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# WAB'S SLAVES The \$5,000 Special Call Fund WESTERN FIREMEN AGE GOOD FIGHT

Strikers Determined onize Steel King's Plant Despite His Boasts.

IS PRACTICALLY LYING IDLE

Few Men Are Found Willing to Scab and They Are No Good at Real Labor.

> By S. A. STODELL (Special to The Call.)

OUTH BETHLEHEM. Pa., March -Charlie Schwab's Bethlehem mills have a capacity for employ over ten thousand wage-slaves, out which they manage to kill three

has made numerous stateof late respecting the stand striking employes have taken. time since he very bombastically the statement that he "owned controlled the lives of human beas though they were cattle."

"cattle" have turned upon the and now demand human conration. The workers in his mills. thousand in number, have struck to the astonishment of Schwab acity to organize and make de-d upon him that he pay them the rate as most other employers have want to be paid time and a for overtime and Sunday work, to have the right to organize; to stain the standard of living: to ent its lowering now, and, when and higher. To this Schwais

ired of Investigation by Schwab.

He denies to the men the right to anize, saying. "If they have a warre they can come to me and I investigate into its merits." have got tired of his investigas and want action instead. ce the strike, and Rethlehem

been in the grip of the "Black acks," the state constabulary of 

t came about as follows: The M. F. Fackert, Jersey City... mcks corraled the horses of a Employes of A. H. Rosenof delivery wagons a couple days ago, while the drivers were the Cossacks dismounted from his to follow a striker who had faces at him and an officer who ed along arrested the horse; he Cossack got angry, whereat policeman told him to shut up or

Early this morning Sergeant Smith Cossacks, with six others, se to arrest a young boy, John Hert of South Bethlehem. refused admittance they broke the front door and two interdoor of the room in which the was they got scared when he satened to shoot if they entered.

## oke of Plant Covers Idleness.

Later on I made my way through e plant. All of the big stacks were slehing forth smoke and steam, and sea a distance it looked real busy. but what a change when I got at hand. Instead of making they were merely making fires y tracks there was a gang of carrying steel billets from one to another, back and forth. There B. or about 20 per cent of the lar complement. I spoke with the keeper of the new mill and he tited that he was keeping time on than 400 men at work. One of draughtsmen said. There are a of men in here, but Christ only my what the h—l good they are can't make steel."

out of the shops were deserted

what men there were, were kept complications places so that the less could see them at work from hills aurrounding the plant.

Manager Throws Big Bluff.

terviewed the assistant general-ager, J. D. Hagenbach, in order to a statement from him as to the foun of the company. It was evi-from the start that he was goesent the company's side as

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Tou see," said he, "we never had by organized class in the works and

# The friends of The Call will be pleased to learn that the total

amount pledged toward the special fund of \$5,000 has now reached the sum of \$4,232. This means that as soon as the balance of \$768 is raised The Call will be in a position to make the necessary arrangements for the disposition of this fund of \$5,000. It means that the wages of the employes will be paid regularly. It means that the time of those employed to look after the business of the paper will be devoted to the work of increasing the circulation, securing new advertisers, and not toward borrowing money or calming pressing creditors

Small as the amount still required is, it must be raised, and unless the full \$5,000 is pledged for immediate payment, the committee cannot and will not use one cent of the money entrusted to its care for this special fund. All those who have not as yet contributed toward this fund-and there are quite a number of our friends whose names are not yet in the list-should now come forward with their

The prospects to place the paper on a sound financial basis were never brighter than they are at present. The \$600 weekly pledge fund is absolutely completed. It only remains to complete this special fund of \$5,000 and the columns of the paper will be free from any further appeals for funds. The Comrades will be able to devote all their time towards helping the management in the work of building up the business and improving the news and editorial departiators to arrive. The railroads are ments of the paper, so that the Comrades could point with pride to shines. The Call as the best paper in the English language.

Do not delay. Send in your donation to our Treasurer, Mr. Samuel Heller, 68 Nassau street.

The following additional contributions towards the special \$5,000 fund have been received by the treasurer of the special financial committee:\*

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Paul Kupfer, city .....

Julius Hirsch, city ...... Laborers' Union ...... Inderelst, Mystic.

## Says His Union Will Stand for No Dilly Dallying.

CHICAGO, March 16 .- "If Commissioners Knapp and Neill hope to the Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen, employed on forty-nine Western railroads, they will have to act tomorrow."

This was made clear this afternoon when President Carter, of the Brotherhood, declared his organization street and Madison avenue. would "not stand for any dilly dally-

"It will be pretty difficult for the firemen to tell Messrs. Knapp and Nelll to hurry things along, but we will make it clear to them by our actions that that is what we want.'

"One thing is certain, that when stand for a lot of dilly dallying and give the railroads a chance to bolster up their fortifications. Our men on the road are getting nervous and we want something done soon. They are urging us hourly to do something."

## Will Insist Upon Rights.

"The firemen are just as anxious a not propose to give away our rights We will not concede a single point unless the railroads do." Carter was asked if he could not

announce the date when a strike would be called should arbitration fail and he was advised that it had been reported that next Monday had

been decided upon.

"You can guess all you want." he said. "but we have no intention of giving out the date of the strike should one be called. As a matter of fact, the question when to call a trike should specified the should specified the said of the strike should specified the said the s strike should arbitration fall has no been decided on."
Opposition to the disciplinary and

seniority demands of the Brotherhood

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# CHOATE ATTACKS

## Denounces It Not Because It Has Failed in Its Purpose, but Because Corporations Don't Like It.

ALBANY, March 16 .- Joseph M Total to date ...... \$4,232.00 Choate made the principal argument against the public service law amendments, as proposed by the first and second district commissions them selves, before the Assembly Railroad Committee to-day. Choate insisted that the first district commission should not be permitted to go on ignoring the courts, interpreting or mis-interpreting the constitutional rights of corporations as it seems fit and practically running the cit yof New

Choate said he did not come to Albany to oppose any sane legislation aimed at the railroads, but that he did object strenuously, and that the erally, objected, to the attempt of the sion to get a little corner on the carth a high-handed, mean, maliclous and illegal monopoly of all the traction interests. Choate appeared for Receiver Whitridge, of the Third avenue and other lines in Manhattan

Choate said he was not opposed t proper legislation for the railroads, but he objected to any attempt of the into the private affairs of the big com panies over which they would rule wit han iron hand, and conduct their nanagerial interests as they saw fit. Choate insisted the First District commissioners acted like a body of chool masters, which demanded the right to boss and interfere in the mos remote details of business with which they were entirely ignorant. He op-poed such interference, he said, first because of the principal of the thing. and secondly be cause it was an absen legislature in creating the commis-sions, and also against the spirit of

Charles A. Collin. representing the Rapid Transit and the Eric

## SAYS SOCIALISM IS WANT NO DELAY FOREIGN TO AMERICA

## President Carter of The Brotherhood Rev. Duffy, in Lecture, Attacks Workman's Philosophy in Old Cutand Dried Manner.

thoseold-fashioned attacks last night avert a strike of 27,000 members of by the Rev. Francis F. Duffy. All the stale "arguments" about bad, frail human nature, selfishness, natural inequality and others were resurrected quickly when they reach Chicago and used without mercy in his talk on "The Social Value of Christianity." under the auspices of the Catholic Church at Cathedral College, 51st

> Duffy even went so far as to say that Socialism is a foreign importation. This alone speaks for his nar-row view of the subject, for he doubt-less forgets that Christianity, of which he is a strong advocate, is ittry; in fact, it comes from the same ism of having come from.

In this twentieth century one rarely expects a professor in psychology an sociology to give expression to such weak arguments, and the crowd, of which, doubtless, 95 per cent had never read a Socialist pamphlet, ap-

Here are the professor's very words "Socialism is a foreign importation. This is proved by the fact that in Europe the Socialists over there acthe priests of being the hirelings

of the capitalist class."
"What does the Socialist party of for as a substitute for Christianity?
Materialism. They tell the sufferer
that life should be lived here on this
earth. They als may. Life is only
worth living as its pleasures exceed

its pains."
The Socialist progra mdepends on good character, self-sacrifice, and equality. Men will always be unequal is a good deal of selfishness in human

Duffy then attacked class consciness. Christianity, on the other hand said he, creates not a class consciousness but a social consciousness. Economic determinim was also assiled. Socialists seem to forget that man has a heart, a soul and a mind besides a stomach. How-

soul and a mind besides a stemach. However, he admitted that "economic motives, in a measure, tend to act as great motives in human activity."

"The church." said Duffy. "has always gone to the miserable, the poor, the xploited and the wretched and said, 'We have no gold or silver for you,' but always said that the day will come when the soul shall blossom forth to the region of heavenly bliss. This is not done in the spirit of class consciousness—it

udge of human souls."

Right Rev. John Edwards presided He said that rich men will doubtless not be permitted to enter heaven. "Poverty is a blessing not a curse. I stead of thorns thy reward will be a

There will be no lecture next Wednesday evening because of "Holy

A number of young Socialists were present who disposed of a large quantity of literature for the enlighten ment of the unsophisticated

## BRIDGEMEN MEET

#### Executive Board of Iron Workers Union Take Up Increased Cost of Living.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 16.— The demand for increased wages in several cities of the United States is taking board of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers in session at the American Central Life building. There is no general demand for an increase. The board is considering several im-

The board is considering several important matters and may formulate a policy before adjourning. They believe that an emplayer should replace a wrecked machine.

And they believe there should be a system of compensation by which an infured workman of the family of a dead workman wil set a stipulated amount for

vithout resorting to court action.

The executive board also will take up

plans for a closer organization and for the increase of membership. The mem-bership of the order now in the United States and Canada is about 18,000. It is believed that this number can be great-

## DRAGGED TO "WORK"

ergeant at Arms Gets Busy and Rounds Up Representatives Who Duck Their Duty.

WASHINGTON, March 16 .- Hereafter all members of the house must be in their right seats when each day's sea

in their right seats when each day a sion begins and must remain on the floor until the house adjourns.

This decision was reached by the leaders today because of the defeat of the Republicans by the Democrats and insurgents last night when the appropriation for the speaker's automobile was

tion for the speaker's automobile was stricken from the legislative bill. When the house convened today only a corporal's guard was present. Repre-sentative Dwight, the Republican whip, at once made the point of no quorum, and the call of the house was ordered. Members were dragged from their homes and offices by the sergeant-at-arms and hauled onto the floor.

# DEBS SPEAKS IN

mmense Audience Accords Hearty Welcome to Peerless Anti-Wage Slavery Agitator.

(Special to The Call.)

WASHINGTON, March 16 .- The audience which packed National Rifles Armory Hall to hear Eugene V. Debt to-night was of a character only possible of being seen in the city where the governmental life of the country

It was presided over by Prof. Wm. M. Coleman, lawyer and educator, members of Congress, officials of the various departments, government clerks and labor unionists, came to listen to the message of labor's advo-

as the fall, gaunt form of the great anti-wage slavery agitator strode to the front of the platform one was in-stantly compelled to contrast the fig-ure of the implacable and unpurchas-able foe of the robber class with the aristocracy of dollars in a large white palace a few blocks to the northward. The one, radiating from his whole being a great passion for humanity and denouncing with almost withering wrath the possessing class and their government; the other, with a large fat smile assuring the disinher-ited that all would be well with them if they would continue to slave faithfully for the masters.

## Scores the Judiciary.

When Debs made his telling points against the judiciary, many in the au-dience looked toward the sacred shrine where the nine wise owls of the nation sit in embalmed dignity as does not create discontent, instead it in-does not create discontent, instead it in-spires the miserable with hope, patience and forbearance here on this world on which life is only the beginning, and gives the hope of equality before the polices.

"Very properly is the pile of build-ings on the hill called the capitol. It clongs to capital," said the speaker, ind cheers went up that ech locks around the great building

"Nearly every department of the gation and is now under suspicion. The Supreme Court is the citedal of capitalism. The judges are not mas "Judge Caldwell is the only United

States judge who ever opened his court to the working classes. It cost \$40,000 to find out thatthe working class had no standing in the Supreme Court. 'God save this honorable court," says the clerk. It needs it.

## Senate is the House of Lords.

"The United States Senate is the real house of lords. That of England is but a precense. The people have no representation in Washington. Washmasters, the employers of wage slaves, the burdeners of child labor, the prostitutors of all that is noble in labor. The men who make their profits and pile up their millions from the sweat of unrequited workers who have been despoiled of their own and have not even left to them a voice in the government which they support which they are expected to

and for which they are expected vast crowd which filled the armory was wildly enthusiastic. At every shatt directed at the occupants of the offices up on "The Hill" the crowd applauded long and loud.

Not in years has Washington wit nessed such a demonstration as that which greeted the Socialist standard bearer. When the meeting was over the crowd lingered in the hall, in hope of getting near eaough to the speaker to at least touch his hand. It was the most remarkable meeting Washing on has known in many a day.

TAFT STARTS FOR CHICAGO. TAX AMENDMENT SIGNED.

ALBANY. March 16.—Governor dent Taft left Washington at 9:30 o'clock. this morning for Chicago, the first stop bill amending the stock transfer tax is of Appeals to make it certain that the tax shall be levied on the par value of stocks transferred.

TAPT STARTS FOR CHICAGO.

WASHINGTON, March 16.—President this morning for Chicago, the first stop on a 2:500-mile jount. Captain A. W. Butts, the President's military nide, a White House stenographer and two secret service men are traveling with the President.

Textile Workers' President five Years Work.

