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# LONDON IN CONGRESS EYER LONDON, the first Socialist elected to congress from New York, attracted much attention, is the brief mention made by the Associated Press.

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convened Monday, Dec. 0, at washington, D. C.

That was only the beginning, however. Before the first day's session of congress was over Cong. London had attracted considerably more attention by the introduction of his resolutions by the introduction of his resolutions looking toward the establishment of the offers no constructive program. \$100,000 is to be provided to be used by the president if London's plan goes thru. The resolutions declare:

U. S. Can't Be Indifferent. Whereas, the people of the United States, while neutral, cannot be indifferent to the fratricidal conflict which is devastating Europe; and

Whereas, the longer the war is continued the more does the code of physical force replace, every other code of human conduct;

Whereas, the war has brought about a state of fear in the minds of millions of American people menages the development of this nation, and beclouds the real issues which confront our generation by the artificial issue of "Preparedness" against an unvisible and un-

against an unvisible and un-namable enemy;
Whereas, a declaration by the national legislature of the great-est neutral nation in the world in favor of an immediate conference of neutral nations will strengthen the hand of the President of the United States in his efforts for international peace; now, therefore, be it

## Ask Neutral Congress.

Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled that the President of the United States be and he is hereby called upon to convene a congress of neutral nations, which shall offer mediation to the belligerents, and which shall sit in continuous session until the termination of the war;

Be it further resolved, that it is the judgment of the Senate and House of Representatives that a durable peace can be established if the following principles shall be made the basis of discussion said congress of neutral First-Evacuation of invaded

ierritory.
Second—Liberation of op-

pressed nationalities. Third—Plebiscite by the populations of Alsace-Lorraine, Finland and Poland as to their allegiance or independence.

Fourth—Removal of the political and civic disabilities of the

Jewish people, wherever such disabilities exist. Fifth—Freedom of the seas.

armament. Seventh-Establishment of an international court of arbitration, with the commercial boycott as a means of punishment for dis-

obedience. Comrade London in the committee as-signments has brought forth an ulti-future international relations. It also matum from the Socialist congress-

handling assignments for Republicans, the composite of work of more than Progressives and other minority memonic nation. bers, insists London is entitled to only one committee assignment.

London argues that, as the Social-

MEYER LONDON ON THE JOB. (BY LUCIEN SAINT.)

ASHINGTON, D. C.,—Meyer London, Socialist Congressman from New York and representing in effect the entire Socialist Party, is on the job in Washington. has opened the office provided for him in the House Office Building, and will soon be heard from.
London's plans for the first session

He will concentrate his efforts on

portant single constructive measure possible at this time.

erent nations to draw up terms of on resided disarmament, the establish

raising revenue for current expenses lie will apply for a seat on the convened Monday, Dec. 6, at Wash- Mann, to dictate where London shall

he offers no constructive program.

Socialists must remember that one man in Congress is almost powerless. He can, however, act as a spokesman. introduce bills, and by objecting to consideration of business on unanimous consent day, he can call the attention of the country and Congress to the things that he stands for. Keep your eye on London. The news of his doings in Washington will be suppressed in part by the capitalist press, but the Socialist press will report the

S THE sole representative of the Socialist Party in congress, Meytask of any lawmaker at the coming session, declares The New York Call, in telling of London's departure from New York City for the national capital. With the great war overshadowing all else in the minds of Senators and representatives, the minds of superior physical force.

"As a Socialist, I feel that it is obligation to the superior and representatives, the minds of superior physical force."

"As a Socialist Party in congress, Meyand by gradual reduction of armaments and by substitution of other
means than military to enforce the
degrees of the court of arbitration, we
will have gained nothing and the
superior physical force.

"As a Socialist, I feel that it is oblisenators and representatives, the minds of

nor educational campaigns against the continuance of the subjugation of the Filipinos. In Europian countries there was the same tendency to overlook the

rights and needs of small peoples.
"Then there has been the belief that men of all races can be brought up to a certain uniform level, the merging of all nations into one which will wipe out their peculiar national characteristics. This was based on the assump tion that there could be no friendship between nations unless they were all alike, while true internationalism means nothing of the kind. Internationalism means the right of every na-tion to give full play to its own genius, and to develop to the greatest extent all characteristics in that nation."

London's peace resolution will urge the liberation of smaller nationalities Plans of house leaders to shelve or the development of their language provides that the invading armies in matum from the Socialist congressman. Unless he is given proper committee places. London threatens to
block pet private bills of members
under parliamentary procedure.
/London is fighting for two committee places—the Immigration and
Library committees.

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Library committees. Labor committees.

Republican Leader Mann, who is alliance, with civilization and culture

Must Get People's Opinion.

"It is impossible," he said, "without ists polled a million votes in the last getting an expression from the people election, morally he is entitled to even themselves, to ascertain with whom more than two. Democratic leaders are seeking to smooth out the dead-not they prefer complete independence as a small state, with their integrity guaranteed by the nations of

London's plan for permanent peace will soon be heard from.

London's plans for the first session of the 64th Congress are, in very brief form, these: today in that he does not recognize to day. Even in areas where a few of guilt. securing the passage of an unemploy-ment insurance bill as the most im-

Armies Menace to Peace. He will call upon President Wilson "I proceed on the theory that the to convene a Congress of non-bellig-existence of a large military force is

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# YOU HAVE CHANGED. MR.

OU HAVE written some good things, Mr. Wilson. The people hoped much from you. You are the only man who ever occupied the presidential chair who has never been

really criticised. Even Socialists have referred to you with the utmost respect. But you have changed, Mr. Wilson. Even your family has been completely transformed since you have been in Washington.

You now hear only the suggestions of the rich, for the poor cannot send lobbyists to Washington. You read only the daily papers that are controlled by the rich, and are told that what they say is public opinion.

But you ought to know that you are told lies. You ought to know that you are hearing things that are dangerous to America.

The people do NOT want militarism under the thin disguise of preparedness. We CHALLENGE you to put the proposition to a vote and find out.

Are you really a DEMOCRAT? Or have you so changed that you are ready to establish plutocracy in America backed by a military dictatorship?

Are you with the people, or have you so changed that you will continue in the work of betraving and selling out the people?

Answer, Mr. Wilson. You must answer. Your actions will be answer enough.

a constant menace to the peace of the LONDON GOES TO WASHINGTON. be followed by the establishement of

Senators and representatives, the missenators and representatives, the missenators and representatives, the missenators and representatives, the missenators are gatory to present an outline of a plan litarists will have fertile ground for world peace. It is not an original their "preparedness" seeds, and London with the subject of the subject of international harmony.

London's first move will be the international harmony.

sent the socialist solution for world war.

"As the representative of the Socialist movement, I will lay before the world our theory as to what durable peace can be built upon," said London as his secretaries. Todd is a veteran Washington newspaper man, acquainted with Socialist movement to disregard the rights of small nationalities. In our movement we have satisfied ourselves with mere declarations against the acquisition of the Philippine Islands. We have conducted neither revolutionary nor educational campaigns against the session of congress. He has a bill in mind which he will introduce soon after the session begins.

