and tears and hatred and a multitude of misfortunes and burdens firmly bound to the back of labor. A long fiftyyear night of ignorance, gloom, desolation, despair and anguish now comes down as a black shroud

tion shining in the brain of hun-dreds, thousands of your neigh-bors. Now!

### The Game of War. ohn Ruskir

Capitalists, when they do not know what to do with their money know what to do with their money, persuade the peasants that the a certain number of each other until they get tired, and burn each other's houses down in various places. Then they put the guns back into towns, arsenals, etc., in ornamental patterns, and the victorious party put also some ragged flags in churches. And then the capitalists tax toth annually, ever afterwards, to pay interest on the afterwards, to pay interest on the loan of the guns and powder.

WAR is business in uniform. Business is war in a sack coat.

It's War Or Starve."

One American citizen just returned from Europe tells a Chicago Evening Post reporter that the English volun-

what does this present world-condition of the people of Europe edge that if they don't go to war in this respect is far worse than it they'll starve to death at home!"

This is the opinion of Frank Smith, who has returned from Eusays, after he had watched a silent, drawn-faced crowd of two thousand men in line before a recruiting station in Birmingham.

'I went up to one of the men, a thin-faced young fellow of about 25," Mr. Smith said, "and made some remark about the wonderful natriotism of the British. He turned around and laughed at me.

'Patriotism nothin' Lot of patriotism in this crowd-I don't think! They're patriotic because they have to be. either go to war and eat, or stay at home and starve. And if we go In Food: Two freight trains are to war the government gives our

Mr. Smith illustrated his point

'England expects every man to

to do? Stay at 'ome and listen to "Almost instantly two big bob-bies seized him by the neck, jerked him away from the fence and started off toward the station with

"Now that gives you a fair idea of the way England likes the war. Over here in America we think that in England everything is singing and speech-making and skyrockets and enthusiasm. But it isn't. England is a nation mourning. There are no laughter or smiles there."

# Significant News Notes

Money in Murder,-American manu facturers have contracts to supply 20 million dollars in arms and ammunition to certain European belligerents, Count Von Bernstorff, German ambassador

Pitiable Conditions in Holland,-Ardis patch from The Hague says: "Thousands of women and children are starving in Holland. They are residents of Belgium. Their homes have been destroyed. The mortality among the children is great. Refugee camps have been arranged."

rranged."

Weekly Benefits.—Unionists of Den-Weekly Benefits.—Unionists of Denmark are paying weekly benefits to the families of their comrades who have been drafted into the army as the result of the war. It would seem the government will not pay the worker who fights for it enough to keep his family alive. The bankers want it all.

Seeking to Befuddle Things .- lows av-Seeking to Befuddle Things.—lowa au-thorities are seeking to explain away the recently adopted workmen's com-pensation law. They have already ruled from its provisions all contractors as not being employers, teachers in independent school districts, lecturers and several other classes of workers.

# The War Combination

HE importance of getting out said peasants want guns to shoot each other with. The peasants accordingly borrow guns, out of the manufacture of which the capitalists get a percentage, and men italists get a percentage, and men combination—\$2.10 worth of books.

# **Appeal Cancels Party Debt**

Girard, Kan., September 12, 1914.

Walter Lanfersiek, National Executive Secretary Socialist Party, Chicago, Ill.:

Dear Comrade-We are sending you enclosed a receipt in full for \$1,216.77, the amount the national office of the Socialist party owes to the Appeal to Reason for subscriptions sent in through the lyceum bureau, which ended so dis-

While we lost tens of thousands of subscriptions in surrendering our successful speakers' bureau to the party, we are willing to stand this additional loss in the hope that this act will inspire the comrades to make some effort to wipe out the serious indebtedness of our national organization,

Fraternally yours. W. H. WAYLAND. 

# The Appeal Army

The Army of Action and Achievement.

THE "BIG TEN." A list of those sending the largest clubs of 40-week subs for the week: 
 Matthews, New York
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 W. Dietz, Pennsylvania....
J. Farrell, Pennsylvania....
W. Newland, South Pakota.... C. C. Chadwick, Colorado 13
D. E. Taylor, Ohio 13
O. H. Kyle, Ohio 13

A list of those sending the largest clubs of four-year subs for the week Aug. Hedin, Minnesota
J. A. McJunkin, Pennsylvania.
A. Fritsch, Oklahoma
Isaac Detweller, Pennsylvania.

