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Some Lessons of a Disaster

By Victor L. Berger. THE San Francisco calamity, besides proving that common misery is a great leveler—

wastes and wickedness of capitalism. His only point of difference appeared to be that he considered the materialistic conception of history to be too narrow to account for certain spiritual developments.

"I have come from below, from the very depths of life, where there is naught but slum and slush, I am the voice of that life—the harsh cry of those who wallow in its mire"

The evil promptings of the capitalist system are always at work. In the midst of the danger and the panic during the San Francisco earthquake and fire, the troops and police had to get busy to keep looters from ransacking the wrecked buildings.

"Changing the clothes on a man, does not change the man," asserts the editor of the Milwaukee Journal. Is it quite sure? We have seen people wonderfully changed in ambition, self-respect and cheerfulness by their clothes.

The Chicago comrades are naturally jubilant over their success in court in compelling the election inspectors to grant their party the right to hold primaries same as the others.

The people in San Francisco were starving while a fire was in progress that was burning up great food supplies which the troops prevented the famished multitude from helping themselves to.

Will the new San Francisco be located on safer ground? By no means. Capitalism would not hear to such a thing. Dollars are more sacred than human lives.

Protest meetings continue. Every local of the party and every trade and labor union in the country should send resolutions of protest to Governor Gooding, against the conspiracy and kidnapping outrage.

Scarcely anyone is secure under the capitalist system. Fate gets after the rich as well as the poor.

In a vault in a safety deposit building in San Francisco that was blown to fragments with dynamite in order to stay the spread of fire,

In the fashionable churches you will see the prosperous big business man sitting in the high-priced pew and looking so saintly that you begin to think he is misjudged.

We'll remember how meek and saintly Frank Bigelow used to look in his pew at St. Paul's, Milwaukee. We had our opinion at the time of some of the deals he was connected with.

A NEW VOLUME!

With our next issue THE SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC HERALD begins its ninth year, and we hope to celebrate the fact by enriching our first page with a new engraved heading.

One feature of the new volume which we are ready to announce at this time is a notable series of articles under the general head of "INCENTIVE UNDER CAPITALISM,"

the trickster Henry C. Payne) and yet he looked so innocent and so religious we asked ourselves if, after all, we had not misjudged him.

We may be pardoned for dwelling a little this week on the Gorky incident, but the irony of fate has been at work with his case.

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It was proposed to Dolan, Sinclair says, that he immediately take a steamer for Europe, after making the new affidavit.

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It is to be hoped Gorky will stay away from Philadelphia, else he might compel the society leaders of that great moral city to go into the public prints with their outraged feelings.

In Philadelphia, being pharisees would naturally be looking for such an opportunity to square themselves.

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dressed in these gilded haunts of licentiousness, that an earthquake could not have brought greater consternation to the first families of the town.

Upton Sinclair, in his magazine reply to Ogden Armour, gives a letter written in 1899 for publication by a former superintendent and trusted employe of the Armour establishment at Chicago.

The letter gives numerous concrete examples of the damnable work of preparing diseased meat for public sale.

Animals received at the yards were utilized the same as those received alive, he says, even where the meat had begun to exhibit the effect of death.

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Armour did not sue Dolan or Hearst for libel. He did a more capitalistic thing than that.

Dolan paid Armour in kind. He accepted the thousand dollar bills and put them in a bank.

And, mind you, the Mr. Armour here referred to was Philip D. Armour himself, not Ogden Armour, his son, who is now the head of the Armour interests.

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This is the sort of thing we call justice in this country—and it is an American product. The side that wins in a law suit is the side with the most money.

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Oh, yes, success in business depends on honesty!

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They Cannot Repeat 1886

By Victor L. Berger.

THE western mine owners hardly try to conceal the fact that they would like to hang Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone, and thereby annihilate the Western Miners Union.

The situation in Idaho is in no wise identical with the Anarchist case of 1886, or even with the Molly Maguire incident of 1876.

The case of Moyer and Haywood is entirely different. Their agitation was not of the kind of the Molly Maguires, or of the Chicago Anarchists of the early Eighties.

As the case now stands, the Moyer-Haywood episode is merely regarded as a border feud between a desperate crowd of western mine-owners—many of whom were themselves prospectors but yesterday—and the mine-workers.

