

What Will 999 Years Mean to the Human Race?

THE street railway company in the Borough of Brooklyn has just executed some leases to endure 999 years. Leases of property have also been made for the same period, though, of course, a lease of 999 years will be about as binding 999 years from now as would a lease of the great pyramid executed the day after it was finished, if such a lease should be presented to the Egyptian government.

These preposterous leases are interesting because they bring vividly before the human mind the certainty of wonderful and splendid changes in human affairs.

The street railroad leases are especially fascinating to the imaginative mind.

They deal with present conditions and will seem inconceivably primitive hundreds of years before the leases will have ended.

These leases deal with miserable little electric cars crawling slowly over the face of the earth, at either end an underpaid, overworked man, and in the middle a crowd of poor, dissatisfied, ill-housed human beings.

Nine hundred and ninety-nine years from now the human race will not by any means have accomplished its destiny. It will still be struggling on toward the goal of real civilization.

But it will have grown far beyond the savage condition of life that marks the execution of these long leases.

Before these street railroad leases expire Brooklyn and all other cities as they now exist will have disappeared from the earth.

Perfect transportation, underground, overground and through the air, will enable human beings, if they choose,

to live as far from their work as does the seagull or the eagle.

It will no longer be necessary to crowd together in miserable tenements, and homes will be scattered. Human beings undoubtedly will dwell in huge, splendidly managed structures, each in the center of its own park, far from the noise and the brutality of modern city life.

Before the leases expire the combined cities of New York and Brooklyn and Yonkers and Consey Island and Montauk Point will have grown into an enormous, hideous human aggregation of fifty million or more human beings.

Even the city of a hundred millions may be seen.

But as that huge, monstrous city will have grown, so it will have died, as the monsters of former geological epochs grew and died in their turn.

The site of the vanished great city will be covered with gardens, and children in schools will be taught that human beings who once lived in the cliffs in the Far West afterward gathered together in horrible municipal ant-hills in the East, called cities, before they learned how to live comfortably.

Before those street railroad leases expire the present temporary mania for money will have run its course.

Once every important man felt that a certain number of slaves must be murdered at his funeral. Sometimes his favorite horse was shot. In scores of millions of cases his wife was burned alive with his corpse. We have outgrown that. Nowadays the great man who dies must leave behind him an accumulation of millions, which means that thousands of men

have worked to give him what he did not need. Before these leases shall have expired that form of financial barbarism shall have ceased to exist.

It is reasonable to hope that the coming thousand years will have seen the end of industrial feudalism, which has had its birth in our day, and which will run its course as did the military feudalism of the Middle Ages.

What a marvelous picture the world will present one thousand years from now!

The earth will be adequately populated.

Science will have conquered disease almost entirely. Each woman will be the mother of two children. She will not bring five or six into the world in order that two or three may live.

Competition will be replaced by emulation. The intelligent servant of government will work as loyally and enthusiastically for his government and for the people as the boy at college now works for his college football team.

The human mind will have wandered on many leagues in its search for a satisfying religion, getting always nearer to a clear conception of the grandeur of the universe, and further away from the superstition necessary to the moral control of a brutal semi-civilization.

Human beings will have learned that the noblest thing one man can do is to work for others.

Each will gladly contribute all his talent and strength to the welfare of all.

All will gladly recognize, applaud and richly reward the special ability of the individual.

There will be no poverty. Willingness to work will insure a comfortable livelihood. Education will have developed the average human intellect far beyond our conception. Nineteen-tenths of the human race have been able to read only within the past few years. What will a thousand years of universal education do?

A Pay-Roll of Much Importance to Milwaukee

More than Two Million Dollars was paid out by The Milwaukee Electric Railway and Light Company last year to employes in the different branches of its business.

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Every live, wide-awake city places a high value on its large industries and works hard all the time to get more of them. That is the way cities are built up.

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valuable inducements to come to Milwaukee. The Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association has a standing Committee on New Industries for this purpose.

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The Friar Lands

The New York World has printed a clear and circumstantial statement by Representative Martin, of the charges relating to the sales of friar lands in the Philippines.

That the provision of the organic law of the Philippines forbidding the disposal of more than 2,500 acres of the public domain to any corporation was interpreted by Secretary Wickerson as inapplicable to friar lands, though there seems to be no fair reason why it should be inapplicable; that this was to the benefit of the sugar trust; that the character of the sale of 55,000 acres of the friar land in the San Jose estate was concealed through the use of a dummy as purchaser; that after inquiry began, resort was had to various shifts of evasion and denial; that even if Mr. Wickerson's opinion was correct, another provision of the organic law forbids the HOLDING of more than 2,500 acres of land by any agricultural corporation; that this provision is evaded by the land being in the names of individuals connected with the sugar trust—these and other charges are set forth in Mr. Martin's statement. The need of a searching and fearless investigation is evident.—Ex.

