Mayor of Butte Orders the Arrest of All Imported Strike Breakers.

ento, Cal., Oct. 31.- When the strike of the system federation took place I gave orders that every strike breaker who was brought into the city of Butte should be arrested," said Lewis J. Duncan, Socialist mayor of Butte, Mont., in speaking to an audi once of more than 2,000 people in this

Duncan showed how the city's debi had been reduced from \$800,000 to \$150, 000 during the Socialist administration

Pledges Redeemed

"Our first action was to redeem the campaign pledge that we would clean up the city's streets. We decided that it would be cheaper to own our own teams for the work and bought them at an expense of \$3.275, thus saving \$20,000 in a year.

"Then the salaries were given attention; and in the first six months, by enging only experts in the departments, cutting off useless employes and seeing that every man had a personal interest in the success of his department we saved \$10,000.

"On the other hand, we rigidly kept

Saved \$10,000.
On the other hand, we rigidly kept the pledge to take no tribute from the red light district. We preferred to gain our revenue from the horses rather than the women. This lost us a tribute of \$22,000 a year; we made it up in other ways.

Gambling Dens Closed

"I have had many chances to seil my otection to professional gamblers; today not one professional gambler is operating in Butte. They made me the proposition to allow them to appear once a month and pay their perfectly legal fine; I told them I would have them arrested thirteen times a day if necessary.

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There was an old wineroom law, we enforced it, and abolished the booths in salcous, where the recruiting and assignation for houses was being done. Now, in all this, the Socialists stood together. We have not needed to bring in expert aid from the outside; we were all trained economic thinkers. And we knew that we were not merely making a capitalistic system bearable; we were, of course, giving the inboring man at even break, but the thing that makes capitalism bearable is contentment with receiving wages—and we are certainly not contented with that.

The Socialists realized that within a city's limits the economic system could not be overturned; yet, we are as radical Socialists as any in the nation.

To Tax Mines.

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"Our increased revenue came from an addition of 4.2 mills on the rate of taxation. We wanted a license tax, charging mining companies a sum based on the tounage lifted, and banks an amount based on their deposits for the preceding quarter; but this was killed in committee of the council, and we were driven to raising the tax. It will be lowered after it has done its work.

The city also went linto the garbage business, supplying every house with two cams for less than they could have bought one before, and we went into the business of laying sidewalks, saving the citizens so cents a square yard. The city has been an eminent success."

The Sacramento Socialists are fighting hard and the chances of electing Allen and the chances of electing Allen

pard and the chances of electing Alien of Stuart as mayor, and the entire Socialist ticket with him, grow as the day of election draws near. The Sacramento Socialists are fighting the same battle along the same lines as age the Los Angeles Socialists.

The Sacramento Star is waging a great fight in this city, as The Record is in Los Angeles, having daily eliorials, both on the front page and editorial page, rousing the workers to action. Following are a few extracts taken from one of the editorials appearing in that paper:

Sentiment Changing

"Public sentiment is changing. The once prevalent and utterly erroneous conception of the representative Social ist as a bomb-hurling madman or a demagogic ass is fast disappearing.

demagogic ass is fast disappearing.

"People are coming to see that there are just two divisions of people on this earth, the takers and givers and that daily, yea hourly, the average man's chance of becoming one of the former is shrinking towards the infinitesimal. The world may be the young man's oyster, but his tools for opening it have been taken away. In place of a community of people independently well to do has come the oligarchy of owners and the vast proletariat of owned.

The man as a man counts for nothing in this election. The man as an embodiment of the eternal principle of the greatest good for the most people,

the greatest good for the most people

the greatest good for the most people, counts for everything.

Brilliant men with faulty principles are much more dangerous to the body politic than mediocre men impelled by a passionate devotion to the cause of humanity. The former's mistakes will lean towards big business: the latter's toward the toilers. The former will be thinking of dividends: the latter of wages.

"Mayor Beard has had his chance and has failed to do anything for the toiler. F. B. Suttliff is a greedy dividend taker, to anxious for the Almighty dollar that he cares not if it is coined from the downfall of man by the opium route.

"Sattliff's chief ambition will be to take care of the dividend maker. He has 'made his pile' and probably thinks his universal agoffized cry of the toiler is unwarranted. Suttliff is a canting hypocrite.

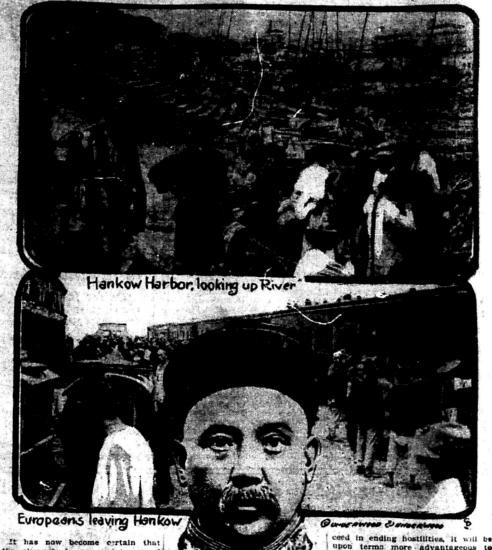
"The Star may lose this fight for the masses in Sacramento, but it will never be ashamed of having espoused the cause of Allen Stuart and his fellow Socialist in this municipal election. It believes they will win."

If there were Socialist judges on the court besches the railreads would asy

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THE CHICAGO DAILY SOCIALIST

RECALL OF BANISHED CHINESE REFORMER COMES TOO LATE TO SAVE IMPERIAL COVERNMENT FROM WRATH OF REVOLUTIONISTS



the eleventh hour appointment of years shifted to a practical dictatorship in China came too late to check the rebellion. Youn Shi Kai. reformation to have been degraced and banks, who had been degraced and bankshe, from court, was recalled and given supreme command of the importance of the incident of the importance of the importance

BIG LOS ANGELES FIGHT CHEERS LOCAL SOCIALISTS JUDICIAL CAMPAIGN

It is vouchsafed on all sides that this campaign is being handled with a thor-oughness that rivals any Socialist agi-

oughness that riving any socialist agi-tation in Cook county.

At nearly every campaign meeting women workers in the party are in the half either speaking or distributing lit-erature. Women recognize that judges

are likely to interpret their interests as well as the interests of the working

"Judges" Leaflet Effective

The four-page leaflet "Judges" is sued by the county office made an in-stant alt and is being given as wide a circulation as possible. This leaflet contains pictures and ar-

ticles by the eleven Socialist candidates

CAROLINE LOWE TO LECTURE

BEFORE UNIVERSITY STUDENTS

Caroline Lowe, woman's national cor-

respondent of the Socialist party, will

address the students of the University

ing her address to the convention she presented the petition of the Socialist party for woman suffrage which will be pieced before Congress by Socialist Congressman Victor L. Berger and which the convention indorsed. Miss

Lowe was formerly vice-president of the Kansas City Teachers' Association.

GETS FIFTEEN YEARS

TURKS RETAKE FORTS

showing at the polls.

astic Meeting.

Chicago Socialists took a new hold in the fight to elect Socialist judges as cheering news of the primaries in Los Angeles drifted eastward today.

Sounds Campaign Keynote

of the judicial campaign sounded last ticles by the cieven Socialist candidates.

Not a single ward is being omitted in
the arrangement of campaign meetings.

The manifest interest shown by the
party members in the judicial campaign
is bothering the heelers of the other
party candidates not a little, but the
Socialists are determined to make a big night at Yondor's hall. North avenue and Halsted streets, by Dr. Soukup, former member of the Austrian parlia-ment, now on tour of this country, and Charles Schroeder, one of the ten So-cialist candidates for judge in the Su-

perior court:

The tenor of the speeches denoted the whirlwind campaign set for this week, the closing one, prior to the elec-

tions, November 7.

The audience was made up principally of workingmen, and it one of those who attended votes either the Democratic or Republican ticket at the approaching election he will do so because he works.

approaching election he will do so because he wants to.

Dr. Soukup pointed the conditions in
Burope, and he impressed upon the
minds of the met that they must vote

The meeting will be held under the Burope, and he impressed upon the minds of the men that they must vote into office men who will represent the working class. Dr. Soukup covered much ground in his address, which was frequently pinctuated with applause. auspices of the Intercollegiste Socialist Society and the Equal Suffrage League of the university.

Miss Lowe has just returned from the national woman suffrage convention, where she represented the Socialist women as fracerual delegate. In mak-

Must Own the Courts

Schroeder declared that the voters of Cook county must recognize the dis-tinction between Socialist and capital-ist candidates. He reviewed the judi-cial history of Illinois briefly, and con-cluded by stating that the courts, once in the hands of the working class, will sound the death knell to the capitalist

By United Press.

Little Rock, Ark., Oct. 21.—Earl Gilchrist, the young nearo convicted of killing Will Longley, a playmate, and sentenced to die on the gallows, will serve a term of fifteen years in the penitentiary, according to an order of Governor Donaghey, formally announced here troay.

By United Perss.
Constantinopie, Oct. 31.—The Turks have recaptured two more forts at Tripoli, according to government information here, forcing the Italians to intronch within the city itself, abgriduing quantities of arms and ammunities. City-Wide Aguation Larsen has also gethered about him ing

See Victory for This Ticket Today

men of Los Angeles are striving to elect at the primaries today. After the greatest campaign in Pacific coast history the Socialists feel confident FOR MAYOR.

Job Harriman. FOR CITY ATTORNEY. Edward W. Tuttle.