Therefore I regarded the "call to arms" by our well meaning, but injudicious friend, Eugene V. Debs, as a most serious mistake.

Yet it was lucky that the capitalist press did not take the Debs' manifest seriously.

And it is still luckier that it produced even less effect upon the workmen.

An appeal to force helps only those who have the force. The American working class today is completely disarmed.

An "armed" uprising under such circumstances would be more stupid than the insurrection in Moscow.

The working class of America has already given its answer to our friend's appeal. Not a hand was raised—the appeal "to arms" simply proved to be an appeal to sell the Appeal.

But the mine-owners will fail. Moyer and Haywood are now defended by the best lawyers in the country.

So keep cool. But at the same time, keep eyes and ears wide open. Continue to agitate for Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone.

Again I say with Oliver Cromwell: "Trust to 'God' and—keep your powder dry!"

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I'm with the people—I'm with every man Who tills the soil and sows the potent seed, And gathers harvests for the common good; Who wields the ax not for himself alone; Or if for self, yet harms not any man; Who turns the wheel of industry around With foot, or hand, or with the active brain, Supplying every need for every man— Were not supplies with love distributed And with a sense of common brotherhood.

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1884 666,000
1887 931,000
1890 1,794,000
1893 2,585,000
1895 3,033,000
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1902 5,253,000
1903 6,285,000

FOR OUR NEW READERS:

THIS COUNTRY is made up of working people, both industrial and agricultural, but is ruled by the capitalist class, which is numerically small. Being in control of the government, it runs that government in the interests of its class and against the interests of the working class, which is the people. We Socialists believe that the country should be ruled by the people in the interests of the people. That is why we established a government in the first place. We want the people to own it so that the political power can be used to begin the march to the co-operative system, called Social-Democracy. All the means of existence are now owned by capitalists, and yet the capitalist class makes up only about 12 per cent of the population, and a mere ONE PER CENT OF IT OWNS OVER HALF THE WEALTH OF THE NATION! The means of existence should be owned by the collectivity in order that the benefits should go to ALL, instead of to a FEW.

California.

State Secretary Tuck of California reports as follows on the breaking up of the protest meeting in San Francisco April 8, by the police: "At the close of the meeting at Woodwards Pavillion, where four thousand union men and Socialists had assembled, a procession was formed and the entire audience marched down Market st., to the newspaper offices where our speakers again addressed the meeting which by this time numbered more than five thousand people. The crowd was perfectly peaceable and orderly, but the demonstration was too much for the newspaper people and their blue-coated Cossacks, who seized the red banner bearing the slogan "Workingmen of the World Unite," and arrested Comrade Geo. Holmes, who was speaking from the Fountain. His place was quickly taken by other speakers who were also arrested. Police clubs in the hands of Mayor Schmidt's Cossacks were freely used and blood flowed from the wounds of many workingmen. Seventeen men were arrested and taken to the police station, among whom was Comrade Wm. McDevitt, editor of Socialist Voice. This morning, the 9th, the arrested men appeared in court and demanded jury trial. The prosecution gave notice that it would select one case and make it a test case and the arrested men were informed that they could go until the first case could be tried.

As to Big Donations.

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The Campbell Fund.

Dear Comrades: The Campbell fund is not increasing so fast as I had hoped. The Moyer-Haywood case is attracting so much attention that this seems a very small matter. But the principle is exactly the same. Comrade Campbell is suffering for his devotion to the same Cause that Moyer and Haywood lived for and are willing to die for; and, while there is no danger of Campbell being hung, there is danger of his daughter being worked to death in the cotton mill, and that is worse. His fine must be paid. As I can't pay it myself I've evolved a plan that will do as well. My time is all engaged until August. After that I will fill dates, anywhere that I'm wanted, for nothing but my expenses on condition that the collection be sent to the editor of the HERALD for the Campbell fund. It will only take a little while to get it paid it will help the cause as well as the Campbells. Address all letters on this subject to Miss Flora Beals, Maryville, Tennessee, as I shall be in other parts of the United States and might not receive them.
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Getting "Skeered"

Washington dispatch to New York Sun: "The Socialistic tendency throughout the country is another source of concern to the Republican veterans in Congress. In the words of the traditional Democratic platform they 'view with alarm' the apostasy of young Joseph Medill Patterson, of Chicago, who comes of good old Republican stock. In his conversion to Socialism they profess to see a sign of the times, that is not propitious. However, the case of young Patterson is only an incident they say, for they contend that Socialists are gaining ground rapidly in the larger cities, and it will be no surprise to them if several avowed Socialists are elected to the next congress. In Milwaukee, for instance, it is said that the Socialists stand an excellent chance of electing the successors of Representatives Otjen and Stafford, who will be renominated by the Republicans."