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Several years ago, in conversation with a friend who had been a successful business man, and who was deploring the corruptions of the times I suggested that possibly politics had been corrupted by business men. He at once and indignantly repudiated the suggestion. A little later on in the conversation, which had left politics and taken up business, my friend remarked:

"Business is rotten. Everybody, from the office boy up wants a rake-off or a tip."

"Ah!" I replied, "that's just what I meant a little while ago when I suggested that modern business methods are at the bottom of our political troubles."

"I guess you are right," was the reply.

The purchasing agent who takes a tip from the buyer, however, has received a black eye in a New York court. A wholesale firm sold a dry-goods store \$1,555 worth of goods. And at the same time gave the store buyer \$75 for himself. The retail merchant found this out and refused either to pay for the goods or to return them to the wholesaler. The judge declared it was a plain bribe, in violation of the penal code, and that as the wholesaler was the guilty party, the courts would not aid him to get his money or to recover the goods.—Ex.

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The surest way to remove sedition is to take away the cause thereof.—Bacon.

In every disputation, let us hope more from the lucid moments of reason, than from the weight of authority.—Cicero.

Men bear wrongs more easily than irritations.—W. S. Lander.

Custom may lead a man into many errors, but it justifies none.—Fielding.

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The Eight Hour Workday

In an important report made by Prof. Irving Fisher of Yale university, to the National Conservation Commission, and just issued by the government printing office at Washington, it is expressly and unequivocally stated that the most careful investigations show that the eight-hour day results in a higher individuality and general efficiency both as to quality and quantity of product. Prof. Fisher's testimony on this subject and the value data that he has compiled will undoubtedly prove of considerable value not only to the organized labor movement but to all sincere students of economic and sociological problems.

"The present working day," says Prof. Fisher, "is a striking example of the failure to conserve national vitality. In order to keep labor power unimpaired, the working day should be physiological—i. e., it should be such as would enable the average individual to completely recuperate over night. Otherwise, instead of a simple daily cycle, there is a progressive deterioration. A reduction in the length of the workday would be a chief means of improving the vitality of workmen, as well as the worth of life to them."

"The fatigue of the workmen is largely traceable to their long workday and serves to start a vicious circle. Fatigue puts the workman in an abnormal frame of mind. He seeks to deaden his fatigue by alcohol, tobacco exciting amusements, and excesses of various kinds. The momentary relief which he thereby obtains is purchased at the expense of an increasing susceptibility to fatigue, resulting sooner or later in complete depletion of his vital energies and in the contraction of tuberculosis or other fatal disease. THE DECREASE IN THE LENGTH OF THE WORKING DAY HAS NOT DIMINISHED THE TOTAL OUTPUT."

Prof. Fisher instances a number of cases where hours of labor have been reduced from as high as twelve to eight per day without lessening production, yet he takes the broad view of the matter and is emphatic in his declaration that it is "not a question of dollars and cents for employers, but the conservation of the vitality and strength of the nation and the race that is at stake."

"It is not maintained," asserts Prof. Fisher, "that in all cases productivity will be as great in eight hours as in nine. Cases to the contrary could also be cited. The point to be insisted upon is not that it is profitable to an employer to make the workday shorter, for often it is not, but to show that it is profitable to the nation and the race."

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Abolition of the Constitution

By Oscar Rademaker.

(Written for The Herald.)

HERE are three distinct theories of government. All countries in the present or the past have been formed and based on one of these, and, likewise, on one of these all states of the future will have to be based.

The first theory is syncretized as the "Divine Right of Kings." By this it is understood that all human rights and all regulation of them are given to the care of one man, denominated differently in the various tongues, king, czar, pasha, etc. This king was theoretically presumed to be perfect, i. e., he could do no wrong. Consequently no constitution specifying the power and rights of the king and those of the people was necessary. The king represented the people; the king represented the government; hence king, people, and government, were one and the same. It is the same idea as is incorporated in the ancient and modern mythologies and religions, namely, the "Unity of the Holy Trinity." And this idea originated with the institution of the family, in which formerly and even now the father was the head. Among the ancient civilizations the father represented the family. He had the power of life and death over his wife and child. As far as his relations to them were concerned he was thought incapable of wrong. This conception was the acme of idealism, and held full sway in a time when the imagination usurped the world of reason and scientific thought. The Babylonian, Persian, Egyptian and Macedonian empires of old were based upon this theory of government, which was revived with Caesar's birth and death and made most prominent and dominant during the medieval ages, lasting in modified form to the present here and there in the Europe and Asia of our day.

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and well-being of millions of citizens as well as conservation of forests, minerals and waterways—that they sometimes become rather discouraged at the apparent indifference with which people who have no direct connection with unions, but who would nevertheless reap benefits from the reduction in labor time, regard this humane, scientific, and civilizing movement.

When we consider the revolutionizing inventions introduced in production and distribution of wealth during the past few generations, and the fact that the burdens of labor have not been materially lightened by the transformation from old to new methods there is no ground upon which the long-hour advocates can base an argument.

The unorganized workers should become aroused, pay more heed to their interests, join hands with their fellow toilers in the unions and assist with all their might to gain more comforts for themselves, their wives and children.—Cleveland Citizen.