Lawrence Todd and Charles Solomon as his secretaries. Todd is a veteran Washington newspaper man, acquainted with the score of the rights of small nationalities. In our movement we have satisfied ourselves with mere declarations against the acquisition of the Philippine Islands. We York Call staff.

The home and the job and protection under the law would be all the preparedness needful. Men then would aclight to obey the laws. They would the subject of his original investment of his original investment of all 'rights' and dividends as soon as received in lit is impossible to make men who have no country bove, their country. It is impossible for those who have no country beve, their country. It is impossible to make men who have no country bove, their country. It is impossible to make men who have no country beve, their country. It is impossible to make men who have no country bove, their country. It is impossible to make men who have no country beve, their country. It is impossible for those who have no country be equent reinvestment of all 'rights' and dividends as soon as received in the stock. This is equivalent to a compound interest rate of 14 1-2 per cent per annum over the entire of the law on country beve, their country. It is impossible to make men who have mo country beve, their country. It is impossible to make men who have no country beve, their country. It is impossible to make

# SAY THIS TO MORGAN

AVE Congress say to the J. P.
Morgans and the other war
trust stockholders, some of
whom are men high in official life:
All right, gentlemen, you can
have a fleet of battleships that
will darken the sky and fortifications that will cumber the earth, but the government itself will manufacture all of its own war paraphernalia in government plants. But, although you will not draw down the fat munition contracts as heretofore, your patriotic desire to serve your country will not be slighted. The present tax on incomes in excess of \$10,000 annually will be immediately tripled, which will give you an opportunity to demonstrate the caliber of your patrictism by helping the poor bear the burden of the cost of the increased armarment which you advocate, and 90 per cent of which agitation comes from the rich. Of course, you gentlemen will have no objection to complete government manufacture of war materials, because your only interest and motive is the safeguarding of your country from invasion by a foreignfoc, and, so long as you get the ships and the increased armament and the country is saved, you don't care where the ships and the munitions comes

There have been considerable devel-Political and civil emancipation of opments in the Scottish tenants' the Jews is an essential demand that strike against the payment of inshould come before the peace congress, according to Congressman London. He will back this demand in Leader, and thousands of tenants in Congress with the argument that the consequence have been added to the principles of interpretagal law deeper. principles of international law decry number on strike. In Glasgow alone discrimination based on religion. holders are on strike, and as the propcontinuous existence of an organ- tenants agreed to pay increases, agreeers, who are now confident that the strikers are winning and want to be

Europe against imperialism after war, the outcome of which will be the forstates on democratic lines, is the foreast of J. Koettgen, made in an address in Philadelphia. Prior to the

# LET US BE PATRIOTIC

You don't have to teach men and ers? omen to love their country. It is

clight to obey the laws. They would all carry arms and use them in pro-

When the plutocrats talk of patriotism they do not mean patriotism; they do not mean love of one's country. The schools and churches that fall into their trap to teach "patriotism" are teaching lies.

tion may be a tryranny, it may not belong to the people.

NO MAN OUGHT TO LOVE A aged by their owners. NATION UNLESS IT SERVES HIS INTEREST, UNLESS IT GIVES

kingdoms or plutocratic, or aristo-cratic, or ecclesiastic, or even representative, do not belong to the people. They have no right reason for exist-bonds of these industries is owned by

not love a state is sufficient proof that it has no right to exist. Whenever it finds it necessary to make citizens fight to uphold itself it seals

does die for a country except in the lions of dollars which service of humanity. He may die for this manner.

General uphcaval of the masses of a nation in the service of the devil.

of oppressive nations. It cannot endough to let them do so. dure landlordism. It is the enemy of the workers earn the r

Duluth, Minn., Socialists are fighting the control of education by the United States Steel Corporation at By LINCOLN PHIFER

Patriotism means the love of one's country.

Percentage of the means the love of one's country.

Everybody loves his country. He can no more help it than he can help loving his family and his home.

You don't have to teach men and the means the new steel city, Morgan Park, near Duluth. The steel trust is planning to establish the infamous Gary plant in the Morgan Park, near Duluth. The steel trust is planning to establish the infamous Gary plant in the Morgan Park, near Duluth. The steel trust is planning to establish the infamous Gary plant in the Morgan Park, near Duluth. The steel trust is planning to establish the infamous Gary plant in the Morgan Park, near Duluth. The steel trust is planning to establish the infamous Gary plant in the Morgan Park, near Duluth. The steel trust is planning to establish the infamous Gary plant in the Morgan Park, near Duluth. The steel trust is planning to establish the infamous Gary plant in the Morgan Park, near Duluth. The steel trust is planning to establish the infamous Gary plant in the Morgan Park, near Duluth. The steel trust is planning to establish the infamous Gary plant in the Morgan Park, near Duluth. The steel trust is planning to establish the infamous Gary plant in the Morgan Park, near Duluth. The steel trust is planning to establish the infamous Gary plant in the Morgan Park, near Duluth. The steel trust is planning to establish the infamous Gary plant in the Morgan Park school. It proposes to denate to the city of Duluth as strip of land located near the steel plant and agrees to erect buildings thereon for school purposes if it will be allowed to control the policy of instruction in the schools. Wonder if the workers of Duluth will fall for the morgan park school. It proposes to denate to the city of Duluth as strip of land located near the steel plant and agrees to erect buildings thereon for school purposes if it will be allowed to control the policy of instruction in the schools. Wonder if the workers of Duluth will fall for the plan the new steel city, Morgan Park, near

Socialist doctrines that will make for international harmony.

London's first move will be the introduction of a resolution calling upon the Government to take immediate steps toward world peace. Fighting for that resolution in committee and on the floor of the house of Representatives will give London an opportunity to speak to the nation and present the socialist solution for world war.

Socialist doctrines that will make for international peace. "I feel that every day the war continues danger to infection of militarism. Every day the war continues means an ever growing danger of infection of militarism. Every day the war continues means an ever growing danger of infection of militarism. Every day the war continues means an ever growing danger of infection of militarism. Every day the war continues means an ever growing danger of infection of militarism. Every day the war continues means an ever growing danger of infection of militarism. Every day the war continues means an ever growing danger of infection of militarism. Every day the war continues means an ever growing danger of infection of militarism. Every day the war continues means an ever growing danger of infection of militarism. Every day the war continues means an ever growing danger of infection of militarism. Every day the war continues means an ever growing danger of infection of militarism. Every day the war continues the militarist gains that they do not and cannot love there to do it.

It is only when they have no country the total the government is starving the introduce of our railroad magnates telling how the country.

Street Journal, in its issue of Nov. 27.

Grow the trod of the mate and on the government is a country.

There are forty million men in a matural for them to do it.

The country of our railroad magnates telling how the country.

The country of our railroad magnates telling It is impossible to make men who sequent reinvestment of all 'rights'

dustrial establishments were man- least two billion dollars.