Wisconsin.

Report of the State Organizer:
During the year of 1905 the total number of locals organized was 32. Of these Thompson organized 21. The total aggregate new members brought into the organization in these new locals was 403. At the beginning of the year

GLEANINGS FROM BUSY FIELDS.

IN YANKEE LAND

The Iowa state convention will be held at Des Moines, July 4. Ben. Hanford of New York will be the May Day speaker in Cleveland. The state convention of New Jersey will be held at West Hoboken, May 30. Eugene V. Debs was compelled to go to Cincinnati and submit to special treatment for throat trouble. Reports from a number of points in the state indicate that the I. W. W. craze is responsible for unusual lethargy in Socialist party activity. The May Day celebration in New York City will take the form of a big Moyer-Haywood protest meeting. Maxim Gorky has been invited to participate. Local New York has found it necessary to issue an answer to a malicious circular sent out by the I. W. W. gang in this city and containing slanders against our party organization. According to the official organ of the I. W. W. that organization intends to form a new national political party when the proper time comes. It says this in an effort to prove that it is not the property of DeLeon. One Wm. H. Berry, state treasurer-elect of Pennsylvania, has challenged the Socialists of Delaware county, Penn., to a joint debate to take place in the opera house in Darby. Comrade John H. Fagan will be pitted against the official. Two pamphlets written by Comrade Simons, upon the request of the National Executive Committee, dealing with the Moyer-Haywood kidnaping outrage, and the resignation of Joseph M. Patterson as Commissioner of Public Works of Chicago, have been ordered in hundred thousand lots, and are ready for shipment. They are to be sold at cost price, delivery free, which is \$1.00 per thousand. Although Mally has a "traveling booster" as he calls him going about the state of Ohio, getting subscribers for his paper and incidentally preaching Socialism, Mally himself has now hit the trail on the same kind of a mission, although in his own case the national headquarters is to foot the bills. He has cleverly made use of his position as national executive committee man to have himself sent out as a "national organizer."

ACROSS THE POND

Two years ago the census of Japan showed that there were 3,000 Socialists in that country. The latest census just published indicates that Japan now has fully 25,000 Socialists. Of this number 14,000 are in Tokio. Among the occupations of these Socialists given are 3,200 laborers, 7,500 students, 50 politicians, 180 soldiers, 60 religious workers, 10 judges, 45 medical practitioners and 200 in scattered trades and professions. Maxim Gorky, the Russian patriot, has issued an address to the Jews of the United States in which he declares that it is his belief that in time the new Russia will be as safe and prosperous a home for them as America. Gorky denounces Father Gapon, the priest who led the St. Petersburg workmen. Said he: "Had Father Gapon died on 'bloody Sunday' he would have been a martyr. Now he is only a traitor. Gapon was bribed. His soul was too small for a great task. Gapon was bribed to betray those whose cause he was supposed to champion. "A committee of the Socialist Democratic Bund investigated his conduct after he had fled from Russia to the gambling tables of Monte Carlo and it was found that the Russian government through a secret service agent, had paid him 100,000 rubles. From Count Witte himself he had received 60,000 rubles, from Assistant Secretary of State Timirazoff 30,000 and from Mattusheffoff, through his secretary, 20,000. Over 300 men applied to the Sydney Australia City Council in answer to an advertisement for 30 laborers; a number of applications were also received from men outside the city. It took the Town Clerk nearly four hours to select the required number.