FOR CITY AUDITOR.
George W. Downing.
FOR CITY ASSESSOR. A. M. Saivar. FOR COUNCILMEN. C. F. Grow.
Alex. Kane.
Fred Kuerr.
A. J. Mooney.
Dan Regan. Fred C. Wheeler. G. W. Whitley. T. W. Williams. Frank E. Wolfe FOR BOARD OF EDUCATION.
Mrs. Sailie E. Bowman.
Edward Adams Cantrell.

W. Scott Lewis.

Clarence Meily. Mrs. May Cady Williams.

BERGER WOULD KILL SHERMAN **ANTI-TRUST ACT**

Proposed Bill Provides for National Benefit From All Combines.

Milwaukee Wis Oct 31 -Constre man Victor L. Berger, Socialist, will juongress to repeal the Sherman antitrust act and substitute in its place a law providing that wherever a pool, a combine or a trust controls over 60 per cent of the total output in any indus try the government shall take the coa-tern over, at the actual value in bonds, and manage the business for the benefit of all the people. Berger proposes that a department of manu-factures be created for that purpose.

Scores Private Ownership

Is an interview with the United Press Berger commetted upon his proposed bill as follows: "There can be no doubt that the primented upon his prop

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TAKE LOS ANGELES? FIGHT IS ON TODAY SOCIALISTS IN LEAD

Harriman or Alexander. Workers or Bosses.

Is the Issue.

Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 31 .- After the most exciting campaign in the history of the city the municipal primary for

the nomination of candidates for mayor is being held here today. Under the law, any candidate receiv-ing a majority of all votes cast at a primary is elected and need not be voted upon at the general election.

Harriman vs. Alexander

It was conceded on all sides today that the mayoralty battle was really a fight between George Alexander, Repub-lican incumbent, and Job Harriman, ELECT NINE SOCIALISTS Berne, Switzerland, Oct. 31.—Yester-day's elections returned a Radical ma-jority to the national council. Of 170 seats filled 110 are Radical, 44 Con-servative, 9 Socialists, and 7 Independ

Rush Begins

The constitutional amendment granting women the right of suffrage was not passed in time to permit them to vote in today's primary, but they will be eligible for the general election and thousands of them have already registered.

The rush of voters began as soon as ane rush of voters began as soon as the polls opened today. The greatest primary activity in Los Angeles' polit-ical history is being displayed. It is expected that a tremendous vote will be polled.

Campaign Closes

Special to The Chicago Daily Socialist.

Los Angeles, Cal., Octo 31.—Carrying banners with striking epigrams, singing the Marscillaise, cheering Job Harriman and the Socialist ticket, and waving their red banners along with the stars

GET RETURNS TONIGHT
The Daily Socialist has planned to
secure early returns of the Los Angeles election today from its special representative, Frank E. Wolfe. They will be read off at a mass meeting to be held at 207 West Washington street tonight. Be there and get the first news of the capture of Los Angeles by the Socialist party.

and stripes, 18,000 men and women marched through the streets of this city last night to the Labor Temple, to hear the Socialist candidates deliver the part-ing abots of the campaign in the great-est demonstration of the kind ever held

In this city.

As the day of election drew nearer chalists seemed to need no bounds. The meetings grew greater and greater, both in numbers and the eathusiasm

displayed.

When Lewis J. Duncan, the Socialist mayor of Butte, apoke last Wadnesday night the people turned out in such great numbers that one of the largest halls and one of the largest theaters in the city had to be secured to hold the crowds and then 2,000 stood for two and one-half hours before the city hall waiting for Mayor Duncan to speak.

With the monster meetings Saturday, Sunday and Monday, the likes of which were never seen in the city before, the Socialists will enter the election having waged the greatest campaign in the history of the coast.

BRITISH BOSSES TO COMBINE London, Oct. 51.-There is to be in-augurated in Great Britain a federaaugurated in Great Britain a federa-tion of manufacturers and a circular has been sent to a large number of prominent firms, asking them to join in the scheme. It is stated that the new federation is to provide means whereby strike breakers can be pro-cured in case of industrial disputes, and assuming the same functions as

REWARD IS OFFERED

By United Press.
Indianapoits, Ind., Oct. 31.—With the appropriation of \$1,000 by the Indian-

appropriation of show by the inclining apolis city council as a reward for the solution of the mystery surrounding the murder of Dr. Helene Knabe, former state pathologist and hacieriologist of Indiana, Governor Marshall today said that the amount of the reward probably will be duplicated by the state.

TOBACCO TRUST WAR

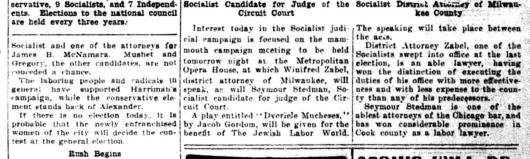
By United Press. New York, Oct. 31.—Speaking for the

New York, Oct. 31.—Speaking for the American Tobacco company, Delancey Nicoll, in the United States Circuit Court, today defended the proposed disintegration plans of the tobacco trust and bitterly stacked the independent tobacco companies for opposing the proposed reorganization plans.

ZABEL AND STEDMAN WILL SPEAK AT CAMPAIGN MEETING



SEYMOUR STEDMAN Socialist Candidate for Judge of the Socialist District Attorney of Milwau-Circuit Court kee County





WINIPRED ZAPEL

THE WEATHER

in Generally rais, but with some cloud-iness tonight and Wedberday; cooler tonight, with temperature near freez-ing; moderate northwest to north winds," is the official forecast today. The official temperature for the last 24 hours shows a maximum of 47 de-24 hours shows a maximum of 4 grees and a minimum of 44 degre Suurise, 6:22 a. m.; supset, 4:46 p. m.

CALL MEETING TO LAUNCH NEW BRANCH IN 12TH WARD

rincipal speakers.

Many Socialists live in this part of many Socialists live in this part of the ward who are not members of the party and it thought that a lively branch can be built up. Any Socialists iving in the vicinity are requested to

M'NAMAKA TRIAL CITY PRIMARIES An interchange of many telegrams between J. W. Kline, president of the International Railway Blacksmiths and Helpers, J. A. Franklis, et al.

ntense Interest in Los Angeles Election Overshadows Court Session.

Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 31 .- Interest in the primary election overshadowed to-day's session of the McNamara trial. The jurors now in the box were rushed to the polls and permitted to vote be-fore court opened.

There are now seven men in the box

who have been passed by both sides and an eighth against whom the defense has tried to lodge an impeach-ment challenge, which is considered almost certain to fail.

Passed For Cause

Those passed for cause are: S. B. Manning, rancher; Robert Bain, carpenter; F. D. Green, capitalist; Watter N. Frampton, farmer; George W. McKee, retired builder: A. C. Winter,

McKee, retired builder: A. C. Winter, George W. Johnson, retired molder, George W. Johnson, retired molder, was challenged for bias by the defense, out probably will remain.

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"Mebby I did: mebby I didn't. Cam(Continued on Fage 2, Column 4.)

Strike Rapidly Spreading

A general strike of all the shopmen on the Missouri, Kansan & Texas k now considered in he had now the line in the Missouri, Kansan & Texas k now considered in the assument in the number of 1,500 went out about a month ago.

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Recently the campany refused in recrafts working in its shops, and the men. encouraged by the spreas of the strike, say they will order a walkout in the next two weeks unless the common of the campany grants the desired recognition.

The rapid spread of the strike to observe the spread of the strike to other railroads is considered certain by the international officials, and what is considered the greatest labor way the country has ever seen will in all prehability be called within the next six was challenged for bias by the defense, out probably will remain.

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"Mebby I did: mebby I didn't. Cam-

ISLAND AT ONGE

A meeting will be held tonight at 3225 West Twelfth atreet, corner of Sawyer avenue, for the purpose of organizing a new branch in the northeast end of the Twelfth ward, Sarah Jacobstein and J. Mahlon Barnes will be the Favors Walkout.

The strike of the Rock Island system federation, which has been pending for several weeks, probably will be called at the end of this week or early next

epresented in the federation are makng arrangements preparatory to calling out all the men who are connected with the federation.

International Railway Blacksmiths and Helpers, J. A. Franklin of the boiler-makers, Michael O'Sullivan of the sheet metal workers, James O'Connell of the machinists, and Martin Ryan of the carmen, show that the strike vote taken on the Rock Island probably will be overwhelmingly in favor of a atrike. The tabulated vote of all unions connected with the rederation will be made public this evening by James W. Kline. Officials agree that all the yratts have voted for a strike and the only unanswered question is the exact majority in favor of the strike.

Texas Uzcific Involved.

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Immediate strikes are also threatened on the Texas Pacific and the Missouri, Kansas & Pacific, which, if called, will involve about 25,000 men in addition to the 25,000 already out on strike. Refusal of the companies to grant a recognition of the system federations on these two roads is the cause of the invanding walkouts. impending walkouts.

Two months ago the Rock Island re

Two mouths ago the Rock Island recognized the system federation of its shopmen but halked at the demands made by the men and finally issued as ultimatum containing the greatest number of concessions which it would make. By rejecting this ultimatum the men have made peace impossible unless the company, should mexpectedly back down and offer a better wage schedule to prevent the strike at the elevanth hour.

Strike Rapidly Spread

Tabloid News Received by Wire

NEW YORK—Edward Fleet smoked a cigarette in bed last night, fell asleep and burned to death when the bedding caught on fire.