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BUT WHEN the primitive tools and When a nation deprives men of the obb, when it fails to give them a country of their own, when it wants them times, and the small industries control of the obb, when it wants them times, and the small industries control of the obb, when it wants them times, and the small industries control of the obb, when it wants them times, and the small industries control of the obb, when it fails to give them a countries of the obb, when it fails to give them a countries of the obb, when it fails to give them a countries of the obb, when it fails to give them a countries of the obb, when it fails to give them a countries of the obb, when it fails to give them a countries of the obb, when it fails to give them a countries of the obb, when it fails to give them a countries of the obb, when it fails to give them a countries of the obb, when it fails to give them a countries of the obb, when it fails to give them a countries of the obb, when it fails to give them a countries of the obb, when it fails to give them a countries of the obb, when it was the obb, which is the obb, w job, when it fails to give them a country of their own, when it wants them to fight for king or plutocrat, it deserves no support. It ought to be tries, the owners ceased to manage them. Just as Mr. Carnegie says; they hired salaried officers to manage

Nations pass away. Countries not own stock in the industries which never pass away. Nations that are they manage. In so far as they do, The hired managers may or may they are, of course, owners and para-

men who do not take any part in their A country that belongs to the people of the country is happy and prosperous. All have work. All have homes. The nation serves them and the people love the nation, as they love the country that is theirs.

The very fact that the people do not love a state is sufficient proof noration for their dividends. The poration for their dividends. dividends are sent to them by mail All they have to do is to deposit the checks in the bank. And as for the its own death warrant by confession interest on the bonds, all they have of guilt.

The workers earn the money.

We hear much from the Militarists about the Japanese peril. Japan's navy is pictured as being far superior to that of the United States. Militarists will please note that the Japanese naval estimate for 1916 totals about \$50,000,000, a decrease of \$3,000,000 from the 1915 budget. How does this compare with our proposed billion dol-lar program. There is no Jap peril and the jingoes know it. We can fol-low the example of Japan and cut down our military expenditures.

# **COUNT THAT MONEY**

By LINCOLN PHIFER

The expenditure of \$500,000,000 for the world the example of its elevating war materials, ostensibly in the include humanizing influence, it is the So-

involved for a billion. But you don't get even a half bil-lion. There is no place to deposit money except with the banks that lend it. It is doubtful if more than twenty millions of the half billion will be used by the government at any one time.

This means that for the use of twenty million dollars, which are deposits of and belong to the people, the people are going to have to pay the masters of finance a full billion dollars.

The other day I saw two such capitalists shake hands. It was pitiable. Their hearts had no part in the purely perfunctory correspond to the purely perfunctory correspond to the property correspond to the property correspond to the people and the latent good that is in them the property that it is in them the pr

Even this is not all. There are now agent to take every possible advantage only two ways in which revenue can be raised for current expenses or the payment of bonds—thru internal revenues and tariffs. Both involve the sale of goods to the amount of perhaps twenty times the amount of the revenue.

I to take every possible advantage of his fellow-man.

The result of this system is inevitably a race of Ishmaelites.

How differently two Socialist comrades shake hands! Their hearts are in their palms and the joy of greeting in their pays. They have the social is in their pays.

and are not entitled to it.

There was a time, in the early history of this country, when most interest tory of this country, when most interest the search is in each, and not the bring them profile aggregating at list, is appealed to and brought forth The half billion dollars borrowed,

use of twenty millions, then, Uncle Sam pays them more than three billion dollars.

This is the great foresticl gustom. .This is the great financial system shining examples.

your progressive Wilson and your "representatives in Congress" dethey manage. In so far as they do, they are, of course, owners and parathese are, of course, owners and parathese are the specific method by which they propose to consummate the robbery of Uncle Sam and his children.

In the meantime, if the preparations made with the half billion dollars are not in twenty-five years destroyed in war, they will be antiquated and worthless.

Beside, the men who are to supply the munitions are the same fellows who have been paid several billion dollars in the past twenty years for "preparedness," and have simply swindled the government without delivering the goods. They are likely to swindle us spite of the hindrances which best us spite of the hindrances which be t

No man ought to die for a nation that will not make his life comfortable with opportunity. No man everable with opportunity. He may die for a country except in the service of humanity. He may die for a nation in the service of the devil.

Genuine patriotism demands the overthrow of tyrants, the destruction of oppressive nations. It cannot ensured the interest dates and deposit them in the bank.

In other words, they do not earn a challenge to other nations to prepare to meet our threat. When they prepare to meet our threat, when they prepare further we shall have to meet the new demand. We have experience to nour activities, we shall in all probability have to spend at least twenty billion dollars with these pirates.

THEY GET these millions and billions of dollars because the workingment of oppressive nations. It cannot ensured the interest dates and deposit them in the bank.

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THEY GET these millions and billions of dollars because the working movement.

The defence of the met our threat, when they prepare to meet our threat, when they prep

war noettgen was for 20 years London correspondent of The Berlin Vorwaerts, leading Socialist newspaper of Germany, and The Vienna Arbeiter Zeitung.

The capitalists get it.

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The workers themselves can get it whenever they develop brains enough to our example and by the results of our example and by the results of our example and the danger of for our movement, and realize our dream of the industries, so that the benefit of minorial readon and social readon and

It is to curry the favor of these traitors who threaten a continuation of the panic unless they are given their will and whose money will elect ployment, their will and whose money will elect ployment, the capitalists now say they the next President and Congress that will let you work at killing each other Congress and the President are yield-ing to them.

President are yield-er off, providing you will assess your-self to pay your wages. ing to them.

### THE SOCIAL SPIRIT By EUGENE V. DEBS

E NEED to grow out of the selfish, sordid, brutal spirit of individualism which still lurks even in Socialists and is responsible for the strife and contention which prevail where there should be concord and good will. The social spirit and the social conscience must be developed and govern our social relations before we shall have any social revo-

If there are any among whom the social spirit should find its highest expression and who should be bound fast in its comradely embrace and give to the world the example of its elevating war materials, ostensibly in the interest of peace—that is the proposition.

But that is only the camel's nose. Behind that is the hump and the crowding of the workers of America from food and shelter.

The half billion dollars is to be borrowed from the big banks which are controlled by half a dozen New York financiers.

Interest on the half billion at four per cent for one year is \$20,000,000; for 25 years it is a full half billion, You borrow a half billion and become involved for a billion.

Word and kumanizing influence, it is the Socialists. They of all others have come to realize the hardening and brutalizing effect of capitalist individualism in the awful struggle for existence and it is to them a cause of unceasing rejoicing that they live at a time in the werld's historic development when the very conditions which resulted from this age-long struggle forbid its continuance and proclaim its approaching termination.

The rule of individualism which has governed society since the days of primitive communism has effectually restrained the moval and spiritual development of the vace. It has brought the bear side of men's nature and set them against each other as if the

set them against each other as if the plan of creation had designed them to be mortal enemies.