The fortunate ones whose names present in the above lists each week sective a present of some good book. appear in the above lists each

"The People Were Enger to Get Them o writes J. A. Cameron of Texas of the 300 Appeals he recently distributed in

A. L. Studer of Arizons, says he made we Socialists out of his last bundle of Appeals. He sends \$3 and a list of an even dozen seekers of truth.

Charles Paterline of Pennsylvania picked up a stray copy of the Appeal the other day and after looking it over decided it was the paper he wanted. He sends a club of four and says there are more to follow.

The dislike for the Socialists in Jersey City dates back to last election, when they polled a vote high

Day, Socialism is the one shuning light of hope. Our local is distributing 30 Appeals weekly and we are confident of making large gains for Socialism this fall.—Arch H. Wells, Idaho.

We Have the Names of several thousand Colorado veters who should be reading the Appeal. These names will be put on the list as fast as the money of the color of comes in to pay for them. \$5 will for 20; \$2 for eight and \$1 for four.

It Certainly Does Me Good to hear some non-Socialist friends say, "Well, the Appeal has been predicting all these things; they do print things the others dare not print." They are getting ready to break away even in old republican Vermont.—J. Walter Shelley, Vermont.

Vermont.—J. Waiter Species, vermon.

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Hasten the Time when we mothers of the nation shall no longer raise sons for food for cannon, when we shall no longer be called upon to furnish sons and brothers to fight to protect the property of the rich, but when we shall have a world of our own and universal broth-erhood shall prevail.—Clara Ware, wom-an's correspondent, Arkansas.

H. M. Sinclair, state secretary Social-t party of Oklahoma, believes in doing hustling on l

gunman, has today proved that Rockefeller and not Wilson has declared martial law in Colorado."

Not by a blanked sight, my bamboorled brother. Some people may doubt this, but it is true.

our literature at the present called out and martial law deof the employers. In 1904, when a dorned a southern beauty, and of coal strike threatened in the combination—\$2.10 worth of books trinidad district, a Socialist telegation of the combination and offer them, as long as they until they get tired and home the combination are combination. a copy to the APPEAL.

are only 500 sets of this combina- and the railroad, who declare mar

### IS LEADER OF A MOB.

Brother of President's Private Secretary Grows Violent. om the New York Call.

Felix Tumulty, secretary to Mayor Fagan of Jersey City, and brother of the secretary to Presi- complished by keeping the bees in dent Wilson, Saturday night tropical countries. From having mounted a Socialist platform at lived where it was needful to lay escaped on a passing car.

them to "action." He appealed to foolish as the human worker. their "patriotism," extolling the Nevertheless, Solomon might be against the Socialists.

Jersey City dates back to last elec- of blood now on in Europe is comtion, when they polled a vote high ing to the light from capitalistic

### WHY SLAVES ARE POOR

fabulous wealth of the United cial authority. The New York States that you are poor? Have World editorially declares pracyou been indulging in palaces and tically the same thing, using these banquets and servants and travel, words: that you now have to struggle for The of that you now have to struggle for a living? You have always done what those in authority over you directed. And you are still poor. Why are you noor if you have Why are you poor, if you have helped produce the surplus wealth above what has been consumed by society? How comes it that others own the houses, lands, railroads, food, clothing-everything?

Have the others been doing so much more work every day and living on so much less than you that they have saved all the bil-Or, are you not in about desolation, despair and anguish of ther classes of workers.

American Paper Censored—Not only cloud over the l'fe of labor, in Europe.

Salvation comes through information—and only thus.

Reader, if you are planning "to do something some time" in the great work of the world, do it now. This present hour is an incomparable time to work for salvation—for the-salvation of the working class.

Earn, borrow, find, beg or otherwise secure a dollar or five dollars or tended to the corterature. Sell the literature quickly at the lowest possible price; reinvest the same money in literature. Keep this money turning over—and get the sun of information shining in the brain of hundreds, thousands of your neigh-wise and several other clouds and shot the work of this world. The seems that not only have the Butte copsiste secure a dollar or five dollars or tended to the work of the working class. Earn, borrow, find, beg or otherwise secure a dollar or five dollars or tended to the work of the lions?

boozled brother. Your condition is worse than that of a chattel As far back as 1904 the APPEAL presented positive proof to its readers that when troops were realled out and readers that when troops were realled out and readers that when troops were spread more costly banquets than

as the social structure is based on private ownership of property used in production—so long as you 

The women have officially been called on to harvest the European tion. It is thus limited because 500 tial law; our (?) governors, yea, called on to harvest the European copies are all we have on hand of even our (?) presidents, are but crops the men raised. The crop the cloth-bound edition of Benson's mere instruments to be used by the women raised is being harvest-book. such private owners. ed by the cannon.—New York Mail.