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cessions of the people. To some extent, according to this theory, government and people are hostile to each other, and in order to protect themselves from the government the people define the exact powers of that government. This definition is called Constitution. Daniel Webster correctly conceived that the United States constitution was in the nature of a contract between government and people, and not one made among the states, because the states had no power from the citizens to make such a contract—it would have been ULTRA VIRES. This theory is comparatively new. On it were formed the republican governments of the United States, France, and those of the minor republics.

A constitutional monarchy is a cross between government by divine right and constitutional government. Oligarchies and bureaucracies are based upon the first theory.

The third theory is epitomized Democracy. It is historically the most ancient. According to this theory government and people are one and the same. Being one, and the same there is no need of a contract or constitution to safeguard the rights and liberties of the people. A few general declarations expressing the fundamentals of democracy are amply sufficient as evidence of a common understanding thereof among the people. The Initiative, the Referendum, and the Recall are modern inventions for a modern democracy, and with the adoption of them Socialists are logical in their demand for the abolition of the constitution.

The trusts have proved that now adays a small number of capitalists have it in their power to decide how much meat and how much bread we shall eat; how much we shall spend for coal and how much for oil; how nicely or how poorly we shall be clothed and housed; what kind of furniture we are permitted to use; and in what kind of a coffin we are to be buried. They can do this by fixing the price of everything. In short, the trusts decide how well or how ill, how long or how short a time we shall live.

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Barring Socialism from Congress!

That Contest Nonsense

Milwaukee Daily News: Was ever more absurd nonsense draped in the cloth of seriousness than this talk of preventing Victor L. Berger taking his seat in the national house of representatives, because of some wild language he is charged with having used in a heated argument for his party's aims? It sounds more like the wail of a disappointed office seeker, the cry of a poor loser, than like serious talk.

Mr. Berger, who after years of hard work for his party is honored by that party and by many voters of other parties who did not feel that they could give their votes to his principal opponent, will be seated in the next congress as he should be. It is the will of the people of his district, expressed in conformity with law and it will take more material charges than those being paraded before the public to unseat him.

This talk is—just talk. And it comes with extremely bad grace from a defeated candidate. Especially from a candidate who has delivered so many preachments on the will of the people. The famous slogan of that candidate during the recent campaign, "Shall the people rule," is by such talk set aside, and substituted therefor is another one, "The people shall rule—when they agree with me."

It is doubtful if anyone has taken this matter seriously, outside the small circle composed of the defeated candidate and his immediate friends. Nor does it deserve to be so taken.

The American people get excited and tear around some during a campaign, but generally they are good losers, and bear their losses with the same good-natured smile that they take their victories. And they admire a loser who smiles as they do a victor who cheers.

So let us have an end of talk about unseating one fairly elected.

Barring Berger

Milwaukee Journal: The fatuity of the suggestion that the house of representatives may be called upon to unseat Mr. Berger, because of his utterances and the utterances of Socialist campaign speakers, should be apparent even to the embittered Republican and Democratic partisans who have seen the offices in Milwaukee slip from their grasp. It is still true that "the blood of the martyr is the seed of the church."

Mr. Cochran, the defeated Republican aspirant for the office, adds nothing to his prestige by his labored efforts to prove that Mr. Berger is disqualified from sitting in the house of representatives because he has questioned the beneficence of the federal constitution, though not in language more incendiary than that employed

by the early Republicans who denounced it as "a league with hell and a covenant with the devil."

Mr. Berger's insistence that an unarmed Socialist majority will be unable to revolutionize our social and industrial institutions in face of an armed opposition is a statement that every man who has any property will acquiesce in. We have no idea whatever that those Americans whose fathers redeemed the wilderness and who now own the bulk of the property of the United States would willingly retire from the possession thereof in favor of the propertyless millions that yearly invade our shores, even if the request should come in the form of a majority vote. Mr. Berger is right. There will be no "dividing up." The swollen fortune may be diminished by process of taxation, but the bulk of the citizens who live in comfortable homes which they own, who possess farms, and who constitute the so-called middle class, which includes most of the Bourgeois Socialist leaders, even though they insist that they are Proletarians, are not going to abdicate.

Mr. Berger, we dare say, has not been more incendiary than Thomas Jefferson was in insisting upon the right of the people to bear arms. It is a right guaranteed by the constitution. It was deemed one of the first essentials to the permanence of free institutions that the right to bear arms should not be denied and that the right of free speech should not be abridged.

There is a great deal of emphasis placed upon our institutions by exuberant patriots who apparently know nothing whatsoever of their genesis. The American republic was conceived and brought forth in revolution. Its founders were revolutionists. The idea that a man should be barred from congress because he approved the battle hymn of the French revolution would have found little sympathy with the early Democrats, who not only sang it themselves, but who sympathized with their French compatriots.