## MASS MEETING OF WAGE W

Halls Crowded With Eathusiastic The sands-Only Gloom is in Retall Stores.

> By JACK BREIT GEARITE. (Special to The Call.)

PHILADELPHIA, March 16. sides have settled down to a si endurance, seemingly, in the I been no diminution in the ranks the strikers and their enthu not abated a particle. The most clased citizens of Philadelphia ove situation seem to be the Market Business Men's Association, whi Business Men's Association, whice composed of a large number of re-merchants who have nothing to just now but tear their hair.

just now but tear their hair.

For this general strike is a terblow to them. They are loaded with millions of dollars' of Es finery. The street railway service badly crippled and the care the Ri Transit Company is running are all patronised. The result is that I dreds of thousands of persons out the outlying sections of the city not coming downtown to satisfy i desires for spring milliners, and a goods, and there is every the seads being left on it shelve. After this strike is on the term that the term that the strike is on the term that the te

toggery that will make the world of its eyes. Just now all those ribb and hale and gowns and whatnot only eyesores to their possessors. Padelphia is going to go without Easter bonnets this year.

To-night there wa an enthusia meeting of the Baldwin employes Labor Lyceum. The Baldwin Lyceum the Baldwin Lyceum works Company had exert arranged it. The company had the initiation fees of hundreds of employes and sent them to the asing in the belief that a vote was he taken on the question of return to work. The meeting was proppacked for action.

But that question did not con Instead speeches were made ind the general strike and they cheered to the finish. No minority to force the proposite

Kensington Labor Lyceum packed this afternoon with 3,000 and women textile workers cheered John Golden, national

After the meeting Golden, in a terview with The Call correspon said: 'This strike has enabled us to

more people with the message ganization than we could have ganisation than we could have resent in five years with an expenditure \$10,000. It means a thorough or ization of the textile workers of 2 delphia, the reflex of which will the organisation of all in Penny vania. Aleardy we have enrolled a new members and we expect as more beforethe end of the week, cation and the arousing of the workers to a realization of the neity of organizing themselves has worth any acquires that may. matter what the result of this in diate struggle may be, the wor will be victorious, for they will more strongly organized than ever

fore."

The strike situation is tense the failure yesterday of the coence between the men and Georg
Earle, Jr., and President Kruge
the traction company, to reach
plan for settling the strike. The
are first, and the company ju-

President Greenawait is in L ter at the state bandquarters Federation of Labor receiving b the vote of the various local

the vote of the various local to the call for a general throughout the state.

At midnight tonight the offer company to take all men who individually for their old position pires. The company claims to given places to twenty-two structured that small number of men become grabs. The company all ported that 200 additional make put to work yesterday, but it by the number of cars in oper an equal number of scabe inus-

## he'd lock him up along with the LIEBKNECHT ATTACKS PRUSSIAN REACTION

BERLIN. March 16. - The third reading of the Prussian franchise re-form bill in the diet today led to an outhreak of fury never before seen

ithin its precincts.

The bill, as finally amended, leaves untouched the syste magainst which the Socialists and Radicals agitated. and the reforms amount to nothing. After Dr. von Bethmann-Hellwig, ment on the question at issue by the president of the ministry, had defined speaker, himself. the government's attitude, and after others had spoken. Karl Liebknecht. Socialist, went to the tribune, and with flerce vehemence, denounced the

bartered away the rights of the peo-The Conservatives and Catholics sprang to their feet and shouted "Shame." "Insolence," and "Out with him." while others pounded on the desits. Some rushed up the tribune and shook their fists in Liebknecht's

his bell, and shouted for order, but this only increased the din. When at length partial quiet was restored, Liebknecht was called to order, but he soon set the storm going again by referring to his opponents as accompliance to his opponents as accompliance and follow-sinears in a deed of he has not standing like a colossus of great parties. Then the bulk of the vatives and Catholics dramatic ally left the house, shouting refuse to listen to further "insults."

TOM BROWNE, ARTIST, DEAD,

# SPEAKER CANNON

WASHINGTON, March 16.-Speaker Cannon was again overruled in the house this afternoon by a combina tion of insurgents and Democrats. Thir time it was done, despite herculean efforts of the regular leaders to line up votes, and despite a strong argu-

feet, moved postponement. The motion to postpone was then voted down. 153 to 131.

chair came up. Speaker Cannon arhe has not standing like a colossus of The House then proceeded to sustain the Fitzgerald motion and over-rule the speaker.

The vote on the Fitzgerald motion to overrule the speaker was 111 to 163 in favor of overrunling the speaker. This is the worst defeat

The trouble arose on an amendment to the census bill offered by Crumpacker. He wanted it considendar Wednesday, on the ground that it was privileged under the constitution. Fitzgerald appealed from the decision of the chair, who held it privileged. Crumpacker, fearing de-

Then the question of overruling the

LONDON. March 16—Tom Browne. Speaker Cannon has ever sustained at sion had the idea, apparently. the the painter and black and white arthe hands of the House. Forty-two is "a body of angels direct from tist, died today. He was born at Not-Republicans voted with the Demo-Heaven, empowered to do what it willed and none could protest."

left for parts unknown yesterday. Of course, this offer of the company to take back the strikers is utterly ridiculous, as Kruger, Reyburn and Clay know full well. The men laugh scornfully at the repeated offer to give them their old jobs again if they will be considerably.

The thing which finally forced the ike of the car men was the dis-arge of about 200 of their number harge of about 200 of their ... "the in the company's phrase, "the good of the service." If the rank and were cowardly the strikers were to take advantage of this ofer of the company, it would simply can that about 200 of the best union en would be left out in the cold bless, and with little likelihood of jobs in Philadelphia, for they be marked by the company. There will be no break in the ranks

the car men. times the company has ex Three times the company has ex-tended the time within which the men might return to their old jobs indi-vidually. There will be a fourth ex-tension of time by the company.

### Strikers' Ranks Unbroken

There is some unrest, and, naturilly, because of the colored and abso futely false press reports, some mis-understanding among the general trikers. The ranks however, are as yet unbroken. Practically the same umber of men are out. en a few desertions, but the numbe of desertions has, I am told, been more than offset by the number o

vorkers joining the general strike. Regardless of whether they are peritted to join with the Irish in rading or not, the strikers will hold five big mass meetings to-morrow afinvited to speak are: President Gom-pers, of the A. F. of L.: Mayor Madon and evening. Among those den. of Trenton, N. J.; Jeff Pierce, or-ranizer of the A. F. of L.; John J. Murphy, president of the Central Laor Union, and C. O. Pratt, leader of

It is reported that Eugene V. Deb will speak in the Labor Lyceum at 6th and Brown streets, Saturday afternoon

settlement in sight. He also says that workers will not be misled by false talk of a settlement, but will fight harder and harder until victory

## BIG OPEN AIR MEET

Conference Arranges Phila. Strike Demonstration for Next Saturday . Prominent Speakers.

Eugene V. Debs, C. O. Pratt, Joseph Fels, and many others are announced to address an open-air meeting in support of the Philadelphia general strike at Union Square, next Saturday afternoon, from 1 to 6 o'clock.

A hurdy-gurdy operated by car sirikers will be on the scene to provide the music. Incidentally they will take such contributions that those present may desire to give to ald the brave workers in their magnificent

organizations will march there in a body, and doubtless it will be the largest mee ing ever held on that spot. The committee in charge advises all so be on hand at an early hour, as many speakers of prominence will be there.

# SCAB AGENT GETS

ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 16. Dugald B. Hawkins, superintendent of one of the lines of the Philadelphia dtapid Transit Company, who "hired" a large number of men here to go to the Quaker City, was arrested last night for carrying a pistol and a billy. Hawkins advertised for motormen and conductors. Many responded. He took them to the Lehigh Valley depot inst night to send them to Philadel-

them were benefited strikebreakers, they went to Philadelphia, while the others stayed here to jeer Hawkins. he local street car men have voted send \$800 a week to the Philadelstrikers.

In Police Court today Hawkins was rive of a fine. The imposition of senfence brought a remarkable demon-stration in a storm of hisses from local trolley men, who filled the courtroom, without a single reproof from Judge Chadsey, who has recently be-come a stickler for silence in the

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ounce of carbelle acid. His wife heard him masping in bed and summoned a physician. Vogel died as the doctor entered the house. The 553d Bay of The Call and our Ad -7% DISCOUNT WILL BE ALLOWED TO ANY CUSTOMER SHOWING THE CALL.

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## The \$600 Weekly Pledge Fund

To those who have joined the Weekly Pledge Fund:

The members of the Weekly Pledge Fund Committee wish to exchange congratulations with you upon the completion of the six hundred dollar fund to cover the weekly deficit of The Call for the

According to the terms of your pledge you are to "bring or to send" to The Call office, on a certain day of each week during the ensuing year, the sum pledged. The Committee selected Friday for "Pledge Day," so that the heavy payments on Saturday could be met. Should it suit your convenience to pay monthly or quarterly it will be satisfactory to the committee, providing the amount is always sent in advance.

Please remember, and remember well, that the value of your contribution is in proportion to the promptness with which it is paid. To delay payments one day beyond the time agreed upon will seriously cripple us in our work of reducing the weekly deficit.

To compel us to ask you a second time for any amount that may be due will reduce your contribution, not only by the cost of the labor and the postage, but also by the inconvenience involved.

It is only by prompt payment that we can hope to reduce this deficit, or keep it within the limit of six hundred dollars.

It may be unnecessary to say all this to you personally, but this letter is being mailed to all who have pledged, and we wish at the very beginning to make it clear to any who may be in the habit of postponing these matters that such a course would be most disastrous. This pledge is in the nature of a sacred obligation. If at any time you should not have the funds ready, please borrow them.

Be sure to use the inclosed self-addressed envelope and sign your name and address plainly and in full. No receipts will be sent, but amounts received will be acknowledged in The Call each Mon-

THE WEEKLY PLEDGE FUND COMMITTEE. Address all communications to the "Weekly Pledge Fund Committee," New York Call, P. O. Box 1624, New York City.

If Coal Barons Do Not Grant Miners'

**Demands Mighty Conflict** 

Will Follow.

CINCINNATI, March 16 .- Only by

advancing wages can the coal mine oper-ators of the country avert a strike of union miners on April 1, according to developments before the special conven-

The session lasted only forty-five min-utes, but in that time the leaders of the men intimated plainly that more money

must be paid to the 300,000 workmen in

volved, or no new wage agreement will be

The miners are understood to be will-

joint conference of the central competi-

wages, however, they are firm, and fo

a continuation of the present rate of 95

cents a ton of screened coal the oper-

For the first time today also the miners' president openly acknowledged

the gravity of the situation. Reading

from a prepared statement, he told the

"While I am hopeful that we may be

gency. We believe that our de-is are sufficiently supported by facts

able to negotiate a reasonably satisfactory

agreement, we must be prepared for any emergency. We believe that our de-

to warrant us in refusing to agree to any proposition that does not include an ad-vance in wages. We believe that the

operators will recognize that our posi-tion is correct, and that they will con-

cede an advance in wages rather than plunge the mining industry into a strike

plunge the mining industry into a strike that might paralyze the industries of the

FIRE TAKES JOBS OF 300

to-day destroyed the big Amber tank of the American Bottle Company,

causing a loss of \$103,000, covered by

work. The plant, which employs 2,000.

PIANOS

resumed work two weeks

being idle for more than a year.

NEWARK, Ohio, March 16 .- Fire

tive field last week. On the advance

ators are equally firm.

tion of the United Mine

# FOR MAY DAY PARADE ONLY WAGE RAISE

Conference to Celebrate International Labor Festival.

The United Hebrew Trades, the central body of all the Jewish unions of Greater New York, yesterday issued a call for a May Day conference to be held on March 23 at Clinton Ha'l, 151 Clinton street.

The Hebrew Trades will work conjunction with the East Side districts of the Socialist Party and plant tion with the conference called by the Socialist Party, at which the C. F. U. is represented.

Invitations will be sent out to over 150 unions, Workmen's Circle branches and progressive organizations, requesting them to take part in the celebration of the Internaional Labor Day, theh first of May, which will take place this year on April 30, on account of the first of May being on Sunady.

There are sixty-nine unions repre-There are sixty-nine unions repre-sented at the United Hebrew Trades and it is expected that 75,000 men and women will turn out in the East Side Labor division of the May Day demonstration. Altogether, it is expected that about 150,000 men and onstration, which will join the gen-

eral parade on Union Square.

About nine thousand baker parade in uniforms, as will the victorious waistmakers turn out 20,000 strong in uniforms and the neckwear workers yho last fall won their general strike parade 1.500 strong

## REFUSE TO BE FIRED

Staff of St. John, N. B., Newspape Continue to Get Out Sheet After Discharge.

ST. JOHN, N. B., March 16 .- A situation unique in the records of Canadian journalism has developed here.

Recently the St. John Evening Star was purchased by the Evening Times. phia. A suspiciously large crowd at the depot frightened him, and he called for police protection. An officer noted that his pocket was bulging and arrested him for carrying and arrested him for carrying concealed weapons.

As Hawkins was being led away, his arrive breakers' opened their grips and showed a fine assortment of bricks and lenons. Only three of them were benefited and is continuing the publication of a newspaper ators' camp. None of the leaders on that

Litigation is probable.

## "NIX" ON DIVORCE

Wise Hoosier Judge Dismisses Con plaint of Wife of Socialist Candidate's Brother.

ANDERSON, Ind., March 16 .- Miss Jeanette Fenimore, of this city, was nom inated for state superintendent of public instruction by the Socialist party some time ago, and shortly aftrward the wife of Reese Fenimore, a brother of the nominee, applied for a divorce.

It developed today that the difference-in the Fenimore family grew out of the fact that the husband was supporting his sister, while Mrs. Fenimore is opposed to Socialism.

The court dismissed the complaint or the ground that political differences do not constitute a cause for divorce.

DISCHARGED-KILLS HIMSELF.

his home yesterday by drinking ounce of carbolic acid. His

## TEA. The Cost of Despondent because he had been discharged by a firm that had employed him for many years. Frederick Vogel, sixty-seven years old, of 2780 Marion avenue, committed suicide at

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## R. R. STRIKE NEEDED

Former President Stickney of Chicago Great Western Says Employes Should Get Wage Raise.

MINNEAPOLIS, March 16 .- That general strike of railway men is what is needed to get this country right is the opinion expressed today by A. B. Stick-ney, former president of the Chicago Great Western railway. Stickney also said President Taft is in a bad situation

"Conditions are the same as they were just before the Debs' strike in 1893," said Stickney. "I think it would be fair to give the railway employes an increasin wages, in view of the high cost of liv ing but the railroads, on the other hand are unable to grant their demands b cause they cannot raise the rates.

Stickney expressed a belief that sooner or later there will be a general strike and that this will bring about the solu tion of the present high prices.

"The opinion seems to be that Mr Taft has got himself into such a posi tion that no matter what he does he is not right," he said, evading direct criticism of the administration.

"All the newspapers of the country seem to be against him. His position is entirely different from that of Mr. Roo thing whether it was right or wrong.

## BAKER BADLY BEATEN BY BOSSES' THUES

ing to give up their demands for Satur-day half holidays, "run of mine" pay-ments, and the lesser points raised in the David Sobel, a member of Bakers' Inion, No. 305, is now confined to ed as a result of a heating he got on the corner of 100th street Third avenue, while going from work yesterday morning.

At the bakers' headquarters it was said yesterda ythat the thugs that as-saulted Sobel are the same trong-armed men that guard Gottfried's cab bakery, at 175 2d street. After ground he appealed to policeman 4295 to take hi mover to the nearby ddrug store, where he could have his wound bandaged, but the cop refused to do

Sobel then crawled over to the drug store on 100th street and Lexington avenue, where his wounds were band-aged. The druggist telephoned to the

The union officers are up in arms against the way their members have bee ntreated by the thugs and police for the last two weeks, and a committee of the union, headed by its lawyer, will call on Commissioner to file a complaint against this cop. and many others.

A number of residents living in the neighborhood where Sobel's beating

took place, yesterda yealled at the union headquarters, and volunteered to testify against the thugs and the

cop.

The bakers' union is determined to continue the fight against Gottfried. of 175 2d street, and N. Messinger, 82 Allen street, until they sign agreements with the union. Fifty thousand circulars, reprinted from an editorial in the Jewish Daily Forward, on these two strikes, entitled "Do not let the affect of the great victory of the bakers be annihilated." were distrib-

ted throughout the city yesterday.

'A joint meeting of Locals 87, 100, 104, 162, 169, and 305, will be held at Manhattan Lyceum, 66 East 4th street tomorrow at 1 p.m., for the puriose of discussing the new agreements. ment to be presented to the employers on the first of May, when all the bakers will down tools to celebrate the International Labor Day. Ar-rangements will be made at this meeting about the participation in the general parade of the Socialist party.

LOUISVILLE-NASHVILLE FINED. Must Pay \$10,000 on Indicti Rebating.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., March 16.indictments, charging reba'ing, the Louisville and Nashville railroad was fined \$1.000 for each count, a total of \$10,000, by Judge Evans, in the federal court here today.

The court dismissed thirty-two ad-

ditional counts in the indictments, upon which conviction was consid-ered impossible.

## KILLED IN AN ELEVATOR.

While Frank Brown, forty-six years old, employed on the new Fulton Market old, employed on the new Futton Market building at Peck's Slip and South street, was yesterday riding on a freight ele-vator in that building the machinery be-came unmanageable and the car shot to the roof.

Brown, who was on the cross bean was crushed between the beam and the roof. He was instantly killed.

## MEAT PRICES ARE RAISED SOME MORE

## Beef Barons Continue Increasing Cost of Living Despite Their ladiciments.

As if in defiance of the action of New Jersey officials who are prosecuting the beef barons for forcing the prices of meat up, the prices on all kinds of meat as weal, lamb chops, prime ribs and all others jumped 2 cents a pound by the wholesale yesterday.

It was said at Washington Market that the prices quoted yesterday were for immediate delivery only, and that further advancement on prices may be made in a few days.

Prime ribs sold last week for 18 cents jumped to 20 cents a pound, porterhouse steak that sold for 26 cents was raised to 28 cents a pound, lamb chops was raised from 18 to 20 cents a pound and the prices of all other meats were also raised proportionally.

When seen by a Call reporter a number of retailers in Washington Market said that they were only given one day's notice that the prices would be raised, and that they were not even given enough time to notify their cus-, and that by this raise they would have to lose some money on account of that short time given to them to let the consumers know that

the prices would go up. They also said, after requesting the reporter not to have their names published, that the prices will continue going up and that it will be a long time before any reductions are made

A restaurant keeper told the reprices of meat have jumped. Plain veal that cost 11 cents a pound three weeks ago is now 15 cents. Lamb that he paid 12 cents for he now pays 18 cents a pound, and on all meats the prices jumped accordingly

figures should be anywhere from 4 to cents a pound lower than they are, it will be realized that the threat of the Beef Trust to bring the public to terms was not an empty boast but a prophecy that is rapidly being fulfilled new increase of the cost of the various staples.

CLEVELAND, March 16 .- The of ficial death of the meat strike was an-

Two months ago the movement was started. Fred W. Sebelin, of this city, suggested that sixty days abstinence pledges be signed as a blow to the increased cost of living. Meat was food were not overlooked. The plan spread over the country and for a week or two flourished. Then it sputtered and burned out.

When the "meat strike" began the To-day it is 7 to 7½ cents. Hogy jumped from 9 to 11 cents. Eggs fell 38 to 21 cents, and butter 33 cents or a fall of a nickel toes are 10 cents a bushel lower While the boycott lasted many small markets were closed.

### WIDOW BEATS WESTERN UNION. Gets a Verdict for \$3,000 for Death of Her Husband.

Elizabeth McNamee was suit for \$20,000 damages against the Western Union Telegraph Company, 1, o fthe Supreme Court, Flushing

McNamee was killed on September 23, 1907, while attempting to rescue the wire was a live one.

#### BARBERS FIGHT A DUEL. Meet on Street and Quarrel-One Almost Loses Ear.

Louis Kasper, of 984 Madison street, and Philip Davis, of 74 Eldert street Williamsburg, both barbers, met on Eldert street yesterday, quarreled, and fought a duel with razors. Davis' ear was almost slashed off, and he was taken to the Bushwick Hospital. Kasper was arrested, and locked up by Policeman Charles Richards, of the traffic squad.

A crowd of women witnessed the fight, and excitement ran high for a few minutes.

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TENT CITY GETTING READY.

Artists and Literary People Will Flock to Physical Culture City.

Sunday, March 13, the people of Physical Culture City, N. J., the famous sum mer resort, got together and elected an organization committee to carry work connected with the resort for the

eason of 1910.

The following is the organization com mittee for the season of 1910: Frank Bruns, advertising man; Pell Mitchell, secretary; Will Tonison, treasurer; Joe Lundston, Peter J. Schweikert, George

A number of cottages have already horse about which a live wire had been engaged for the summer, and the oiled. McNamee did not know that attendance this year is expected to exceed any previous season. A number of Sam to the workhout prominent Socialists have engaged places Corbett's complaint. for from two to three weeks' stay dur ing the summer and quite a number of literary people and artists expect to work here all summer. Outdoor lectures and meetings will be features of the life at this resort during this season.

> DANISH EXPLORER DEAD. COPENHAGEN, March 16:-The well-known Danish explorer, Commodore Hovgaard, died to-day. He was one of the first Danish experts credit the contentions of Dr. Cook that he reached the pole.

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PUPIL KNOCKS OUT TEACH Sam Loses in Court, Though He

"Sam, stop talking!"

Sam Boylinsky, of 198 Ms street, a pupil in the Boys' School at East Broadway and verneur street, didn't obey. Jose Corbett, athletic instructor in school, in charge of the class, took to compel Sam's silence. taliated, and there was a mix-up the result that Corbett went to floor for the count.

Magistrate Corrigan. in the Market Court, pesterday, sentence Sam to the workhouse for five days

MEDALS FOR RAHLROAD HIS MEDALS FOR RAHAROAD HELD WASHINGTON, March 10.—Ge Karsten, of Wilwaukee, Wis., and crt Brendle, of McKeesport, Pa., will presented with gold medals by President for heroism displayed by them performing their duties as railroad ers. The President has recommended presentation of the medals under as of Congress of 1905, which provides they shall be given to any persons save lives or prevnt accidents on roads at a risk of being killed.



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# ILLDS' CASE IS IN THE EXPERT STAGE

ndwriting Experts Swear "Tis" and "Tisn't" and Senate Prepares to Vote.

(Special to The Call.)

ALBANY, March 16 .- With the anger-Allds bribery hearing in the te has decided that it will vote on guilt or innocence of the accused or Tuesday, March 29.

The question that will be put bes made by Senator Benn Con-Senator Jotham P. Allds de ed and accepted a bribe from the dge interests on the closing day of legislature on April 23, 1901, been

was determined to-day when was finally agreed that counse be able to sum up next Tues-nd Wednesday. It will be nothat the senate did not spare ter Conger's delicate feelings He Allds, but that Allds blackmailed

There was some disposition to have the voting next Wednesday night and the matter. Senator Brackett was ed that way, but Senator Cobb Republican leader, pointed ou not a single senator in the body sat through the entire trial and uld need a little time to go over it arguments were in. So it decided to postpone the vote until

Albert H. Hamilton, Allds' handwriting expert, was on the stand all newspaper articles as a living exle of "Sherlock Holmes." Beside een subjects, among them chemis-microscopy, ink analysis, finger its, blood and other stains.

Hamilton declared the stubs in Benn Conger's checkbook had been altered. ference being that it was to ke evidence for this case. To-day will nut several experts on the nd to testify the opposite. ' Hamilanswered many questions yester many explanations as to r's experts will go over the same and to prove the contrary to-mor-

ator Newcombe is busy trying to cute. ave his motion to have the whole gislature investigated brought out of finance committee, to which it was Senator Wainright has a ilar resolution in cold storage in same place. They both want to busy on other people's reputation soon as Allds' is disposed of.

Senator Newcombe, in a statement issued to-night, refers to the in and says it was openly charge that bribery was conducted by insurance companies, but es were never investigated. Last pear a bill was up to increase the lowers of the Public Service Com-It was favorably reported by one of the foremost committees of senate and "then run into a blind He wants that matter gone into

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## SPRING MAKER HELD

Magistrate Cornell Place: Strike Under Bail After He Is Badly Beaten by Thugs.

Magistrate Cornell, in Tombs Police Court, yesterday, held B. Miller, a striking bed spring maker, under \$500 Samuel Paterson's Bail Fixed at \$7,500. bail for Special Sessions, on the charge of assaulting a strikebreaker. Miller was arrested after he had been badly beaten by thugs while on picket duty on Cana Istreet, but, as usual, none of the sluggers was arrested.

. B. Berman, of 191 Canal street, against whom the workers are on strike, yesterday declared to a committee of the strikers that he would fight the union to a finish, and he would never settle with the workers' organization hanging around the struck shop, and it was impossible for the strikers ing in contact with them.

At the last meeting of the Spring Bed Makers' Union \$100 was voted the strikers for the purpose of conducting the fight against Berman meeting also voted to support the strikers, and issued credentials to the sented William D. Edwards, of counfunds from the unions affiliated with individuals. that body

continue the fight against Berman until he concedes all demands and signs an agreement with their union.

## VAN NORDEN DODGES

Again Fails to Appear to Prosecute Women for Hold-Up. So They're Discharged.

When the trial of Bessie Roberts alias Kitty Dowdell, and May Willlams, on charges of having held up panies, and asked to have inserted in and robbed Warner M. Van Norden, ing a handwriting expert he also formerly of the Van Norden Trust called before Judge Rolasky in General Sessions yesterday. Van Norden failed to appear, so Rosalsky discharged the women.

> Assistant District Attorney Wasser vogel asked the court to release the women on heavy ball bonds, pending the appearance of Van Norden, who he said, was in Europe taking the rest cure for pervous breakdown. Counsel for the women requested the dismissal of the indictment, stating that he did not believe Van Norden would prose

Rosalsky refused to dismiss the indictment, mut released the women

## TROLLEY HITS VAN.

Two Men Hurled to Street and Badi; Hurt.

Two men were injured at Richmon Hill yesterday in a collision between a furniture van and a Brooklyn Rapid Transit trolley car. The injured men were Nathan Bornstein, thirty-four years old, of 13 liester street, Manhattan, Morris Katz, twenty-eight years old, of 7 by the Brotherhood of Locomotive En-Ludlow street.

The men were driving a heavily loaded van owned by Mrs. Greenbach, of 133 Ludlow street, Manhattan, when at Jamaica and Curtis avenues the van was hit by a trolley car. Both men were hurled from the van. Bornstein was cut in several places on the head and face and Katz sustained a fracture of the right leg and is suffering from shock. Both men were taken to St. Mary's Hosbital at Jamaica.

NINE "COPS" SHIFTED.

City Counsel Gives Up Detail of 2 Lieutenants and 7 Patrolmen.

Corporation Counsel Watson yester-day relinquished his hold on two lieutenants and seven policemen. They will go rom his department to the regular police service.

In a lettr to Commissionr Baker terday. Watson stated that while he feels that he may get along without them, the

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## NOT GUILTY, PLEADS SCHWAB'S SLAVES BEEF TRUST MAN

Indicted Corporations Must Show Books.

muel B. Patterson, vice president of the National Packing voluntarily appeared Robert Carey, in the Court of Common Pleas, in Jersey City, yesterday an indictment, charging him with con-

spiracy and restraint of trade.

Leave to withdraw the plea to move for quashing of the indictment was reserved

With the consent of Assistant Prosecutor George T. Vickers, who represented Hudson county, Judge Carey fixed bail at \$7,500. Bail was furnished by a surety company.

Patterson was accompanied by Gug-

genheim, representing Samuel Untermyer, and Edwin Smith, who repre out authorizing them to solicit sel for the indicted corporations and

All inquiries were referred to coun-The strikers at their meeting at 98 sel by Patterson. Smith said that he Forsyth street, yesterday, decided to did not know if the other indicted continue the fight against Berman packers would appear without extra-

No date was set for the trial of

grand jury.

Samuel Untermyer, of New York. and former State Senator Edwards, of New Jersey, appeared for the comthe fact that the companies were already under judictment in Hudson county, and that their charters authorized them to keep all their books, except stock and trans fer books outside of New Jersey.

These facts will probably be used in application for a certiorari to carry Justice Swayze's order to the state The question probably will be taken

to the Court of Errors and Appeals of New Jersey for final adjudication. CHICAGO, March 16 .- Investiga

tion of the beef packers by the grand jury was halted today by the non-arrival of witnesses from New York Adjournment was taken until tomo

The investigation is expected to end

# WESTERN FIREMEN

(Continued from Page 1.)

of Railroad Firemen and Engineer gineers developed to-day. The engineers, according to an official, ready to go on record as opposing the firemen's organization on questions which have resulted in United States' mediation in the railroad dispute.

Mediation Meeting To-morrow.

The first meeting between repre sentatives of the firemen and the rail roads and the United States Commis will take place Friday.

The official of the Erotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, who was au-thority for the statement that the firemen would meet opposition from

The Brotherhood of Lecomotive Engineers is now working under an agreement with the railroads which the demands of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemer would nullify. We are opposed to the granting of the two demands of the regarding seniority and repas valuable to the city as resentation and regard them as hitting directly at our own organization

## SITUATION HERE ACUTE

Eastern Railroad Men Getting Ready to Make Bosses Boost Wages Before Long. With a strike vote ordered taken

by the conductors, trainmen, engineers and yardmen employed along the entire- New Haven and Hartford railroad system, while urgent de-mands are being made by the con-ductors and trainmen of the New labor situation in the East is becoming acute.

A conference was held in this cit. esterday between officials of the New York Central and labor representa-tives. W. G. Lee, grand master of the Brotherhood of Rulroad Trainme... and A. P. Garretson, president of the Order of Railway Conductors are in the city to meet the New York Central officials.

Central omcias.

Both labor officials are stopping at the Herald Square Hotel. They refused to discuss the situation, but admitted that they were here again to talk over the demands of their organ-

Both Lee and Garretson said, however, that the demands upon the New York Central were practically the same as those submitted to all Eas-

D. & H. MEN MAY STRIKE.

Practically Every Conductor and Trainman Ready to Go Out.

ALBANY, March 16.-Announcement was made to-day that practically every conductor and trains oyed by the Delaware and Hudson Company was ready to strike if their grand lodge officers gave the mmittees representing the Order of Railway Conductors and the Trainmen held secret sessions today. Fur-ther conferences will be held with officers of the company

Representatives of the telegraphers continued their conferences today with C. E. Kim, superintendent of transportation. The engineers and fire men are awaiting the result of the negotiations of the other organizations

# THOIR GOOD FIGHT

(Continued from Page 1.)

we do not care to have them. At any Leaders in Washington Expect Early rate, the strike is about over. We have 75 per cent of our old force back at work and soon the rest of them will be back."

I tried to get him to extend an invitation to me to visit the works, but he skillfully evaded me. However, I didn't reed his invite, as I had been through the works already.

While waiting to see Hagenbach, I noticed a considerable number of women going about the office building. The strikers state that before the admighty scarce article about there.

### Strikers Hold Winning Hand.

have the better of the situation. The trouble, as far as they are cerned, is that they are short of funds. deserves. thousand of the men organized and if they get some substantial support they have a very good chance of win-

They have issued an appeal to the road corporations. governor of Pennsylvania, showing up the conditions as they exist. couched in very temperate language,

tention will be paid to it. The following circular has been is sued and it is hoped that it will meet

"For years the thousands of me employed by the Bethlehem Steel Company have suffered under the iron heel of the most crushing institution known to the civilized world. has boasted and advertised the world over that he owned and controlled the lives of human beings as though they bettering of conditions.

The clash of fifteen years ago is about lives of human beings as though they suffer under the lash of an intolerant master, without rights which the au-

"Humiliated by him, denied the right of organization or representa-tion, at last they rebelled. They struck as a last result hoping through this action to thoroughly organize plant of workingmen, the vast majority, in fact nearly all, being the lowest paid workmen in the United States and Canada

Chas. M. Schwab is known the world over for his lavish expenditure of money which he has been able to are in restraint of trade and in their extract from his victimized and unvery nature criminal conspiracies. When extract from his victimized and unfortunate employes.

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United States government. It has conracts amounting to forty millions of this corporation expects to realize millions of dollars due to the low wages paid. "The pages of the Congressional Record are filled with column and column of matter, The Story of Schwab's Armor Plate, which shocked the entire nation. We ap-

been a special favorite

peal to you to act at once. Don't delay. Send in your subscription as soon as action is taken to assist us in the struggle, be they small or large. The American Federation of Labor has full charge of the situation, organizing and protecting the interests of the suffering men and unionizing

all the trades interested. "Following is a list of international unions who are involved in this tight and who have or expect to have their men organized: Boilermakers, black smiths and hammer men, carpenters engineers, electrical workers and cranemen, iron and steel workers, molders, pattern makers, painters, polishers, and platers, machinists,

teamsters and laborers. "We ask you in the name of all against this mighty corporation. Please appoint committees to raise

"We trust that you will do what you can. All contributions will be thankfully received and acknowl-Fraternally yours.

JACOB TAZELAAR, General Organizer American Federation of Labor J. P. M'GINLEY, Organizer Hotel and Restaurant International Asso-

CHARLES R. WITHAM, Organizer International Iron Molders' Union. J. J. KEPPLER, Vice-president In-ternational Association of Machin-

H. F. LaCLAIR. Washington Lodge International Association of Ma-T. P. BEHNEY, General Organizer

of Patternmakers' League H. H. SCOTT, General Organizer In ternational Steam Engineers.

DAVIS WILLIAMS, President Local Union 368 of Machinists of South Bethlehem. COURTNEY, Treasurer Local P. COURTNEY. Treasurer No. 368 of South Bethlehem.

"Send all contributions to P. Court-The company makesthe claim that the average wages is \$731 yearly. This is absolutely false in the face of the payroll exhibited. The payroll for 1909 averages \$211,000 every two weeks, with an average of 10,000 men employed, which makes about

ing yearly to 553.80.

This includes all grades of employes, skilled mechcanics, unskilled laborers, chemists, clerical force an l heads of departments. There about 4,500 employes who average less than \$7 per week. On the whole this shows \$180 less than Schwab claims

SCHWAB'S FRIENDS INDICTED.

Federal Grand Jury Claims Railro Favored Bothl em Steel Co.

PHILADELPHIA, March 16 .- The rederal grand jury today returned indictments against the Lehigh Valley and the Philadelphia and Reading Railway companies on charges of vislation of the Elkins act in granting should have been paid by the Bethle-and giving concessions in respect to hem Steel Company.

## R. R. BROTHERHOOD TO JOIN A. F. OF L.

Amalgamation of the Big Labor Organizations.

(By Pan-American Press.) WASHINGTON, March 16 .- That the big railroad brotherhoods with their large memberships will soon abandon their policy of isolation and in one grand body join the millions marching under the banner of the American Federation of Labor is the opinion of practically all From all indications the strikers of the representatives of the railroad brotherhoods now in Washington.

These men have rubbed shoulders with the representatives of the A. F. of L. The organized workers are not show. the representatives of the A. F. of I ing the interest in this strike that it during the present session of Congress There are above seven and their common experience in battling for labor legislation has taught them that a united front is their only weapon against the powerful lobby of the rail-

Arguments that the railroad brotherhoods have nothing to gain by affiliating but they hardly expect that much at- with the A. F. of L. are not advanced any more. The conservative policy that won concessions for the engineers, con-TRENTON, N. J., March 16.—Justice Swayze today signed the order directing the indicted corporations to bring their books into New Jersey for Statement by Strike Committee.

Sued and it is indicated response ductors and fremen in the past uses not bring the same results today when the railroads have come to an agreement with the federal government and are now preparing to fight the demands of labor to a

> Arrogantly conscious of the promise given by Aldrich, Cannon and Taft that "hands off" will be the order given to all Its Congressmen proposing railroad legisla-wab, tion, superintendents of the big systems are now preparing to meet with a flat re

to repeat itself. Not than the trainmen who are consequently tocratic power of the giant institution drawing closer together, as is shown b is bound to respect. drawing closer together, as is shown b mittees in Washington. In one con gressional committee, after another, as bills affecting their different interests are threshed out with increasing bitterness the tireless railroad lobby and the trainmen's representatives struggle for advan tage before arbiters numerically on th

What the brotherhoods fear above all is a ruling from the interstate commerce commission to the effect that all strikes this decision comes the day of amalga mation between the American Federation of Labor and the railroad brotherhoods will have also arrived.

## And that day is not far distant. SHOW BIG EARNINGS

U. S. Steel Report Indicates Prosperity, But the Tin Workers Are Still Out.

The annual report of the United States Steel Corporation, issued yesterday, shows an increase in gross "earnings" over 1998 of \$164,000,000 Total earnings, were \$646,382,251. This shows the largest surplus and working capital in the history of the 1800

company. "The average number of employes in service in 1909 was 195,500. pared with 165,211 in 1908, while the wages and salaries paid out by the corporation last year aggregated \$151,663.334. compared with \$120,-510.829 in 1908

'In January, 1910, there was offered to the employes of the United States Steel Corporation and of the subsidiary companies the privilege of subscribing for 25,000 shares of proferred stock. The subscription price was fixed at \$124 a share. Subscrip-tions were received from 17.444 emof 24.672 were 21.458 employes who had pur-chased preferred or common stock under offers made by the corporation, who on that date either held the On December 31, 1909, there

urchase price."
And not yet have the striking tin workers been granted their just de-

## TO LEGALIZE HOLIDAYS.

Legislature to Pass Bill for State Employes' Vacations. ALBANY, March 16 .- State Depart-

ment heads to-day adopted a report of a committee of which State Comptroller Clark Williams was the head; straining trade, and that while the in-recommending that legislation be se- dividual acts committed might be punishtroller Clark Williams was the head; cured recognizing the principle of va-able the company should not be forced cations for regular employes on the out of existence by reason of the com-State Departments.

There have been discovered no authority under present laws to accord grantd a motion permitting counsel for such vacations which have been ex- each side to file an additional brief withtended for years. The length of the vacation period it was decided should der advisement. be left to the discretion of the head vestigating the matter of civil pension and will report next fall.

DIRTY BUILDING KILLED THEM. CHICAGO, March 16.-Frank Si-mon, last of sixteen employes in the old county building to become fatally with tuberculosis, died in Denver, and the body will arrive in Chicago today. Physicians declare all the deaths are traceable to the insanitary conditions in the old build-

SHEEP STORED TWO YEARS. MONTREAL, March 16 .- Two thousand carcasses, in cold storage over two years, were discovered by Dr. McCarry, city food inspector, while

inspecting storage plants to-day.

transportation of property in interstate commerce and in failing strict-ly to observe tariffs in connection ly to observe tariffs in connection with transportation in interstate com-

merce. The defendants are charged with cancelling demurrage charges that

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## STANDARD OIL HIT BY WICKERSHAM

He referred to the contention of D. T. Watson, of Pittsburg, counsel for the Standard, that the only conspiracy or monopoly before the Supreme Court is combining of oil corporations in

Referring to the methods of the Standard in compelling rebates from the rail-roads. Wickersham said it was no wouder that with all these advantages the company prospered, but he denounced them as the most iniquitous ever pracpresent form of the company under its reorganization of 1800 he declared was mad with the purpose of evading the con-sequences of the Sherman act. He did not see any material difference between th situation regarding the stan that of the Northern Securities Company which had been condemned by the courts. It was, he said, a combination in rewho on that date either held the certificate of stock or were making
monthly payments on account of their
purchase price."
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And not yet have the striking tin

G. Johnson, of Philadelphia, closed the case for the Standard Com-pany arguing that the lower court had no jurisdiction of the case because it had jurisdiction only over the Waters-Pierce Company which was merely a selling company and nothing else; that common company and nothing else; that common ownership was legal; that the presen has resulted in promoting rather than re

mon ownership. When Johnson had concluded the court

## FREE BATHS AT CONF

Most Iniquitous Methods Ever Practiced in History of World, Says

Attorney General.

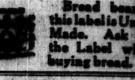
WASHINGTON, March 16.—"I can well understand the desire of the defendants to cast the veil of oblivion over the past."

Thus Attorney General Wickersham this afternoon began the government's closing argument in the Standard Oil appeal from order of dissolution.

DUEZ'S SECRETARY ARREST PARIS, March 16.—Poltel, form ly accretary to Duea, the embeading government liguidator, was arrest today charged with the misapproper-tion of \$6,000 in connection with sale of the church property.

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of the department. The committee of the department of the department. The committee was continued for the purpose of in-In Honor of the Fifth Anniversary of "Mother Earth" Combined With Commune C Friday, March 18, 1910, 8 P. M. IN THE GRAND MANHATTAN HALL

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# BASE CONSPIRACY," MARRIED WRONG GIRL DERRY'S MEN HAD CRIES BALLINGER

Says P.nchot Seeks to Ruin Him Politcally and Discredit Taft - Addresses Minnesota Congress.

ST. PAUL, Minn., March 16 .- "The shole thing is purely and simply a base, gigantic conspiracy, the object of which is to ruin me politically and, through me, to strike a blow at President Taft and his administration."

This is the statement made by Secday regarding Pinchot's this afternoon delivered an

exaggerated notion, among some peo- and sister at 290'2d street ple, as to what the general govern-ment can do in conserving the natural resources that lie in the deposits Schwartz, and earns about \$5 a week of minerals, and are contained in the minerals, and are contained in the solls and the streams. For the most part they have pussed into private ownership and are under the munici-

pal jurisdiction of the States. mult be predicated on the policy afst part the States are sovereign witfin their own spheres of jurisdic tion. Therefore, I believe a greater obligation rests upon the State than the national government to inaugurate laws to prevent waste in the

Referring to the duty of the n nal government he first regarded it studied and surveyed and an "ade-quate and scientific classification of the remainder of the public lands" be made. He scored the "idealistic con-servationists" heavily for talckling the osition "without a sound knowlof conditions."

Of his own stand in the matter secretary Ballinger said "I am as ardent an advocate of wise conserva tion as the most radical, but it must be wise conservation to appeal to me It must imply as full and free a dement of our national resource as is consistent with our civilization

## HEIKE TRIAL DELAYED

cutor Stimson Will Renew Fight Against Writ of Error in Sugar Indictments.

When the trial of Charles R. Heike secretary of the American Sugar Reics F. Bendernagel, Harry W. ker, Jean M. Voelker and James F. Halligan, on an indictment for conspiracy to defraud the government by the underweighing of imported sugar, was called before Judge Martin the United States District Court presecutor, stated to the court that he had been served with a copy of the mandate of the United States Supreme Court in the writ of error proceedings that he intended to renew the and he trial was therefore adjourned

until May 10. The writ of error was granted Heike by Justice Lurton on the forcontention in regard to an im government's motion to set

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n Schwalb, Barber, Can't Tell How It Happened, but She's After Him.

Solomon Schwalb came to this country last December, got married and now stands a fair show of being sent back to the old country. Schwall is a barber, twenty-seven years old, and is a native of Galicia.

His trouble, he says, arose he married the wrong girl. Instead of marrying the handsome girl in her teens with whom he was in love found that he had married her elderly sister. The sister whom he weed is also fair to look upon, but younger one was the one girl in the

The marriage took place at the performed the ceremony. of the Interior Ballinger, in an ew to-day regarding Pinchot's what was going on at the wedding. what was going on at the wedding. When he was informed that he was Ballinger arrived here to- married to Gussie, instead of to her younger sister. Esther, his heart was proved by Taft. He also criticised the brother-in-law to the girl he wanted "insurgent movement" as a "species as a wife. He declined to live with

In his speech before the State Con-servation Congress, the first ever held in-this country, he said, in part There has been and is a grossly his wife, who lives with her mother her lives at 430 East 86th street, where, he is employed by a Mr.

nation before Magistrate Butts. counsel for the journment until later in the day. sadiction of the States.

national conservation policy held in \$300 ball.

In his prison cell he said he thought fecting the public domain, since for he might as well surrender and go live with his wife.

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 16 .- "Alphabet riots," starting recently in Albanin, are today prevalent all over European Turkey and constitute a new and serious threat against the already much

embarrassed government.

The trouble began with an attempt by he more modern Turkish business mer to put the country in closer touch with occidental progress by the abandonment of the Arabic in favor of the Latin al-phabet. An organization called the National Association was formed to pass the

In the ultra-conservative district of Albanin, however, the religious teachers and hedjas warned the people that the modernizing tendency of the Latin alphabet threatened the subversion of the transfer of the subversion of the sub "true faith." Disorders broke out there and they have spread throughout all of

At Monastir a mob attempted to wreck offices of the Lashkim Club, the headquarters of the National Association. Even in this city the crusade is being wagd and serious trouble is momentarily expected.

The reformers are as determined as the reactionaries and are relying on the gov-ernment for aid and protection, which officialdom cannot consistently refuse, but which it is exceedingly unwilling to anger the orthodox Mohammedans by giving.

## **CO-OPERATIVE NOTES**

The American Wholesale Co-one tive yesterday opened new headquarters at 306 East 15th street in the basement. On the opening day \$100 worth of goods were shipped and representatives of the organization yesterday declared taht they expect to do \$1.000 worth of business every

From Monday on they will keep the open fro m8 a.m. to 1 6p.m. Thus far they have succeeded in formbranches in Harlem, with an ofwith headquarters, at 3209 Third avenue; one in Greenpoint, and another in the Washington division of Brooklyn, with an office at the So. ciolist party headquarters. The com-mittee is also at work organizing 2 branch in South Brooklyn,

ce, from where they will be delivered to the consumers, and they will continue doing so until ways and means outlined to open branch stores.

## THE SUSTAINING FUND

MARCH 16, 1910. Employes of A. & H. Rosen-bluth, New York ...... \$5.06 J. Klinkhausen, New Haven. Conn. (stamps) 6.00 Employes of A. Perlman, New York Fred Hummrich, West Lynn, Mass. Hammer, Roslindale, Mass. 

Total ..... Previously acknowledged ....\$305.41

Total since March 1 ..... \$520.33 FINANCE COMMITTEE. Dorsky. New York...... United Hat Trimmers of Greater New York ...... 10,00 M. Raymond, South Norwalk Conn. ..... Schneider, Mount Vernen.

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Total since February 7. ... \$:05.83 Please report errors or on: sions to the secretary of the Sustaining Fund, 442 Pearl street.

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Only 12 Hours Per Week-Head of Bureau of Weights and Measures Resigns.

As a result of an investigation of his office under direction of Mayor Gaynor, Patrick Derry, chief of the Bureau of Weights and Measures, yesterday re

of the market one of the aldermen own head by filing charges on January performed the ceremony. The barber 31 of alleged insubordination with the Mayor against Lee J. Mills, a scaler of

weights and measures.

Mills testified that until the investigation was started he never had worked more than two hours a day, until re-cently, when he worked six. This was address before the Minnesota Conser-sore indeed. He refused to abide by cently, when he worked six. This was yation Congress. The address was apgan an investigation for the Mayor.

Mills stated that if everybody in the could perform the duties of the twentyfour employed. When he worked two hours a day he did all he was ordered to. he said, and more than the average. In addition to working for the city he tained a real estate business and livery stable

The report of the technical administration of theb ureau showed that of the scales inspected in Manhattan 200 were correct and 306 incorrect, 44.46 per cent of those found incorrect causing a loss to

Of the weights inspected 44 were found correct and 100 incorrect, 66.60 per cent being the third man, of the total, causing a loss to the customer being the third man.

Derry was appointed three years ago y Mayor McClellan. His salary was \$2,500 a year.

# TO BE ORGANIZED

The Co-Operative Peace Society will meet for organization purposes tomor-row evening at Webster Hall, 11th street, near Third avenue. An elabo rate literary and musical program has been arranged.

Mrs. Anna Webster Powell and Mrs Ethel H. Stewart are the founders of the new society. Mrs. Powell is so well known as to need no introduc-Mrs. Stewart is the wife of C. J. Stewart, leader of the Liberal Party in Alberta, in the British Sc has been a resident of New York for the past two years, engaged in economic study and sociological work. Dr. Stewart is in hearty sympathy with his wife in her work

The new society is founded for the purpose of advancing mutual ac quaintance, universal education and ment of conditions. The following pro gram has been arranged for tomorevening's meeting: Trio for Piano, Violin and 'Cello . .

Florence Duryea, Paulding De 

Mme. Webster-Fowell.

Address....Miss Mary Coleman

Cello Solo—Reverie.....Bottesiny
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Address...Miss Rose Schneiderman
Piano Solo—Scherz.....Chopin

Signor Eugenio Pirani.

Address.....Jacob Panken Dancing. Admission is free and the public generally is invited.

WHITE SLAVE BILL READY.

Conference Committee Agrees on Report to Present to Congress.

WASHINGTON, March 16 .-- Ap

women for improper purposes. The committee removed from the bill the section making it a felony to give a ticket to a "white slave" for trans-portation across state lines. The reason for that was that innocent and charitable persons might unjustly be

## **PUBLIC LECTURES**

Public School 22, 418 West 28th street

Public School 46, 156th street and Athens, Ga. . t. Nicholas avenue: "Turkey, Is Its According to the official records of St. Nicholas avenue: "Turkey, Is Its According to the official records of St. Nicholas avenue: "Miss Car" last season Halliman, in 136 games

.07 street: "Winning the West," C. J. antyhing, Halliman played 110 Avenue B: "The

Great Cities of India." Lucia C. G. Grieve. Public School 82. 70th street and First | season.

Public School S2, (in Street and Pris-avenue: "By Canoe to Hudson Bay," Allandon B. Skinner. Public School 119, 123d street, near Eighth avenue: "Life in the Great Sahara." Miss Anna S. Brackett.

Mrs. Rollie B. Low Public School 159, 241 East 119th

Fifth avenue: "The Southwest Wonder-land," Arthur K. Peck. Institute Hall, 218 East 106th street :

Water and Its Part in Nature," Dr. OLDFIELD WORLD'S SPEED KING William L. Estabrocks Public Library, 112 East 96th street: March 16.—Barney "Merchant of Venice," William H. Flem-world's speed king.

St. Lake's Hall, Hudson and Grove streets: "How a Work of Architecture 121-160 seconds, breaking the previ-lis Produced," Arthur A. Stoughton.
Wilson School, 229 West 69th street: "Alaska," Miss Emma R. Steiner.
"Alaska," Miss Emma R. Steiner. St. Lake's Hall, Hudson and Grove "Alaska," Miss Emma R. Steiner,



## GIANTS SHUT OUT INDIANAPOLIS 5 TO (

signed.

Derry brought the investigation on his Devlin's Fast Fielding and Herzeg's Home Run Hoist Features of a Speedy Game at Waco.

> WACO, Texas., March 16 .- Mc Graw's veterans came up here today and; although they won a shut out they failed to score half as many run as the colts did yesterday, the tally teday being 5 to 0. Manager Carr pitchers for the regulars, and as Mar quard and Drucke were both in good form it was a light hitting con The Giants ot three of their six hits

Charley Herzog remained over night and was at short today. Bridwell re vore, who have been doctoring their ailments in Dallas since last Saturday come over from that city and completed the outfield, Murra put his best team in the field, bu the Glants had it on their opponerts

Of the measures inspected 28 were found correct and 128 incorect, 50.61 per cent of the total causing a less to the zog's drive over the left field fence chatomer. In fifteen garages visited 66.2-3 per third baseman handled six hard chances so well that the spectators gasolene were incorrect. and the clever fielding of Devlin. The ontield by Devore and Murray cut down Indianapolis. runners

> Marquard pitched the first four in nings with his accustomed speed. the third, however, he "got in the hole" on Glaze, the Indianapolis hole" on Glaze, the Indianapolis bases. That wallop and a single in the fourth inning was all the damage done to Marquard. Drucke hurled the last five rounds, and although he faced only two right-handed was touched for only three hits. Wac is Drucke's home town and he was bit overanxious to make good. The score:

New York. Doyle, 2b..... 4 0 Seymour, cf ..... Devlin, 3b ..... 4 Merkle. 1b ..... 3 Schlei, c ..... 2 Marquard, p..... 

Indianapolis, A. Spencer, cf.... 2 0 Callahan, cf..... 2 Delehanty, Hayden, rf ..... 2 Bowerman, c.... Leon. c. ..... 2 Mowe, 85. ..... 2 Hopke, 3b. ..... Williams, 2b ..... Glaze. p ..... 1

F. Spencer, ..... 1

Totals .......30 0 5 27 15 New York ..... ) 0 0 0 0 2 0 3 0-Indianapolis ...0 0 0 0 0 0 0 Summary-Two-base hit. Merkle Three-base hit, Glaze. Home run, Herzog. Sacrifice fly, Devora. Stolen bases, Lewis, Callahan, Herzog, Dev lin. Left on bases, New York, 4; In-dianapolis, 7. Forst base on errors, zog to Merkle.

Indiananolis 1: New York 2. Double plays, Devore to Schlei; Doyle to Her Struck out, by Glaze proval by congress of a report agreed 2: by Marquard, 2: by Drucke, I. upon by a conference committee to-Bases on balls, off Marquard, 2: off branch in South Brookiyn.

The branches will collect orders at the retail price, and send them in to the retail price, and send them in to the wholesale, where they will be at-The bill provides heavy penalties off Graham, 3 in three innings. Umfor the importation or trafficking in pire. Mr. Spencer. Time of game, 1 women for improper purposes. The hour and 50 minutes. Attendance,

### HALLIMAN A HIGHLANDER. Chase Says Californian Leaguer Will Surprise Fans.

Upon the recommendation of Captain Hal Chase, the New York Amer ican League Club has purchased the release of Third Baseman Halliman if from the Stockton club of the California State League and the new player has been ordered to report at Athens, Ga.

According to the official records of last season Halliman, in 136 games, made 86 safe hits, an average of .181.

which is not much if figures mean antything, Halliman played 118 games ge.

Arington Rall 19-11 81. Marts P. Clinton Hall 19-11 19-"The Mediterranean." Col. Edwin Hav- fornia State League and the new

Public School 62, Hester and Essex which is not much if figures mean Rianchard, at third base with a fielding average
Public School 64, 10th street, east of of .869 and 21 games at second base ton by the San Francisco club in mid Chase says the newcomer will sur

prise the fans.

## SOCIALISTS PLAN LEAGUE.

The baseball club of the 23d Assen Public School 135, First avenue and bly District, Brooklyn, which wen the last street: "Folk Songs of France," pennant last season, is preparing to pennant last season, is preparing to players stree: "Mr. Roosevelt's Hunting March 19, at their clubroom, 1821 Pit-Ground," A. G. P. Collen. Kin avenue, and are anxious to hear Public School 165, 108th street and from other managers who wish to en-Amsterdam avenue: "Berlin." Dr. Henry | ter. th. ir teams in the Socialist League ick.

Public School 170, 111th street and ing the league can be had by address ing William Barcan, 7 Bristol street. Brooklyn.

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RYAN TRAINS JOHNSON

Man Who Helped Jeffries Beat Fitz-Signs Up With the Negro Champion.

the best boxers in the ring, reached an agreement with Johnson after a conference in Chicago late Tuesday night.

hardly be relished by Jeffries for the that the latter has been at swords' points with Ryan for Ryan went down to Allenhurst, N. J., when Jeff was training for the first fight with Fitzsimmons in 1899 and instructed the Californian in the art of self-defense. Ryan prac tically cut Jeff to pieces while giving these valuable lessons, but that was the only way to teach the boilermaker how to fight. Several years later Ryan and Jef-

nature over money matters and in-dulged in much personal abuse. Then stopped speaking to each other and have been bitter enemies ever LANGFORD 10 TO 1 FAVORITE

The betting is 10 to 4 that Langford will beat Fireman Jim Flynn in 45-round bout near Los Angeles to-If Langford tries his best Flynn, it is thought, will not last long.

ATTELL TO FIGHT DRISCOLL

Bays Before Big Battle.

Abe Attell, the American feather weight champion, has signed article to fight 25 rounds with Jem Driscoll, of England, at Colma, Cal., on July 2. Promoter Coffroth secured Dris coll's signature while in London re cently and the agreement calls for 126 pounds ringside, the men to receive a percentage of the gate receints and the world's featherweight

Coffroth thinks this affair will be how to fight scientifically, has been engaged to train Jack Johnson for the big fight next July. Byen for the

SHARKEY ACCUSES SALZMAN.

### Says Man Arrested in Scranton Stole His \$2,800 Auto.

Thomas Sharkey, the ex-pugilist swore out a complaint of grand larceny in the Adams Street Court, Brooklyn, yesterday, against George Salzman, who was arrested Tuesday afternoon by the police authorities in Scranton, Pa. Sharkey accused Salzman of stealing his auto valued at \$2.800.

Sharkey engaged Salzman Febru ary 1 last, to sell the automobile, and alleges Salzman took the machine and has not been seen since. He was tryfries had a disagreement of a serious ing to dispose of the ca rin Scrantor

> CINCINNATI BOWLERS WIN. DETROIT. March 16 .- The two

man event in the tenth annual tournament of the American Bowling Congress, which closed today, was won by Albert Daiker and Ed Wetterman, of Cincinnati. Their total of 1,231 was Cincinnati. pinned on March 6.

PERMITS BETTIN

dividuals May Wager B

ALBANY, March 16 .- Ase Harry C. Perkins, of Bingh day had his new anti-track bills, covering oral betting to cisions of the Court of mended and recommitted to th ommittee. The bill in its shape provided that "any person engages in pool selling or bools ing orally or otherwise at any or in any other way conducts, promotes gambling in connection or based upon horse races, or ostensibly," was guilty of

Perkins has amended his bee eliminate the words "or in any ray conducts; aida or promotes bling in connection with or upon horse races, actually or sibly," so as not to prohibit any dividual from making an indepant

Hughes favors the amen proposed by Perkins,

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appear on the program are H Frayne, organizer of the Ar Federation of Labor; Mrs. Alm ster-Powell, Carrie W. Allen er nora O'Rei's. Tickets for the be had from Frederick at the meeting of the local i Ar'ington Hall, 23 St. Mark's

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## ST. PATRICK'S DAY.

brings back vividly the mem the fine green banner that o bravely from one of the Carnegic Hall at the Wom meeting. This day is a go for Woman's Sphere to send and appreciation to the ialist Federation.

#### MEETING OF HARLEM SO T WOMEN'S STUDY CLUB.

her series of talks at the lem Socialist Women's Study Club. interesting and instructive offered for Friday, March theless, for Dr. Jane E. Robretary of the Public Educaety. will speak on "Some De Our Educational System. bbins is a woman of great exnestly hoped that a large au-of Harlem women will be pres-

ecture will take place, as usual. west 125th street, at 8 o'clock p. Visitors are cordially invited.

## LENA MORROW-LEWIS.

## By Ida Crouch-Hazlett.

Lewis, who has just beer e is the first woman to serve in capacity, and the large vote acich her work and intellect are

rs. Lewis is an old friend of the olgirl days. Her father is denomination in which the ment was also reared. She gradu-at the United Presbyterian colour home town, Monmouth

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After graduating she became teacher, and her parents moved to Paxton, Ill., where her father had charge of the U. P. Church, and where was a teacher in the high school. We both became interested in the work of the Illinois W. C. T. U., myself becoming an organizer, and Lena becoming an active speaker, worker and delegate. We passed by apparently the same evolutionary stages into the clation, both of us becoming national organizers, and both of us go through the state amendment campaigns of South Dakota and Oregon

Our evolution was similar out of th orthodox religious interpretation of the universe, and into modern occult thought, both of us at one time being lecturers and so-called demonstrators along this line. We reached the scien tific interpretation by study and the acquiring of facts.

became a Socialist through the Populist road, and Mrs. Lewis through the anarchist. We began the propa ganda of Socialism at about the time, Mrs. Lewis at one time editing Socialist paper in Portland.

She has a powerful analytical and progressive intellect, is a despiser of shams and superstitions of all kinds. and nobly and courageously assert accordance. She is one of the women She is a patient worker, a powerful speaker, and a thorough organizer. mittee cannot but be a strong force for practical measures.

It is with much admiration and the It is with much admiration and the so appointd a committee to blue-pencil warmest friendship that I am glad to Wickersham's reference to prominent citible able to give this testimony to the zens. ability of the woman who comes into the directing work of the Socialist party of America.

#### ENGLISHMAN ON WOMAN the President. SUFFRÂGE IN AMERICA.

It seems to me that girls are more miseducated than boys, especially now that every girl is destined to come foward as a citizen. It is natural to think at some time in her life every woman will fulfill her normal destiny, that of a wife and mother; but in she will soon be exercising the privi leges of citizenship. "Are the girls and women of America prepared for this? I am asked. No. far from it; but they and some men. It is incomprehen sible to me, in view of the fact that suffrage will soon be given to women, both in this country and Great Britain, that all girls' schools and colleges do not have instruction and training in parliamentary law.

wonderfully potent element in politics when they have the ballot, for women realize that the machinery politics means less than men think it does. The latter mistake the means for the end. Women will take much more human view of politics. they have divested politics of the have invented to conceal graft and throw dust in the eyes of the public engrossed in business, that I believe whole future of America lies in the hands of women, and when women have the franchise they will shake the foundations of government in a way that will be of incalculable good to the ountry.-The Public.

## GRAFT IN WOLF BOUNTIES.

## Mayor of Canadian Town Arrested or Charge of Crooked Work.

RAINY RIVER, Ont., March 16 .-Parties in this district are alleged to have secured over \$4,000 in wolf bountles from the Ontario government by importing wolf skins from Minne-

## BROOKLYN CO-OPERATION.

American Co-Operative. Brooklyr American Co-operative probably and Retail Branch No. I. regular meeting of the board of directors and supervisors will be held on Thursday, March 17. at 8 p.m., in their headquarters, 477 Atlantic avenue. Imquarters, 477 Atlantic avenue. Im-portant business. All persons desir-ing to become members of the society are invited to send in their names as soon as possible, as husiness. soon as possible, as business will started about the first of May.

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## Ex-Governor of Alaska and Delegate of Territory Enliven haaring of House Committee.

WASHINGTON. March 16. - "Betrayer of confidence," "turncoat," "misstater of facts," and other equally opprobrious epithets were exchanged today by ex-Governor Hoggatt, of Alaska, and Delegate Wickersham, of the same territory, during the hearing of the house committee on territories held for the purpose of considering Wickersham's bill tic province. For a time it looked as igh Hoggatt and Wickersham would ook-throwing stage, but Chairman Hamilton (Republican, Michigar)

Hoggatt had insisted upon reading a etter recevied from Wickersham while he latter was on the bench and the former was in the governor's chair. Hog-gatt said that the words "in confidence," with which Wickersham had headed the letter ceased to have weight the moment the writer left the bench. Besides that. Wickersham had made the committee ow a lotf of things that it did not Therefore he read it, while Wickershan

In the missive Wickersham patted Hoggatt on the back for opposing a change in the form of government and pitched into various prominent men in the territory. One man in particular was characterized as a "dirty old Democrat." and "worthless white trash." After hearit was too hot to put into the Record, so appointd a committee to blue-pencil

Hoggatt accused Wickersham of facing squarely about on the change of govern-ment idea and then of trying to misrep-resent him (Hoggatt) to the people and

George H. McCloud, manager of the Fairhaven Water Company, a corpora-tion mining for gold on Seward penin-sula, was also heard by the committee and opposed any change in the presen



#### PILZER VIOLIN RECITAL. Mendelssohn Hall.

Maximilian Pilzer, concertmaster of the Volpe Symphony Orchestra, entertained a goodly assemblage of music-lovers in a recital program of night, with Alexander MacFayden providing support at the piano

ing was Gluseppe Tartini's famed "Devil's Trill," which was followed by the heroic piece, Vieuxtemps' D-minor concerto. Beethoven's (opus 50), a "Mazurka" by Arnold Volpe, the Wilhelmj transcription of Schubert's "Ave Maria" and Rehfield's "Saltarello" were the other numbers heard with pianoforte accompaniment violin alone, put to the test M. Pilzer'

powers in solo performance.

The work of the soloist met the full appreciation of his hearers and following repeated showers of applause he was called upon to add several encore pieces to his program.

## SYMPHONY SOCIETY OF NEW YORK.

Carnegie Music Hall. Today George Westcott, elected ty-fifth anniversary as a music conmayor only yesterday, and another ductor in New York, Walter Damman were arrested at Fort Francis charged with the frauds. Marking the attainment of his twenby the Symphony Society of New York, of a program which was an upon his first public appearance in the Metropolitan Opera House a quarter-century ago-March 27, 1885-and which brought forward as the solo performer Mme. Fannie Bloomfield-Zeisler, who, as Mile. Fannie Bloomfield, essayed Carl Maria von Weber's

'Concertstueck' upon that occasion.
Franz Schubert's chef d'oeuvre, the Ninth (C-major) symphony, Camille Saint-Saens' barcarolle for string en-semble. "A Night in Lisbon," the Weber "Concertstueck" and the sym-phonic poem. "Die Hunzenschlacht." of Franz Liszt, made up the historic array of music. Frank Sealy assisted the performance of the latter work at

The immense Carnegie auditorium was attractively decorated and the stage banked with evergreens. A massive silver loving cup, presented to Muestro Damrosch by the Symphony the rendition of the Schubert symhony and resolutions passed in praise of the artistic endeavors of the conductor by the Metropolitan Opera Company, the Oratorio Society, the Symphony Society of New York and prominent out-of-town symphonic oras a part of the ceremonies attending the occasion. A brief address was made by Maestro Damwisch in response to the felicitations directed to

The Schubert "Ninth" was accorded a reading of completest beauty by Maestro Damrosch, who presented the "andante con moto" with a canto quality of ensemble tone that reflected the most spirituelle of the great Teutonic master's lyric conceptions. The strings of the big band were in excellent form and in the scherzo this department won a decided triumph of execution, the arpeggii pizziccati being accomplished with phenomenal reson-

The barcarolle, "A Night in Lisbon," was enticingly rendered by the string orchestra and the prominent harp role therein taken with fine confidence by

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"Concertstueck," Mme.

## Socialist News of the Day

office by noon of the day previous to publication. All meetings begin at 8 p.m. unless otherwise ordered.

## Tonight's Meetings. MANHATTAN AND BRONX.

2 A. D .- 313 Grand street.

3d and 10th A. D .- 272 East 10th 29th A. D .- 1461 Third avenue.

Proposed amendments to local constitution will be voted on. 35th A. D.-3369 Third avenue.

20th A. D .- 1461 Third avenue Harlem Forum. 260 West 125th street, at 8:15, Robert W. Bruere will

lecture on "How Will the Revolution Bruere, previous to becom ing a Socialist, was for some years a the head of one of the largest organ ized charities in the city, and from his experiences there has strong and wellfounded views on the futility of any palliative for the relief of poverty and other equally intolerable conditions. A sured and the audience is sure to be

### WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

County Committee will meet at Yonkers on the first Sunday in April. In conjunction with the meeting a conference of all Socialists in Westchester County will be held to discus means of propaganda.

Yonkers held its regular neeting Tuesday, March 15. Referendum A. 1910, was taken up, also election of national committeemun. The following were nominated as delegates to the International Congress: Morris Hillquit, Eugene V. Dehs, Gustav Strebel, Theresa Malkiel, John Spargo and Robert Hunter. A committee was instructed to arrange for a mass meeting on May 1.

#### BROOKLYN. Business.

4th A. D .- 237 Rutledge street Special meeting and debate at Dr. 17th A. D.-499 Lexington avenue.

21st A. D .- 181 McKibben street.

11th Ward-80 Hutton street. Im ortant business meeting.

8th Ward—169 Monticello avenue. 6th and 14th Wards Branches.

#### NEWARK. Ashby's Hall, corner 8th street and

xteenth avenue. 13th Ward Branch-Labor Lyceum. Eighteenth avenue and 10th street.

### ELIZABETH, N. J.

All delegates to the Debs confer committee and Comrades who tion on Sunday afternoon should at tend the important meeting to-night at 634 Elizabeth avenue.

## WEST HOBOKEN.

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From Local Johnstown, N. Y.,

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s must be in this demning the action of upstate locals in sending out a circular letter advo-Gustave Strebel for national commit-Local Johnstown believes this a dangerous precedent and wants to learn the opinion of other locals on the subject. The Haywood meetbeen a great success, the county court

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the women of Hoboken at 224 Mountain road, on the subject of "Woman Suffrage," this evening. The meeting, to which the public generally is invited, will begin at 8 o'clock Miss Gill is a forceful speaker, on thoroughly acquainted with her sub ject, and the discussion is expected to prove of unusual interest.

## BRESHKOVSKAYA EXILED.

Declines Friends' Offer to Lighten Her Siberian Journey.

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As the movement for this event gathers force, it is assuming more and more the features of a great exhibition of the spirit of solidarity among all the workers, without regard to organization lines, either po litical or industrial.

All delegates are 'urgently advised to attend, and organizations are re quested to send in their credentials without delay.

At Oakmere School, New Rochelle the Rev. Frederick Lynch will speak this afternoon under the auspices of York. The lecture will deal with the cost, the waste, and the uselessness of war, its drain on the social, finan-

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## ENDLESS STRIFE.

The diverse and conflicting capitalist interests centering about the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company have not been able to come to an agreement among themselves. This is the meaning of the breaking off of negotiations between the company's officials on the one hand, and the strike leaders on the other hand.

The city of Philadelphia roust continue to suffer from turmoil. and confusion and a condition bordering on wivil war. The carmen and the hundred thousand who have struck in their support must continue in enforced idleness-for it must never be left out of sight that the Rapid Transit Company forced the strike on its men. Every engaged by the company only as a war class of the population must continue to suffer to a greater or less extent, from mere inconvenience and disturbance of daily routine to the downright hardship and privation. And all this for no other reason ing the city under martial law. than that certain financial pirates and political corruptionists have tacked the Frankford barn and burned fallen out among the inselves.

We are supposed to be living in an age of civilization, in a state ruled by law and order. Our bourgeois historians have taught us to look back with contempt upon the Dark Ages, in which the country was divided among a multitude of robber barons living in castles perched on the heights and surrounded by moats and ramparts. Then the country suffered from never-ceasing warfare among the barons themselves and from the robberies and extortions practiced by the barons upon the rest of the population. And we are told to labor party in the United States, and congratulate ourselves upon the vest advance we have made from that condition of social chaos and anarchy.

Well, let us look about us. There is the strike in the Bethlehem Steel Works in Pennsylvania. There is the strike in the works of the International Paper Company in New York. There is the general strike in Philadelphia. There is an infinity of minor strikes North and South, East and West. There is the threatened strike on the great railway systems of the West. There also is the threatened general strike for the entire state of Pennsylvania. Endless war between the barons of capital on the one hand and the serfs of labor on the other hand. And all this while the warfare among the various capitalistic groups and cliques goes merrily on.

Such is the law and such the order of capitalist society.

## OUR BOASTED LIBERTIES.

How much is still left us of our boasted liberties? And in order to make our question perfectly plain to everybody, even to Mr. Samuel Gompers, President of the American Federation of Labor, we will say at once that we are not speaking of economic party had fought loyally for every measure advocated by the State Fed-

To talk of economic liberties for the masses of the people under a highly developed capitalist system, is nothing less than an absurdity. The very utmost that may possibly be obtained for the working people under such a system is an alleviation of their dependence and slavery, a measure of restraint enforced upon the arbitrariness and tyranny of the magnates of capital.

But we are speaking of political liberties, which at one time did enjoy in this country. How much is left of them now?

For the wage-workers, practically nothing at all. Every one of the political rights that might be of use to them in their conflicts with their masters has been reduced to a nullity by the process of judicial usurpation. The only right still left to them substantially unimpaired, at least in the North, is that of the ballot. And this right the workers have not yet learned to turn to their own use.

But even the bourgeois elements of the population are becoming accustomed to seeing their traditional political liberties go by the board one after another. Consider only the case of the theatrical managers who were prohibited by the corrupt mayor of Philadelphia from producing Galsworthy's "Strife." No plainer violation of political liberty can well be imagined than the suppression of this performance without the slightest warrant of law. Yet the managers meekly submit to this unlawful act. They do not even enter a protest. The thing is accepted in the same matter of fact way as if it had occurred in Russia.

The deprivation of political rights inflicted upon the workers is bound to react also upon the bourgeois elements of society, just as bound to react also upon the bourgeois elements of society, just as
the subjugation of distant countries and their government by a buin that benighted Western town (to
borrow the language of a Scandinavday. George Haven Puttans spoke
the Socialists, is quering country. But the workers have, at least, tried to defend their rights, although in a halting and, therefore, ineffectual manner. While the bourgeois do not make the slightest effort at resistance.

The campaign against Socialism by the various religious denominations seems to be most carefully planned and organized. The Catholic Church is the most active in this campaign, for the very good reason that it is the best organized of all the churches. But the various Protestant bodies are gradually falling into line. This is as it should be. The organized churches of this country defended the institution of chattel slavery and adduced proofs from the Bible journalism. establishing divine sanction for it. We have not the least doubt that they will also be able to adduce similar proofs for the divine sanction Sessions, of wage-slavery. But proofs, whether from the Bible or other books, and whether good, bad, or indifferent, have never yet established or overthrown any social system.

## WAR AND PEACE.

By JOS. E. COHEN.

dustrial war.

Wars are not fought with rose water. Sherman said, "War is hell." This is just as true of industrial war, of internecene conflict, as of wars of cannon and shot, between men serving under different flags.

The Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company, its mayor and director of public safety regard the war from the standpoint of a ruling class. For them the men and women out of strike are guilty ters. They know only one instrument with which to end the strife-the

The men hired as strikebreakers are not experienced motormen and conduc-tors. They make no pretense of being. The list of daily casualties would expose the sham of any such pretense. They are strikebreakers and nothing else.

biudgeon.

Their sole purpose in coming here is compel the men out on strike to surrender. They revel in the misery of working people; they catch the drippings from the overflowing coffers of the craction company is return for driving the They are human ghouls, void of the milk of fraternity, resembling the

iman being only in appearance. Their "shoeting up" Frankford when several inoffensive men and children wer seriously wounded, their marnuoing ex-pedition last Saturday night, when it as though Bediam had broker here is to provoke an outbreak on part of the people, to furnish an ex

Had the people retaliated, had they att to the ground, and had they driven the strikebreakers out of town, they would have but meted out the only brand of

In reading a trade union journal

the other day I learned that there is a

And I saw printed in that journal

an appeal to the union men of Amer-

ica for money to help the political

vork of this labor party.

The appeal was made by unionists

to unionists, and signed by a state secretary of the Federation of Labor

and the state organizer of the Fed-

eration of Labor.

The officials of the bakers, the ma-

chinists, the brewery workers, the metal workers, the building trades, and the molders also signed this ap-

peal asking for support of THEIR

This appeal of trade unionists to

trade unionists said that this labor party had increased its vote in the

In 1898 it had 2,400 votes; in 1900.

in 1906, 16,000, and in 1908, 21,000

The appeal stated that this labor

party had ten members of the city council out of thirty-five; six mem-bers of the county board out of six-

teen; one state senator out of thirty-

sembly out of one hundred, and four

members of the school board out of

I rubbed my eyes. What, said I.

a labor party, a successful labor party.

a powerful labor party, in this be-nighted and barbarous country of America? Nonsense—It is impossible!

But I read on, until I learned that

political action, and along with its WIN, unions to strike, it had its unions to

Hean in his place.

Here, at last, was a body of work-information.

in one place in America the working class had begun to take intelligent

ngmen that did not have to beg at

a very successful one.

following manner:

cration of Labor.

Philadelphia is in a condition of in-t justice the strikebreakers and the con

But the people did not do that. They have learned to serve their cause another way. They refrain from riding on the cars. They boycott any one who so forgets himself as to board a car. The people of Frankford refuse to recognize the company. They have "nothing to ar-

In a struggle of this character refusa to ride is a very effective way to hurt the company. It is a strike at the com-pany's coffers, it cuts off the provisions

But that is by no means the most ef-There is another of deadly action. It is The reign of peace.

The company waxes fat upon di So long as there are disturbances, all th company needs do is to put in a bill for damages to the city. And the city, in this instance, being its mayor and director public safety, its falsified bill will paid in full.

when there is perfect order, to gether with empty cars, then the company must bear the brunt of its losses. annot then thrust its crooked fingers into the public treasury without there being a scandal and an exposure.

The people have come to this conclu-on. It is no wonder, theu, that the leaders of the strike countenance no vic diminishing. It is no wonder that in th practically no disturbances of any kine It is the highest tribute that can be paid to labor's, power to discipline itself

Capital's weapons are those of brut force, weapons of war. Labor's weapon-are those of intelligent man, weapons of Capital has attained its master by the sword, and it will perish by its own hand. Labor will come into its own by the mere strength of its numbers, by organization and education, modestruction of life or property.

And labor will inaugurate the era enduring peace and good will.

And it was wise enough to adopt

did not consist in obtaining soft po

litical jobs for a few leaders.

And I rubbed my eyes again and

said, what, is this America, my old

beloved, benighted, barbarous coun

And I found that this labor party

It actually has demands to make of

It has a municipal program, a stat

It has a program for its day's work, s week's work, its year's work, and

It has its own building, its own

press, its own machine.

The more I read the more I rubbed

my eyes and asked myself, is thi America, my own beloved, benighted

And I asked myself, why does th

livic Federation allow the workers to

Hearst go into that state and run

And then I learned the most terri-

ble thing of all—that Socialists and trade unionists are working hand in

hand, and this made me wonder mor

than ever why Mr. Belmont allow

And this labor party, made up of unionists and Socialists, is at this moment straining every muscle to win

the government of a great city.
It is at this moment in the midst

of an intense campaign, fighting both

Republicans and Democrats, with the

intention of taking a city into its own

Great meetings are now being held

literature is now being distributed a

every door, agitation is at its height and THE WORKERS HOPE TO

And if any unionist who happens

And let him not be surprised, if he

to see these lines wants to know more

Why doesn'

program, and a national program.

the existing order for the purpose of improving the condition of the work

A LABOR PARTY IS HERE!

By ROBERT HUNTER.

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its life work.

have such a party.

## THE AWAKENING.

By JOHN W. HOLLAND.

My hands are raw and my fingers stiff,
And my back is tired and bent.
My legs grow weak and my step is slow.
From the many years I've spent
As a slave in this heartless, selfish world:
And I pray to God o'erhead or courage and to give me strength.
To earn my daily bread.

My master, a King of Industry is he,
And his heard of tainted gold
Is the fruit of my toil and life of painA tale too often told.
He gluts himself on my fish and bloo
As he smacks his greedy lips,
And slakes his thirst with the recking

Through the dingy street to a tene I pled, at the close of day, And up the creaking, narrow steps

That off my forehead drips,

Where in a limp, contorted beap, throw myself on the wretch For a few hours' restless sleep.

A sten I heard and a hand was laid Upon my weary head, And as I raised my eyes and looked about I saw, just beside my bed,

And he spoke as he nearer came While his eyes burned bright and th Through the yeins in his massive frame

The time to act has come at last: Our shackles we must burst And free ourselves from the bondage crue By which we've long been cursed: o come with me to the streets below, Where our fellow toilers wait.

And we'll fight for liberty or death E'er we find it is too late."

With the flowing tide of the surging hord-We moved through the narrow street And with flaming torch and club and gur

Pushed on, our fate to meet. To the "Great White Ways," where the "Other Half" In ease and wealth reside :

Where the lap dogs feast on the dainty Which our children are denied.

saber flashed, then cannon belched While a thousand rifles spoke, And the mob rushed on, with a savage

Through the clouds of swirling smoke The marble club, and the mansion grand

Of my master, like the rest, When the mob had on onward pressed

At last we paused, by the water's edge, When a voice I recognized Was lifted up from the blood-stained dust At my feet, so agonized, That I stooped and raised the faller

wretch And bathed his fevered head, Of my master-he was dead!

Above the blackened, crumbling walls Of the Hall of Justice near, I turned to look, as the night air rang
With a mighty, thrilling cheer:
There, far above the smoking pile

The flag for which our fathers fought For which we bled that night.

But what is that? A whistle shrieked Ah. yes! I knew it well;
ify master called me from my
Just another day of hell.

## CHILD LABOR IN INDIANA.

dustries in Indiana that employ child labor. And in the factories that employ children, in the mines, etc., proportionately four times as many children as adults are injured and maimed for life. This danger to the little ones as well as the stunting of their growth and their deprivation of the benefits of education, is all exposed in a series of pamphlets issued by E. N. Clopper, the secretary of the national child labor

committee for the Ohio valley states In Indiana boys under sixteen and eighteen may work ten hours daily and sixty hours weekly in factories, stores, laundries, bakeries, renovating works, printing offices mills, workshops, mines and quarries while in establishments other than these there is no limit as to the work hours. An elevator is the only kind of a dangerous machine that children under sixteen are not allowed to at-

In the blowing room of a glass factory in the southern part of the state fifteen boys were counted. This plant was surrounded by a high fence with barbed wire on top, a feature which was noticed in connection with a glass works in another town. When asked about the purpose of this fence, a "Boys will be boys When they get tired they are apt to run off, especially at night. We keep i on. watchman with a big bulldog so the boys are not likely to sheak. Of course, the watchman keeps tramps out, too."

One of the public school principals in Marion furnished a list of fourteen boys who were working at night and ished, with less of the rough "give going to school in the daytime. These and take" that he used to have, but lads are employed for one trick lasting he is all the more effective. four and a half hours, on four of the week, but on Friday night they work during two tricks until 3 or 4 o'clock in the morning, as school is not in session on Saturday and they can sleep late in the day.

"It might have been," he commented, thoughtfully. "Might have been what?" they

"Might have been triples, and only twins," he replied, with the air of one who was determined to be as optimistic as the circumstances would permit.-Tit-Bits.

A Chicago man gave notice that he was going to blow up the United States senate with an explosive, and the police got busy at once in an effort to run him down. Pure patriotism receives but little encourage-

## LETTERS TO THE EDITO

Editor of The Call: In your news column of March 14 is a story from Washington which tells of a plan to "utilize Mexican cheap labor on the one haud and strike a staggering blow at orishing all tariff restrictions between this country and Mexico. Personally I do not believe organized labor would be staggered a single lurch by such an action. 'Neither do I believe the capitalists would find Mexico the paradise of cheap labor this news story speaks of. In fact, it would be an excellent thing all round if the tariff wall between this country and Mexico was levelled. It would mean the beginning of a solid, intelligent co-operation between the working classes of the three countries.

There is no necessity for the workers in this country being "het up"

over the cry of cheap labor in Mex ico. That game has been worked until it should take its proper place with the three shells and the clusive little pea. Mexico is at the point where it is due to develop as a manufacturing country, instead of being merely a mining and agricultura land. Canada is already under way So any cheap labor that is available will be wanted at home. Besides that the United States has an abundance of cheap labor. For example, any one who knows agricultural conditions outside of the bigger and richer farms, will agree that there are no heaper, no more docile and long suf fering laborers anywhere, than farm ers' wives. Neither Mexico nor Can da can excel us in that respect.

ada can excel us in that respect.

But they certainly will not be able to flurry us by noisy gabble about the cheap labor of one or the other country.

F. MAC D. ountry. F. MA New York, March 14, 1910.

A DEBATE IN BROOKLYN. Editor of The Call:

At the headquarters of the Socialis party of Kings County, in Brooklyn tonight, I went to hear Stodel debate with Coughlin, of the Machinista Union, connected with the A. F. of L. The subject for discussion was "Craft vs. Industrial Unionism," and

I thought you might be interested in getting a report of the impression that one of the audience found of the The hall is well situated, opening

straight on the street, and is evidently formed of a store that has been transformed into a very presentable club-room, library and hall combined There are two connecting rooms can be thrown into one, and both were crammed, jammed full of working people, interested in the discus-

I recognized many old-timere There were Justus Ebert, enthusias-tic as ever: Tim Walsh, slight, lithe, alert Jack Walsh, and many younger

alert Jack Walsh, and many younger and newer men in the movement. There was a sprinkling of women, Mrs. Stodel among them. Coughlin seemed to realize that he was up against a difficult proposition. He is a young man, about twenty-six, well built, athletic, a splendid type of a young workingman. He took his seat on the left of the chairman, Fer-gueon of the Socialist party, and guson, of the Socialist party, and Stodel to the right. Behind them was a gigantic picture of Debs, looking with calm interest on the scene. Coughlin seemed flustered and heated. his face grew scarlet, and he per-spired freely, but the picture of Debi looked no more calm and unconcerned than the imperturbable face of Sam Stodel, as he waited for the start. Coughlin led off with a fifteen-min-ute speech. He seemed to think that

ute speech. He seemed to think that the I. W. W. was like the K. of L. a simple conglomerate mass of all kinds of workers. The I, W. W.'s were theorists, the A. F. of L.'s practical Theory was well enough as dream, but the craft unions had short-ened hours and raised wages. When he was stuck for the right word, his position to help him by suggestions which he accepted. Once he seemed lost for the right expression to indicate the present conditions of the workers. "Wage" he said, and seemed to appeal to the auditors to supply the word "Slavery." Jack Walsh ven-tured, but he preferred the expres-sion "oppression." which one of his friends made use of. He made a rather poor showing on the whole, and when Stodel stepped forward, he had no difficulty in disposing of all the arguments of his opponent in short order. He took up nearly all the labor "leaders." proof" (to quote a favorite expression of a once notorious would-be leader) that they had sold and misled the workers time after time. He naid his respects to Mike Heahy, now in Phila-delphia, and in referring to the latter's boast that he could pull out the workers in the powerhouse, he de-manded, "Why does he not do it?" manded, way does he hot up it.
"He couldn't pull out his watch,"
came the quick rejoiner of Jack
Walsh, behind me. The audience
howled with delight at the sally. It was several minutes before the laugh-ter subsided enough for Stodel to go

Well, Sam has improved speaker. In the days of the Unity the s roet corner, he could give the best account or nimeer all comers, of any speaker in the all comers, of any speaker in the city. He is milder today, more political with less of the rough "give

he is all the more effective.

He disposed of that pure and simpler with about as much ease as a cat would a mouse, and save one the impression of immense reserve power. There was nothing in it but Stodel, and it was Stodel all the way. It was too easy; won in a walk.

The craft union men departed seemingly much crestfaller effect the

The craft union men separted seemingly much crestfallen after the meeting closed.

Katherine Flynn was there with a number of "Eleven Blind Leaders." by Ben Williams, and she disposed of

Justus Ebert gave away a lo of Solidarities.

New York, March 13, 1910.

HOW TO GET INTO TROUBLE. ditor of The Call:

old wagen, but she's done broke down."

If there he one among those present
whose heart panteth for an argument.
I beseech the brother to fare forth, seek
out a union meeting and give untermore
to this immortal sentiment. It will be
well to memorize it thoroughly, so that

then he'll dig a statements of fact, one of as everlastingly true as the G him, and the other as damm as the traitor who made the ment. He will remind you of it progress labor has made a refused longer to follow the fi trine that "an injury to one is

He will insist that such men are trying to cause dissension ranks of labor, and will say has good reason to believe the and your kind are attempting to a rival union. With this crushe arred from the hall the broth take his seat, meanwhile ga indignation.

You will then hear from a cho will agree with you th structive unionism has been a old wagon, but he will deny in a statement that she has broke He will admit that she has snag over in Philadelphia, but is yet time for the brethren is Quaker City to retrieve the false they have taken. It may be need to revoke a few charters, but a nothing new. Didn't it become a sary to fire half of the electrical ers out of the federation only a ers out of the federation only a time ago, and after all was ask done, hadn't Samuel Gompers held office, and wasn't he still at the story of his trip to Europe?

After the applause has died designed haven't been thrown out yet, with mechanic has some some story.

will probably hear some young per-snapper say that you were in regard to the glorious past o structive unionism. He will her many victorious battles of fought fields. The brother will that the grand old vehicle does just a little, her wheels do wabbi kingbolt is twisted and the tires shrinking. He will point out she's been shot full of holes h Supreme Court decisions and fine will remind the brethren that mayor and the police of Philadel are doing all they can to defeat

are doing all they can to defeat strikers, and he will state it as he lief that labor will never come into own until it goes into politics.

Just then the speaker will be in rupted by a brother whose w sounds husky from much speak. He will begin something like to "That is what I have been trying tell you people for years. Now, if will read our platform you will that the Socialist party—" Bang! fall the gavel of the presiding of and the brother will be reminded and the brother will be reminded. politics are barred by the by-law

Yes, my friend, I say unto you, any time you find two or three mists gathered together and your longoth for strife, just open penings with the statement that she grand old wagon, etc., and ; soon get all the cantankerous New York, March 10, 1910.

FOR A LABOR PARTY Editor of The Call: In your issue of March 2, ye

lished an article by Robert entitled "Will History Repeat II in which he recites how the party was formed in Great Bris New, Robert Hunter has bee

long on personal friendly ter that before the Taff-Vale there was an Independent Lal in Great Britain advocating in and out of season an allian posing the trade unionists tive bodies, and Socialist be there such a party in exis America? I am afraid not. chance for the Socialist part If a labor party is not forme will be for the want of men Would that Keir Hardle and I McDonald were here. Socialist leaders of this country to learn that the immediate fore them is not the bringing the Socialist republic, but the ing of the working classes politically independent? workers have learned to stan their own legs it will be quite at matter to bring home to the

ALEX, DYK Paterson, N. J., March 9, 1916. DOOLEY ON THE

"What is all this talk that's papers about the open shop? Mr. Hennessey.

"Why, don't ye know?" sald Dooley. "Really, I'm surprise yer ignerence, Hinnissey. Wh open shop? Shure, 'tis a shopthey kape th' door open t' a date th' consthant sthream of comin' in t' take jobs cheaper the min what has th' jobs. 'Tis like Hinnissey—suppose wan of the of wan large iron dollar a day hours. Along comes another fi son-of-a-gun, an' he ses t' th' b think I could handle th' job for cints.' Shure, ses th' boss, wan dollar man gets th' mer lin' can, an' goes out into it wurld it exercise his in roights as a freebarn Ameryes and scab on some other po An' so it goes on, Hinnissey. gets th' benefit? Thrue, it is boss money, but he don't care for money than he does for heye. It's all principle wid i hates t' see min robbed of the pindence. They must have to pindence, reghardliss of inythe wan dollar man gets th' m pindence, They must ha pindence, reghardliss of i "But," said Mr. Henn

open shop min ye minsh are for th' unions, if pr

erly conducted. An' there wud they have thim

## ON THE FIRING LINE.

labor party is that it doesn't elect a grow bigger and bigger until all the Democrat for one term and fire him workers of America are part of it, let

out at the end of it to put a Repub- him write to the secretary of his lican in his place.

the doors of the legislature.

It was impudent enough to send its consin is already powerful and desown men to the lawmaking body to the din the not far distant future to

advocate its measures, and to fight rule that state in the interests of the

Gn(awing a file is one of the amusements of purgatory, and gnawing a sends as Socialist tile is—hades, ch. John editor of

Already the stinkpots of politics waved over the head of the dead Boss. But wait until the petticoats lie are heard from

so that we can perch aloft like re-spectable monkeys or parrots.

Some time ago Life, that brightest of all comic papers, instituted a contest in which a prize was to be given the best answer as to what a certain relegram said. Did you notic how soon the Hearst newspapers pirated the idea? Tals is modern

The judges of the Court of General New York, average four and a half hours on the tench d a half hours on the tench per y, for which they receive \$15,000 the people's money per annum. der an opinion that an eight-hour is "prosperous."

and unconstitutional

the obscure Waukegan Gazette, and has not a word of prais those magnificent and truly inspiring panegyries in the New York Evening Journal. Oh, Br er Brisbane, if thi is the way of the pillar of our repubsave your lick and save your spittle!

favor of "eliminating" the ignoran especially in large cities, where it "checks" the efforts of the "intelli of the kingdom of Plutocracy shall be

The honor of being a United States enator for a few months subbing or the job, so to speak—was too much for James Gordon, of Mississippi. The agined himself on Olympus, sipping

And, strange to say, neither Mr. day for the workers is confiscatory Lillis not Mr. Cudahy are Socialists. and unconstitutional.

sends a special letter of thanks to the

old man was so overcome by the grandeur of the thing that he imamrosia with the gods. The only horned and tailed thing he saw around horned and tailed thing he saw around there was Jeff Davis, the "radical" senator from Arkansas, who he sadly remarked, "is opposed to all pros-perity." Dear, delightful, comfortable gentleman of the old regime, to whom

By MQNOSABIO.

Heavens! John D. Rockefeller

A new kind of subway trap for straphangers is promised. I hope it will be larger and rigid like a trapeze. United States Mr. Putnam and helf United States, Mr. Putnam, and

veryone of these judges would ren- whatever is is right, because he, too, ment in this country.—Empire Ga- in this