TYPICAL CAPITAMISTS are barren of the social spirit. The very nature of the catch-as-catch-can encounter in which they are engaged makes them wary and suspicious, if not downright hateful of each other, and the letter good that is in there

But this is not all. The men who loan the money also control the munition plants. Uncle Sam will borrow a then spend it with them. It will all come back to their banks.

Their hearts had no part in the purely perfunctory ceremony. They happened to meet and could not avoid each other. And so they mechanically touched each other's reluctant hands, standing at right angles to each other for a moment—not face to face—and for a moment—not face to face—and then passing on without either look-

The munition plants are making from forty to sixty per cent on all orders received. This means that for the twenty millions let out of the banks at any time the financiers receive forty millions, beside interest.

There has now the passing on without either looking the other in the eyes.

This cold and heartless ceremony tapified the relation begotten of capitalist individualism in which men's interests are competitive and antagonistic and in which each instinctively looks out for himself and is on the elect to take every nossible advantage. Even this is not all. There are now alert to take every possible advantage

is in their eyes. They have the social spirit. Their interests are mutual and NDREW CARNEGIE, in his book, "The Gospel of Wealth," says that the immense industrial establishments of today are not managed by their owners, but by sulare teaching lies.

They mean love of the NATION.

That is quite a different thing from the love of one's COUNTRY. A nation may be a tryrapny it may be a tryrapny it may not.

There were the money they get, and not the capitalists do not earn the money they get, and are not entitled to it.

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What an elevating, enlarging and satisfying relation!

And this is the "dead level" of mediocrity and servitude to which we are to sink when this relation becomes universal among men as it will in the International Socialist Republic!

So at least we are told by those who In addition, the money borrowed will never be out of their banks more than six months at a time. For the imagined superiority by draining the

THRU ALL the ages past men, civilized men, so-called, have been at each other's throats in the struggle for existence, and the spirit of individualism this struggle has begotten, the spirit of hard, sordid, brutal selfishness, has filled this world with unutterable anguish and woe. But at last the end of the reign of

anarchistic individualism is in sight. The social forces at work are undermining and destroying it and soon its knell will be sounded to the infinite joy of an emancipated world.

in our present environments and rela-tions, we may yet cultivate this spirit But the loan of half a billion dollars tions, we may yet cultivate this spirit is not the end of it. It is merely a assiduously to our increasing mutual

It is this stake the plutocrats are kindly, more tolerant, more sympathetic, helpful and encouraging to one playing for. It is for the favor of another, and less suspicious, less enthe men who expect so much loot that vious, and less contentious, if we are of universal freedom and social right-

Having been given control of em-

# Pave Way For Victory in 1916 the outcome of which will be the formation of a federation of European

OPIES of this issue of The American Socialist are being sent to every dress in Philadelphia. Prior to the member of congress. This was also done with the MEYER LONDON war Koettgen was for 20 years London to the state, don correspondent of The Berlin Vorone and the view of the state, and one million Socialists are backing Cong. London in his fight against capitalism, and the view of Correspondent of the Socialist newspaper.

We do not expect to convert any members of congress to Socialism. We do hope, however, that some Socialist, or Socialist local in every congressional district in the land will order a bundle of The American Socialist for distribution each week. That is what can be done now to pave the way for victory in 1916 in these congressional districts.

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Zeitung.

Patriotism is a great thing, a good will go to the benefit will go to the beople who do the necessiting. That which hypocritically calls an essential part of the government's program in Holland. A bill making program in Holland. A bill making suffrage possible through an amendation of the constitutional law of the constitutional law of the long that is a great thing, a good will go to the beople who do the necessiting. That which hypocritically calls are great thing. The work of the will go to the beople who do the necessity and useful work, mental part of the government's program in Holland. A bill making the program in Holland. A bill making are great thing. That which hypocritically calls are great thing. The work of the will program in Holland. A bill making the program in Holland. A bill ma

By BOUCK WHITE (Author of "The Call of the Carpenter")

HERE IS ONE MAN in the country more soft in the head than Woodrow Wilson. And that man is William Jennings Bryan.

In saying this, I wish in no way to reflect upon the heart qualities of the two men mentioned. I believe them both to be men of high personal rectitude; an uncommon devotion to what they believe to be the public good; a clean record; a sincere sympathy with the wretched on earth. We need men who have, as these two men have, the will-to-the-good, and personal refinement, so refreshing when found in men of high political station.

Heart qualities, however, are ineffectual unless coupled with

head qualities. And here my eulogy of them falters; comes to a pause. Softness of the heart often defeats its own end unless companioned by hardness of the head. And in this matter of head hardness, neither Wilson nor Bryan will be given high rank by the historians that write up in later times the history of

I said that Bryan is the more soft-headed of the two. Wilson, despite his thickness of civic and social vision, has at least the merit of logical consistency. Wilson accepts our present scheme of things, a scheme based on money and money standards. He believes that it is upright for commerce and industry to be principled on the idea of private profits; that is to say, selfishness is, in his way of thinking, the legitimate idea upon which to organize the world's life. He is quite of the orthodox, and the conventional notion that idealism is all right for Sunday; but that the work-aday world must be on a principle of Gouge-and-Get.

THEREFORE, he is consistent when he advocates a \$500, 000,000 military budget. Commercialism is the messenger of militarism. Private profits quickly go over into public war. The spectarism. Private profits quickly go over into public war. The spectacle of wealth piling up in a nation in great private holdings, selfishly gathered and jealously conserved, inflames the greediest of appetites in nations round about. Feeling subconsciously that those private holdings of wealth have been accumulated by some method of legalized burglary, these neighbor nations make no method of legalized burglary, these neighbor nations make no under the title "A Message to now. I'll put it as tenderly as can be begitation to set into operation a military assault whose end is the World." In it I said. hesitation to set into operation a military assault whose end is the World." In it I said: to burglarize those burglars. Always, locks and keys are a partition separating people of the same temperament—on both sides a greed for private wealth. The owner within and the burglar without are animated by the same impulse. Both are sunk in material aims. To both of them, holdings of property are the main purpose of life; and the poured out by the force of the bayout of the process of the bayout of the process of the bayout of the poured out by the force of the bayout of the process of the bayout of to burglarize those burglars. Always, locks and keys are a parti-

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Here is all the week's news worth while boiled down for workers so busy fighting for Socialism they do not have time to read the daily capitalist papers.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 28. SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 28.

Canadian government seizes all high-grade wheat in elevators from Fort William, on Lake Superior, to Atlantic coast.

Senator La Follette announced as candidate for republican nomination for president. President Wilson's secretary issues statement defending recognition of Carranza and denying alleged wrongs against Catholics in Mexico.

MONDAY NOVEMBER 28.

the babe in a go-cart.

It is scarce necessary for me

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 29. TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 30.

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New crisis in Balkans, as allies fear future stand of Greece and Roumania. Roman Catholics in Germany reported to have made appeal for Armenians.

French chamber of deputies authorizes calling of boys 18 and 19 years old to the colors. German reichstag is told there is plenty of food and that finances are good.

Thirty-one workers killed and six probably fatally injured in explosion of four tons of black powder in yards of Du Pont Powder Company at Wilmington, Del.