### ONE ON THE BEE

You have to hand it to the modern capitalists. They have put one over on the bee. Of old a man with international fame sang:

How doth the little busy bee Improve each shining hour.

But the bee did nothing of the kind. He rested every night and part of the day, too. More than hat, he rested every winter. That lacks a good deal of "improving each shining hour" with drudgery. But even at that he was so pos sessed of the idea of laying by for a rainy day that he always overdid the matter and as a consequence was duly robbed of his surplus. In this respect he was just like the worker who is "thrifty."

But the bee has reformed, after the model of the modern reformer. He has become "efficient." He has been taught to work, not eight hours a day, but 14 hours, not eight months, but 12 months in the year, without striking. He still believes in the "sacred law of contract." The result named has been ac

Monticello and Harrison avenues, by against winter, the little crea-Jersey City, where an anti-war tures have imbibed the idea of sav-meeting was in progress, and so ing, until it has become an obsesincited the crowd against the So- sion to them. When removed from cialists that the latter were in a northern state to southern Cali-great danger of violence. They fornia, where flowers were provided for the year around, they The meeting, arranged by Local did not realize that it was no Hudson County, Socialist party, longer needful to lay by at all, but was proceeding peaceably enough, they pitched in and worked the when Tumulty with some friends year through. As a result there started disturbances. Chairman was more loot for the men who Val Bausch left to ask police pro-tection at headquarters. Soon toil. The bees didn't get any more after he went, Tumulty, on a prom- security from their extra time; ise to speak only for ten minutes, they merely provided more for the harangued the crowd, exhorting exploiter. They were nearly as

"Best Facts I ever Read," says E. F. ("heroes who made this country paraphrased, and the sluggard told Comstock of New York of the little old Appeal. He sends \$3 for 12 subscription cards and an ARSENAL. ("heroes who made this country paraphrased, and the sluggard told to go to the bee rather than the ant against the Socialists. the bee that under favorable condi-Bausch's request for mainte- tions, if robbery ceased, he could nance of order naturally fell on live in clover all the time without deaf- ears. No policeman was in having to lay by a precious thing.

# WAR DELIBERATELY BEGUN.

Gradually the cause of the ravin In All the Strife and Crimes of the enough to threaten democratic sources. Following is from a mar-lay, Socialism is the one shining light rule.

The property seekly and we are confident of the New York when the property seekly and we are confident of the New York when the property seekly and we are confident of the New York when the property seekly and we are confident of the New York when the property seekly and we are confident of the New York when the property seekly and we are confident of the New York when the property seekly and we are confident of the New York when the property seekly and the property seekly see stock exchange, dated August 12:

Why SLAVES ARE POOR

J. A. Wayland in 1895.

Y brother, you with calloused hands, who labor late and early whenever illfate does not deprive you of place, is it because you do not develope the pending monstrous wars which are making a slaughter house of all Europe is the rising tide of political discontent and the uprising in favor of popular government, and that this discontent is due to unjust economic conditions accentrated by the rapidly rising cost of living.

Remember, this is not the statedo your part in the creation of the ment of a Socialist, but of a finan-

Honestly, what do you think of a system that will deliberately plot to plunge the world into this hor ror in order to maintain its graft against a growing spirit of pro-test? Ought it to continue to live and dominate the earth?

WAR is a debate with guns.



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### HOW TO END WAR

the belligerent nations on the de- Wilson. fensive, seeking to justify themselves for the great crime of 1914. But this sentiment existed all the time that the nations were hausting their resources building voted on this fall. navies and erecting forts.

ganization. The present social or- carry by a large majority. ganization is imperfect along several lines. It is national rather than universal in scope. This leaves room for differences along racial and state lines. It is a class organization, with a ruling class tion that will make it impossible, war cannot end. The robbers will employment to all cr seek their loot and the robbed will Put it up to Wilson. wish to defend themselves. Sentiment may help to bring about a feeling for justice, but it will re-

That war cannot be loved" out of existence is shown the fact that war came when half of Europe was praying that it might not come. That war will be practiced even in times of peace is demonstrated by the class war now on in Colorado and Arkansas, and always in progress in every land. War will end when explotaends poverty also will end.

return.

