

"JAIL FOR AGITATORS," IS THREAT BY CHIEF SHIPPY

Anger of Police Head Aroused by Proposed Demonstration of the Unemployed—Jobless Men Will Parade, Anyway

The unemployed are to be arrested, Dr. Reitman, leader of the unemployed, is to be singled out first and marched solemnly down the stone steps and through the grate door on the first evidence he gives of obtruding his dynamic views into Chicago's serenity.

Thus has Chief Shippy of the Chicago police force declared himself. When the chief was apprised of the proposed plan of Dr. Reitman and the unemployed host to meet Friday in Brand's hall and set a date to march in a body to the city hall, with a demand for "Work—not charity," he expressed his views emphatically.

"We will put them all away for safe keeping," he said, in effect. Dr. Reitman is defiant. In spite of this threat Reitman has redoubled his energy toward getting the unemployed together and has mapped out a complete program of action.

"It's up to the chief," Reitman declared. "We intend to hold our meeting as announced, and to ask for permission to parade the streets. In the event that permission is denied us, we shall parade anyway. We shall march first to the city hall and make known our views."

Reitman has issued a quantity of posters, announcing the mass meeting that is to be held and the speakers who are to take part in the affair. According to the announcement the meeting is under the auspices of the Brotherhood Welfare association. It will be held in Brand's hall, 162 North Clark street, Friday evening, January 17, at 8 o'clock, and the proposition to be considered is: "There are more men than jobs—What are you going to do about it?"

One speaker deserts. Dr. Reitman was much concerned over the desertion of one of the speakers he had announced on the poster, who, through the devious medium of a messenger, announced that he would not appear.

DEMAND THAT TROOPS STAY

Las Vegas, Nev., Jan. 17.—The Nevada state senate has passed a resolution petitioning the president to maintain troops in Goldfield until the legislature can, by the passage of a law, provide either for a police force or some other method of maintaining the peace.

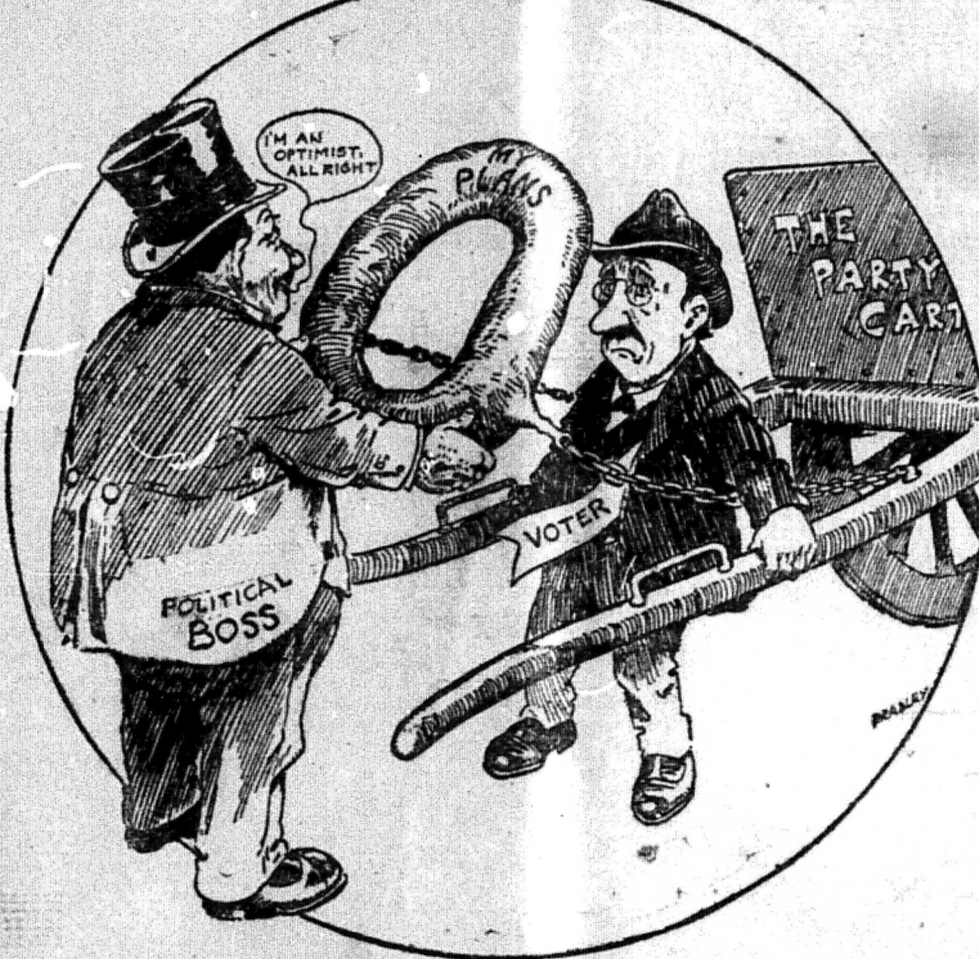
CALLS WOMEN PARROTS; RESIGNATION DEMANDED. Tonawanda, Mich., Jan. 17.—The members of the Presbyterian church of this village have for some months been receiving notice under the criticism of their pastor, Rev. William McPheters. The last straw came when, in the course of a sermon last Sunday, he referred to the young women of the congregation as "a flock of cackling parrots."