WEDDNESDAY. DECEMBER 1. WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 1.

tary system." other two, and is alone the

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 2.

Officials at the Hamburg-American line convicted in New York of having sent supplies to German cruisers in the Atlantic during the first few months of the war.

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Bulgaria and Austria plan to split Serbia. We couple it with a bigness of pulpit, is not your friend. It is the brain that Wilson cannot boast of God? Never before was materialism so insolent. Never before was spiritmality so impotent. There is in the THURSDAY, DECEMBER 2.

LOOKING FOR PEACE



FROM THE MASSES.

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main purpose of life; and the only difference is that with the owner inside, his holdings are by a larceny that is legalized, whereas the larceny the burglar attempts against him is unlegalized larceny.

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fended by armaments. Given the first principle, the second logically follows. So that Wilson is souls alive that ought to die. Thus logical, so far as his rather lim-ited insight of brain power goes. to organize life on a principle of force, and to expect that force to function in the business realm only, with never

One American solder and 40 Mexicans be sure, he would probably like of widows. To bombard a man's cred-killed in clash near Nogales, Ariz.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 27.

Promoter of Henry Ford's peace campaign to a sympathetic kindliness of declares automobile manufacturer will ask armies at war to go on strike Christmas day.

Earl Kitchener confers with King Emanuel of Italy as Italians plan to aid Serbia.

President Wilson may have hard time preventing congress from passing an inheritance law.

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 28.

But the would probably like it, is of like nature with bombarding a city.

"The world's murder-madness is to many an astonishment. Looking upon the inferno of fire, they are ready to declare earth a candidate for the crazy house; wholesale incinerators for the law.

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 28. morality of the very existence should cause their sons to pass thru morality of the very existence a modern moloch! But I say unto you, economic sin wounds more grievously than shrapnel. Had people imaghis mentality is as innocent as ination, they would see our competi-But, thereupon, he takes the assinine second step of anti-militarism. He believes in the mil-Serbians quit Monastir as Bulgars reach in charges. Future of campaign in near East in doubt. Germany means to muzzle talk of starvation. Lord Kitchener in Paris.

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You shall not do war away till you have done competition away. When Serblans are driven into Abbania. Teutons varn Greece to avoid lure of alies.

Rosevelt criticizes League to Enforce Peace tion differs from both of these find its president. Taft, denying adequacy of "voluntary system."

It is scarce necessary for me have done competition away. When merchant marines are in rivalry, iron-clads and submarines are the irrepressible consequence. Embattled shop-of-fivoluntary system." merchant marines are in rivalry, ironin the red blossoms of battle. And the
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which he bases his military pol-uality so impotent. There is in the President Wilson requests Germany to recall Capt. Boy-ed and Capt. von Papen, attaches of the German embassy at Washington, because of pernicious activity.

French chamber of deputies passes bill providing for the fixing of prices of necessities of life. German reichstag will soon discuss of life. German reichstag will soon discuss and commerce.

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SUNDAY, DECEMBER 5.

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bursting thru. We witness a worldits voice. And we may not diminish a word of it.

"YOU HAVE TAUGHT STRIFE instead of peace as the organizing principle of industry and commerce. Competition is the pleasant sounding word wherewith you cover it. But in your heart you know it is but another term heart you know it is but another term for war. Competitive armaments are the outgrowth of competitive merchandizings. When trade rivalries face each other across frontiers, the professional soldier is inevitable. Disprofessional soldier is inevitable. Disprofessional soldier is nevitable. Disprofessional soldier is nevitable. Disprofessional soldier is never an each other across frontiers, the present and all the previous anything, the facts argue against trusting the army, even a little bit. The winter at Valley Forge is attributed to unpreparedness. The fact

we take the Carpenter seriously, holding that fellowship is practical in the affairs of earth. The red god of Galilee is our leader. We decree brotherhood. We shall give to the human constant. It is not alone intellectually that the race has grown. It has all the higher qualities. Little-

BRYAN, on the other hand, has not the merit of logic. He, with Wilson. believes that the stores and shops and industries shill boiled down for workers so busy thing for Socialism they do not have me to read the daily capitalist papers.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER, 26.

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BRYAN, on the other hand, has not the merit of logic. He, with Wilson. believes that the stores and shops and industries should be in private hands and be conducted on a principle of private profit; that is to say, gouge-as-gouge-can. He sees no fracture of high moral ideals in the mounting up of the million-ance war.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER, 26.

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BRYAN, on the other hand, has not the merit of logic. He, will be to admit bubonic plague in a cautiously circumscribed area.

"Commercial cut-throating and milliary throat-cutting are children of one the same spirit. Take from me the same spirit. Take from me the prop whereby I sustain life, you take my life—Shylock phrased it truly. A people that consents to price-cut their neighbor into a nation of bankrupts will, with the same lusting ing that fellowship is practical in the affairs of earth. The red god of Gal-dafer. We decree brother-hood. We shall give to the human race one heart.

"While the above has been writing and milliary throat-cutting are children of one the same spirit. Take from me the suring only snatched moments of daylight in my cell for pen work. So that to pen these sheets has taken me more than a month. During which will, with the same lusting in own into a climax of horror. This is a lapse, to be death. Killing by machinery is don't deep the followed by a great did one of the state of the same would be to admit bubonic plague in a short-circuiting of it in mad milliary doings, were as sagacious as would be to admit bubonic plague in a sacutiously circumscribed area.

"Commercial cut-throating and milliary throat-cutting are children of one the world-war has been in manual labor, leaving only snatched moments of daylight in my cell for pen work. So that to pen these sheets has taken me to death. Kning by machinery is do: the direction. Furthermore, there date in sociological investigation. The done it. The mortal wound has been never before was a war in which the socialist local at Columbus, Kan, deatt. Whether peace comes soon, now participants had less of the killing thinks so much of these lessons that is an indifferent thing. The veins have spirit than this one. There never believe and Wealth." which was fully up to date in sociological investigation. The government can take these over to death. Whether peace comes soon, now participants had less of the killing thinks so much of these lessons that it has adopted them for a special study "The world's murder-madness is to many an astonishment. Looking upon the inferno of fire, they are ready to declare earth a candidate for the crazy house; wholesale incinerators for the slain in battle! That men in this day should cause their sons to pass thrust a modern moloch! But I say unto you, economic sin wounds more grievously than shrappel. Had people imagination, they would see our competitive civilization to be one battlefield of mangled forms, writhing trunks, scattered arms and legs—all the human debris of battle. To buy in the cheapest market, brother, and sell in the dearest, is war; let the codes call it what they will. Commercial war tormingtes as certainly in militarist in the content of the content of the proportion of those participating that less of the killing is an indifferent thing. The veins have been opened. And are pouring out of those participating that his so much of these lessons that spirit than this one. There never be been opened. And are pouring out thinks so much of these lessons that the spirit than this one. There never be been opened. And are pouring out thinks so much of these lessons that there was a war in which so large a proportion of those participating than the so called enemies without of these lessons that there was a war in which so leave in the kalling in proportion of those participating that less of the killing in the killing in the war as a war in which so leave in thinks so much of these lessons that there was a war in which so leave in the war in which so have a war in which so leave a war in which so leave in thinks so much of these lessons that there was a war in which so leave a war in which so leave in the killing in the killing in the war as a war in which so leave and in the killing in the war in which so leave and in the killing in the war in which so leave and in the killing in the war in which so leave and in the killing in the killing is a war in which so leave and in the killing in the war in which so leave in the killing in the war in which so lea will not yield except by an alterative for Socialism coming out of this war, American Socialist is pleased to give that shall change the system totally. because of the terrible realization it credit for an awakening with religious