THIS is also a war on truth. Every nation is suppressing the real news of the slaughter.

ENGLAND has a commission with power to imprison anyone caught trying to "corner" food articles. America has not. Why?

ENGLAND has seized on the railroads and is operating them in the 200 pages and made into a book that interest of the people, as the rulers

> AMERICA is already in the war The fight for a living is the fight the workers of Europe are making. capitalists is the same fight Euro-

THE German ambassador in New York makes openly the charge American merchants are violating neutrality by shipping contrabands of war to England. That is what the desire for profits will do. It may mean an American war to satisfy their greed.

THE masters have been given control of the nation's credit in order to induce them to restore bus yet more people are out of war. It may help. The fact that work than for twenty years. Time the people have not responded to to take control of industry from the fighting spirit has already not the fighting spirit has already put may find employment. Put it up to

Socialists of California have initiated an eight-hour amendment to the constitution, which will be voted on this fall. The eight-hour work day is humane and entirely War can be ended only by end- right. No argument can be urged ing the cause of war. The cause against it except as based on the million cases just like this one.

"THERE is no market," writes a farmer to the APPEAL. The reason there is no market is because the and a working class that is exploited by it. Until exploitation ceases through a social organizasion of industry and by furnishing sion of industry and by furnishing

production and distribution and do you act?

WALL STREET has "made" some more money. The city of New York owed \$79,000,000 at 4½ per The city of New The New York bankers who cent. land. War will end when explota-bought the bonds resold to Euro-cism of its position relative to tion ends. And when exploitation pean capitalists at an advance. The holding the food in America and ds poverty also will end.

The man or woman who does not posited with trust companies, which has received less than it expected, are not required to keep gold as sebut there has been some. Followaddress himself to the new task are not required to keep gold as sealong the lines suggested by the curity for debts. Now the Euro-best thinkers everywhere, laying pean capitalists are demanding pay-that have been received:

# **Get** the Goods on

Wouldn't you want the voters of your district to know

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# What Are You Going to Do About It, Mr. President?

"I am the head of a family of seven and for the last two years my earnings have amounted to less than \$300 per year and yet I have worked all the time and at anything I could find to do. I am now unemployed, like thousands of others, and no prospect of employment. All necessities of life have gone up in price. I am facing winter with my family with no resources of any sort. What are we going to do?

Can you answer him, Mr. President? You know this man's contion is not unique, it's not just one isolated case. There are several

You are at the head of this nation of a hundred million people, nation that produces enough food for all, makes shoes enough for all, mines enough coal for all.

What are you going to do about it, Mr. President? You can't say, Mr. President, that there is not enough food for market is in the hands of profit mongers who either won't or can't any want?

We are facing the most important it by refusing to feed those who course. They who precipitated it campaign in the history of the Socialist

You know what your duty is. Why don't you do it?

Ship insurance schemes won't feed these people; federal reserve banks won't keep them warm. They want work, they want food and His argument is that it is kinder. So the war is a failt employment to all create a market, they want it now. And you, Mr. President, can give it to them if you will.

Don't try to dodge behind the constitution or congress. Don't THE federal government has es- hide behind the supreme court or any other court. You can do this thing to eat. tablished depots in eighteen cities thing if you will. You can do it just as Lincoln emancipated the quire close thinking and daring statesmanship to effect the actual change that is necessary to remove the states and the states are properties. The masters are properties and the states are properties and the states are properties. The states are properties and the states are properties and the states are properties. The states are properties and the states are properties and the states are properties. The states are properties are properties and the states are properties and the states are properties. The states are properties and the states are properties and the states are properties. The states are properties and the states are properties and the states are properties and the states are properties. The states are properties and the states are properties and the states are properties and the states are properties. The states are properties are properties and the states are properties and the states are properties. The states are properties and the states are properties are properties. The states are properties are properties are properties and the states are properties are properties are properties are properties are properties are properties. The states are properties That armament will not prevent are as been demonstrated by are the set as war has been demonstrated by and should be set aside. If the gov-these men can't wait much longer. Hungry men with hungry wives Europe. That war cannot be ernment can do them, it proves that and children make poor waiters—they are the material from which the government should take over all mobs are formed. The clock of the ages points to ACTION. Will

# FARMERS AND THE WAR

The APPEAL expected some criti-

aside his preconceived notions that he may learn, is working for war and robbery, even though a vague sentiment may be against these things.