"SEERA" GETS CLARVOYANTS "IN BAD" WITH DEMOCRATS. A monstrous plot against all clairvoyants in Chicago was disclosed by one of the fated number just preceding the action of central detail detectives in arresting Mme. Seera and Mme. Ismar. "Mme. Seera was the cause of it all," declared the mysterious plot finder. The woman made her declaration in the course of an abrupt visit in the Chicago Daily Socialist office.

GOOD COBB, SAYS PEABODY; GOOD HEARST, SAYS COBB. New York, Jan. 17.—New York this morning has two interesting newspaper owners. William R. Hearst and Adolph S. Cobb.

RUSSIA KEEPS LIBERAL ENVOY FROM ROOSEVELT. New York, Jan. 17.—It developed after Paul Milvovitch, leader of the constitutional democrats in the Russian Duma, sailed for home on La Bourne, that President Roosevelt refused to receive the visitor because of objections from the Democratic party in the Russian Duma.

A REVISION



The difference 'twixt the Capitalist and Workingman is droll—The former gets the doughnut, while the latter gets the hole.

QUIETUS IS PUT ON ILLINOIS PRIMARY BILL. Springfield, Ill., Jan. 17.—The conference committee wasted considerable time on the Ogilby direct primary bill, but has succeeded in doing nothing except put it in such shape that it is not likely to come up again.

HUGHES' BOOM PUT TO SLEEP. New York, Jan. 17.—Perhaps it was because too many of the New York county committee were present at Governor Hughes' night "entertainment" in Albany Wednesday night that the governor was not endorsed by the committee for nomination as president when it met here last night.

SIDELIGHT ON THEATER FIRE. BY C. A. MAUREL. Reading, Pa., Jan. 16.—The country at large has just recently been horrified with the details of the awful Boyertown (Pa.) theater fire, and it may be interesting to know some of the inside facts.

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SOCIALISTS OF NATION TO MEET IN CHICAGO IN MAY

Largest Convention in History of Party Will Formulate Platform and Name Candidates—New Plan to Finance Gathering

The national convention of the Socialist Party will be held in Chicago some time in May. This is the result of the referendum of the National Committee which has just been counted.

UPHOLD PEONAGE IN MISSISSIPPI. Vicksburg, Miss., Jan. 17.—The right of the southern planter to hold ignorant foreigners in slavery despite human and statute laws has been vindicated.

REBEL LEADER MARCHES ON CAPITAL OF HAITI. Port Au Prince, Hayti, Jan. 17.—The present government of Hayti is face to face with its first revolution.

BREAK ROCK FOR CHARITY'S MITE. Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 17.—A considerable difference of opinion has arisen in the city over the question "How many cubic yards of rock can an otherwise unemployed man break in a day?"

PANIC CAUSES ROAD TO DISCONTINUE SEVEN TRAINS. Detroit, Mich., Jan. 17.—Lack of business, attributed to the financial stringency, and falling off of receipts under the 2-cent fare law, are the reasons given for the order to remove seven passenger trains on four divisions of the Michigan Central railroad.