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From the Book Table.
THE UNIVERSAL KINSHIP, by J. Howard Moore, Instructor in Zoology, Crane Manual Training High School, Chicago. 12 mo. 330 pages, cloth. Price \$1.00. Chicago: C. H. Kerr & Co.
BETTER WORLD PHILOSOPHY, by J. Howard Moore, 12 mo. Cloth, 276 pages. Price \$1.00. Chicago: Charles H. Kerr & Co.
These two books are included in the International Library of Social Science and are worthy additions to that series and help to swell the available material for the library of the progressive man and Social-Democrat. Of the two, the first volume will prove the most popular, doubtless. It is a fine book and we unhesitatingly recommend it. It will give those who are led to secure it by our advice as much solid enjoyment as it has us, we are sure. It is bound to kindle an appetite for scientific truths among the workingmen, if they will but open its pages and read its simple, easy, fascinating pages. The author says in his preface: "The universal kinship means the kinship of all the inhabitants of the planet Earth. Whether they came into existence among the waters or among the desert sands, in a hole in the earth, in the hollow of a tree, or in a palace; whether they build nests or empires; whether they swim, fly, crawl or amble; and whether they realize it or not, they are all related, physically, mentally, moral-

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Recent HERALD callers: A. H. Floaton of Colorado; Lincoln Steffens of New York; Hother J. Moeller of Chicago, Ill.
O. Sherman by stipulating that the debate be in English, as charged in the Industrial Worker. On the contrary they say that they formally accepted the challenge to debate and that Sherman has been dodging ever since. They include copies of letters in their statement to bear out their contention.

Monster Protest Meeting

To denounce the kidnaping of Western labor officials by capitalist job-holders, Pinkertons, etc.

Addresses by
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of Colorado,
and others

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Monster Protest Meeting and May Day Celebration

A mass meeting for the celebration of May Day, and to publicly protest against the inhuman and brutal persecution of the officials of the Western Federation of Miners, our comrades Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone, will be held at the Freie Gemeinde Hall on Thursday evening, May 3, at 8 o'clock.

associated with the Western Federation of Miners and a personal friend of Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone, has been secured to deliver the address of the evening. The United Socialist Singing Societies and the Social-Democratic orchestra and band have been secured to furnish the music. All labor unions of the city have been invited to attend in a body and all Socialists, all friends of labor and all who love justice should be present. A collection will be taken to send to the comrades in Idaho to help them to secure justice and prevent their legal murder.

"With the Lid Off!"

No one suspects for a moment that Ald. Stiglbauer's sudden interest in the garbage plant has any connection with the fact that he secured a job there for his father under the old rotten regime.

The New County Board.

The new County Board organized for the coming two years last Tuesday. The former chairman, Supervisor Lenicsek, having no show for reelection, withdrew and Supervisor Fisher of Wauwatosa was chosen. The Social-Democratic members nominated Comrade Jeske for chairman and Comrade Mies for vice chairman, each receiving the full Social-Democratic vote in the board. For supervisor of Assessments the Socialists nominated Comrade Frederick Wilson of the Machinists, and gave him their full vote.

Mayor Becker neglects his duties as mayor to run to fires and then the capitalist papers hold him up as a marvel because he sent out for a lunch to a nearby restaurant instead of going out to his Prospect avenue home for his dinner, in order to sign some papers that had to be signed without delay.

The new chairman announced the standing committee. The Social-Democrats fared as follows:

Supervisor Sheehan:
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Supervisor Jeske:
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County Clerk, Register of Deeds, Surveyor.
Highways and Bridges.

Supervisor Boness:
Rules.
Courts.
Railroads.

Supervisor Geerdts:
Penal and Charitable Institutions.
Railroads.

Supervisor Mies:
Justices and Constables' Accounts.
Plats.

It is possible the *Sentinel* editor has syndicated his anti-Socialism editorials? The *Free Press* is running some just now that will seem awful familiar to *Sentinel* readers. We could call the attention of the honest, average-going citizen who believes in a square deal and to sincere, upright motives, to the fact that certain newspapers in this city have been quite friendly to Socialism at such times as they thought it wise to be and that now when a congressional campaign is approaching they have editorially shifted their position and discovered that Socialism is a terrible thing, so terrible in fact that it is justifiable to lie about it in order to give it a black eye. People in Chicago still tell of certain municipal campaigns where certain candidates for mayor were elected in spite of the combined opposition of all the Chicago newspapers. The only possible explanation for this was that, while the Chicago people had to read the papers day after day to keep posted on the world's news, they nevertheless had such a low regard for the honesty of these papers' motives that they could not be swayed politically by anything the papers said about the candidates. It isn't only in Chicago. It is in every city in the country. The people do not have confidence in the papers they are forced to read. In this state the marvelous rise of the LaFollette movement was in no small degree due to an implicit faith in the genuineness of the motives and the honesty of the leaders and the papers connected with it. Both leaders and papers have done many things since then to show that the confidence was misplaced, and the decline of the movement follows as a natural consequence.