evangelized commerce; an unevange-lized statecraft. It is the organized evangelized commerce; an unevangelized statecraft. It is the organized ethics of barbarism. In themselves, these have a harmless look. But in the end they bite with a serpent's bite and sting as an adder. Many have been deceived by the seedling whilst it was young and tender looking. Now, however, it has come to its bloom in the condition and child slaver of the tender looking. Now, however, it has come to its bloom ery, and woman slavery, and invertice and child slaver of the tender looking.

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"Mammon, O backsliding Protestant marvel at their want of success. War beings. is a boil on the world's body. And indicates the the blood is sick. The more boils, the more sickness of the blood. At this moment the world is blood. At this moment the world is boils from the crown of its head to ad" medium of Chicago, declares there fights seem to have no effect on the the sole of its feet. Cure this thing are no unemployed in the city. News-Socialist vote, which steadily climbs with peace parades? One might as papers in other cities are helping to from year to year. At the last pres-

SATURDAY, DEC. 4.

Report Great Northern Steamship Minnes of disabled at sea in Pacific by mutineers. Declare submarine attacked U. S. ship in Mediterranean.

Henry Ford's peace ship salls from New York City for Norway.

Arab traitors forced British retreat at Bagdad.

Pres. Wilson will wed Mrs. Galt Dec. 18.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 5.

of the globe, by a war such as Mohammedans or Hindoos could never have exhibited. Murder machines are the crowning discovery of the age. With vast pains, melinite and lyddite have been invented, and slaughter weapons skillful to destroy. The devil has learned of late to deal destruction from the sky. In the heavens, in the earth, and in the waters under the earth, man has contrived against him-self ingenious damnation. It almost seems as if 'civilization' had a subconscious feeling of her unworthiness to continue—a feeling implanted by the Overruler? Who shall say?—and therefore has devised wonderful contrivances of self-destruction.

"AMERICA THINKS to be spared visit of the destroying angel. Sundered from the war area by an ocean's width, she laughs Aha! And merrily annexes the trade territories of them that are now at combat. But let her not think to escape. Aggression into the markets of men unchains the martial madness of men. If America waxes rich, and Europe poor, a flame will there kindle against her. Europe, now split, will be welded in the heat of a common indignation, and a common fear. Navies will converge on her from many parts; and America will also become a land whose irst and principal business is war-

Atlantic now is shrunk to what the North Sea was in the ante-steamship era. The North Sea in that day permitted the flames of war easily tay permitted the names of war easily to overleap it. Let America continue her idolatry of the dollar, she will very soon have need of guns on her sea wall, as pickets on a fence for multitude. She will not say Aha! in that day when militarium has gaddled that day when militarism has saddled a soldier on her every workingman's back. She too will drink of the cup: the cup large and deep. It holds

"One thing and one thing alone can save the world—Social Revolution, a revolution exalted into a very reli-

battlefield will be a business. To such an ordering of the world's business conspicuous feature. We almost wonlife you have given your sanctifying der why the human race ever came into being at all. Certainly, if this swelling of the sea; and guns big and many, sounding a devil's tatoo.

"Radicalism is the accusation you publish against us. We accept the word. Radical means, rootwork. We lay the axe at the root of the tree. We take the Carpenter seriously, holding that fellowship is practical in the life of the root of the tree. We take the Carpenter seriously, holding the french conspicuous feature. We almost wonland and Indian war, and the British General lost with officers trained in military tactics. The farmers at Concord won; the people who were reallost with officers trained in military tactics. The farmers at Concord won; the people who were really threatened, and who had something of their own to fight for won. On the other hand, Belgium was prepared and lost. Germany was the best prepared for war in all history and is almost wrecked. England was the most powerful on the sea of any nation that ever existed, and has been been conspicuous feature. We almost wonland Indian war, and the British General lost with officers trained in military tactics. The farmers at Concord won; the people who were reallost with officers trained in military tactics. The farmers at Concord won; the people who were reallost with officers trained in military tactics. The farmers at Concord won; the people who were reallost with officers trained in military tactics. The farmers at Concord won; the people who were reallost with officers trained in military tactics. The farmers at Concord won; the people who were reallost with officers trained in military tactics. The farmers at Concord won; the people who were reallost with officers trained in military tactics. The farmers at Concord won; the people who were reallost with officers trained in military tactics. The farmers at Concord won; the people who were reallost with officers

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diction of this statement.

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the American troops because of unpreparedness. Nearly all of them are
unfair if not untruthful. For example, the burning of the City of Washington in 1812 is attributed to unpreparedness. If that is true, it is indeed strange, seeing that Uncle Sam
was the aggressor in that war and was
supposed to be prepared before he
entered it. The disaster at Bull Run,
in the early sixties, is attributed to like this ever taking place in any city under the control of either Republican or Democratic administrations? Nation's Highest Duty By JOHN M. WORK

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The process of the confederacy of the part, deserted it. The disaster at Bull Run, in the early sixties, is attributed to unpreparedness. The fact is, Uncle Sam had a pretty good army at the opening of the Civil War, and it was so disloyal the officers, for the most part, deserted to the Confederacy. By MAYOR GEORGE R. LUNN (Schenectady, N. Y.)

HE nation's highest duty is to serve the people. What good are your guns, cannon and ships if you don't have loyal men behind cern the thing aright, I entreat you; as far as we can see, there is injustified the distributed to unpreparedness. The fact the guns, cannon and ships. You is that Washington won with unpreparedness is a battlefield, the inhumanity to man" is evident on battlefield will be a business. To such every side. Indeed, it is the most an ordering of the world's business cannon and ships. You is that Washington won with unpreparedness. The fact the guns, cannon and ships. You is that Washington won with unpreparedness. The fact the guns, cannon and ships. You battlefield will be a business. To such every side. Indeed, it is the most an ordering of the world's business cannon and ships. You is that Washington won with unpreparedness. The fact the guns, cannon and ships. You is that Washington won with unpreparedness. The fact the guns, cannon and ships. You is that Washington won with unpreparedness. The fact the guns, cannon and ships. You is that Washington won with unpreparedness. The fact the guns, cannon and ships. You is that Washington won with unpreparedness. The fact the guns, cannon and ships. You is that Washington won with unpreparedness. The fact the guns, cannon and ships. You is that Washington won with unpreparedness. The fact the guns the guns of the the guns, cannon and ships. You can't drive men to self-sacrifice. You to self-sacrifice. We want national loyalty. This is the first step in

and lost. Germany was the best pre-pared for war in all history and is almost wrecked. England was the most powerful on the sea of any na-tion that ever existed, and has been like the fundamental basis of Lincoln said this in effect, and not in a laughing stock in this war. Preparedness for conquest—and that is all preparedness ever means—is always and everywhere a hypocritical and criminal fraud.