BRADFORD, Pa.—Mary Hays, 15, committed "leide by shooting because her mother refused to allow her to celebrate Hallowe'en.

INDIANAPOLIS.—Indianapolis will celebrate its first "safe and sane" Hallowe'en with a mammoth masked parade tonight.

NEW YORK .- Grace Howard Fisher opera singer, fell in love with Dr. Oscar C. Reeve when he saved her voice after an attack of fever. Now she is Mrs. Dr. Reeve.

PHILADELPHIA. - "No su business man can be honest in these times," was the assertion of the Rev. Reginald John Campbell, of City Tem-ple, London, in a lecture here.

NEWBURGH, N. Y. — Worn-out horses from New York City are to be brought here to recuperate, then to be bled, the blood to be used in making anti-tuberculosis serum.

MINNEAPOLIS.—A badly frightened red fox mingled with startled crowds today on a downtown street. "Brer" will adorn the window of a local fur-NEWPORT.—Reginald C. Vanderbilt did his own sleuthing when rare wines and silverware disappeared. He sus-pected a butler, obtained a confession.

then discharged the servant. NEW YORK .- The city burget for the coming year will be \$189,000,000, ac-cording to latest estimates. It may be a trifle over that—by a few million or

CHICAGO.-Too much counting of in the sub-treasury caused Fred L. Lathrop temporarily to go insane. It was estimated that in the last five years he has counted about \$50,000,000.

NEW YORK.-Patrolman Thomason spied a man citting grass in Flathush and asked what he was doing. "Play-ing pinochle," replied Henry Rice. Henry was taken for mental observa-

MILWAUKEE, Wis .- "We insist as MILWAUKEE, Wis.—We must as much care be given to the breeding and weifare of children as is given to im-proving stock in horses and hens," de-clared the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union convention here.

KENOSHA, Wis .- Twenty-six years after he mysteriously disappeared from home. Albert Morgan today quietly came into the home of his daughter here and hung up his hat. He does not explain his disappearance:

CHICAGO.—Judge Owens, of the County court, today summoned presidents of the five biggest packing houses to serve on an insanity jury next week. The county will pay them \$2.10 a day.

ELGIN, Ill .- When the police arrested Fritz von Mueller for vagrancy today, he produced papers proving that he was a German count, and formerly a pros-perous merchant at San Francisco.

REBELS REFUSE PEACE; REPUBLIC NOW THEIR GOAL

Revolutionists, Encouraged by Victories, Demand Overthrow of Monarchy.

day's edict issued by the Chinese em-

The rebels are not inclined to come to terms. They argue that they are certain to win their fight in any event and prefer a republic to even a strictly limited monarchy.

Did she beat any of the other girls?*

She beat Mary Hayden with her slipper one day for being sasty.*

Were you gives rollgious training while at Mrs. Covington's place?"

Kicked for

Distrust Peace Offer

Moreover, they doubt if the emper-or's promises will be fulfilled. The sacking and burning of Hankow, with the slaughter of hundreds of its inhabitauts, immediately following the
city's recapture by the imperialists and
on the very day that the imperial edict
was issued, are cited in support of the
contention that the Manchus are not to
be trusted.

Rebels Retake Shanghai

Advices today say the rebels have recaptured Hankow after a terrific battle lasting many hours. They opened up their batteries below Wu Chang, pouring a terrific fire into the imperial fleet in the river.

All foreigners have been content.

All foreigners have been ordered to leave the concessions and are seeking safety in flight. At last reports the battle was still raging.

Imperialists Repulsed

By Daited Press.

Hankow, Oct. 31.—Fighting has been resumed between the revolutionists and imperial troops here. The imperialists tried to rush the rebels' position at Wu Chang, but were repulsed with heavy slaughter. The battle is still raging. One thousand rebels and 200 tracerialists have been killed since Friends. imperialists have been killed since Fri-

Amusements

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THE HEN PECKS " WEEK

PRINCESS AT HEAD ay and Saturday Mts., 2:30 OVER NIGHT

GIRLS STRIPPED **BACK WITH LASH**

Timid Victims Tell Civil Service Commissioners of Inhuman Beatings.

BY HUGH MANN

Under the pretense of hearing the charges of inefficiency, neglect of duty and lack of executive ability against John H. Witter, chief-probation officer of the Jevenile court, who was suspended one month ago, the Civil Service Commission, under Ballard Dunn entered into the third week of the investigation of the Illinois Industrial School for Girls.

as the case of the chief probation officer is concerned, irrelevant and immaterial. Under the existing laws after a child is sent to an industrial institution or school, the jurisdiction of the Juvenile school, the jurisdiction of the Juvenile court and its probation department ceases. The bill establishing the Juve-nile court specifically says that no part of the law should in any way interfere with the Industrial School Act passed

Witter Not Involved

in 1879.

Even Ballard Dunn knows that the present hearing does not in any way bear on the trial of the chief probation officer. In going down in the clevator with County, Autorney Charles L. Daly, be said, "the witnesses heard had nothing to do with Mr. Witter."

Some of the witnesses called by County Autorney Johnson were told that they were to testify against the Illinois Industrial School, not against Mr. Witter.

A number of colored girls were on the Even Ballard Dunn knows that the

A number of colored girls were on the stand and testified to being ill-treated in homes to which they were sent by the Illinois Industrial School. If the stories they told are true, the women in charge of the private homes should meet with their just punishment.

Tells of Whippings

One of the girls, Mrs. Frank Jones, who was Hazel Ford at the time she was at the home of Mrs. Louise Mc-Donald, West Sixty-second and South Ada streets, testified to alleged beatings on her naked body with a black ings on her naked body with a black strap about one and one-half yards long, three inches wide, and about one quarter of an inch thick. "How were you beaten?" "Mrs. McDonald told me to strip.

Then she tied my legs at the ankles, and my arms behind by back and stied me up against the door in the room, and she beat me something awful."

"For how long was the beating kept

"For about a half hour or see"
"Were you beaten any other limes?"
"One day Ruby Anderson Louise
Davis and I were late at school, and when we came home we were stripped naked and whipped. We were all in the same room and at the same time, and were whipped one by one.

Boys Flogged

This witness also testified that boys were whipped because they had com-plained to some neighbors that they had not received enough to eat while at the home of Mrs. McDonald.

Another girl, Florence Hagans, 13 years old, who was the first witness of the day, told of sileged cruel treatment at the hands of a Mrs. Covington, who has a home for colored girls on Hartwell avenue.

well avenue.

She testified to being compelled to scrub the floors and wash crothes at a time when this work meant considerable pain. She suffered from rickets and her legs were crooked and knees knocked together and the bending made the rill for several days after each effort. "Were you ever beaten by Mrs. Covington?"

"No. she only attempted to beat me with her slipper, but never did."

"Did she beat any of the other girls?"

"Did she beat any of the other girls?"

No. sir! Mrs. Covington was against it. She was also against us girls saysing prayers. One day she kicked Mary Hayden, who was kneeling in prayer in

Upon cross examination by Albert McKales, senior attorney for Mr. Wit ter, she said that a week ago Sunday she left the home of a Mrs. Kennedy on Lake avenue, where she was employed as a servant and met a young colored man whom she did not know.
"He tried to get acquainted with

"He tried to get acquainted with me on the stairs of the elevated station and then took me down to a dance hall and wine room near the loop, where we stayed until 12 o'clock midnight."
"While there two policemen came in and becoming afraid of getting arrested

the man left me and went away. I was afraid to go back to the home of Mrs. Kennedy and I went to my uncle's house on Twenty-ninth street."

"How did you get to your uncle's

"I walked."
"When did you get there?"
"When did you get there?"
"Five o'clock the next afternoon."
"Don't you mean 5 o'clock in the norning—Monday morning?"
"No. sir! Five o'clock in the afternoon."

Takes Midnight Walk "Do you mean that you walked from your uncle's home on Twenty-ninth street from 12 o'clock midnight Sunday until 5 o'clock Monday afternoon?"

Whom did you meet on the way?" "No one. I did not see anyone in the

street."
Further questioning of this girl failed to disclose why it took her seventeen hours to walk a distance of about two and one-half miles. Nor could it be discovered where she was all of this time, nor why she did not meet aby one while in the street.

All of the streets she traversed were filled with pedestrians and her state ment that she did not see any one is certainly a mystery to be solved by some one.

J. C. KENNEDY WILL TELL ABOUT GERMAN MOVEMENT

John C. Kennedy, who returned recently from Germany, where he made a study of the Socialist and the labor movements, has prepared an address which he will deliver Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock at the Garrick theater, as a pre-election address. Kennedy will compare the German



JOHN CURTISS KENNEDY.

The evidence, which if true, would be Socialist movement with the Chicago very damaging to the school, is, as far and American movement. He has a fund of information in this regard, and that his meeting will be largely at-tended is evidenced by the demand for

Kennedy will speak of the methods employed to build up the Socialist and the labor movements, the party's atti-tude toward the Catholic church, the platform of the radical movement and the general tactics applied in their cam-paigns which have been fruitful in the past and which promise success in the future.

He will point out to the Americans

KILL TRUST LAW

(Continued From Page 1.)

vate ownership of the trusts is an un-

vate ownership of the trusts is an unmitigated evil. The trusts fix the price
of their products as they please.

Therefore they have it in their power to decide what we must pay for
meat, iron, oil, lumber and sugar, and
almost everything else. The trusts directly decide how well or how poorly
we are to live—and indirectly how long
we shall be permitted to live.

we are to live—and indirectly how long we shall be permitted to live.

