

MASSACRE IN KENOSHA ON

Officials Shoot Down Strikers in Wisconsin Town and Then Call for State Troops

BULLETS HIT TWO MEN IN TANNERY STRUGGLE

Committee of Workers Escorted Out of Office of Company After an Arrogant Refusal

Kenosha, Wis., July 23.—Two men were shot and a score were injured in riots at the plant of the N. R. Allen's Sons company here this morning and a call upon Gov. Davidson for troops to maintain order was sent to Camp Douglas. The request was made by Sheriff William F. Gunter, who informed the governor that in his opinion it was impossible for the local officials to protect lives and property of the men employed at the tannery. Arrangements are being made to bring the troops here on a special train, and it is expected that the city will be under martial law late this afternoon.

Crowds are parading the streets and many of the men, it is said, are armed. Fifteen hundred have joined the ranks of the strikers, though all of them are not making demands upon the company for an increase in wages. Socialist agitators are busy with the men, but are advising against violence.

Mot at Plant Opening

Violence began with the opening of the plant. A committee representing the strikers was in the office of the company seeking a settlement, but when the trouble arose the managers declared negotiations off and the committee was escorted out of the office, while the officials and the deputies who had been at the meeting armed themselves.

The first outbreak occurred at the central entrance on Grand avenue, where one of the strikers was shot. The bullet passed through his hip. His name is not known to the officials of the company. The man was taken to the Kenosha hospital. Soon thereafter a riot was started at North Chicago and Union streets and another man was shot through the left side.

Strike Leader Hurt

One man who said he was a strike leader was struck down with a coupling pin and was taken to the county jail and held on a charge of rioting. The police were unable to do anything with the strike sympathizers. Officer Nelson and Deputy Sheriff Lewis Morehouse of Sheriff Gunter's force were attacked, and both are in the hospital.

The company has declared that it will hold no further parleys and every department of the plant has been closed.

PATTEN SAYS HE STILL IS BULL

James A. Patten is still a bull on wheat. He said so this morning. He gave a demonstration of his belief by being the best buyer in the market at the break which was reported on early trades today. It was his position in the market which gave other buyers courage and caused a timely recovery in prices just when 90 per cent of the trade expected the market to go to pieces.

The occasion for the extreme bullishness on the part of the trade was the fact that the Patten house sold out about 4,000,000 bushels of wheat yesterday for September and December, and this gave rise to the belief that the bull leader had decided to retire from active trade for a time and let the market take care of itself. The market did not take good care of itself at the start today, as July wheat, which sold at \$1.25 ten days ago, and at \$1.18 1-4 at the opening yesterday, started with a break all the way from \$1.14 3-4 to \$1.12.

STRIKE BREAKER IS STRIPPED AND CRASHED THROUGH STREETS

Garrett, Ind., July 23.—When Motor-man Meyer, a strike breaker imported from Fort Wayne, for the Fort Wayne, Auburn & Kendallville branch of the Toledo & Chicago Interurban road, reported here last night he was seized upon by a crowd of strike sympathizers, stripped of his clothing to the skin and driven through the streets of Garrett.

AN UNAVAILING HINT FROM PARIS



THE CLEMENCEAU METHOD OF APPEASING THE ANGRY PUBLIC DOESN'T APPEAL TO OUR G. O. "STAND-PATTERS."

WANT AVIATORS TO FLY ON 'AIR'

Spirit of Economy Keeps U. S. From Making Appropriations for Experiments

Washington, D. C., July 23.—The United States is not expected to make great progress in aerial navigation during the next fiscal year because of any encouragement of inventors by congress. The spirit of economy in governmental affairs is so pronounced as to discourage even pleas by the war department for funds to purchase airships.

Big Appropriation Refused

Last year General Allen, chief signal officer, advocated an appropriation of half a million dollars for experimental work and succeeded not only in having that estimate sent to congress by the war department, but in having it considered favorably by the committee of the whole house, only to meet defeat before the appropriation bill was passed by the house itself. This year there is such close paring of estimates that it is not likely money will be sought for this purpose.

The board of ordinance of the army has \$45,000 for airship experiments, \$25,000 to be paid to the Wright brothers if they succeed in making a flight of ten miles at the rate of 36 miles an hour, carrying one person besides the operator, and \$20,000 to A. M. Herring if he meets similar requirements. This will be the end of experimental work unless interest is shown by congress in the form of a liberal appropriation.

Orville Wright Scores Again

Washington, D. C., July 23.—Following the successful flight of their airship at Fort Myer Tuesday, when the American record of the Wright brothers was beaten by Orville Wright, the latter made two flights yesterday, in which he closely approached the aeroplane speed record of the world. Wilbur held a stop watch on his brother while Orville attained a speed of 54 1/2 miles an hour. The Tuesday flight lasted 1 hour 20 minutes and 45 seconds.

M. Bleriot May Fly Today

Chalais, France, July 23.—The failure of Hubert Latham to sail across the English channel in a monoplane seems to have encouraged rather than discouraged rivals for the honor of being the first to make a flight from France to England. M. Bleriot, the French monoplane inventor, may make his first attempt to cross the channel today from Calais.