The house of representatives is a judge of the qualifications of its own members. It can unseat or bar a member on any ground whatsoever. Yet we do not look to a Democratic house to unseat Mr. Berger. For whatever blunders the Democrat may be capable of committing, they have ever stood for the rights of the individual, even to being misunderstood, as against the forces of centralization and "strong government." This was shown when the Democrats in congress, following McKinley's death, refused to be stampeded into the proposal to make the person of the executive sacred. To the ultra-conservative they were in league with anarchy and assassination, but to the

sober-minded citizen they stood as the conservers of the democratic ideal of equality before the law.

Mr. Berger will secure his seat in the house of representatives. The same spirit that placed in the constitution the bill of rights, which guarantees to him the right of speaking and writing his thoughts freely, which even gives a muzzled German Socialist, who dares not criticize a German lieutenant lest he should be disemboweled or cast into prison, the privilege of coming here and denouncing the United States as a land where liberty has no existence, will permit him to retain his seat in the American congress. That is democracy.

In this short time the comrades in that town have done some excellent work, as is shown by their vote. The election returns showed 49 Social-Democratic votes out of a total of 110. Two years ago the Social-Democratic party received 30 votes out of a total of 110.

No. 8028. Social-Democratic Herald.

SHERIFF'S SALE
STATE OF WISCONSIN, CIRCUIT COURT, Milwaukee County.
JACOB BURCKHARDT, Plaintiff.
WILLIAM BURMEISTER, Defendant.
SALVE OF REALTY ON EXECUTION.

By virtue of a writ returnable out of and under the seal of the Circuit Court in and for Milwaukee County and State of Wisconsin, upon a judgment rendered and docketed in said Court on the sixteenth day of November A. D. 1895, in an action wherein Jacob Burckhardt is plaintiff and William Burmeister is defendant in favor of said plaintiff, and against said defendant for the sum of six hundred fifty and 27/100 (\$650.57) dollars, which execution is directed to me as sheriff of said county of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, I have levied upon all the estate, right, title, and interest of the said defendant William Burmeister in and to the following described real property, to-wit:—

An undivided one-tenth (1/10) of the following real estate:

That certain piece of land in the East one-half (E. 1/2) of the Northwest one-quarter (N. W. 1/4) of the section numbered Four (4), in Town numbered Seven (7) North of Range numbered Twenty-two (22) East, in Milwaukee County, Wisconsin, described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at a point in the East line of the East one-half (E. 1/2) and One Thousand and Eleven and 75/100 (1011.75) feet South of the Northeast corner of the said East one-half (E. 1/2) of said one-quarter (1/4) section, thence West Six Hundred Fifty-one and 9/100 (651.09) feet to the South Corner of the said East one-half (E. 1/2) section, thence South Three Hundred Thirty-seven and 25/100 (337.25) feet; thence East Six Hundred Fifty-one and 9/100 (651.09) feet to the Northeast corner of said East one-half (E. 1/2); thence North Hundred Thirty-seven and 25/100 (137.25) feet to the place of beginning, containing Five and 4/100 (5.04) acres more or less.

Also the following described land in the East one-half (E. 1/2) of the Northwest one-quarter (N. W. 1/4) of said section, numbered Four (4), in the same town and range as the above, described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at a point in the East line of the said East one-half (E. 1/2), Six Hundred Seventy-four and 50/100 (674.50) feet north of a monument at the Southeast corner of said East one-half (E. 1/2); thence North Six Hundred Seventy-four and 50/100 (674.50) feet; thence West Six Hundred Fifty-one and 9/100 (651.09) feet; thence South Six Hundred Seventy-four and 50/100 (674.50) feet; thence East Six Hundred and Fifty-one and 9/100 (651.09) feet to the place of beginning, containing Ten and 4/100 (10.08) acres more or less.

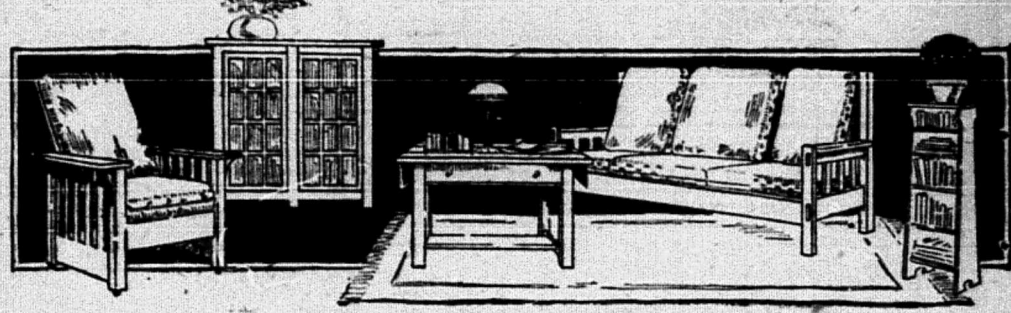
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The above sale is hereby adjourned to Monday, the first day of November, 1910, at the same hour and place as above named.

Dated, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, October 21st, 1910.
H. E. FRANKIE, Sheriff.