"However, combination of capital and producing on a large scale is the natural projetion of modern invention and modern methods. We can not stop evolution.

"Modern business can not be made to conform to the Sherman act and exist. We can not go back to competition wherever competition has been abolished. We might just as well try to stop the Mississippi river from flowing to the sea and make it flow backward,

Evolution Must Proceed

"Any legislation that inteferes with natural evolution of industry means a futile attempt to make the world go backward, and can not succeed. It can only bring about panies and ruin.

"But as long as the trusts are in the hands of a few, these few will naturally use this private ownership for their own private advantage.

"The trusts spell progress and are a tremendous benefit to their owners What we must do, therefore, is to ex-tend the benefits of this ownership to the entire nation. That will be the ob-ject of my bill."

Supreme Court's Decision

Washington, Cet. 31 .- An important opinion was handed down yesterday by the Supreme Court of the United States in which it is foreshadowed that ere long the railroads of the country will be under the complete control of the Intersate Commerce Commission. This opinion virtually eliminates state commissions of railroads.

missions of rationals.

The court held that hereafter all locomotives, cars or other equipment used
on any railroad which is a highway of
interstate commerce must comply with
the federal safety appliance act.

Compliance with the federal law is held by the court to be compulsory on all railroads which are engaged in transportation of persons or from one state to another.

WORKERS' HOURS REDUCED.

Washington, Oct. 31.—The mainten ance of way employes (railroad tracmen) have won a victory on the rail oads in Georgia. An organization ha just been effected and as a result their work day has been reduced from sunup to sundown, to ten hours. A short conference held between the officials and the organization resulted in the

establishment of the hours mentioned

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eron talks too much. I'm likely to tell

away from him."

Attorney Darrow is trying his best to keep this juror, as Frakes insisted he has no opinion and had never read much or talked about the case.

His brother is a member of the plas-terers' union of San Francisco and for this reason the state is striving des-perately to keep him from being seated. Yesterday's late session was eventful and was marked by much wrangling between attorneys and a severe rebuk-ing of the defense by Judge Bordwell. This was especially noticeable when the defense was trying to get rid of Venireman Johnson, who characterized

all union men as "tramps."

When he said he had conscientious scruples against hanging a man on circumstantial evidence alone, the defense challenged. The challenge was ruled out by the court, who held the defense could not be leave for the court of th ould not challenge for this cause, that being a right exclusively retained by

Court Shows Partiality

Darrow was very angry and said that was the first time in his life he had ever heard there was one kind of law for the state and another for the defense. He cited the code and insisted that such a juror should not be "permitted or compelled to serve," and declared Bordwell had committed a reversible error by his ruling.

The defense planned today to renew

its effort to impeach Johnson, but the defense's detective. Fitzgerald, made an unfavorable appearance on the witness stand late yesterday. His story that stand late yesterday. His story that Johnson defended General Otis and said the McNamaras undoubtedly were guilty was challenged and his failure to remember anything gave the state an advantage which it promptly seized.

Defense Lands Mendenhall

The defense managed to land Venire man Mendenhall on the jury. He in-sisted that he could be fair and re-sisted all efforts of the state to dislodge him. He is a bitter personal enemy of District Attorney Fredericks, making it certain the state will have to waste a peremptory challenge to remove him. The present indications are that the defense will have to use four perempories and the state two to remove mer from the box, leaving only Manning and possibly Green. The state has ten,

COOK COUNTY SOCIALIST NEWS

James P. Larsen, Eccretary of Cool County Socialist party, 205 West Wash ington street. Phone Franklin 1829.

MEETINGS TONIGHT

7th ward—6306 Ellis avenue. E. R. Prichard, secretary of the Board of Health, will speak. Subject: "Health."

list ward-Southwest corner Chicago avenue and Clark stree!. 25th ward-911 Belmont avenue.

Woman's Auxiliary—At the home of Mrs. Voorhees, 3524 Indiana av-enue. Important business. Elec-tion of officers.

OPEN-AIR MEETINGS

ward — Calumet avenue and 31st streets. Speakers: William M. Fox and A. L. Liesemer. 4th ward—Barry and Lincoln avenues. Speakers: J. Mahlon Barnes and J. F. Uhlenbrock.

WEDNESDAY MEETINGS 19th ward—At the home of A. J. Du-bin, 1135 S. Halsted street.

27th ward, 2d district-4319 N. Springfield avenue.

27th ward, 4th district—At John Sterling's place, corner Belmont and Sacramento avenues.

28th ward-Settlement House, 1917-19 N. Humboldt street.

ward-Elke's hall, 1048 W. 63d 35th ward 3709 W. Division street. 34th ward, Bohemian branch—Katka's hall, 26th street and Avers avenue. West Side Jewish branch—Apollo hall,

Blue Island avenue and lith street.
Scandinavian branch No. 1—Scandinavian branch No. 1—Scandinavian hall, southwest corner Paulina street and Haddon avenue.
South Siavic Woman's branch—Rad-

nicka Straza, 1800 Center avenue. Great Debate—"Resolved, That the Prohibition of the Sale and Manufac-ture of Intoxicating Liquors Will Solve the Liquor Problem." Dr. Clarence True Wilson, affirmative, national lec-turer Prohibition party; William Fran-cis Barnard, negative. Admission, 15 cents, at Y. P. S. L. hall, 207 W. Wash ington effect.

SPECIAL LEAFLET

On hundred thousand copies of the new campaign leaflet with the unique title of "Judges" are now ready for distribution. Ward secretaries will kindly bring notice before their branch and urge upon them to get busy for next Sunday morning's distribution of same. All individuals desiring to help distribute this leaflet can be supplied with same by calling at this office. There are also a number of posters on hand which are suitable for hanging in

the windows of the homes of the members and sympathizers or can be put in store windows to good advantage. Come down and secure supplies. Also have a large supply of propaganda pamphilets which can be had a a very low figure.

METROPOLITAN OPERA HOUSE
Winford Zabel, district attorney of Milwaukee, will talk upon the judicial campaign at the Metropolitan Opera House, Wednesday, Nov. 1. Seymour can be voted to the county head-quarters.

SPECIMEN BALLOTS

WATCHING AT THE POLLS

Can you help count the Socialis votes on election day? If so, either cal

ounting of the ballots is a very im-

portant matter in elections and a mem-ber can not perform any greater duty than being on hand at the polling place, when the ballots are counted for the

J. C. Hansen, Cashier

Winford Zabel, district attorney of Milwaukce, will talk upon the judicial campaign at the Metropolitan Opera House, Wednesday, Nov. 1. Seymour Stedman, Socialist candidate for Circuit court judge, will also make a short talk. A play entitled "Dveriele Muchesa" by Jacob Gordon, will be given quarters. Twenty-eighth ward branch has se-ured new headquarters at the Settle-ment House, 1917-19 North Humboldt ses," by Jacob Gordon, will be given for the benefit of the Jewish Labor World. The speaking will take place between the acts.

avenue, between Armitage and Cort-iand. They will hereafter meet regu-larly every Wednesday evening. All members will kindly give notice to all other members of this fact. Speciment ballots can be secured on Wednesday. Secretaries and others de-siring to put them up and display them can secure same by calling at this CAMPAIGN FUNDS

28TH WARD SOCIALISTS

All comrades holding campaign lists are requested to forward whatever funds they may have secured towards the campaign fund as soon as pessible. Readers who may see this notice and who are able to contribute in a small are hereby requested to forward this office by 'phone or drop a postal card to that effect, saying that you will watch and what precinct if any in particular. Credentials will be sent to you. Credentials have been sent to ward secretaries. Remember, that the

WAGE INCREASE DENTED

The packing-house teamsters roundly denounced the award of the arbitration denounced the award of the abstration committee which decided that the wages of the teamsters will not be in-creased and that the wage scale which has been in effect for the last eight years will be the wage scale for the

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State or National Offices of the Socialist Party. Town and State

WORKERS JOIN IN EFFORT TO OWN COURTS

Nation-Wide Movement to Wrest III-Used Power From Tools.

A nation-wide war is being wage against judicial bossism.

Throughout the country cities are struggling to wrest the courts from the hands of the corporations who install their pet tools to interpret the laws.

New York City is struggling to regain Its own from the power of Boss Charlie Murphy, who has nominated his own ticket of Tamany heelers.

In Chicago the struggle, which will be carried to the polls on November ? is whether or not the workingmen of Cook county will acquiesce in the domination of the courts by Lorimerismthe Hearst-Harrison duet-the Deneen machine, or, on the other hand, whether they will declare themselves as men, de manding the election of men pledged to represent the thousands of regiments of tollers in the interpretation of the laws.

Election Will Decide

The great judicial campaign now in progress in Cook county will determine next Tueday what the workers want. The workers will get what they want, when they want it.

In every campaign meeting, in every piece of literature being distributed in this city by the tons it is visible.

this city by the tons, it is vividly pointed out that if the workers are pointed out that it the workers are satisfied with the present, condition of the courts they have but to declare themselves by scratching an "X" be-fore the names of either the Democratic or the Republican candidates.

or the Republican candidates.

If they desire judges who will sympathize with them in their conflicts with the bosses, if they want judges who will not be afraid to dictate to the masters, if, on the other hand, the workers desire able lawyers who have risen with the working class and understand the needs of the working class, the workingmen of Cook county have but to sweep these eleven men into office next Tuesday.