ICE BREAKS; FIVE SKATERS MEET DEATH; ONE SAVED. Councilville, Pa., Jan. 17.—Of six persons who formed a skating party at the Jintown reservoir, near here, five were drowned.

IRISH CAN'T AGREE; DELEGATES ARE EJECTED. Dublin, Jan. 17.—The recently discussed reunion of the Redmondites and the O'Brienites is still far from consummation, judging from an incident which took place at the meeting here of the national directory of the United Irish League.

THE WEATHER. Office of Chief of Weather Bureau, Washington.—Forecast for Friday and Saturday: Illinois and Indiana and lower Michigan—Fair, warmer Friday and Saturday.

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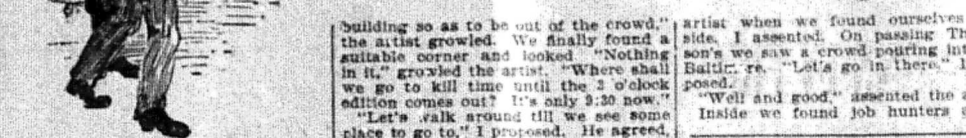
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JOB HUNTING IN CHICAGO



building so as to be out of the crowd, the artist growled. We finally found a suitable corner and looked "Nothing in it," growled the artist. "Where shall we go to kill time until the 3 o'clock edition comes out? It's only 9:30 now." "Let's walk around till we see some place to go to," I proposed. He agreed, and we started.



THE OTHERS HAD ONE CENT EACH FOR A PAPER; HE HAD NOT

ing over the want ad column of the morning paper. We skipped the trade column entirely, for we reasoned that very few of those out of employment had a trade. "Get! Look here, Scribe," the artist exclaimed, pointing to a row of about twenty salesman and agent ads. "How's that for job?"

"Look down those seats," he whispered. I cast my eyes down the aisle and saw an occupant whose paper he held up to the want ad column. I turned to the artist. "Well, did you find anything we want to tackle?" "Yes, here seems to be a pretty good one," he answered, pointing to one which read: "Salesman wanted—Experience not necessary; \$4 per day easily made. Apply at—Fifth avenue."

"What's the matter; is the job taken?" inquired one of our bunch. The rest looking at him and proposed. "You can go up if you want to. The job is there, all right, all right; but you've got to have 15 bucks with you as a deposit," one of them said sternly. "What is them for?" inquired another.

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J. Silverstein & Co. NEW FASHIONABLE SHOES REASONABLE PRICES 280 W. 12th Street Advertise in the Daily Socialist.

The Owners of the Jobs

Millions of men and women in this country are able to live only because someone gives them a job. That is a simple statement of what would be a terrible startling fact, if it were not so common that it is no longer capable of startling.

The men who own the jobs, own the people who must have them. If one man has the power of life and death over another he has all the elements of ownership.

The few who own the jobs can only give them out when those to whom they are given can return a profit in exchange for the work the jobs permit them to do. Today such a profit is impossible in millions of instances. So the jobs are not given out.

Millions of men in this country today are begging for jobs—begging for a chance to endure the burden of work. But the owners of the jobs will not let those who beg have an opportunity to toil and produce wealth.

The job owners cannot help this because of that rule in present society which provides that no job that does not yield a profit can be given out. If any owner of jobs attempts to violate this law of business he is punished with industrial death by bankruptcy.

So it is in vain that the jobless workers petition the owners of the jobs for relief. For them to give relief is to endanger their life as receivers of profits. They will act therefore only when they realize that their industrial life is threatened.

While this vicious circle lasts—while jobs depend upon profits—and profits cannot always be made upon jobs, there will be recurring periods in which millions of jobless workers will beg in vain for the chance to work and live.

THE MEN WHO OWN THE JOBS IN ANY SOCIETY RULE THAT SOCIETY. In all times and places this has been true.

We may have courts and constitutions, legislatures, free schools, universal suffrage, and rights and privileges without number, but WHILE JOBS ARE PRIVATELY OWNED THOSE WHO DO NOT OWN THEM ARE PRACTICALLY SLAVES TO THE JOB OWNERS.