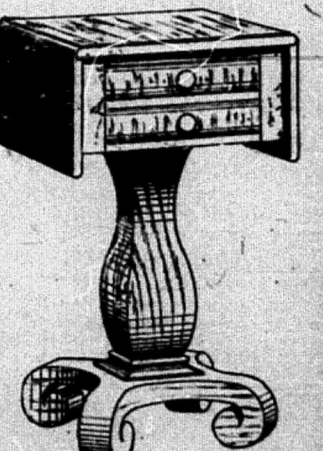
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We are receiving the most encouraging news from all over the state. From every town comes news of great Social-Democratic gains. The state movement has taken a new start and from now on we must look for great things in Wisconsin, even outside of Milwaukee.

STEVENS POINT.—144 votes for Jacobs were cast in Portage county. Two years ago we had only 50 votes there. This shows the good work which has been done in that county.

NEENAH.—The comrades of Neenah started on their campaign as soon as the polls closed. They sent in eight subscribers to the Social-Democratic Herald and an addition to the campaign fund. They also promise another list of subscribers

LA CROSSE.—Comrades of La Crosse are spreading their organization. They are organizing a branch in North La Crosse. Thus the organization is growing splendidly in that city.

WAUKESHA. Waukesha comrades are also among those who wish to start next campaign at the closing of the polls. Comrade Voigt writes that they want to devise a method of systematic work by which they will double and even treble their vote two years hence. They are enthusiastic for organization work and their enthusiasm will take solid form in the near future.

ORANGE.—The Orange branch was organized only last August. But

omatic candidate for governor did not receive one vote in Orange. That is going some!

FORT ATKINSON.—Here is another newly organized branch which has done splendid work. Fort Atkinson also received its charter in August. At the recent election for Social-Democratic votes were polled in that town. Two years ago Comrade Brown received only six votes there. This is certainly a magnificent gain.

SUPERIOR.—The Social-Democratic vote in Superior shows no gain over the vote in 1908. But since the Republican and Democratic vote dropped off considerably, the relative gain of our vote is encouraging.

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MILWAUKEE COUNTY—COUNTY COURT —In Probate. STATE OF WISCONSIN, MILWAUKEE COUNTY

On this 15th day of October, A. D. 1910, upon reading and filing the petition of Alfred Redlich...

It is further ordered that notice of said application and hearing be given by publishing a copy of this order for three weeks successively...

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Aurora, Ill.—After a great many years of fighting on the part of the machinists' unions...

Springfield, Mo.—The members of the Painters' union No. 375, railway equipment painters...

Lancaster, N. Y.—The members of the Iron Molders' union, working in the Magnus Metal company's foundry...

Muscatine, Ia.—This city boasts of the fact that every cigar that is made within its limits is made by a union cigar maker...

Louisville, Ky.—Passenger trainmen on the Louisville & Nashville railroad system recently completed negotiations whereby they received an increase in wages ranging from 7 1/2 to 10 per cent.

Orange, N. J.—A two-year agreement recently entered into between the printers and employers of this city carries with it an increase in wages of 15 per cent for all book and job men...

Camden, N. J.—The shortest trolley ride on record was recently won by the conductors and motormen of the Riverside Traction company...

Boston, Mass.—The members of Iron Molders' unions Nos. 106 and 98 recently secured an increase in wages to the extent of 25 cents per day...

Federated Trades Council. Regular meeting, Nov. 16, 1910. Bro. E. H. Basenberg in the chair; Bro. John Brophy, vice chairman.

Growth and Progress of Trades Unions United Textile Workers of America The United Textile Workers of America was organized in 1901 in Washington, D. C.

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known to us as politicians and ward heelers. Respectfully submitted, Joint Local Executive Board of the International Union of Brewery Workmen.

The board reported a communication from the Upholsterers, which was held over to the next meeting of the board.

A letter was read and filed from the striking cigarmakers of Tampa, Fla. A letter from Millwrights No. 1519 was received and the board reported that it would meet both parties to the question at its meeting, Sunday, Dec. 4.

The Musicians' union gave notice that the following theaters do not employ union musicians: Orpheum, Grand avenue; Vaudeville, Third street, near Grand avenue; Park, Mitchell street; Olympia, Walnut street, near Seventh.

Eagle, Twelfth street, near Galena. A letter from the Garment Workers was referred to the Label section. The board recommended that unions liberally patronize the Christmas stamps of the Wisconsin Anti-Tuberculosis association.

RECEIPTS FOR EVENING Iron Molders, 121 \$0.65 Carpenters, 181392 Glove Cutters, 37 1.50 Carpenters, 1748 4.29 Building Laborers, 113 19.20 Social-Democratic Publishing Co., interest 10.00 Carpenters, 1083 3.51 Labor Day tickets from John Reichert 38.50 Photo Engravers, 19 3.96 Cigarmakers, 25 9.90

DISBURSEMENTS F. J. Weber, matches \$0.10 F. J. Weber, scrubbing 5.00 F. J. Weber, salary 37.50 F. J. Weber, long distance telephone 1.00 Executive board, meeting Nov. 13 3.25 W. S. Fisher, scribe 10.00 J. Reichert, postage80 Campaign comm. 13.00

The delegate of the Photo Engravers was obligated, the union's arrangement having been paid. There being no further business, the council thereupon adjourned.