State Treasurer's Report for March

Mar. 1, Cash on hand \$ 5.16
Receipts from State Sec'y 140.89

Total \$146.05

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J. Mahlon Barnes for National Dues 20.00
E. H. Thomas for postage .40
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Siekert & Baum for Stencils and micrograph ink 4.00
M. Langers for salary to March 10 9.00
E. H. Thomas for postage .40
E. H. Thomas for postage 1.00
J. Mahlon Barnes for National dues 20.00
M. Langers for salary to March 17 9.00
Wisconsin Telephone Co. for long distance calls40
E. H. Thomas for postage .50
Soc. Dem. Publ. Co. 6.85
E. H. Thomas for postage .50

The Sheriffs Case Settled.

The case of the young machinist whose wages were held back by the Sheriffs Mfg. Co., as narrated in last week's issue, has been settled out of court. The young man was discharged and part of his wages held back on the claim that he had spoiled some work, also more pay being held up, it is alleged, on the charge that he had failed to turn in his time slip. Business Agent Frederick Wilson of the Machinists took the matter into court, whereupon the Sheriffs agreed to settle the young man getting his pay in full.

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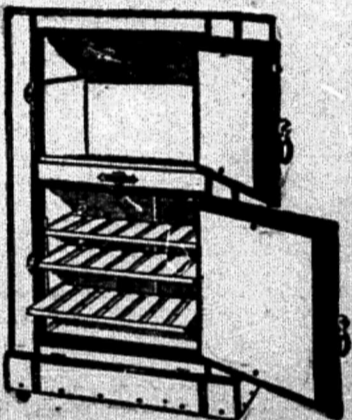
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MILWAUKEE COUNTY—COUNTY COURT STATE OF WISCONSIN, 1st Milwaukee County, Wis.

In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament of FRED. H. BREITWISCH, Deceased.

WHEREAS, An instrument in writing, purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of FRED. H. BREITWISCH, deceased, late of Milwaukee County, has been delivered and deposited with the above named Court; and whereas, application has been made by MINNIE BREITWISCH, the executrix named therein, praying that the same be proved and admitted to Probate, according to the laws of this State, and that Letters Testamentary be granted thereon according to law to said MINNIE BREITWISCH.

IT IS ORDERED, That said application be heard before this Court at a regular term thereof, to be held in the County Court room at the Court House in the City of Milwaukee, on the first Tuesday of June, A. D. 1906, at 9 o'clock A. M. or as soon thereafter as the same may be reached on the calendar.

AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That notice of said application and hearing be given by publishing a copy of this order for three weeks successively, once in each week, in the "Social-Democratic Herald," a newspaper published in said County, prior to said hearing. Dated this 19th day of April 1906.

By the Court, JOHN C. KAREL, Register of Probate.

RICHARD ELASNER, Atty of Estate.

J. Mahlon Barnes 20.00
M. Langers for salary to March 31 9.00

Total \$140.89
Total Receipts \$146.05
Expenditures 140.89

April 1 Cash on hand \$ 5.16
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Town Copies by the Town Crier.

Certain Milwaukee newspapers are strenuously denying the charge that the North American Company, which is back of the local Beggs street railway company, has the recently granted Milwaukee Southern steam railway franchise already in its mitt.

The same newspapers also deny that the Securities company has its hand on the recently granted Milwaukee & Northern Electric line. It is so easy to make denials. But perhaps they may be in ignorance of a certain line of most active activity on the part of Attorney E. H. Bottom in recent weeks.

This is a thrifty age. It is the capitalistic age of looking out for Number One, even though public sentiment is such that there must be a show made of personal disinterestedness.

All those great money-making privileges referred to above were granted to the corporation vultures FOR NOTHING—so far as the city is concerned! What the aldermen, or others got, we shall probably never know.