We may sing "Land of liberty," but so LONG AS SOMEONE ELSE OWNS ALL THE JOBS THERE IS NO LIBERTY. Is there no solution? Is there no road to real liberty? Certainly.

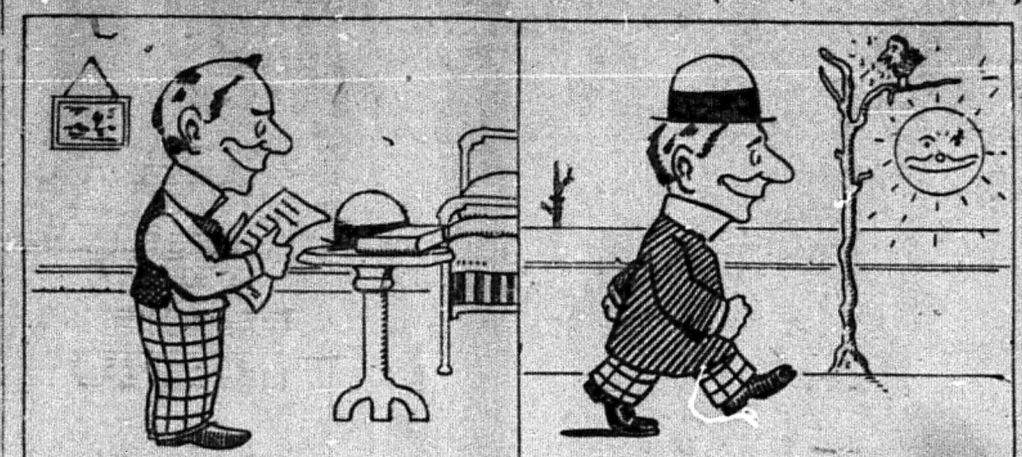
TO BE FREE WE MUST OWN OUR JOBS. That may not sound as poetic as the Declaration of Independence, or the average political platform, but it expresses a truth so tremendous that when the race has learned it slavery will for the first time disappear from the earth.

WE MUST OWN OUR JOBS. Ownership depends upon law. Law in this country is made by men elected by the people. A majority of the people are workers. The working-class can elect any man it wishes to make any laws it desires.

LET US MAKE LAWS GIVING US THE OWNERSHIP OF JOBS. Let us send men into the legislatures and into Congress that shall decide that the jobs of this country BELONG TO THOSE WHO MUST FILL THEM.

The ownership of the jobs goes with the ownership of the earth and the tools with which the work of the world is done. WHEN THESE THINGS ARE OWNED BY ALL THEN ALL WILL OWN JOBS.

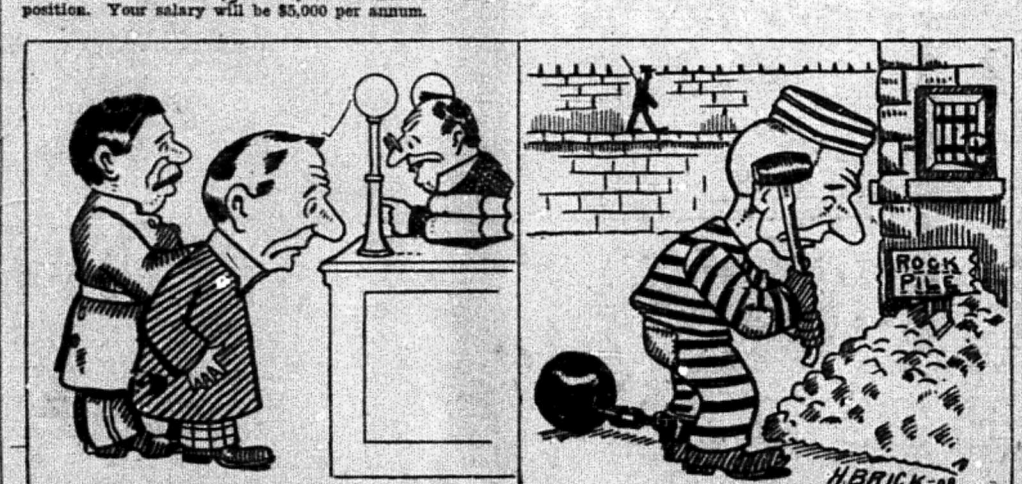
THE EDUCATION OF A CON CLERK (HE GOES TO SLEEP IN THE PARK AND GETS A JOB.)