Little Rock, Ark.—J. C. Werlick, a machinist on strike from the Missouri Pacific and Iron Mountain railway, was shot on Saturday night by strike breakers.

Socialist Killed by Strike Breaker Werlick was a member of the Machinists' union, and a member of Argentine Socialist local. He was on picket duty at Fourth and Maple streets, Argentine, when some of the strike breakers hove in sight, the breaker shot spoke to them, which led to a quarrel and one of the strike breaker, shot Werlick through the abdomen.

At present the organization has an active membership of 108,000, 30,000 of whom are in yard service, and with one exception is represented on every line of road in the United States and Canada.

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STATE OF WISCONSIN — CIRCUIT COURT — MILWAUKEE COUNTY. THOMAS E. BROWN, Plaintiff, vs. CLARA BROWN, Defendant.

You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above-entitled action in the court aforesaid; and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint; a copy of which is herewith served upon you.

W. M. J. MORGAN, Plaintiff's Attorney. P. O. address:—6 Metropolitan Bldg., 299 Third street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

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STATE OF WISCONSIN, COUNTY OF MILWAUKEE. In the matter of the last Will and Testament of Auguste Reibau, deceased.

On this 15th day of October, 1910, upon reading and filing the verified petition of Auguste Reibau, heretofore appointed, qualified and acting executor of the last will and testament of Auguste Reibau, deceased, in the above entitled matter in this court...

Now therefore, upon the said petition, upon all the records, files and proceedings in the above entitled matter and upon motion of Widule & Mensing, attorneys for petitioner, it is ordered that said petition be heard before this court at a regular term thereof, to be held at the court house in the city of Milwaukee, in said county, on the first Tuesday of December, 1910, 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.

By the Court: JOHN C. KAREL, County Judge. WIDULE & MENSING, Attorneys. A Metropolitan Block.

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The Polish section, S.-D. P., has arranged for an entertainment and ball to be held at the South Side Turner hall, Saturday evening, Nov. 26, 1910. Admission, 25 cents. Entertainment commences at 7:30 p. m. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

The Danish section, S.-D. P., has arranged for a grand ball, to be held at the South Side Turner hall, on National avenue. Tickets 25 cents, at the door, 50 cents. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

Comrade Oscar Ameringer who recently was one of the speakers in the campaign just closed, has been secured for a series of lectures for the month of January. The branches of Milwaukee county are urgently requested to at once get busy and arrange for lectures in their respective organizations, and report to Comrade E. T. Melms, county organizer, just as soon as the halls have been secured. In this way we will try and map out the plans which will route Com-

Opening of Our New Store

From the Old to the New. Since July 15th we have been doing business in the old building on the corner of Third and Garfield ave. with some inconvenience to our friends and customers as well as ourselves. We are pleased to announce our moving troubles are over, and we are comfortably housed in our new store, 767 Third street.

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It is a dead give-away that it is just Charles Mullen, the superintendent of pavements, who is singled out for the suit against the one man commissioner of public works department.

Paving grafters naturally would like to get him out of the way.

The suit ought to be of great interest to Milwaukeeans, who have been paying taxes for rotten pavements in past years.

The character of the Grand avenue dentist in whose name the suit is brought, cuts no figure. The interesting thing to be found out, if possible, is what contractors are back of the suit. The public should lose no opportunity to establish the identity of the real plaintiffs in the case.

Dan Hoan, the city attorney, is not much disturbed about it. The reply he made to the newspapers is significant of the man.

"I can't outline the city's defense, nor do I intend to fight it out in the newspapers. When the case comes up I'll be in court."

This reminds one of the answer he gave to the contractors when they intimated that a friendly suit ought to be brought to determine the legality of the one man board.

"The time for friendly suits is over. If a suit is brought I'll take off my coat and we will fight the suit as every suit is fought."

No Drones Wanted

Health Commissioner Kraft is of the opinion that assistant health commissioners ought to be of assistance to the health commissioner. That was the reason he asked for the resignations of Drs. Hackett, Coffey and Patek.

While Drs. Darling and Kellogg, the other two assistants, have had weekly consultations with Dr. Kraft concerning the sanitary needs of the city, Drs. Hackett, Coffey and Patek have found it necessary to make just one call on the commissioner since he has been in office.

Furthermore, while Dr. Kellogg has made sixty investigations for the health department, and Dr. Darling seventeen, Drs. Hackett and Coffey made seven and Dr. Patek none. Dr. Patek has not made an investigation in two months, although on the city pay roll for \$50 a month.

Health Commissioner Kraft has asked for and received the resignations of Drs. Hackett, Coffey and Patek as assistant health commissioners, "for the good of the service." As these men were members of a Milwaukee County Medical association that had the execrable taste to pass resolutions condemning the appointment of Dr. Kraft, the surprise is only that they waited to be removed instead of themselves at once resigning as assistants to the doctor their association sought to publicly disgrace. Having by this act of professional pettiness sought to gratuitously discredit and injure the Social-Democratic administration, they were willing, it appears, to continue to draw pay from the treasury under that administration.