THEY STILDY SOCIAL PROBLEMS

the by little, almost imperceptibly, the selfish and brutal have been discarded, and the unselfish and fraternal have been taken on.

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NOR IS THE present war a contradiction of this statement.

It is a lapse, to be sure. But it is only a temporary lapse, and it will be followed by a greater swing in the followed by a greater swing in the selfish and brutal have been discarded, and the unselfish and fraternal have been discarded. THEY STUDY SOCIAL PROBLEMS.

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Chicago, Ill., Nov. 26, 1915.
To the National Committee.
Dear Comrades: I report as follows on the sixth ballot for Committee on Constitution: RINGLER: Wilkins, Ruthenberg, Nichols, Billquit, Slayton, Latimer, Irish Sinclair, Keracher, Maurer, Goebel, Norton, Wilk, Berger, Hamilton, Allen, Demarest, Beardsley, Wattes. Total 19.
WILLIAMS: Robertson, Raymond, Kintzer, Kirkpatrick, Griffiths, Rodriguez, Tiller, LoSueur, Canright, Neistadt, Finke, Clark, Sadler, Williams, Katterfeld, Des Rocher, Lecland, Gilleard, Streiff, Connolly, Burgess. Total, 21, VOCTNOC, Labout March 2015.

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NOT VOTING: Johnston, Stedman, McCrillis, Brewer, Stark, Jones, Nuorteva, Roewer, Rissanen, Garver, Duncan, Whaley, Metcalf, Lunn, Boudin, Strebel Holt, Reid, Eberhard, Terlisner, Bell, Ambler, Suitor, Seldel. Total not ovting, 24.

Neither candidate having received a majority of the committee, I am resubmitting their names for the seventh ballot.

Vote closes Decembr 17, 1915. Ballot inclosd.

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COMMENT ON PENDING NATIONAL COMMITTEE MOTIONS. ON MOTION

NO. 30.

(That the Executive Secretary submit to a national referendum four alternative propositions in the question of a National Convention in 1916.)

GARVER: The proper way to handle the 1916 Convention Question is by a referendum initiated by petition of the membership as provided by the Constitution.

KALTERFELD: This is the only FAIR way to submit Convention Question and learn what majority of membership really wants. The straight question alone would force many choose between two evils, though approving neither.

Several conflicting motions are pending to

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Fraternal Socialist Union (for that is what it would be regardless of whatever name is adopted) is that it will divide the strength of our members and become a competitor of many hundreds of fraternal orders that are all struggling for life. My second objection is that it will be opposed by the Capitalist class, and they will not furnish the insurance for a fraternal order that is founded to destroy their means of exploiting the working class. WATTLES: We have "discussed" and "compiled" enough. Indiana is doing fairly well—working on the job.

BELL: No action of this committee is necessary affecting Comrade Hogan's organization plan further than to pass on the acceptance of party dues proifered by the proposed fraternal order.

I submit to you herewith for vote of your who also made a good showing in the

I submit to you herewith for vote of your committee the following:

National Committee Motion No. 32.
By Demarest of New Jersey.
"That the following be added to the Rules of the National Committee: 'All motions submitted to a vote of the National Committee, when not in session, shall require a majority vote of the committee for their adoption."

Secondard by: Person of Virginia Socialists, who also made a good showing in the elections this fall. The Solid South is now crumbling before the advance of Socialism, after the Republican and Progressive forces have failed to win this stronghold of the Democrats.

iority vote of the committee for their adoption."

Seconded by: Burgess of Virginia, Rodriguez of Illinois, Finke of Arkansas, Goebel of New Jersey, Streiff of Oregon, Robertson of Arizona.

Comment by Bell: "There are already too many rules restricting effective action of this committee. It is more democratic to be severned by a majority of netive members than by a silent, inactive minority, as this motion will inflict. Nor should committeem to compelled to participate in the twaddle recently indulged in by the committee. Vote closes December 17, 1916. Kindly use the inclosed voting card.

STATEMENT BY WATTIES OF INDIANA VEN though Congress pays no further heed to the report and recommendations of the Federal recommendations of the Federal statement by wattles, of indians of the findings of that body will serve as a basis for vigorous propaganda about to be instituted. Frank P. Walsh, chairman of the commission, and others active in industrial reform met in New Vorland met in New Vorland with knowledge indispensible in their after-life, and to do everything possible to make them sensible and useful members of society; and "Whereas" in the findings of that body will serve as a basis for vigorous propaganda about to be instituted. Frank P. Walsh, chairman of the commission, and others active in industrial reform met in New Vorland with knowledge indispensible in their after-life, and to do everything possible to make them sensible and useful members of society; and "Whereas" in the findings of that body will serve as a basis for vigorous propaganda about to be instituted. Frank P. Walsh, chairman of the commission, and others active in industrial reform met in New Vorland with knowledge indispensible in their after-life, and to do everything possible to make them sensible and useful members of society; and "Whereas" is a particular to the findings of that body will serve as a basis for vigorous propaganda about to be instituted. Frank P. Walsh, chairman of the commission, and others active in industrial reform met in New Vorland with knowledge in their after-life, and to do everything possible to make them sensible and useful members of society; and "Whereas" is a basis for vigorous propaganda about to be instituted. Frank P. Walsh, chairman of the commission, and the findings of that body will serve as a basis for vigorous propaganda about to be instituted. Frank P. Walsh, chairman of the commission and the findings of that body will serve as a basis for vigorous propaganda about to be instituted. Frank P. Walsh, chairman of the commission, and the findings of the findings of that body will serve as a basis for vigorous propaganda about to be instituted. Frank P. Walsh, chairman of the commission, and the findings of the findings of the findings o about to be instituted. Frank P. Walsh, chairman of the commission, and others active in industrial reform, mot set some of the national office correspondence, probably due to careless forwarding. Will you kindly make this statement? I certainly would have voted "no" on Motion 27, and am sorry to have lost my vote. 27, and am sorry to have lost my vote.

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CALIFORNIA: The addres of T. W. Williams, 540 Douglas Bldx. Los Angeles, has been changed to 629 Wesley Roberts Bldy. Los Angeles.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA: Pending the election of successor to Committeeman W. H. Johnston, resigned J. W. Richman, Room 9, 511 E Street, N. W., Washington, D. C., will act as national committeeman.