Socialist Candidates Pled - 2

Socialist Candidates Pledged

The Socialist party is behind the campaign of eleven men for judges in the Superior and Circuit courts, because these men are pledged to the Socialist party to be the representatives of the

ers.

Socialist party being the political avm of the working class has the right to declare these men unfair the workers and untrue to the

the workers and untrue to their pledges if they do not be fair with the working class.

Democratic and Republican candidates are under no zouch pledges. Candidates on both of these tickets can not pledge themselves to be fair to the working class when they are representatives of a giganite system which is as great a monstrosity as was ever seen in a political zoo.

Forces of the Jungle

Hundreds of ward and precinct meet-ings were held in Chicago yesterday by the Democratic and Republican forces. Both parties are lining up against the Socialist ticket. If they did but realize the sentiment in the ranks of the work ers they would have nominated a "strong" fusion ticket.

strong fusion ticket.

Democrats and Republicans are wrangling among themselves like a pack of wolves, fearing their respective aspirants to the bench will not "do the trick" for their masters.

The "trick" is to place the workers into greater subjection by interesting the property of the property of

into greater subjection by interpreting the masters' rules and applying them to the administration of maljustice.

President Tart, himself a capitalist judge, having acquired the tille of "Injunction Bill," told a group of lawyers here that the courts should have more power.

Taft simply means the courts should usurp the power from the people and give it to Wall street. That is his view

Campaign Material Ready

Special ballots can be secured tomorrow, and all locals wishing to display them can because these specimens at this office. It is also imperative that party wor is watch at the poils in their own precincts.

This is an important feature of the campaign as a Societies on Societies.

campaign, as a Socialist or a Socialist sympathizer should be in the polling place when the ballots are counced to see that none are thrown out. Detailed information in this respect can be ac-cured at the county office, 205 West Washington street. nington street.

Washington street.

The "Judges" ieastet, containing pictures of the Socialist candidates and articles by each candidate, are ready for distribution wherever campaign meetings are to be held.

Ward secretariates

Ward secretaries should be supplied with these leaflets, as well as posters which can be conveniently placed in homes and store windows.

SUFFRAGE CONVENTION ON AT DECATUR, ILL., TODAY

More than three hundred delegates officers of suffrage clubs in various parts of the state flocked to Decatur, Ill., to day to attend the forty-second annual convention of the Illinois Equal Suffrage Association. Sessions opened today and will con-

clude tomorrow. At 10:30 o'clock the first session was opened by a meeting of the local suffrage club presidents, led by Mra. Grace Wilbur Trout, pre-ident of the Chicago Political Equality

League.

At the afternoon session Mrs. Ella S. Stewart, president, delivered her annual address. This was followed by a discussion of the suffrage campaign in California, by Mrs. Catherine Waugh McCullough, and "Suffrage From a Teacher's Standpoint," by Miss Martha Connole of Whitehall, Ill.

The principal address of the convention will be delivered tonight at the First Congregational church by Dr. Anna H. Shaw, of Philadelphia, president of the National American Woman Suffrage Association.

The annual election of officers will occur at the close of the session on Wednesday merning.

MINERS, KEEP AWAY

All coal miners are requested to stay way from Alberta or British Columbia, Canada, as the strike of the miners

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All Tip-Top bread that does not bear the Union Label of the Bakery Work-ars is unfair and should be shunned by organized labor and its friends.

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Carpenters, 58, Diversey and Sheffield Carpenters, 58, Diversey and Sheffield.
Carpenters, 141, 7050 Cottage Grove.
Carpenters, 272, Chicago Heights.
Carpenters, 272, Chicago Heights.
Carpenters, 1784, 630 W. Lake.
Engineers, 402, Wells and Chicago.
Engineers, Hoisting, No. 1, 232 N. Clark,
Firemen, Asso., N. O., 316 W. Kinzie.
Firemen, Marine, 316 W. Kinzie.
Firemen, Marine, 316 W. Kinzie.
Garment Pants Makers, 144, Hall B,
12th and Blue Island.
Garment Vestmakers, 152, 1212 Marion
pl.

pl. Hod Carriers, 1, 814 W. Harrison Hod Carriers, 5, 229 17th st., Chicago Heights.

Hod Carriers, 41, 90 State st., Ham-mond, Ind. Painters, 161, 1619 N. California av. Painters, 147, 20 W. Randolph. Painters, 180, 2956 Madison. Painters, 184, 6239 Haisted. Painters, 194, 736 Randolph. Painters, 275, 429 N. Clark. Waiters, 236, 118 S. Clark.

TOMORROW. Waiters, 530, 183 W. Madison, 3 p. m

SPECIAL UNION NOTICES tions under this head, 5 cents per line per day. No display

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IGARMAKERS, TAKE NOTICE STRIKE

on at the Milola Factory, Milwauker CIGARMAKERS UNION, NO. 21

BRIDGE AND STRUCTURAL IRON
WORKERS UNION NO. 1.—Important
meeting Tuesday evening, Oct. 31st, at 223
West Washington st. Do not fall to attend,
as there are matters of importance to be

JAMES MARTIN. Pres.

Socialist Judicial Ticket

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MRS. DARROW TAKES INTEREST IN TRIAL



Mrs. Clarence Darmw

h. s. Clarence Darrow, wife of the famous lawyer who is defending the McNama: a brothers, on trial at Los Angeles accured of having destroyed the Los Angeles Times plant with dynamite, visits the courtroom daily and site behind her husband as he atomines prospective interest. as he examines prospective jurors. She is one of the most interested

Y.P.S.L. Notes

A great debate has been arranged for next Wednesday. Nov. 1. This will be held in the T. F. B. I. buil at 207 West Washing. The Committee of the Committee of the Committee of the Sand manufacture of intexicating liquer will solve the liquor problem: Dr. Citarenes True Wilson will iakas the affirmative and William Francis Barrard the negative. Dr. Wilson is a malional tecturer for the Fro-Wilson is a malional tecturer for the Fro-Wilson is a malional tecturer for the Promite Marian and Committee of the Committee

Where To Go



CONDUCTED BY WILLIAM CHERNEY.

For some time there has been such a feeling of doing big the strikers were approached late at things—a sort of a spirit of success filling the air—that I know you want to keep on whistling the same tune. That's why you are going to see some tall kicking in this column if there is going to the strikers were approached late at hight by a shabbily dressed individual who offered for a consideration to plant charges of dynamite in the railroad going to see some tall kicking in this column if there is going to the strikers were approached late at high the strikers were approa

And I feel sure that YOU don't want to see any slump in subscriptions. Just as soon as you hear that the subs are not coming in as fast as they have been YOU are going to put in a few extra licks to make up for it. YOU, just like all of us, have your eye on that gain of TEN THOUSAND before January 1, and you are going to do all you can to make it. So, then, buckle down.

readers, therefore, mean a stronger paper.

But aside from that, more readers mean more converts to So-cialism, and that is what you and I are looking for. There is always a sense of encouragement when the gains made are so rapid that they can be FELT and SEEN EVERY DAY!

When you get readers—new subscribers—you help the Daily but that is only part of it. You are using the Daily for the purpose for which it was established-to bring the sweating, toiling and To. bleeding working class the message of hope and emancipation.

YOU are one of those who should enlist in the effort to get ten thousand new readers before January 1.

WORKING CLASS VOTERS. READ THIS!

Mr. Workingman, it is imperative

Mr. Workingman, it is imperative jority on or before Nov. 7, 1911, will that you direct your attention to the matter beneath if you intend to cast your ballot for judicial candidates on election day, Nov. 7.

Positively no voter is eligible to vote at the ensuing election unless he registered on last registration day.

JAMES P. LARSEN,
Secretary Cook County Socialist Party,
205 West Washington Street,
Chicago, Ill.

Dear Sir: Answering your communication of Oct. 26, 1911, beg to advise:
First. A citizen moving into this county from another county, although that he might have done so.
Fourth. A voter having moved from registers as a qualified voter, will be entitled to vote by applying at his polling place and making the usual removal affidavit, supported by the affidavit of two householders.

First. A citizen moving into this county from another county, although that he conting election unless he has registered as a qualified voter.

Second. A man having lived here continuously and who failed to register on the last registration day cannot vote at the entitled to vote by affidavit, if he was registered as a qualified voter in the continuously and who failed to register on the last registration day cannot vote at the election on March date, provided he registered on the sample of such that date, provided he registered on the sample of such that date, provided he registered on the might have done so.

Fourth. A voter having moved from conciling that he might have done so.

Fourth. A voter having moved from registers as a qualified voter, will be entitled to vote by applying at his polling place and making the usual removal affidavit, if the vote of the last session of the board of registers as a qualified voter who has moved from continuously and who failed to register of the might have done so.

Fourth. A voter having moved from continuously and making the usual removal affidavit, supported by the affidavit of two householders.

Fifth. A voter who has moved from continuously and who failed to register of the mak

on the last registration day cannot vote at the ensuing election. Third. A person arriving at his ma-

jority on or before Nov. 7, 1911, will

Yours very truly, W. H. STUART,

SPREADING TO hopes of winning out.' Strikers Find Spy

Strike Breakers at Champaige, Ill., Terror zed by Onibreak of Epidemic.

ALL I. C. CHOPS

Champaign, Ill., Oct. 31.—This city is the fourth to be caught by the epidemic of diphtheria and other con-tagious diseases which is spreading among the strike breakers at all points along the Illinois Central lines.

Diphtheria first broke out in the scabs camp at Waterico, Ia., and from there spread to the shops at Chicago and Louisville. There is also an epi-demic of scarlet fever at Burnside and smallpox at Louisville.