SOCIALIST 'HARP' TO BE PUBLISHED THIS MONTH

J. F. C. Donnelly, publisher of the Harp, the Socialist organ of the Irish working class in America, announces that on account of financial stress it was found impossible to have a June issue of that monthly. Now, however, the situation has improved and the July issue will appear about the 15th.

A bigger and better paper is promised hereafter. Irishman and Irish woman who are Socialists are urged to rally to the aid of this advance Socialist among their countrymen.

TO SUE AUTO OWNERS WHO NEGLECT WHEEL TAX PAY

Automobilists who have neglected to pay their wheel tax were reported for the first time today to Edward J. Brundage, corporation counsel, by the city collector's office, so that suits may be started against them to enforce collection. The list purports to include the names of all delinquents whose names were reported from the Harrison street, Twenty-second street and Deering street police stations. Other lists until the entire city is covered will be forwarded from the collector's office as rapidly as possible.

The list of today is of a heterogeneous assortment of citizens, the names including well known society leaders, levee characters and junk peddlers, who support automobile establishments of varying style. One name which was scratched off at the last minute was that of Beck Moriarty, 234 Twenty-second street, the Armour avenue resort keeper, from whose car Lorraine Woods, 2014 Dearborn street, was thrown and nearly killed when it was wrecked at Cedar Lake, Ind., last week in a wild automobile race with Jack Johnson, the colored fighter.

OUST SOCIALISTS FROM CHURCH

(SPECIAL TO THE DAILY SOCIALIST.) Bethlehem, Pa., July 23.—The Socialists here are in a quandary as a result of the dismissal of thirty-two of their comrades by Rev. A. Varlarky, rector of St. John's Magyar Catholic church, from membership in the congregation.

Rev. Varlarky has appropriated some of the ideas of the steel trust magnates and openly states that "he would be glad if all the Socialists were sent back to Europe."

The officials of the Bethlehem Steel Works are aiding Rev. Varlarky in getting rid of his parishioners by discharging all men against whom there is a suspicion that they are Socialists. As a result of the activity of the steel trust officials 43 men have been compelled to leave here and seek work elsewhere.

In spite of their one-sided struggle, the Socialists under the leadership of Simon Dozo, are keeping up the agitation among the foreigners and numerous speakers have been secured to address the foreigners on the benefits of Socialism.

HARRY ORCHARD GIVEN BAPTISM

Boise, Idaho, July 23.—Harry Orchard, murderer of former Governor Steunenberg of Idaho, according to his confession, was baptized at the penitentiary yesterday. The service was read by Elder Stewart, a seventh day adventist. Elder Stewart made the following statement after the ceremony: "Orchard is a devout convert and I feel his sins have been forgiven. He told me that he had fully determined to commit suicide if sent up for life, but that in his faith he had found consolation and was content to remain in the prison walls for the rest of his natural life."

SPAIN IS FIRM IN MOORISH WAR

Madrid, Spain, July 23.—King Alfonso has canceled all his engagements because of the serious situation in Morocco. Today the first line of reserves was summoned to the colors. Parliament will be asked to vote further credits, so that additional re-enforcements can be sent to Melilla. It is possible that Gen. Weyler, formerly captain-general of Cuba, will be placed in supreme command of the force in Morocco.

Private Mining Venture

The liberal press joins in the popular protest against sending soldiers to the Riff coast, alleging that the war is solely for the purpose of protecting private mining interests. The newspapers demand the convocation of the cortes and a frank statement of the government's intention.

The entire trouble arose because the Moors objected to the building of a railroad from Melilla to the mines owned by Spaniards fifteen miles in the interior.

Moors Leave 104 Dead

Melilla, Morocco, July 23.—The Spanish positions here were re-enforced today by fresh troops from Spain. In the fighting yesterday the Moors got within 800 yards of Melilla. When they retired they left 104 dead on the field.

CROPS GREATER, PRICES BETTER

New York, July 23.—President W. C. Brown of the New York Central railway, who has returned from an extensive trip through the west, has informed the directors of his road that the immensity and value of the crops to be harvested from now until late in the fall are without precedent. He said that the farmer will receive a larger return for his products this year than ever before, and that this fact, coupled with the size of the crops, indicates a period of remarkable prosperity.

CURFEW LAW FOR NEGROES; MUST BE HOME AT 10

Mobile, Ala., July 22.—The police commission yesterday established a curfew law for negroes. Commencing last night all blacks must be at home at 10 p. m. Any caught out after that will be locked up. This action is due to an epidemic of holdups by negroes.

WAYMAN, WILL YOU DARE TO GO 'HIGHER UP?'

Board of Review and City Fuel Deals Are to Be Given the Light of Day Next

\$18,582,322 LOSS IN ASSESSMENTS IS SEEN

Legislative Committee to Probe the Affairs of Upham and His Tax-Cutting Colleagues

The fact that the city of Chicago has been compelled to pay the price of \$1,500,000 for the rich man's panic of 1907 and the methods by which the city has been compelled to pay this enormous tribute will be brought out by the investigation which is now being conducted by the legislative committee on revenue.

The board of assessors cut down the assessments all over Chicago on account of the rich man's panic and then the board of review proceeded to let off the big tax payers to the tune of \$18,582,322 assessed value after the board of assessors had assessed them. This resulted in an actual tax loss of \$1,500,000. This fact is now being investigated by the committee on revenue headed by Charles S. Fieldstack, of the house of representatives, who heads the investigating committee.

