

CAPITALISTS THREATEN LABOR UNIONS

Attorney Jerome of New York Plays The Part of a Bully Dares Laboringmen.

District attorney Jerome of New York, in speaking to some workmen, Sept. 25 uttered a threat that, if Laborers were not, a peaceable set would cause immediate trouble. He tried to win his bluff, by saying: "If you arouse capital, make no mistake, it will crush you in the dust as you have never been before, and the political liberties of your country will be of the past."

But Mr. Jerome forgot himself and uttered a truth. He continued: "Economic forces have a momentum that cannot be resisted." Where did he learn that? Maybe he was thinking of the conclusions of Karl Marx who said that the capitalist class was producing its own grave diggers.

The Socialist Party has given \$4146.64 to feed the striking coal miners. It is the party of the working class. When union men become interested in their class welfare they will support the party that feeds them when on a strike.

Pertinent Reflection.

The president waited until after the stock market closed before allowing the "operation" on his leg. And he emphasized the fact by giving his exact words to the press for distribution. The money stringency in Wall Street was a serious one and spasm after spasm was witnessed as the rate varied from 15 percent to 25 percent.

Illinois State Notes.

ELGIN. Comrade Knox spoke in Elgin Saturday night, going to Dundee Sunday. The meetings at Elgin are getting more and more interesting. They are carrying on a vigorous campaign out there and whatever the election returns may be, Elgin comrades will feel assured that they have done their best.

"her boys" in Pennsylvania for a few days.

CHICAGO HEIGHTS.

The Chicago Heights comrades are planning one of the biggest meetings of the campaign to be held there Oct. 8th. Comrade Wentworth, candidate for the legislature from that district, Marion Craig Wentworth and Comrade Simons will be the speakers. They mean to get the votes in Chicago Heights if it is possible.

CAMPAIGN NEWS

This is Registration Day.—Did you register? One more chance to do so on October 14th.—REMEMBER UNLESS YOU REGISTER YOU CANNOT VOTE! Every vote cast means one more towards helping us get on the official ballot.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Editor "Chicago Socialist":—Dear Sir! The notice below was sent to the Chicago American September 22nd 1902, but has not yet (Sept. 30) appeared in that paper.

Every paper in the United States has spoken against child labor. But still it continues. Why? Because the people are ignorant of its economic causes, and also of our power to change it. If it is not at once stopped our descendants will be a race of ignorant slaves.



SOCIALIST PARTY OF CHICAGO.

Branch Directory. COMMITTEES. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE meets every Monday night at Headquarters 181 Washington St. E. M. Stangland, General Secretary.

Why Not? The bankers want to be given power to print money when they run short of cash. In 1896 they hoisted at the idea. But they need the money now, so it's different.

Attention. The fact that you registered last spring is of no account now. You must register anew today, Oct 4th or on Tuesday Oct. 14th or you cannot vote.

Open Air Meetings.

- Saturday, 8 p. m. Campbell and North Aves. Speakers: Olson, Peterson and Koop. Saturday 8 p. m. 111th and Michigan Avenue. Speaker: B. Berlyn. Saturday 8 p. m. State and Congress. Speakers: Sims and local speaker.

Great Crowds at The Socialist Temple.

The stock company played to a packed house last Sunday night. And from the appreciation manifested it is evident that the company is getting better all the time.

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Remember Oct. 4 and 14.

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Some day the people of Belgium will get tired of old Leopold and oust him without even the pretense of a revolution.

Comrade Untermyer goes to Mt. Olive to speak at the Virden Memorial to be held there October 12th.

Any Comrade who needs a good room nicely furnished, will please enquire of M. Seakind, 756 Wabasha av.

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Mass Meeting. In Kosciuszko, 45th & Wood Sts., Sunday 3 p. m., Oct. 5th. Bohemian, Polish and English speeches.

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FREDERICK ENGLER CLUB—Meets 1st Monday at 1718 W. 51st St. Michael Clemens, 2914 46th St., Sec.