War seldom enters but where wealth allures.—Dryden.

Dean capitalities are demanding pay-that they can have been received.

Ment, the trust companies will pay the nothing but paper, and in order to a big crop more than from a small one, in spite of the extra work it causes. Last year we raised nothing and had to sell stock in order to live. Nobody raised a howl on our account then, and nobody petitioned the president in our behalf, though often we had to mortgage the farm in order to pull through. It is not right to ask us to forego high prices not right to ask us to forego high prices when the war is enabling us to realize more for our grain.

The situation of the farmer is correctly pictured in the above. Your Congressman He is a victim of the system that is maintaining the war. The masters wish to use him to enable them to fasten on the world the

> There is another consideration: may starve. Farmers objected

be sold here, provided the means of employment suggested by the APFEAL goes into effect with the storpage of food shipment. The over-reporting of crops is an old dodge, for the purpose of frightening the farmers into selling their crops early. It worked this year. Already more than half the crop is out of the hands of speculators. If it were not so, the truth about the short crop would not be given out by the government the farmers apport and that every year betrays them. The holding of food in the second of the second and conduct his store in composition of the store in composition with other stores without has proved a failure.

Business has not revived, any-business has not revived any-bu

as it would to speculators. The such recurrences of barbarity. cry of the APPEAL for this reason

holding the crops in America was times of war, and always demands: First, that the government employ the idle in building roads and doing other needed pub-lic works, a thing that would benmoney deposited in the government postal savings banks be used to lack \$100,000,000 of meeting the throning a tyrant. in paying for this work, something government expenses. It has been The workers have that would provide for the work able to buy will have the means to purchase food. They can, therefore, buy what the formal the form able to buy will have the means to purchase food. They can, therefore, buy what the farmer has to sell, living themselves and enabling the farmer to live.

The APPEAL's proposition, thereand starve America.

# LET'S END IT ALL.

others in America to live plan to the APPEAL gratis, saying: useless and destructive work. I will be glad to go anywhere in the United States and organize a store where we can buy our products from the farmer and manufacturer and not pay them profit. We can sell the goods at cost.

THIS CONGRESSIONAL CAMPAIGN.

In of the price of sugar. If the president interfered in the one benefit that might accrue from cut
THE WAR HAS FAILED.

THE WAR HAS FAILED.

The war is already a failure. Every Army worker and every Socialist local ought to order a bundle of No. 984 at once. We are getting ready should he not in the order a record-breaking edition. We know this edition has got "the goods" on congress and we know you will cirtuate it. Here is the order blank ready for filling:

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profit system and save all profit, of capitalism that the war was either in production or distribu- forced on the people. Here is a letter from a workingman who lives in the great and rich state of Idaho. Listen, Mr. President, to what this man says:

tion, in making or selling, quicker talism is utterly unable to rally, than we could organize all the inspite of the war. profit through co-operatives.

### ON SPEAKING SOFTLY.

which the war can be ended. The will profit greatly by the carnage. if it failed to exhaust every means at capitalists can end it by refusing This is because the world has adits command of getting to the people to furnish money to support it, but vanced where such slaughter is no with the truth. are at war, and this friend would are being criticised as they never movement in America. We have more to let people murder each other it cannot save capitalism. It would world war and the prevailing industrial than to stop the murder through clearly like to let go. It may let conditions are sweeping away old preju starvation and then put them go. The war may end as abruptly dices. The American people are ready where they can work and get some-

mean as much loss to the farmers vising practical means for ending civilization.

If the war could be really is not against the farmer, but starved out of existence it would against the non-farmer who man- be the most humane thing in the ages to control and manipulate world to starve it, even though innocent people did suffer. Lastly, the APPEAL's demand for suffer in times of peace and in made in connection with two other fer until they throw off their yoke. tory.

# GREAT STATESMEN.

What brilliant and honest fel-

suggested that if the "pork barrel" creek, Fla., Trinity river, Texas, engaged in the business of loot Cossa river, Ga., Bayou river, La., when the toilers have not been held the truth about the man who is "representing" you in congress?