City Fuel Is Involved

The investigation is the direct result of the charges that members of the board of review were profiting by their positions to force people to buy coal from the City Fuel company in which Fred W. Upham, president of the board of review, is the main stockholder and one of the leading spirits.

That \$1,500,000 should be sacrificed to officials in the county building or that any portion of it should be so sacrificed has at last aroused the people of the state and city to action and the investigation of the City Fuel company's connection with the big graft is the result.

Roy O. West, Fred W. Upham and F. O. Meacham are the men under fire in the big \$18,582,322 reduction in the assessment of the city, where it is alleged, favorites were played for the friends of the City Fuel company and where men who did not purchase their coal from the City Fuel company were forced to stand on the mark set by the assessors while men who did purchase coal from this company were allowed to have their taxes reduced.

Wayman's Eye on Them

That these big guns have been under fire because they have been making overtures in a political way to the Busse machine and that Upham has openly allied himself with the Busse machine has had no effect upon the examination started by the investigators from Springfield and it will have no effect upon the examination now being conducted by the state's attorney, which will reach the City Fuel bunch in due time according to one of the assistant state's attorneys, who does not wish to have his name given out.

Just why and where and when the board of review cut \$18,582,322 of property from the tax list now appears to be about to be made plain to the public, who had to make good the money.

Rumors Not New Ones

That Fred W. Upham has been using his position to further his private business interests, or, in coarser phrase, that he has been using his place as head of the board of review to get custom for his firm by threats of lifting taxes has been in the air for some time and has been printed by numerous papers, but the revelation that \$18,582,322 had been so cut off is something new and the question now arises how much of that \$18,582,322 found its way by indirect route into Upham's coffers or into those of the City Fuel company. Of course none of the actual "cut off" did. The crew that are working things in the city hall are too smooth for that, as well as the crew in the county building. The general route is by indirect route through the City Fuel gang.

Here is the way the taxes were cut

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The reductions which go to make up the big graft in taxation and which, it is alleged, tend to the benefit of the City Fuel company are as follows:

North Town, real estate.....	577,673
North Town, personal.....	1,907,359
South Town, real estate.....	2,305,508
South Town, personal.....	7,740,019
West Town, real estate.....	1,647,672
West Town, personal.....	2,259,791
Total for the city.....	\$18,582,322

Multipled by five this represents a reduction in taxes on the market value of property of something more than \$100,000,000.

Roy O. West this morning said that the examination into the board of review to find out why the \$18,000,000 odd had been cut from the tax had no terrors for him.

"He's a Dub," Says West

"I don't think much of this fellow Fieldstack, who is heading this investigation from the legislature," confided Mr. West to a Daily Socialist reporter. "Fieldstack is a dub. He don't know what he is about. If he had a little experience with the board of review or with taxing bodies, he would have better sense than to make the statements attributed to him in the morning papers. I don't care to talk about the matter anyhow."

The chief clerk on the board of assessors was very willing to talk and to give figures. He declared that the continual pounding down of the assessment made by the board of assessors by the board of review was becoming something—"well—strange," was the way he phrased it.

"We allowed for the panic and the reduction in values when we made the assessments last year," said the chief clerk, "and then the board of review began to allow for them again when they began reducing our assessments."

West Blames the Panic

"It was the panic that did it," said Roy O. West, "and there you are. The panic, the rich man's panic, stripped the town of \$100,000,000 worth of very good taxable property which would have netted nearly \$1,500,000 in taxes."

WAS DAILY SOCIALIST RIGHT?

Synopsis Published in Examiner Leads to This Query

The following taken from this morning's Examiner is almost word for word the charges printed in the Daily Socialist two weeks ago:

State's Attorney Wayman has uncovered the following facts regarding vice and protection money which is paid to "men higher up" in his grand jury to testify before them 105 indictments were returned yesterday:

1. That a network of vice protection extends over much of Chicago.
2. That tribute is paid by nearly every gentleman in Chicago and that an elaborate system of collecting this money is in vogue.
3. That an elaborate "vice trust" exists on the west side and that through this "trust" tribute is levied upon resort keepers, saloonkeepers and ward politicians.
4. That the heads of this vice trust are wealthy saloonkeepers and ward politicians.
5. That witnesses are afraid to testify against any of its members.
6. That the Chicago vesting bond proposition in the Harrison street district paid \$12,000 a year for protection.
7. That the Chicago vesting bond proposition was paid to a white man, said to be a lawyer, who then distributed it.
8. That graft exists in nearly all the little country towns, particularly Lyons, where slot machines are operated and a certain price is paid for protection on each machine.
9. That hundreds of witnesses have been called to testify before them in any hope of getting the real big men who are behind the different graft systems.
10. That his own name has been used by graft system agents, who declared they had "kissed" Wayman and could allow grafting to go on for a certain weekly tribute.

THE INTER OCEAN IS SKEPTICAL

Seems to Doubt if Wayman Really Wants Men "Higher Up"

The Inter Ocean this morning under the title of "This Sounds Familiar" prints the following editorial:

"With the daily weather report and the new green cars comes the familiar statement that State's Attorney Wayman is again seeking to indict several of the 'men higher up' in 'city hall circles.' These men are said to have benefited to the extent of 'thousands of dollars' by the 'protection of vice and crime.'"