Complaint Is Made

The strikers lodged a complaint with the local board of health demanding that the afflicted men be removed from he shops, where they were exposing ne other employes and the entire com-aunity to the disease. The board ordered one man taken to

the city hospital and compelled the ompany officials to put two men, who believe they are taking diphtheria, in a room at a considerable distance from the other strike breakers.

Firemen Aid Strikers

The createstra meets for present and present are needed.

The cancing class meets every Thesday evening. Common class meets every Thesday evening common com

New Orleans, La., Oct. 31.—A great parade in which more than 5,000 strik-ers and sympathizers took part marched through the streets carrying display banners bearing the motions which the

shopmen here have adopted.

A mass meeting was held at which resolutions declaring the confidence of the men in finally winning and their determination to stay out till the Illinois Central suce for peace was unanteresting adopted.

Capitalist Admits Defeat

Capitalist Admits Derest
Special Correspondence.
Carbondale, Ill., Oct. 31.—The Southern Illinois Herald, a capitalist newspaper which has strongly supported the Illinois Central during the strike, admits that the shopmen have the company beaten and that the road is badly crippled in consequence of the strike. It says in part:

'Here in Carbondale all is quiet and, seen ingir, things are running smoothly, seen in the strike in the strike in the same only sufface indications and

it is no use in trying to forget the fact that the Illinois Central is badiy crip-pled by the strike and that engines are badly in need of repairs. Striking workmen are quiet and peaceable and have

Special Correspondence.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 31.—The strikers in mass meeting here balely escaped failing into a trap set for them by the cunning officials of the Southern Pacific. ucific.

A man dressed in workingman's

A man dressed in workingman's clothing, which was badly torn, and with his arms and hands cut and bruised, appeared at the meeting and demanded admission, saying he had been a strike breaker against his will and had been beaten and assaulted when

the company's officials found out he intended to quit and join the strikers. President Reguln found that in all probability his story was a mere frame-up to conceal the fact that he was an agent of the Southern Pacific.

Ministers Give Aid

Special Correspondence.
Clinton, Ili., Oct. 31.— The Rev Charles H. Doolittle, one of the strik ing machinists at Burnside, made such a remarkable impression here that the



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city administration and ministers' as-sociation have been won over to the shopmen's cause almost completely. The ministers, after hearing the Rev-erend Doclittle's address in the Baptist and Universalist churches, promised that if it became necessary they would guarantee to feed and clothe the strikers and their families

Strikers Bare Plot

Special Correspondence.
Oakland, Cal., Oct. 31.—The strikers Oakiand, Cal., Oct. 31.—The strikers here foiled what was evidently a plot on the part of the Southern Pacific to discredit them and turn from them the sympathy of the general public.

Men who were doing picket duty for

treat to avoid rough handling. Two of the pickets say they saw him in the yard before the strike wearing a Pink-

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

So, then, buckle down.

This week we are winding up for October and will start off November. A good, strong, healthy pull at this time will make the load much lighter for the rest of the way.

Here is another thing that you should keep in mind all the time: Getting subscriptions is the one best way of financing the paper. Whenever the life of the Daily is in danger you raise enough money to meet the emergency. It would not cost you so much, and it would mean more in the end, if you would put your efforts into getting subscriptions PERSISTENTLY!

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hey please to vote their shars for them.

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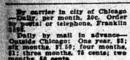
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Perkins and the Trusts

His "Regulation" Is for the Benefit of the Exploiters.

George W. Perkins has again delivered himself of an interview on competition. He says:

Attempt to sweep the country back into the old era of competition, the direct consequence of the vigorous enforcement of the Sherman law, and there will return the evils of deceit and fraud in business, violent fluctuation in prices, the deliberate driving to the wall of weak concerns, and the eventual creation of monopolies by survivors.

Competition is directly responsible for the sweatshop, for child labor, for nonemployment, for low wages and for panic and failure. It exemplifies the principle that might is right. It has no mercy. It is an inexorable machine which crushes those not strong enough to dominate it.

So far, very good. Competition does mean that someone is going to win out. It means survivors. It means the end of the

going to win out. It means survivors. It means the end of the competition.

No contest, whether it be for business patronage or for something else, can last forever. The strongest competitor will win. It is also true that a return to competition means violent fluctuation in prices, deceit and fraud, etc. It means anarchy. It means the management of industry by a lot of rival rulers who are responsible to no one for what they do and who have no principles except to get the best of the other fellow at all cost.

But what is Mr. Perkins' remedy? Only this: that the few who have gained the top in the industrial world shall be "regulated"; that there shall be a court of business men who will pass upon prices and methods of business who will supervise the affairs of all concerns.

This court is not to be conducted for the purpose of determining of the calls in the them through the instricts and sent them through the finality. When the election was over and the work at first planned for The Daily was done, there were letters from all parts of the country urging the Chicago So'The beating Non- The failty and secured through the efforts of the country urging the Chicago So'This victory alone is worth all the country urging the Chicago So'The bost of the country urging the Chicago So'The count urging the Chicago So'This victory alone is worth all the country urging the Chicago So'The baily. Then those who had struge to challsts to keep the paper going and offering help. The Socialists of Chicago So'The country urging the Chicago So'The country urging the Chicago So'The baily mad do and secured through the and secured through the analysis of the country urging the Chicago So'The baily mad secured through the analysis of the country urging the Chicago So'The baily mad so conditions and secured through the all the analysis of the country urging the Chicago So'The baily mad secured through the day of the saily with the struggle as long said among themselves:

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This court is not to be conducted for the purpose of determining the rights of the employes of business. It is to be conducted for the purpose of settling questions between business men themselves.

We have a condition wherein a class of men are engaged in exploiting another class of men. They are making these other men work for them and produce commodities which they sell, under a complex set of rules or lack of rules, to the same workers whom they exploit.

Through the complexity of these rules some of the exploiters take advantage of the other exploiters. This is to be remedied by a court which shall decide which exploiter has the right to work the workers in a given industry.

This, of course, is a bold way of putting it, but it is the truth, which analysis of the situation reveals. There is nothing in Mr. Perkins' proposals that concerns the workers any further than a change in exploiters and consequent possibility of the workers making a better fight for their own emancipation.

The remark of Mr. Perkins which most interests us is as fol-

There are comparatively few Americans favorable to government ownership and fewer to Socialism. Yet the tide, unless arrested, will sweep us on those shoals.

He thinks the tide can not be reversed, but he thinks it can be

He can see that it is impossible to go back to competition, but under the influence of his own wishes he can not see that it is impossible to stay where we are. Perkins belongs to a set of men

of the capitalist class in a last effort to stay the coming of Socialism by devices to make the capitalist system workable for a while longer.

States of what was called the Erie triangle, comprising 202,187 acres in the northwestern corner of Pennsylvania, bordering on Lake Erie. Under the Pennsylvania act of 1786, opening all lands to settlers, the state officials because a chain of the history of man has there been so important a chain settlers. The land speculators obtained the land, and the prolonged seenes of riot and bloodshed ensuing in conflicts between pretended and actual settlers up to the year 1802, Judge Huston continued:

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"The lands were were pretended and actual settlers up to the year 1802, Judge Wilson, John Nicholson, Robert ture was kept busy with impeachment were ever in or near that country, but they had agents who procured the surveys, and paid for them money for the Holland Company preferred frankly to state the fact, and not sit in the full country and the state plants actual settlers. The land seen to it that their law-yers were put on the state benches and actual settlers up to the Surveys were sever in the northwestern corner of 1786, opening all lands to settlers, the state officials be sent to settlers, and actual settlers up to the Surveys were taken upon warrants paid for by ance and material pleasure, and the problem has shifted from the mechanical world to the political world. It is now a question of distributing among all men and women the benefits of man's material achievements. The world-wide gathering of the forces of labor in those 1,162 tracts 386 tracts were dedemand of a correct settlement of this question through the adoption of Socialism is the greatest movement that has ever taken place.

China is still the reverse of the rest of the world. The ruler of any other country, in handing down a grant of constitutional government or other reform measure, would preface the proclamation with a statement of his own glory and goodness to the people and declare that the new decree was in line with the precedents of his own beneficent reign. Not so the emperor of China. He comes out flatfooted and says: "I have not employed men properly. I have put too many nobles in power. All these things are my own fault, and I hereby announce to the world that I swear to reform."

A Pennsylvania politician reviews the expenditure of large sums of money by Republican and Democratic candidates for office, and closes up with the remark: "Is it any wonder that the Socialist party is making progress by leaps and bounds?" That is getting to be a very common remark. The Socialist party is here ready to do business, and the country is recognizing the fact.

A London pastor declared that no successful business man in modern times can be honest. Now Baltimore and Washington modern times can be honest. Now Baltimore and Washington is a second for their holdings, part going to coxe, and later, involving land in western Pennsylvania, Huston gave a very comprehensive survey of the land frauds of the time here dealt with.

"At one period of our history," wrote Judge Huston, in delivering the court's opinion. "from 1784 till December, 1786, our then Supreme court made some decisions which alarmed everybody; and an act of Assembly was passed, declaring all warrants issuing for lands on which a settlement had been made, except to the settler or his legal representative, should be null and void. And Section If of their holdings, part going to Coxe, and part to Church; (65) Hamilton must have been acting for Church, who was not in the United States at that time.

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clergymen have cancelled invitations to have him speak before their congregations. It is really strange how sensitive some pastors are about criticisms of the men who pay their salaries.