The Denver Municipal Traction company offers to pay the city using its streets Five per cent. of its gross receipts the first ten years. Eight per cent. of its gross receipts the next five years. Ten per cent. of its gross receipts the last five years.

It offers to sell its entire system to the city at the expiration of ten years, or fifteen years, or twenty years, for the cost of the plant, plus 10 per cent.

Becker must have been troubled with true capitalistic absent-mindedness when he made out his schedule of campaign expenses. How about that little item of a thousand dollars for a certain congregation, which could help to throw the election!

trusted, and the inspector of inspectors job was promptly handed out to another favorite of the circle.

Knowing what kind of a product young Becker is, it is no surprise that he has taken up Mayor Rose's suggestion for a street repair department which will require the outside wards to pay the price of keeping the down-town streets in good condition.

The present system of taking care of the streets would do the work all right if it wasn't for boodle and crooked contractors. Those big holes in the asphalt pavement on Grand avenue and Wisconsin street represent portions where the dishonest foundation of the pavement gave way under the strain of travel.

A brick pavement was laid on Sixth street some months ago. A Social-Democratic alderman stood looking at the work of laying the foundation and he saw that the men were putting in less cement than they were supposed to.

A. H. Floaten to Speak. The principal speaker at the big Moyer-Haywood protest meeting will be Comrade A. H. Floaten of Telluride, Colorado, who cancelled a date in Iowa on his way back to Colorado from the national executive board meeting in Chicago, in order to speak here.

It also agrees to pay, in addition to this, all of its state, city and county taxes. It offers to sell its entire system to the city at the expiration of ten years, or fifteen years, or twenty years, for the cost of the plant, plus 10 per cent.

AT THE THEATERS.

DAVIDSON. "The Clansman," Thomas Dixon, Jr.'s, intensely interesting play of the reconstruction period, will play an engagement in Milwaukee at the Davidson theater beginning Sunday April 29.

BIJOU THEATER. "The Burglar's Daughter," the new play by Owen Davis, will open at the Bijou tomorrow afternoon and all the week.

this enormous production is a race across a trestled bridge, one of the largest and most thrilling scenic effects ever produced.



Adelaide Dane, The Burglar's Daughter effects ever produced. The company is a large one and all the parts are in the hands of competent persons.

STAR THEATER.

The "Merrymakers," which opens Sunday afternoon at the Star, is a show that can pass muster with any troupe of its kind on the stage today. The "Merrymakers" originals containing excellent and original specialties has two rip roaring burlesques, namely: "Running for Mayor" and "The Mayor's Vacation."

ALHAMBRA THEATER. "The Sleeping Beauty and the Beast," will make its appearance at the Alhambra tomorrow matinee for a week's engagement.



Isabelle Underwood, Prima Donna in The Sleeping Beauty and the Beast whole week of entertainment of the character that the Royal theater, Drury Lane, London, offers.

CRYSTAL THEATER. Herbert Chesley and company head a big bill at the Crystal theater next week. Every act will be a star act and an especially attractive set of motion pictures will be shown.

Get The Date Fixed In Your Mind DON'T FORGET SUNDAY, JULY 15th, 1906

DAVIDSON Four Nights Beginning Sunday—Matinee Wednesday George H. Brennan presents THE CLANSMAN By THOMAS DIXON, Jr. Prices: Nights 25c to \$1.50 Mat. 25c to \$1.00 SEATS SELLING

WELL! WELL! WELL! Are You Going to the FIFTH GRAND May Ball given by the Junior International Association of Machinists SOUTH SIDE ARMORY HALL, SATURDAY, MAY 5, 1906. Admission 25 Cents. At the Door 50 Cents.

General Labor Notes. The Sydney (Australia) Labor Council has sent out a letter warning intending immigrants to Australia to remain away, as industrial conditions are anything but good.

POVERTY By ROBERT MUNTZ. An aid to Socialist workers, this book has no superior. It is brimful from cover to cover with facts gathered at first hand by the author, vividly setting forth the condition of the poor in our great industrial centers.

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MONSTER MASS MEETING! Under the auspices of the Social-Democratic Party, to protest against the persecution of MOYER, HAYWOOD and PETTIBONE Officers of the Western Federation of Miners, now in prison in Idaho, at the Freie Gemeinde Hall THURSDAY EVENING MAY 3, AT 8 P. M.

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