"As usual, Mr. Wayman is proceeding 'guardedly' and is determined to 'do his duty.' Meantime, when asked leading questions, he 'refuses to reply.' Otherwise, he is willing to let the grand jury action speak for itself."

"All this and a column or so more, faithfully reported by a painstaking press, would seem calculated to make Hope wake some more, shake out her wigs, and rise straight to the clouds. However, as yet Upham has done none of these things. Doubtless she has one eye open, but that is all."

"In the last seven months the signs now put forth by the able state's attorney have become a rather old story. The names 'men higher up' and the anonymous 'city hall circles' and the undesignated dispensers of 'protection' have been some what overworked in the Criminal Court building. They are today almost as threadbare and worn as the state's attorney who is always telling the newspapers just what they want to hear about local politics."

"Yet let not Hope be discouraged. Perhaps this is the time there will be something besides Tall Talk. Who knows?"

Police Lieutenant Moore of South Chicago May Be First Official Indicted for Graft

Will He Dare?

Will Wayman dare to go after the men higher up? Will he dare follow any trail though it lead to the very highest office in the city hall? These are the questions which are being asked in the Criminal Court building today as the result of the spectacular raids and the gist of true bills against minor offenders, for both of which activities State's Attorney John E. W. Wayman is responsible. Rumor has it that the next spot marked for assault on his detectives is the south side levy. Will he dare to interfere with the political game of "Hinky Dink" and "Bath House" John?

The return of an indictment charging Lieut. Maurice Moore of the East Side police station, at South Chicago, with extortion is looked for this afternoon as the climax of the day's results in the graft investigation now going on before the grand jury. Shortly after 11 o'clock today Mrs. Anna Kuminaki, who conducts a small summer resort on the shore of Lake Calumet, was taken before the grand jury and is declared to have told the jurors that she paid \$50 to Lieutenant Moore last year to be allowed to sell liquor without a license and that this year she was expected to pay an additional \$10 for police protection.

"Blind Pig" Operators Indicted

This testimony came shortly after the appearance of the grand jury in Judge Kieckham Scanlan's court and the return of 42 true bills against the operators of "blind pigs." The bills are drawn against eight defendants.

The levee interests got busy early today and before noon bonds of \$10,000 were furnished for Li King and a like sum for Frank Moy, mayor of Chinatown, indicted in connection with "protected" gambling. Li King's bond was furnished by Andy Craig, the keeper of the notorious "Tivoli," and the right-hand man of Ald. Michael Keena and John Coughlin in the vice affairs of the First ward. Craig scheduled \$50,000 worth of real estate. Moy's bond was furnished by Charles Debi, a west side carpenter and building contractor, who fits up chop suey restaurants.

Keepers Who Were Indicted

The forty-two indictments against the keepers of "blind pigs" were returned against the following defendants:

J. S. Level, Frank Vopicka, Paul B. Wendt, Charles Becker, Joseph Rahm, "John Doe," John Kara and Edward C. Showick, all alleged to be blind-pig keepers in the temperance district of Berwyn.

The greater part of the morning was taken up with the efforts of State's Attorney Wayman, Inspector Patrick Lavin and others to indict Vincent A. Altman and his brother, Joseph, on the charge of having thrown bomb "B" on the night of June 27 and of having set fire to the plant of the Standard Sash and Door company in May of 1908.

Inspector Lavin was joyful when he came from the grand jury room, but refused to talk about the evidence disclosed. The indictment of the Altman brothers is looked for this afternoon. State's Attorney Wayman took personal charge of the case.

Thought Woman Spirited Away

There was consternation in the Criminal Court building when Mrs. Kuminaki failed to appear in the building at 9:30 this morning, as she had agreed to do. Assistant State's Attorney Tom

GRAND JURY RETURNS 42 MORE INDICTMENTS

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MURDER IS LAID TO THE MINERS

Rabid Denver Papers Blame W. F. M. for Tragedy; Convention News

BY GEORGE EISLER
Denver, Colo., July 26.—(By Mail.)—The executive committee of the Western Federation of Miners has reported that it has deferred taking any action in support of Albert Ryan, an organizer of the federation, who is under arrest in Los Angeles on a charge of alleged murder, until further information concerning the affair could be had. The executive committee is endeavoring to find out whether or not Ryan was engaged in the business of the W. F. of M. when the supposed trouble occurred. The capitalist papers of this town, especially the papers owned by Senator Patterson and by Mayor Speers, are printing stories trying to show that the Federation of Miners is guilty of the supposed death plot that is charged to Ryan.

Murder Laid to W. F. M.

One of them says: "The instigation of a plot to murder a man objectionable to its officers and members is the substance of a charge made against the W. F. of M. by P. O. Snider in connection with the killing of his brother, Henry Edgar Snider, who was shot at Los Angeles last Friday by Albert Ryan, an organizer for the W. F. of M. H. E. Snider was a practical miner and had been in Colorado and Nevada mining districts for twenty years. He went to Cripple Creek in 1922 and was one of the first to enter Tompan. He was one of those who advocated the bringing of the troops into Goldfield in the fall of 1907. This, his brother thinks, is what aroused those whom they blame for his death." The capitalist press further states that Albert Ryan is one of those radical ones in the W. F. of M. "He is a Socialist and a member of the I. W. W." And because of that he is surely a murderer, says the yellow sheet.

What Fred Clough Says

Fred Clough, member of the executive committee, and general organizer of the district, has the following to say regarding the accusation against Ryan and the W. F. of M.: "This talk of a conspiracy to kill Snider on the part of the W. F. of M. is all nonsense. There is not a single word of truth in it. Certainly our organization never drove Snider out of Goldfield as the capitalist papers are stating. Ryan never lived in Goldfield, and we believe he never met or saw Snider until the night of this supposed trouble. Ryan was an excellent fellow when sober, but when he started to drink, he had hallucinations. He was a nervous wreck and his surges lasted for months at a time. While sober and calm, he was an excellent fellow, and did excellent work for the W. F. of M."

Sensation by Hutchinson

"Injunctions must be ignored and courts defied. Labor conditions in America are growing as unbearable as they were in the days of the stamp act." "The Western Federation of Miners must take advanced grounds on these questions and at once help dispose of them by an economic organization. In order to help the organization progress I would further recommend that the office of president and vice president be abolished and their duties assumed by the executive board." "A member of the executive board should be chosen from each state in which the W. F. of M. is represented, and all members should serve without compensation." "The office of secretary-treasurer should be retained and should be the only salaried position in the W. F. of M."

Opposed to Administration

Hutchinson is opposed to the present administration and tries to give expression to his opposition by the above recommendations. Hutchinson also recommended the establishment of libraries for the education of miners and said that the invasion of foreigners into the mining camps made education and organization imperative to preserve the power of the W. F. of M. He said that it was only a question of time when the foreigners would be in absolute control of the mining camps.

Will He Dare Go Higher Up?

His report with its recommendations are referred to the special committee. The announcement of the report of W. E. Tracy, member of the executive board, called forth a motion that the convention go into executive session. Although there was considerable opposition to this, the proposition carried. Tracy's report dealt only with the development of organization in Minnesota, South Dakota, Michigan and Wisconsin, and was private in its nature. Tracy afterwards stated that his report presented a "chance to get a line on the Pinkertons and special detectives who are present at the convention among the delegates."

Have Important Paragraphs

All the reports of members of the executive board contained very interesting and important paragraphs for the betterment of the wage workers working in the mines, mills and smelters. All these reports gave vivid pictures of the hardships and dangers under which the men employed in the mining industry are compelled to make their living. Attention was especially called to the fact that the Alaska and Yukon mines where the trouble exists are owned principally by the Guggenheims and that these interests always have been bitterly antagonistic to the W. F. of M.

LONDON SUFFRAGETTES KICK AND BITE FEMALE WARDENS

London, July 25.—Six out of fourteen suffragettes who were recently imprisoned in the Holloway jail for breaking windows at Whitehall have been released on account of insubordination, and Herbert Gladstone, secretary of state for home affairs, intimated in the house of commons yesterday afternoon that it was only a question of a few days until all of the women would be turned out, as the "hunger strike" had become general. Since the women were sentenced to close confinement they have taken to kicking and biting the female wardens.

The home secretary hotly denounced James Keir Hardie's suggestion that the cells under ground were insanitary. Attempts made by the supporters of the suffragists to adjourn the house in order to discuss "the infliction of a punishment that was dangerous to the health of the ladies" was defeated by the speaker who refused to put the motion on the ground that there had been no departure from the ordinary administration of law.

WOMAN CONVICTS CORNELIUS SHEA

New York, July 23.—Cornelius P. Shea, 36 years old, of 222 West Thirtieth street, formerly president of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, who led the big teamsters' strike in Chicago, was convicted of attempted murder by a jury yesterday afternoon in special sessions before Judge Foster. The prosecuting witness was Miss Alice Walsh, 24 years old, of 497 West Thirtieth street.

Stabbed Her Twenty-Seven Times

Shea's crime was one of the most brutal on record. He met Miss Walsh while leading the strike in Chicago and brought her back to New York with him. He quarreled with her in the apartment house at 222 West Thirtieth street on May 21 and stabbed her more than twenty-seven times with a pocket knife. The woman nearly died from the severity of her wounds, but at last recovered and brought action against her assailant.

Helped Make Bussé Mayor

Shea's last prominent appearance in Chicago was two years ago, just before the election of Mayor Bussé. Shea at that time joined with other labor leaders in an effort to deliver the labor vote to Bussé. This interference in politics cost him the last shreds of his influence in Chicago and he left the city not to be heard of again until the strike of the teamsters in New York City.

Shea's wife had him arrested for desertion shortly after his affair with Alice Walsh became notorious and secured a divorce.

SOCIALIST ASKS AN INCOME TAX

Eau Claire, Wis., July 22.—The first session of the seventeenth annual meeting of the Wisconsin Federation of Labor was held here yesterday, about a hundred delegates being present. Sixty were from Milwaukee, and Frank L. Berger, editor of the Social Democratic Herald of Milwaukee, introduced a resolution directing the following telegram to be sent:

Hon. William H. Taft, White House, Washington, D. C.: The Wisconsin State Federation of Labor, in annual convention assembled, demands by unanimous vote the total abolition of duties on all raw materials, and on all necessities of life, and also demands a gradually increasing tax on incomes and inheritances.

FRANK J. WEBER, Chairman, FRED BROCKHAUSEN, Secretary.

This was made a special order of business and was adopted unanimously. Mayor Frawley welcomed the delegates. The secretary reported that twelve out of ninety-two measures of interest to the federation, introduced in the last legislature, had been adopted. General Organizer Weber advocated changes of the federal constitution to remedy such a verdict as the jail sentences of Gompers, Mitchell and Morrison in the Buck Stone and Range company case.

WILL HE DARE GO HIGHER UP?

(Continued From Page One) Marshall, who heard the woman's story yesterday afternoon, freely expressed his fear that the woman had been intimidated by the police. "They have tried to intimidate her for a year," he said. "She was arrested three or four times." At 10:30, however, the woman appeared and shortly before 11 o'clock she was taken to the grand jury room, remaining there nearly half an hour. It is said that the state is satisfied with the evidence which she gave.

TAFT NOW WEARS A BLAND SMILE

Gives White House Feast and Becomes the Savior of His Country

Washington, D. C., July 23.—It's all "fixed." President Taft is happy and smiling. The senators, the tools of the trusts, and the representatives, also the tools of the trusts, have been thrust-ratted. They who shouldn't the people all over the land smile with "Big Bill."

With the near-mangled dove of peace hovering over the tariff situation the administration believes that enough voters will smile today in a sort of semi-contentment, enough at least to deliver the "goods" at the election in the fall of 1912, so that "Big Bill" may continue to reside in the White House and the industrial tyrants run affairs down in the capitol building at the end of Pennsylvania avenue.

Have a Love Feast

That was all Taft was after, anyway, when he started out to hand a little soft talk to the Boss Aldrich crowd, which developed into suppurative "bunk" by the time it reached the American people. The entire crowd of them sat down to a love feast with "Big Bill" as host at the White House last night. There was a "good dinner" and two and a half hours of self-congratulation, all to the effect of "We did it."

"Big Bill" iterated and reiterated the fact that "we have fulfilled the dovetailed revision pledge of the Republican party," and the mingled chorus came huskily triumphant—"Sure," "Certainly!" "Of course," etc. The assurances were spurred on to added zest by Aldrich of Rhode Island, he of the Standard Oil.

Based on "Bunk" Items

The entire downward revision "bunk" is based for the most part on five items. Much ado is made over "free hides," which merely shows that Boss Aldrich's friends, the big shoe manufacturers of the New England states, have won a victory over the cattlemen of the west, who have already been ground into the dust by the beef trust.

Then there is free crude petroleum. But Standard Oil doesn't need a tariff, anyway. It can boost the price of running the poor man's lamp at will. There is no one to interfere, all of which the president, the senate and the house of representatives know. But they also know that there are enough voters to fall for the "bunk" to keep the bunco men in authority.

Then there is free iron ore. Very nice! People don't use iron ore, anyway, it's the steel that they use, and this will be protected as much as ever and they will go on paying more for it in the "land of the brave and the free" than the foreigners do.

High Rates Maintained

In the downward revision list appears this item—"Dingley rate on history and gloves." Those history and glove manufacturers of the eastern states had the nerve to come out and yell for a higher rate on the cheaper grades of those articles. But they got it in the neck. "Big Bunk Bill" loves the common people so the present high Dingley rate will be maintained.

Like free hides, free crude petroleum and free iron ore, comes "rough lumber bearing a duty of \$1.25," which is a kind of "Go out and steal the forest" of other countries now that you have all there is in the good old U. S. A." advice to the lumber barons.

Oh, it was a glorious good time, that little "bunk-fest" at the White House last night.

Here is the Noble Crew

The men who sat at "Big Bill's" love session were Vice President Sherman, Speaker Cannon, Secretary of the Treasury Mac Veagh, Attorney General Wickham, Senator Root of New York, Senator Crane of Massachusetts, Representative Dwight of New York, Senator Aldrich of Rhode Island, Senator Burrows of Michigan, Senator Penrose of Pennsylvania, Senator Hale of Maine, Representative Payne of New York, Representative Dalzell of Pennsylvania, Representative McCall of Massachusetts, Representative Boutell of Illinois, Representative Calderhead of Kansas, Representative Forderney of Michigan, Capt. Archibald C. Butt, U. S. military aid of the president.

Now the tariff bill, as finally "fixed," is going to meet with clear sailing through both houses of congress.

TYPHOID EPIDEMIC STARTS AMONG SAILORS IN FLEET

Boston, Mass., July 23.—There is a mild epidemic of typhoid fever among the sailors of the battleship fleet now mobilized at Provincetown and fears are felt that the disease may make still greater inroads among the men. Fourteen patients suffering with typhoid were brought from the fleet to the Charlestown navy yard by the battleship Maine. They were placed in the United States naval hospital at Chelsea.

AMERICAN CAPITALISTS TO GET GOOD GRIP ON HONDURAS

Washington, D. C., July 23.—It is reported here that prominent American bankers are to refund the public debt of Honduras which at the present time, it is understood, amounts to something less than one hundred million dollars. The bonds are largely held in England. The firm of J. P. Morgan & Co. is mentioned as among those who have the matter in hand, and the plan, it is believed, will have the moral support of this government.

MORGAN BACK FROM EUROPE; WELL BUT SLIGHTLY THINNER

New York, July 23.—J. Pierpont Morgan, who departed for his annual European trip on Feb. 2 last, came back to New York last night feeling well, but slightly thinner. He said he expected to be at his desk in the financial district today.

Mr. Morgan arrived on the White Star liner Majestic and when the vessel docked went aboard his yacht, the Corsair, which met and preceded the big liner to the city.

Concerning the attempts of American financiers, headed by himself, to list United States Steel common on the Paris bourse, Mr. Morgan would say but little.

"That," he said, "is in the hands of the French government and must work itself out. It is a matter of time."

He would make no prediction as to the outcome of the negotiations, nor would he give an opinion as to whether the cabinet crisis in France would have any effect on the situation.

FIND AGED COUPLE OVERCOME BY ILLUMINATING GAS

Max Glasman, 53 years old, a tailor, and his wife, Ida, 53 years old, were found overcome by illuminating gas in their home, 45 Johnson street, early today, and are in a serious condition at the county hospital. Physicians were unable to revive Glasman and believe he cannot live.

Mrs. Glasman was restored to consciousness after being given medical attention and made a statement at the hospital declaring that the gas escaped accidentally. She said the gas jet was one of the old type that turns all the way around and that it has been defective for some time. She said she or her husband must have failed to turn the jet off all the way when they retired shortly before 11 o'clock last night.

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How Far Will He Go?

Over on the west side the friends of "Mike the Pike" are asking, "How far will Wayman go?" Down at the Harrison street police station Inspector Wheeler is asking the same question.

That is the unknown quantity about the crusade now being conducted from the state's attorney's office in response to the exposure of the Daily Socialist.

Down in Chinatown they are asking whether he will go beyond Frank Moy up to Wheeler. A few of the more frightened are suggesting that he may even go so far as to trace the graft to Hinky Dink's saloon.

All agree that the miserable victims of capitalism, the outcasts of society, the gamblers, prostitutes and panderers will be punished—for a few weeks at least.

It is significant that this one question is on every lip that speaks of this matter. No one asks, "Will he punish the guilty?" Still less does anyone suggest that the crimes attacked will be abolished.

"How far will he go?" When the west side was raided Wayman himself gave as a reason for that action, "I want to let them know I am here in this office."

"How far will he go?" Where will the check be pulled? Somewhere along the line he is following he will be compelled to stop. For, back of the miserable criminals, back of the grafting officials, there lies the great powers of capitalism that create the conditions from which these things spring and that profit by their continuance.

Will he stop when he gets to the politicians? Will he prosecute those who draw rent from the buildings that house crime? Will he dare attack the political organizations that are maintained from the blood money of the slums?

Will he go to the end and attack the whole system of private property in the things with which the work of the world has done, and which is the primal cause of all that has been described in the Daily Socialist?

We all know he will not do these latter things. We know that he cannot go that far.

That is why this crusade is not like other crusades. For the first time in an American city these most hideous expressions of our civilization have been attacked by those who will "go to the limit."

While State's Attorney Wayman is attacking the superficial manifestation of crime the Daily Socialist will go with him, but it will go with the certainty that somewhere along the line he will be left behind. Just where that point is Wayman must himself decide.

One thing is sure. The Daily Socialist will not stop there. It will go on, whether with or against Wayman or any other power of present society.

Meanwhile the question of the moment is, "How far will you go, Mr. Wayman?"

They Should Have Known Better

They must be very innocent down in Pittsburg and McKees Rocks. Some workmen and other citizens of that locality seem to think that an injunction should work both ways.

Of course the court at once explained the mistake of these innocent souls. With great patience and kindness the judges pointed out that injunctions worked only one way.

If the men had visited their fellow workers in their homes, or asked the scabs to stop work, or walked along the public highways, or gathered in their halls, or used their own money for relief purposes, or done any one of a large number of similar desperate and riotous things, an injunction would have been issued, as it has been in hundreds of similar cases.

But to grant an injunction against an employer, and against a branch of a billion-dollar philanthropic steel trust—such a suggestion is almost lese majeste. Those Pennsylvania workmen were lucky not to be fined for contempt of court.

An Effective Argument: "Why worry about the children? I can't help it." "But, my dear, you are hurting your game of bridge."—Kansas City Journal.

LET US RID OURSELVES OF CALIBAN

BY TOM QUELICH

Capitalism is an ugly monster! It is the Caliban that fills our days with fear and terror; that grinds us in the cavern of toil; that fills our lives with all that is bestial and dull and gloomy.

It is the insatiable beast that prowls around devouring our children. Its claws and fangs are red with the blood of those we love.

It is the brute that starves our bodies and stultifies our minds; that makes civilization a curse, religion a mockery, morality a farce and art a harlot.

The Socialist movement has set out to destroy this monster. It is endeavoring to accomplish this in many ways. It begins by striking at the economic basis of society.

It opposes optimism to pessimism; it puts hope in the place of despair, light in the place of darkness, beauty in the place of ugliness. It is Ariel struggling with Caliban!

It is merely the discovery of the strange and beautiful. The artist is the discoverer—or rather the creator—of beautiful things. And the real artist can find nothing of beauty or charm in capitalism.