The Free Press expresses scarcely a surprise that their resignations were asked for. Evidently it would like to see the health commissioner try to administer his important department with the help of men who had tried to publicly injure him, instead of with a force that could work in harmony. Nor does it give the doctor credit for affording the three men ample opportunity to quietly resign.

Although Dr. Kraft's action was guided solely by the fact that the doctors in question were not doing any work, the Social-Democratic administration can probably get along without men in its midst who have shown themselves ready, through a medical association, to stab it in the back. The "Principles of Medical Ethics" of the American Medical Association evidently needs some additional rules of conduct.

That professional jealousy was back of the association's action is shown by the fact that there is no law that even requires that a health commissioner shall be a medical man. Dr. Kraft is, however, not only a medical man in regular standing, but he gave up a \$6,000 a year practice to take a \$2,500 a year salary from the city. Dr. Kraft will doubtless be able to surround himself with a loyal staff, for there are plenty of doctors in Milwaukee, goodness knows, and even in the county association.

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Tuesday, Nov. 22, 8 p. m., the date set for the next meeting of the special committee investigating the civil service. It is set for the evening so that those who are at work during the day may have the opportunity to bring any grievances before the committee.

The experiences our heads of departments have had with the civil service commission have not been the pleasantest. Instead of the civil service being the means to procure the best available talent, in practice it seems to be a comb by which the efficient are barred.

At the committee meeting last Monday some flagrant violations of the civil service by the commission itself were brought to light. Charges were made that men who never took examinations were appointed to various positions.

Ald. Aldridge and Sultaire presented a signed statement charging the civil service commission with violating the regulations by allowing the engineer of the pumping station to appoint without examination two young machinists who had just served their time, whereas the rules demand a journeyman of at least two years experience, and call for advertising and examination.

Who Tricked the Liquor Dealers?

At the Federated Trades council meeting Wednesday evening resolutions were presented by the United Brewery Workers' unions denouncing the action of the Retail Liquor Dealers in the campaign against the Social-Democratic party as demagogical and unforgivable. The resolutions, which were unanimously carried, will be found on page 6 of this issue. Labor is up in arms and is investigating to see who deserve patronage and who do not. In this connection it comes to us pretty straight that the action of the liquor dealers association—which has almost split that organization in half—was planned by virtually three men. These three were, it is said, John Koerner, Reichenbach and a south side man. They met in Reichenbach's saloon near Third and State streets, and laid their tricky plans.

In the discussion at the trades council it was hinted that the object of the Koerners and Reichenbachs was to keep Socialist representatives out of the legislature, so as to pass a law for a \$1,000 license. Such a license would drive out the little fellows and give the down-town saloonists a monopoly of the business.

Local Labor News

Joseph Gressler, member of United Lodge No. 66, has been elected business agent of District No. 10, International Association of Machinists. Joe is a good fellow and here's luck on his way.

Al. Walters, business agent of the Steamfitters, will leave for St. Louis in a few days, where he will attend the Building Trades' council convention as delegate of the National Steamfitters' union.

An annual hall has been arranged by the Plumbers' Local union No. 75, for Thanksgiving evening, Nov. 23, at the West Side Turner hall, and a good time is assured. The music will be by Ward.

Venison Lunch for Thanksgiving.
Don't miss the deer lunch that will be served Thanksgiving by Lorenz Ohlsen, at 305 Logan avenue. He shot the deer himself up at Ogema, Wis., and will be glad to have his friends help eat it.

Bristow Lecture
United States Senator J. L. Bristow of Kansas, will lecture in Plymouth church Monday, night on current topics.

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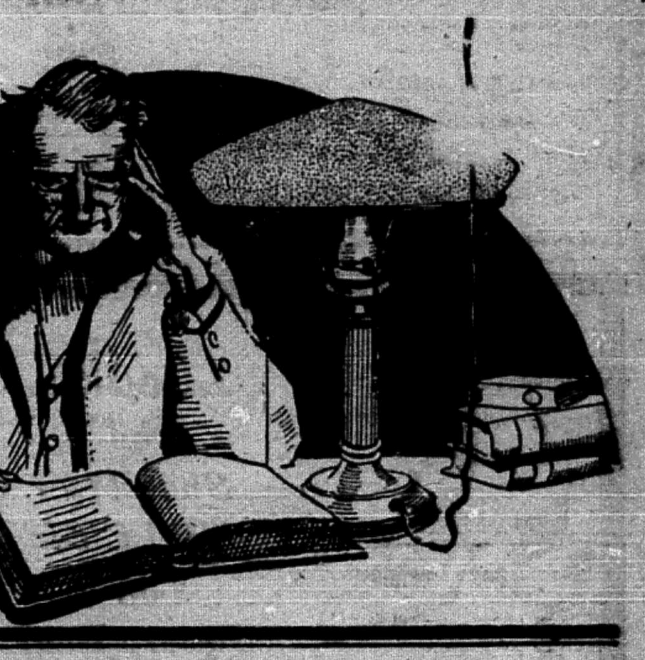
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"So spoke Dr. Albert Suedekum, Socialist member of the German reichstag, and one of the most distinguished of sociologists."

At an informal gathering of the various city officials and other well-known Socialists, in the mayor's office, Dr. Suedekum spoke entertainingly of social conditions in Germany. "It is a great error to suppose that there is no democracy in Germany," he said. "In spite of what is perhaps the most reactionary constitution, public opinion has become such a power that the government is confined to certain well defined limits. The constitution may be freely criticized, a republic openly advocated, kingship denounced without incurring anything like the antagonism which

you Socialists invite here by criticizing your reactionary constitution. To be sure, we have less majesty, but this simply consists in a personal libel or slander of the king."

He stated that there was more interest shown in municipal affairs in Germany than even in England, although it seems, he says, that the English make more fuss about what they do."

"It is the Socialists who are the propelling power in municipal reform in Germany. We have some 7,000 councilors (i. e., officials of about the rank of alderman or supervisor here) who are members of the Social-Democratic party. Though in numbers these are about one-third of the total membership of the various local government boards, the influence they wield is about two-thirds, because they are sincere, earnest workers. They make up in zeal and knowledge what they lack in numbers and the

other parties continually allow them to shoulder the responsibility."

As an example of how the system of determining representation in proportion to property ownership works out, he cited one ward in the city of Berlin. In this ward 17 persons of the first class are entitled to as many votes as 22,400 persons in the third class.

Dr. Suedekum is a pleasant-faced, middle-aged man. He has a remarkable command of the English language. He left Wednesday afternoon for Madison, where he is to lecture before the university. From there he will travel in other states, studying social conditions and lecturing before various universities.

The doctor has, however, promised to deliver a lecture in Milwaukee on the Communal Year Book, of which he is the compiler, and which is the standard work on municipal research in Germany. The date is set for the early part of December, and beyond a doubt the lecture will be a rare intellectual treat which no one can afford to miss.

Town Topics by the Town Crier

The official count gives the Social-Democrats 39,84 in the state.

A reader sends this: "Rah! Kah!! Rah!!! Who are we? Rag Baby Heisler and McGee. Skiddoo!! Skiddeeeeeee!"

That Cochems bubble about excluding Berger from congress burst very quickly of its own impurity. The wily Hank has kept at it until he has thoroughly unmasked.

That was a generous act of President Underwood to give Wanwataosa an athletic field, and a model farm. For a public benefaction from a private individual, we must give him credit for the uses to which he has dedicated his philanthropic gift. As long as we have an unhealthy society which divides the people into the rich and the poor, we must accept with some gratitude the well meant gifts of the men who are in possession, so long as the donor is not a blood-stained Carnegie or an oily rascal like Rockefeller. In time the community will provide its own benefactions, so to speak, and in Milwaukee county this is well on its way. But Mr. Underwood's gifts seem to be given from a very decent and impersonal motive.

and the directions he has selected are certainly fine.

A bunch of United Quacks have fastened themselves upon Milwaukee and are preying upon the people who imagine they are saving doctor bills by falling into such charlatan hands. The Socialists will have to do something to rid the city of this species of parasite upon the working people—but we do not forget that it is not the vote of the doctors in the recent election that encourages the administration to this line of endeavor.

We have been speculating a bit on the probable identity of those two

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prominent? Democrats that the Free Press said were back of the plan to keep Victor Berger out of congress for his radical utterance and his woeeful bullet-balloo article. How would this guess be for one of these patriotic and pure-intentioned Democrats: Con Corcoran? Or, maybe, our friend Slippery Joe Carney? And for the other, how about that parasitic coffee cooler in the ranks of old party job hunters, one C. P. Merriam? Merriam at one time tried to ride the populist wave, but soon snuggled down into the virtuous bosom of Dave Rose. By thrift as a self-booster and an alleged army man he managed to get a job on the Soldiers' Relief commission, and later must have convinced Sheriff Franke that he—Merriam—was the fellow who elevated him sheriff. Don't laugh now, he must have given some cause for preference!

Actually, we do not believe Democrats were mixed up in Cochems' fustian attack on Berger. It sounded very much like a case of setting up dummies to hide behind.

But speaking of the fellow, Merriam, reminds us of something that is said to have taken place on election day in a booth in the Thirteenth ward. Merriam was hanging round the booth and full of windy cuss words against the pesky Social-Democrats who had spoiled Milwaukee for him and his ilk.

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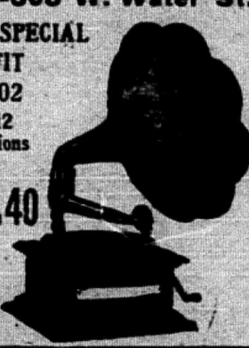
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