Republican candidates for the bench in Chicago announce with pride that they have a total of ninety years' experience as judges. The workingmen have also had a total of many years' experience with Republican and Democratic judges. Perhaps they will be guided by that experience next Tuesday.

HISTORY OF "THE DAILY" SOCIALIST NEWS

By MAY WOOD-SIMONS.

When The Weekly Workers' Call was tarted in March, 1899, the Socialists of Sent in, but the great number of small sums bore witness to the wide extent of the interest in maintaining the life of the paper. Chicago felt that a great thing was ecomplished. Labor had a voice.

laid plans to at least run a daily dur-

of us who were privileged to be with it on its first day still feel the thrill that went through the whole organization when the first number of the first Eng-Socialist daily paper ever pub-in the United States appeared, t first copy saw the light of day

of a building on Fifth avenue:
Difficulties that would have staggered a group of less enthusiastic and
determined men and women were met

at every turn and conquered. A few pine tables, some candles for

in publishing appeals for funds to sup-At daylight we began work, the four port the now famous Red Special, of us who worked regularly, for the A few days after the election was

There were no regular reporters on intolved.

At first daily, but the strength of the paper lay in its host of volunteer helpers that came from the first to make it tons took up the fight, and finally, a success. They brought stories from every part of the city, they telephoned in stories, and sent them through the mail.

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worked on The Daily have failed to wen. In events that occurred from day to powers is on here and now, and is not some far off affair.

The teachers and firemen of Chicago, two groups of public servants, had originated into trades unions. The interests were bending every effort to destroy these organizations.

printed the facts about the school lease held by the Tribune, which reduces the school funds by several thousand dollars yearly, and gave a full description of the advantages of the two-platoen system for the firemen.

On December 24, 1806, the facts and the school funds by the facts of the firemen.

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expressed desire became a demand, and how they worked, polishing, oil-the workers of Chicago, supported loy-ally by the Socialists of the country, and Sundays saw a squad always on

ng the campaign.
What Socialist does not know how per was printed from the new press, the Daily Socialist was born? Some The Daily was five months old and had aiready proved itself a sturdy young-ster that had met and downed more

than one opponent. All during its first summer The Daily carried on its agitation against the at-tempted hanging of the officials of the Western Federation of Miners. in a little bare room on the fourth floor

For a child, it had a strenuous sum mer. For that year came the big telegraphers' strike, and the office of The Daily was filled with telegraphers who looked on the little paper as their stanchest friend.

night work, three typewriters and one desk made up the equipment of our two-year-old youngster doing first duty in publishing speeks for funds to sup-

of us who worked regularly, for the type was set up in one place and the press work done several blocks away, Christian kudowitz from being sent that first daily but the strength of asylum for political refugees was the question that first daily but the strength of the formular reporters on involved.

The Daily realized that the struggle the plant, making it a closed shop. Two

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The Daily took up their fight. It Irish girl.

control.

All this was for the purpor ing clear the cause of graft and corrup-tion in cities ruled by old political par-ties, and The Daily succeeded in fully discrediting the city administration Later, when the vice commission was appointed and made a report, it kept up ts expose of conditions

Then came the great garment work ers' strike. The Daily became the mouthpiece of the strikers, and it did more. It got out a splendid edition, which was sold on the streets and the funds turned into the strikers' treasury. A considerable sum was added to their defense in this way.

"By their work you shall know them." and by its work The Daily has proved itself a power in the Socialist move-ment in America.

While it has always interpreted the news of the day from the standpoint of the workers and carefully guarded its facts it has not neglected the educational work. It would require a list cational work. It would require a list of literally hundreds to count the ex-cellent educational articles that have

been printed in The Daily.

And these have not been without considerable literary value. Have we yet forgotten the time that the Civic Federation attempted to organize Chicago and catch workingmen?

Then appeared that sparkling little skit, a literary gem, filled with satire descriptive of the supposed meeting at Mrs. Potter Paimer's, where the Civic Federation was to be organized. Need less to say, so ridiculous was the while thing made by The Daily that few labor men went to the meeting, and the Civic Federation was not revived in Chi-

ago.
All of these big battles that the paper has carried on are but a few of that it has won, and the more conspic-uons accomplishments of The Daily have been equaled and more so by the con-tinuous smaller struggles it has carried

on day after day.

When a paper like one of Hearst's or the Record-Heraid published a story unfair to the workers The Daily was on hand to correct and refute the faise-hoods and misrepresentations. When political leaders litical leaders and other men in public life made statements prejudicial to the Socialist movement and the cause of labor. The Daily was ready to reply through its editorial columns and sho the workers the misrepresentation and faisity of the old party leaders.

Who can for a moment reckon the immense value to the cause of labor of this continuous work and the watch-ful care that The Daily has had over events and public utterances?

To accomplish its splendid work with no hinderances would have be indeed, but to do it in the face of finan-cial difficulties, at the time almost insurmountable, has been still greater Few weeks of The Daily's history has seen it without financial question face that would have made its continu-ance seem impossible to outsiders. But in The Daily itself and among the

ocialists there has never been the leas fear that it would not somehow surviv every storm. When it has seemed nea-Daily can never die." And the help has

platoon system for the firemen.

On December 24, 1906, the first call outfit. For some time it had been shough the corrupt politions impossible to bring out The almost impossible to bring out The Daily with the clumsy arrangement.

The response to the call was beyond the control of the collection of tribute of the call was beyond the control of the collection of tribute of the call was beyond the control of the call was beyond the call was the c Now it has passed its fifth birthday

From EVERYWHERE

ARRANGED LECTURE COURSE

It has been decided to establish a fifth circuit of the National Lyceum Bureau for the southern states, beginning early in February. The lectures for this circuit will be announced next week. At southern locase that would like to take advantage of the lecture course are requested to send in their applications at once.

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Eugene Wood will begin the Pacific Circuit at Sheridan, Wyo., on November 25. In the afternoon of the sams day W. F. Ries will start the Western Circuit at Minneapolis, Minn, Arthur Brooks Baker will begin the Central Circuit under the auspices of the 28th ward in Chicago on Sunday morning. ward in Chicago on Sunday morning, Nov. 26. The start for the Eastern Circuit has been postponed until after Christmas. Charles Edward Russell will open it at Springfield, Mass., on Wednesday, Dec. 27.

Wednesday, Dec. 27.

Rose Pastor Stokes has been compelled by sickness to give up her place as second speaker on the Central Ctractit. W. Harry Spears, editor and manager of the Findlay Call chain of papers, has been engaged to take her place as lecturer on "Why Things Happen to Happen.

The 25 cears subscription cards will be out the first week of November, and will be sent to each local, fogether with all the dated advertising matter in one freight shipment.

An office force of ten people is now necessary to handle the work of the Lyceum Department. Nine advance organizers are in the field. One hundred and eighty locals are now actually at work, and additional contracts are arriving daily. Over account. Societies and riving daily. Over seventy Socialist papers are now in the agreement.

Almost without a discordant note the

entire party organization seems to be working to make the undertaking as great a success as possible. All a organizations, except Connecticut Texas, have given their consent for their locals to take the matter up.

FIGHT TO PUT MAN IN ST. LOUIS CITY COUNCIL

St. Louis, Mo.-The Socialists of this city are putting up a vigorous fight for the election of William M. Brandt to the city council. Brandt was elected as alderman from one of the wards, but was prohibited from taking his seat by judge Withrow. There were fifty-six illegal ballots

east. If all had been counted Brandt would have won. If all had been thrown out Brandt would have won.
The judge decided egainst him because
he had not paid taxes on real estate for
two years before the election. He also allowed the ballots of a number of students of the theological seminary, who lived in all parts of the world who voted the Republican ticket and who are expressly forbidden to vote by law, Brandt is now running for a vacancy

in the council and the Socialists straining every effort to elect him. The capitalists are fighting him hard and are throwing barrels of money into the campaign to defeat him.

DEBS HAS GREAT MEETINGS ATTACK DRAWS BIG CROWDS

Eugene V. Debs is having great meet ags everywhere. At Morgantown, W. a., he was met with a circular entitled Beware of Debs," which was put out by a Catholic priest.

Since then at almost every town in which Debs has spoken the Knights of Columbus or some other Catholic or-ganization has put out this circular warning the people not to hear Del ments for his meetings and monster

audiences everywhere.

In New York city Cooper institute
was packed to the doors. In Albany,
Gloversville, Syracuse and in all the cities where the circular denouncing him has been distributed he is greeted by greater crowds than ever before.

The capitalist papers are giving

The capitalist papers are giving him good advertising, some running his pic-ture and an article about him before his arrival and all giving columns of space in reporting his speeches.

ANOTHER PENNSYLVANIA TOWN

Bradford, Pa.-The Socialists of this a strong probability of electing their there, so that the men ticket here at the election, November 7. merely mark each sec J. M. Barr, the secretary of the Social-ist local. is the candidate for mayor. The Socialist platform has been printed n all the papers and a systematic dis tribution of literature setting forth the cialist principles and demands is be

ing carried on.

The Socialists recently defeated a street car franchise which the council wanted to put through by stirring up a great public sentiment against it. mayor was asked to address the cialist Lecture Club and defend the

franchise.