The real poets and writers—the artists of language—also try their utmost to escape from capitalism, and write of it only in satirical fashion.

That is why artists are attracted to the Socialist movement. Socialism is the only hope of artists, just as it is the only hope of the workers, and many there are who realize this fact.

Of all the young artists that have been attracted to the Socialist movement there are none who are more full of promise than the brothers Warblers.

Born artists, alive and alert, bursting with creative power, possessing that instinctive sense of beauty, quaintness and charm, so essential to the artist, they may truly claim to have that disease—which Heine likened to the pearl in the oyster—genius.

THE DEAD MAN

JOHN GALSWORTHY IN THE LONDON "NATION"

In the spring of the year 1900, a lawyer and his friend were sitting over their wine and walnuts. The lawyer said: "In turning over my father's papers the other day, I came across this cutting from a journal. It is dated December, 1908. Rather a singular document, if you like I'll read it to you."

There is also something that is distinctly theirs, distinctly original. And there never was an artist yet that did not owe something to his predecessors.

In the struggle against the ugly, the sordid, the dull and altogether uninteresting, the Warblers certainly are destined to play a part. They will fight hard with Ariel against Caliban.

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And with artists' eyes, with the brooding creative instinct, with vivid imagination, what images can be conjured up. The gleaming moon in the black night sky is like a yellow skull; the moving ship caught by the setting sun is possessed of masts of gold and sails of taffeta.

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The rare beauty of the rose, the sweetness of the pomegranate, the wonder of music, the meaning of love will be understood.

The demands of our higher and nobler natures will be forever destroyed by the Ariel of beauty and life.

CITY LANDOWNER VANISHING

New York City with close to 4,000,000 people has only 100,000 landowners. But one of each seven registered voters has an inch of earth he can call his own.

A surprisingly small proportion of families in any of the larger American cities have legal possession of the roofs that shelter them.

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LEGAL ADVICE

R. S. has bought a piano with a ten-year warranty, and has paid the price in full. Within a year from the date of purchase several defects have appeared.

Part of the equipment of the University farm at Davis, Cal., for good work in both education and experimental lines is a young orchard.

ORCHARD IS USED TO STUDY FRUITS

Besides 15 or 18 standard varieties of peaches, about 70 other varieties are being tried out, with the idea of developing new ones to supplement the standard, and thus make a longer and sturdier peach season.

ENGRAVING OF WOOD A RARE DEPARTMENT IN ART

But very few artists still carry on the art of wood engraving. With the substitution of mechanical processes for reproducing illustrations the demand for engravings on wood for that purpose ceased.

POOR OLD JERSEY

Here's a New Jersey man who says he's happier in jail than out. "Probably true. But why doesn't he try moving to some other state?"—Cleveland Leader.

Wife of a Desperate Remedy

The Proud Mother—This boy do grow more like is father every day. The Neighbor—Do 'e pore dear? And ave you tried everything?—Sketch.

ARE OUR MILLIONAIRES IN SLAVERY?

BY ROBERT HUNTER

I was reading the other day the INSURANCE RECORD. Now and then such financial papers throw an interesting light upon the progress of democracy.

A gentleman who signs himself "Halut" was discoursing upon the market. After giving his opinion of how to get rich by buying and selling certain stocks he drifts off into one terrific assault upon the working class.

"I DO NOT LIKE THE LABORING CLASSES, AND I HAVE NO SYMPATHY WHATSOEVER WITH THE SO-CALLED 'POOR LABORING MAN.' I do not dislike him because he labors (for I am a laboring man myself), but I dislike him because he is so ignorant, so absolutely blind to his own interest, and so under the control of demagogues.

These golden thoughts should be preserved by the workers. It would be well to read them in the evening by the fireside. More and more one hears such sentiments expressed by the hard-working toilers of Wall street, of the Stock Exchange, of Delmonico's, and of the clubs.

"The longer people temporize with this ignorant monster called the Trades Union, the more difficult it will be to disentangle ourselves from their shackles. I cannot understand why the masses of working men do not band together and throw off this yoke which is dragging them down to ruin.

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"SOCIALISM AND THIRD ALTERNATIVE"

BY CARL HOOKSTADT

(The following is a report of a lecture delivered by Prof. Felix Adler, professor of ethics at Columbia University, before the students at the University of Wisconsin.)

There are many groups who call themselves Socialists, but the Marxists is the only group that supplies the ideas and the formula.

He then enumerated four different classes who called themselves Socialists. The first type embodied those who blindly protesting against monopolies and were represented by Roosevelt.

The second type was municipal Socialism, but this term was rather ambiguous. It was Socialism only insofar as it was a beginning toward collectivism.

The professor's third alternative was what he termed "vocationalism." This was the application and radiation of moral qualities in the home, the school, the state and finally the world.

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TO THE EDITOR

"And All Land" I advise all who hereafter write upon this matter to re-read the platform.

We do not disagree in our ideas of the final outcome of the class struggle; for the ownership of land and machinery, but our expression of our ideas and the interpretation of our platform into the ideas of others who are expected to come with us varies widely.

Let us continue to educate, because of the evolution of economics and eventually "all" land is likely to be part of the result. But we cannot set aside evolution by a misleading (because misunderstood) platform declaration.

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