Wouldn't you want his entire record in congress exposed so the working people will know how to vote?

The world them to fasten on the world the system that has enslaved him. It fore, is humane, just and social as well as other brooks and several in subjection, kept in ignorance, is detracked less things will be thrown out of employment. Your brilliant rep-the workers and created navies and resentatives know no way to em-armies for the masters to command. It is all settled. The remedy is ploy people except at useless work dred million more beside for the

After all, perhaps they do fittingly represent you, the workers of America. If you haven't sense enough to vote for men of your own class who know what you but you will never force them to need, they are the very kind of get off your backs as long as you

I want to make complaint in a friendly way. I was sorry you would think of starving the people of Europe to stop the war. The class that made the war has plently, and you cannot starve them. There is enough in this country to feed the world. Do all the good you can, relieve suffering as far as possible and then teach the gospel of peace. Don't permit anything that has naughty words to appear in your paper. Be gentle and kind and you will have the more influence. Letter from Seldon, Kan.

There are just two ways in the teach the gospel of peace the selfering and seeking to blame the war on each other. It becomes less and less certain that any capitalist of fany monarch would be falling short of its plain duty. tries involved are denied the truth lots of ten or more,

as it began. It may end in the for Socialism. They will vote for it as fear that winter will endanger the soon as they understand it. There is Kind words won't end war. The reign of the masters, unless it does not a Socialist reader of this paper but

damnation of hell?" The world is no longer able to support the dollar for Socialism today will bring suffering today from that goody- world shall be set aside now while greater results than \$10 after November. goody spirit which merely prays its failure is most apparent. Not Every member of the Appeal Army must when all Christendom takes to reform is needed, but a new sys- get into action. Never was the need so murdering workers, instead of de- tem that will save and perpetuate great. Never was the promised results

# THE LONG WAR

The European tragedy is only a battle in the long war that has been while the iron is hot. will suf- in progress since the dawn of his-

That long war has always been by the exploiters to force labor to lic works, a thing that would ben-efit the farmers; and, second, that you in congress! The tariff bill they pass is going tempt to overthrow tyranny by de-

in that war-against themselves. without bond issues. If this were river improvement bill—which They have been the victims of the done it would mean that the milbattle, and the dupes after the bat-

There has never been a day in

has made this a world of suffering plea that the scouts do not foster and barbarism. It is this long war that has written history in blood. It is the long war that has disarmed It is this long war that has made life a struggle, that is responsible that we call evil.

The masters will never end the war until the workers take things pearing in the daily press. This force them to change the form of force them to change the form of the yoke, the method of fighting, but you will never force them to guarding bridges, roads, failway lines, etc., with great success. submit to their rule.

trays them. The holding of food in ing over remedies that are not world.

America, therefore, would not remedies. We could end the whole It was because of the collapse ting anything by it.—John Jay. ever they have a prospect of get- you to enroll if you write us today.

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There are just two ways in that any capitalist or any monarch would be falling short of its plain duty

than a fighting chance to send a dozen So the war is a failure. Even or more Socialists to congress. The Socialist agitation has done this 10-cent rate. Remember, comrades It remains for us to make that an hour's work for Socialism right so great and so sure. Send a list of ten today and then follow it up with other lists as fast as you can get them together. And remember for \$3 and a list of 30 at this special rate gets you a free ARSENAL. You may never have another opportunity like this. Let us strike

O. A. Johnson of Illinois sends a dollar to pay for four new converts which he says he captured simply by passing his copy of the Appeal around among a few of his friends.

# AS TO BOY SCOUTS.

A commander of the Boy Scouts writes the APPEAL, protesting that The workers have always fought scoutdom is not a military organization, and calling attention to woodcraft and athletics that the scouts are taught as a reason why the APPEAL should favor the organization.

> It is freely admitted that woodcraft, athletics, hiking and numerous features along that line, practiced by the Boy Scouts, are war and slavery.

When the APPEAL first began criticising the scout movement they openly drilled with guns. The APPEAL's agitation, followed by several murders committed by the for ignorance, for poverty, for all of guns. But they are still drilled. arm bearers, led to the discarding That they are military in nature is proved by recent dispatches apis from a dispatch from London:

Not military, eh? A New York You must learn to govern your- dispatch of recent date reports: