





THE LOCKWOODS.

Members Of The "Socialist Party" Who Have Schemes "Into Em" that Are Worthy of Their Friend Wayland who Runs the "Great Storm Center of the Coming [Revolution]."

G. H. Lockwood, Secretary of the "Socialist party of Minnesota, likes to travel, and he likes to travel in style. Some time ago he issued a circular in which he stated that of all the methods of reaching the people, the automobile method was the best.

hold Automobile meetings, etc., also supervise, if necessary, the construction of the machine, the board of directors are hereby empowered to pay such bills of actual expense, railroad fare, printing, stationery, etc., incurred by them, as the board shall consider just and reasonable, the Lockwoods to give their time and energy free."

ordered the machine because we have not felt satisfied with any we have investigated; most of them are still in an experimental stage, and we do not wish to spend the money the comrades have contributed for an "experiment."

TWO PAGES FROM ROMAN HISTORY.

fatalism in our councils. The Socialist Republic is no predestined inevitable development. The Socialist Republic depends, not upon material conditions only; it depends upon these,—plus clearness of vision to assist the evolutionary process.

THE FIRST OF MAY.

THE INTERNATIONAL LABOR DAY OF THE WORKING CLASS.

A Brief History of May Day and its Old-Time Observance and Meaning—The New May Day and What It Stands For—S. L. P. Celebration of the Day.

The origin of the custom of ushering in the month of May by some sort of popular merriment is lost in antiquity. The custom at one time prevailed among all European nations. In the Middle Ages the first of May was universally kept as a day of holiday and pleasure.

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POLITICS AT THE BOTTOM OF "NO POLITICS IN THE UNION" FIGHT.

Hanna's Labor Lieutenant, Gompers and Roosevelt's Labor Lieutenant Korkowsky (White), Do Battle for Their Respective Masters.

Washington, April 23.—Politicians are much more interested in the announcement of war between Harry White, of the United Garment Workers, and Samuel Gompers, head of the American Federation of Labor than workers are, as it is generally known that the move is purely political.

CHICKENS COME HOME.

T. I. Kidd's Paper Publishes Some of the Results of His "Life-Work."

Below the reader will find a sample of capitalistic aggressiveness, such as has been seldom if ever heard of. It is high time that workmen and their friends arouse themselves and put an end to this iniquity, by going to the ballot-box and voting only for candidates on the workmen's ticket.

Trades' & Societies' Directory

- SECTION ESSEX COUNTY, S. L. P. The County Committee, representing the Sections, meets every Sunday, 10 A. M. in hall of Essex County Socialist Club, 78 Springfield avenue, Newark, N. J.

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OFFICIAL.

NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE—Henry Kuhn, Secretary, 2-6 New Road street, New York.

SOCIALIST LABOR PARTY OF CANADA—F. Darch, Secretary, 119 Dundas street, Market square, London, Ontario.

NEW YORK LABOR NEWS COMPANY—2-6 New Road street. (The Party's literary agency.)

NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE. Regular meeting held on April 25th at 2-6 New Road street.

Financial report was received from Labor News Co. for the months of January and February.

The Ohio State Executive Committee reported that comrade John D. Goerck has been elected State organizer.

The Wisconsin State Executive Committee reported the expulsion of J. W. Crossfield, a member at large for having voted for and accepted office with a capitalist party.

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Regular meeting of the N. E. C. held at London, Ont., April 21st with Comrade Forbes in the chair.

Communications: From Comrade Thompson stating that Section Toronto desired to see an organizer placed on the road.

As the N. E. C. considers this a great benefit to the Party, resolved that Section Toronto's proposition be placed before all the sections.

From Section Hamilton re. public speaking in that city during summer months.

New business: It was decided that at the Ontario elections a leaflet containing articles of the past experience of the various sections of capitalist corruption.

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Pittsburg, Pa., and Vicinity. The class conscious Socialists of Allegheny County, for the first time in the history of the Socialist Labor Party.

At 7:15 P. M. the South Side division of our parade will start from the 28th Ward Branch Headquarters.

Every Socialist should feel proud of the opportunity to march in the first parade inaugurated in this county.

We will have with us on that day a comrade noted the world over as a veteran militant, comrade Lucien Sanial of New York City.

After the parade he will address us at our new headquarters on the subject: "The First of May; it's World Wide Significance."

Comrade Sanial has also been engaged to deliver the following lectures in Allegheny County: Carnegie Music Hall, Allegheny, Saturday, May 3, 8 P. M.

Admission free to all these meetings and students or opponents of Socialism are invited to ask questions.

COOK COUNTY, ILLS. The S. L. P. Nominates a County Ticket. Chicago, Ill., April 28.—Section Chicago, S. L. P. held its County Convention April 19th with forty delegates present.

The spirit of oneness shown, the unity of action and definiteness of purpose there displayed, was truly encouraging.

The following resolutions were adopted after which nominations were made:

RESOLUTIONS: The Socialist Labor Party of Cook County, State of Illinois, in convention assembled, reaffirms its allegiance to the National Platform of the Socialist Labor Party.

Whereas, the capitalist system of private ownership of the means of production and distribution is alone responsible for all the misery, want and degradation of the working class.

The following were nominated: For Sheriff—Henry Sale. For Treasurer—Fritz Kalbitz.

CHICAGO, ILL. Open Air Meetings. Sunday, May 4th. Ashland avenue and 18th street, 3 P. M.

GENERAL EXECUTIVE BOARD, S. T. & L. A. The regular meeting of the General Executive Board, S. T. & L. A. was held on Thursday evening, April 24th.

Comrade O'Rourke chairman. Communications: One from Nixon Elliot of Pueblo, Colo., in relation to I. A. 197.

Several from Comrade C. H. Corrigan, in relation to the Weavers' strike, and his agitation work therein.

One from Wm. Taylor of Pittsburg, Mass., in relation to reorganizing the Alliance in that city.

On motion committee was appointed to see the management of the Italian Party organ, "Il Proletario," to arrange for having the constitution printed in Italian.

Communications were also received from East Orange, N. J., Schenectady, N. Y., Cleveland, Ohio, Lynn, Salem and Boston, Mass., Los Angeles and San Francisco, Cal., and River Point, R. I.

S. T. & L. A. FAIR COMMITTEE. Regular meeting of the S. T. & L. A. Fair Committee was held Monday evening, April 21st, with Comrade Edelman in the chair.

NEWS FROM THE FIELD OF LABOR. SENATOR BEVERIDGE ONCE MORE. The other day Senator Beveridge in a speech before the Indiana Republican State Convention defended trusts by showing that their results had been favorable to the working class.

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