A big crowd turned out and after the Socialists had finished with him a great wave of protest swept the city. This did a great deal to stir up sentiment in

MES. BALL WILL JOIN SOCIALIST LYCEUM BUREAU

The National Socialist Lyceum Bureau announces that it has secured the services of Mrs. Samuel Ball, formerly connected with the Illinois state office of the Socialist party at 205 Washing-ton street, to assume charge of the sub-scription department of the bureau. Mrs. Ball has been visiting in lower but she also lived in Pennsylvania

re her husband is an active for the Secialist party in that state. Comrade Ball was formerly connected with The Chicago Daily Socialist in the book department.

GERMAN GOVERNMENT FIGHTS YOUNG SOCIALISTS' MAGAZINE

Berlin.—The Prussian Minister of Education has issued instructions to the school superintendents that the school teachers should be requested to find out, among the higher grades in the public schools, which of the scholars are in the habit of reading "Arbeits Jugend," organ of the Young People's Socialist League. The suthorities intend to combat this paper by every means in their power. The teachers are to report the result of their investigation.

INDIANA MAKING GREAT GAINS, SAYS SECRETARY

That the Socialists of Indiana are taking greater gains in party mem-tership than ever before, that several at least one Socialist to the slate legis-lature and one member to congress at the election next year, is the prediction of James Oncal, state secretary of the Indiana Socialist party in an interview printed in the Terre Haute Post.

The number of Indiana locals has al-most doubled in the last year and the number of members in good standing most doubled in the last of star number of members in good star to the same degree.

ers and is unable to supply the de-The kidnaping of McNamara has

stirred up the union men to the true class character of the courts and led them to a study of Socialism, with the result that many have joined the party. This particularly is true of the city of Indianapolis, where the Socialists are growing very strong.

Open Forum

FOR EFFECTIVE WORK

To the Editor: The proposed referen-dum made by local Everett, Washing-ton, intending to change section 2, article 10, of the national seems to be a move in the right direction, and will, I hope, receive enough seconds to be submitted to the member-

alyzed to the last degre, not only fixing a new basis for representation to our congresses, but also devise a new conducting business way of conducting business with a greater and more active interest of the rank and file.

In order to do the most effective work

with the least effort and waste of time we must make them participate in the work of the congress.

I do not mean to call general membership meetings of the comrades of the whole United States; there are always

ways and means of accomplishing the same work with a few delegates. The first thing to do would be to change the preliminary work before congresses. Therefore I make the fol-

lowing suggestions: The national executive committee should announce the order of business at least sixty days before commence-ment. The membership would thus get time to consider all measures thirty days in their meetings and local press. and make all desired motions amendments to each order of the pro

cedure.
All motions and amendments should tary thirty days before opening of the congress, published and sent to all newly elected delegates.

This, if adopted, would give the membership and not the delegates the greatest influence in the convention. It would also educate them to participate more

also educate them to participate more than heretofore in their party work. The instruction of delegates to vote a

certain way would be almost unnecessary, because active members would always elect candidates that stand for the view of the majority. This does not mean that the delegates could not introduce other motions with-

in the convention as they have hereto-fore, or that the congress could not change the order of business in case of an emergency that may suddenly arise Under this presumption it would be

Under this presumption it would be easy to change our constitution as proposed by local Everett, Washington. In Chicago it would of course be necessary to call meetings of the membership at large. Though this would be inconvenient to some degree, it is necessary, because a ward is not considered a local, and if business intended for congress would have to go through the Cook county delegate committee it would not be a pure and simple mem-Cook county delegate committee it would not be a pure and simple mem-bership decision and, second, it would require the Cook county delegate com-mittee to meet incessantly to carry out the newly proposed procedure to its

Another necessary and good thing for the party to have is a meeting after each convention, report on the en-business of the congress and dis-everything of interest that went merely mark each section of a newly adopted constitution, but will disuces edings under various headings

and no longer be ruled out of order when convention proceedings are not before the meeting.

Comrades, this idea is not a new one. It has been carried out to the highest satisfaction in the European Socialist parties, and will be an absolute necessity in America, if not now, some time sity in America. ... in the near future. EMIL KUHNE.

SUPPORT ARBEITER-ZEITUNG

Chicago.

To the Editor: In reading an article printed in The Daily Socialist entitled To the Editor: In reading an article printed in The Daily Socialist cutitled "Press Combine Is Peastble," Wednesday, Oct. 25. I was surprised to find that it recommends that every culturalisatic comrade should contribute their best efforts to build up and increase the strength and power of The Chicago Daily Socialist, New York Call, the Volks Zeitung and the the established daily and weekly papers, and seems to forget that we have a paper right at home here in Chicago, and that is the Chicago Arbeiter Zeitung. Why support New York papers? Charity begins at home. So let us help our two home papers—the Daily Socialist for the English-speaking people and the Arbeiter Zeitung for the Germans.

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(Editor's Note.—The article was written by Max S. Hayes of Cleveland, and he certainly had no intention of slighting the Chicago Arbeiter Zeitung. He merely mentioned certain papers as representative of the national Socialist press. The Arbeiter Zeitung is doing a good work in Chicago and vicinity certainly merits the support of every comrade. comrade.

Old Maid—But why should a great strong man like you be found begging t Wayfarer—Dear lady, it is the only profession I know in which a gentleman can address a beautiful wo man without an introduction.—Landon Sketch.

History of the Supreme Court of the United States By Gustavus Myers

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(Continued From Yesterday.)

Justice Wilson's Participation In 1792, the state of Pennsylvania re

principally Comptroller General John Nicholson, the Holland Company, 1792ducted by reason of prior settlements, bountles, and on other grounds. (39) The headquarters of the Holland Com-pany was at what is now Meadville. Of about \$380,000 that the Holland Or about \$389,000 that the Holland Company professed to have expended for improvements, settlements, etc., Judge James Wilson was credited with contributing the sum of \$222,071.10 in all; (40) he must have been an uncommonly rich man to have been able per

sonally to put in so large an amount No doubt his bank of North America supplied him with part of the funds. Had it not been for the courts, how especially the Supreme court of the United States, this great fraudu-lent operation and similar seizures in Pennsylvania would never have su ed. In a case that came up before the Huston, in the Supreme court Pennsylvania, thirty-eight years

ed a formal grant from the United through fictitious settlers, large specu-

nished by the owner. . . . (48)
Further facts concerning the Holland
Company we shall be under the necessity of narrating later in their appro-

sity of narrating later in their appro-priate place in relation to a certain decision of Chief Justice Marshail.

Wilson's land operations were by no means confined to any particular sec-tion of Pennsylvania. His gathering in of land ownership extended throughout that state: many of the most valuable coal tracts in Pennsylvania derive title from his ownership. He owned large areas of coal lands in Huntingdon and Northampton counties. Pennsylvania. We find from the court records that, in consideration of debts that he owed to We find from the court records that, as consideration of debts that he owed to Benjamin R. Morgan, of Philadelphia, and General Henry Lee, of Virginia, Justice Wilson, on August 20, 1796, made a deed to them of all his real estate in those counties, which deed was fol-lowed by a trail of litigation lasting for

ore than three quarters of a century At the same time, Tench Coxe and At the same time, Tench Coxe and John B. Church were jointly acquiring extensive tracts of timber and coal lands in Luzerne country and in other counties; in 1735 they made a division of their holdings, part going to Coxe, and part to Church; (45) Hamilton must have been acting for Church, who was not in the United States at that time.

sentative, should be null and void. And soon after the courts decided that all soon after the courts decided that all such an armuts which had issued for land occupied by a settler were void. The same thing had been decided, and was the settled law, before the Revolution." (41)

Judge Huston then cited from a decision of Judge Yeates (42) in which Yeates wrote that for some years after the Revolution the sentiments of some of the judges of the Supreme court of Pennsylvania "were unfriendly to settlers and improvers." but that a change

of opinion took place about the year either interested or subservient; and the act was almost entirely diverted. Then, going on to describe at length the fraudulent processes by which, against actual settlers. The land spec-

isk impeachment.
The fact, however, that various kinds

of actions, brought long after in the courts, were against the heirs, legatees or the assignees of Wilson, Coxe, Nich-olson and others, shows that these orig-inal appropriators were eventually successful in getting original title, by reeson, as will be seen, of decisions

the Supreme court of the United States (39) See case of Commonwealth of Pennsylvania vs. Tench Coxe, Dallas' Reports (Supreme court of Pennsylvania), vol. IV. p. 175.

(40) Ibid. This is the exact amount stated in the court record in a sult brought by Pennsylvania in 1800, two years after Wilson's death. (41) Case of Campbell vs. Galbreath Watts' Reports, vol. I, p. 70, etc. (42) Lessee of Bonnet vs. Devebaugh II Binneys' Reports.

(44) See case of Alleghany Ratiroad and Coal Company vs. Casey, Pennsyl-vania State Reports, vol. LXXIX, pp. (45) See case of Steiner and Newbold vs. Coxe, vol. IV. Penusylvania State

(43) Ibid., p. 105.

Reports, p. 14.

(46) Carey and Bioren's Pennsylvania Aws, vol. V. p. 72. (47) Thus, Judge Breckenridge of the Pennsylvania Supreme court had been, as an attorney, counsel for the Holland Company (IV Dellas' Reports, p. 196). In the case of the Commenwealth of Pennsylvania vs. Coxe, he was disqual-ified from sitting, having, as he in-serted in the records been counsel for serted in the records, been counsel for the Holland Company.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

HER HABIT

Do you believe in marriage?"
I asked the dishing dame,
Whose airy grace and piquant face
Had set my heart aflame.

Do I believe in marriage!."
Her eyes enlarged a bit,
as wonderingly she suswered;
"Why, man, I practice it!"