1. Well, Well! This is what I call work. An answer to my application for a position with the firm of Smiley B. Glad & Co. 2. Ah, ah! But this is a bright old world after all. Just a few more steps and I will be at Mr. Glad's office.



3. Mr. Smiley B. Glad—Mr. Con Clerk, you are just the man that I have been looking for. I have dispensed with the services of my confidential clerk. For cause, and think that you are just the man for the position. Your salary will be \$5,000 per annum. 4. Officer—Here, a young fellow, no sleeping in the park. Wake up now and come along with me. I arrest you on the charge of vagrancy.



5. Judge—What is the charge, officer? Officer—Vagrancy and without any visible means of support. Judge—Thirty days in the bridewell. 6. A. Con Clerk—A job at last!

1908 THE SMILING SPHINX BY W. W. STIMSON "What makes the sphinx so gay this year?" Said little Willemine, dear. "She seems to smile all to herself And lay her paw up on the shelf."

IN FOREIGN LANDS BY J. B. ASKEW. After five years of exile our comrade, Vincent Volhaert, is going to return to Belgium, which he was obliged to quit on account of his activity in the general strike of 1902. During the period of exile our friend has lived in Paris and other places in France, and everywhere he has played an active part in the movement, especially in the founding of branches of the Young Guards among the Socialist youth. Our comrades in France are getting up a festival to bid him good-by on his return to Belgium.

Daily Socialist Stamps

To meet the present urgent crisis in the affairs of the Daily Socialist, the Central Committee of Local Cook County, Socialist Party, which is the heaviest stockholder in the paper, decided to issue due stamps to be sold to every friend of the paper. It was recognized that even if the paper should secure an income within a few weeks that equaled its expenses, as seems very probable, it would still be difficult, if not impossible, to maintain its existence without a considerable additional sum of money.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN Edited by Marie Jayne

Liability of Water Companies Did you ever get sick from drinking water that was supplied you through foul pipes? Well, if you never did you may some of these days; so here's something that will interest you. It is interesting first from the direct bearing on the matter of poisonous pipes, and it has an interest scarcely secondary from its suggestiveness of far-reaching effects. It seems a case came up in court before a jury in Norfolk county, Massachusetts. A woman sued a water company for damages, asking for \$2,500. She said she had been furnished water by the company through lead pipes that were foul, or something in the water corroded the lead pipes, and she was made sick by the water, which she claimed was unfit for domestic purposes. The jury found that the company was negligent on the part of the very fact that the water was bad was evidence of negligence and gave a verdict for \$3,500.

TO THE EDITOR SHORTAGE OF TEACHERS I would like to answer Miss Haley's letter of Monday on the shortage of teachers. Mr. Cooley is placing and only intends to place girls from outside of Chicago in the schools because they are ignorant of politics, less independent than city girls, know fewer scientific and consequently can't get Cooley into trouble if he happens to need out an arbitrary order. They are more docile, afraid to join the federation and will work harder. Their one aim is to leave their friends and come back Monday, if they happen to live near Monday—thirty or forty miles or so.

For Home Dressmakers LADIES' STUNDED SURFIDGE JUMPER Paris Pattern No. 2154 All Sizes Allowed This novel jumper is developed in same color. It is almost entirely composed of broad tucks and is crossed in surplice or shawl fashion. A large, ornamental embroidery finishes the bodice. The pattern is in 2 sizes—small, medium and large. In the medium size the jumper requires 4 1/2 yards of material 36 inches wide, or 2 3/4 yards 28 or 32 inches wide; 2 1/4 yards in tulle. Price of pattern, 10 cents.

BUSINESS IS BUSINESS BY LEWIS G. DE HART. "123!" "Coming, sir." A clerk at Bank's Emporium hastened up to the front of the shoe department, where the floorwalker stood with a list of names in his hand. "Report at the superintendent's office," he said. "I suppose I'm to be fired," said 123 bitterly, "now the Christmas rush is over and there isn't much trade."

Socialist Home Book MOTHS. Sent distributed over paper and added to remain on and not to be removed from getting into it. If