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Contributors to this department will fa-cilitate matters considerably by carefully observing this rule.

the introduction of the Gary System in our public schools, Lettish Branch No. 2 of the Socialist Party, Local New York, at its regular meeting held Sunday, Nov. 7, 1915, adopted the fol-

lowing resolution:
"Whereas it is the function of our

as he. I feel justified in saying that if the Socialist movement in America resolves itself into an organization such erendum there is a proposition to the as Hogan's plan indicates that within two years we shall have a membership mittee for the 1916 campaign shall of 250,000. As it is, Comrades, we are at a standstill. I am disgusted membership. with trying to get members for the party and even when they talk favorably I don't encourage them any more because I know that most of them will national constitution provides for a not stay. We have nothing but poli-tical action to offer and most of the workers refuse to support it. Let all of us everywhere take up this work of a real organization, think about it, The proposition is therefore based talk of it, urge it at all times, this upon a misconception.

And, if carried, it may prove to be

or have any serious trouble with the many thousands of dollars, and con-workers on that account, although it ducted an aggressive campaign, but does act as a barrier quite often in securing the attention and consideration of the worker. My main reason for of debts which it could not pay. It desiring to change the name of the

party is this; I believe that organized labor is going to be forced into the political field within the next few years. If it does this will be the grand oportunity of the crooks and religious politicians within the labor unions. They will choose a name with the word Labor in it. Although for years it will be a fake labor party; no amount of argument can convince the average worker of that fact, and it would place the Socialist Party in a cilitate matters considerably by carefully observing this rule.

HIT GARY SYSTEM.—Apropos of the introduction of the Gary System all of our present strength within the labor unions and thousands of unor-ganized workers would vote for what they thought was a labor party. Our life's work would be practically lost. So I believe we should forestall such a move. I recommend that we change the name of the party from the Social-ist Party to "The Independent Labor Party" of America and I believe a

> MURDERERS FOR SALE, \$50 PER HEAD.—This line would be a proper advertisement for the Chicago (anarchist) I. W. W., since the Toledo local I. W. W. chose Ernest Smith, Rodney Hehling, James Callahan, Jack Lever and Fred Cooney to shoot Joe Hill. The fact that the state of Uteb would now fact that the state of Utah would pay \$50 a piece to five men to shoot the condemned man was the lure to which

National referendum to that effect would carry.—Joseph Carney, Ander-

We condemn the hired "detective," we talk with contempt about the treachery of the European Socialists, and Jack London says "No man can fall lower than a soldier—it is a doubt beneath which has been as the soldier and the fall lower than a soldier—it is a depth beneath which he cannot go." But the anarchistic I. W. W. has turned the trick of going lower than the utmost

Comptroller Prendergast; be it, therefore,

"Resolved, That we, Lettish Branch
No. 2 of the Socialist Party, Local
New York, numbering 125 members,
emphatically protest against the introduction of the Gary System in our public spheels and we further demand; italist hirelings? How, for willing

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COMMITTEE? In the pending refeffect that the national campaign com-

new hope increases anew my own hopes and if it fails I shall have to quit. Our methods at present require too much energy and worry from the few. I can no longer endure it.

I also notice quite a lot of comment in regard to changing the party name. I am in favor of this, not because I am in any way ashamed of it, or have any serious trouble with the many thousands of dollars, and com-

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knew it would go out of existence on election day and would not have to do the worrying about paying the

proposition and not have any cam paign committee.

It may be said that such a commit-

tee might avoid the 1912 mistakes. Yes, it might. But the temporary nature of such a committee gives it the tendency and the temptation to make these mistakes.

Besides, such a committee is entirely unnecessary. It is simply another example of scatteration and lack of co-ordination. The unnecessary as shown, just the thing to decorate headquarters, study room or den; fine for friendship presents. Best method for friendship presents. Best method be avoided. Why should we elect a special committee at special expense, pignics outlings hall games etc. Ev-



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WE GET A LETTER. By J. N. Wilson, Of Grand Island, Neb.

I have been a reader of The Ameri-I have been a reader of The American Socialist for some time and wish to say that I am very much pleased with same, as it is very well gotten up, and is certainly a clean paper, and being owned and operated by the cocialist Party, its possibilities are practically without limit.

However, I was disappointed in noting of late the absence of circulation figures, which I should like to see published regularly, as this information would act as an incentive to party.

tion would act as an incentive to party members toward keeping up and extending circulation.

I also trust that our paper in accepting advertising matter will accept only clean advertisements and refuse medical and all undesirable matter, as this policy is best in the

It seems to me the largest work ahead for Socialism is the work of education and winning over the large labor organizations, that they may see that the principles of Socialism are the only real means of solving the problems confronting us today, both nolitically and industrially. politically and industrially.

503. During the seven weeks since that time we have fallen back slight. The figures this week show 40.
452. There are indications, however, that the Socialists everywhere have decided to wake up. This was shown in the magnificent orders we received for the MEYER LONDON EDITION.

The national secretary reports that the sale of dues etc. The national secretary reports that enormous concentration of power in the sale of dues stamps is getting the hands of a few. The only salvation more lively, indicating an increase in is in education of the rank and file and membership. The young people's secretary has just returned from Kokomo, Ind., where the young Socialists of Indiana organized a state league under inspiring conditions. He also reports that the young Socialists are rallying to the standards all over the nation. We expect every worker for The American Socialist to join in this

## ROLL OF HONOR

HERE'S STORY OF A. F. OF L.
CONVENTION AT FRISCO.

A THING OF THE PAST.

Some observers explain that this is due to the fact that the great internationals have become so powerful that the Federation doesn't dare go to extremes with them any longer. That means that such organizations as the results of the property of the that the Federation doesn't dare go to extremes with them any longer. That means that such organizations as the carpenters, miners, machinists and one or two others have such power of numbers and such influence that the Federation can't afford to take the chance of threatening to revoke a charter.

A. F. OF L. AT CLOSE RANGE.

By Lee L. Stopple.

During the sessions of the American Federation of Labor in San Francisco I had occasion to gather a great deal of first-hand information regarding the workings of the American trade union movement. As a trade unionistic

ward movement.

Watch for the circulation figures ing the jam during the last day or two.

HERE'S STORY OF A. F. OF L.

CONVENTION AT FRISCO.

By Chester M. Wright.

AN FRANCISCO, Cal.—What has been one of the most important conventions ever held by the American Federation of Labor has been one of Labor has been one of the most important conventions ever held by the American Federation of Labor has lithe debate any voice raised except to say and clearly emphatically that officers are too conservative to be leaders of labor, do not criticize the lithe officers—they represent the rapk and conservative to the only true solution for prementation of the American Federation of Labor has been one of the most important conventions ever held by the American Federation of Labor has been one of the most important conventions ever held by the American Federation of Labor has been one of the most important conventions ever held by the American Federation of Labor and its subsidiary organizations. It is to that body that we owe alleging the conventions ever held by the American Federation of Labor and its subsidiary organizations. It is to that body that we owe alleging the American Federation of Labor and its subsidiary organizations. It is to that body that we owe alleging the American Federation of Labor and its subsidiary organizations. It is to that body that we own alleging the American Federation of Labor and its subsidiary organizations. It is to that body that we own alleging the American Federation of Labor and its subsidiary organizations. It is to that body that we own alleging the American Federation of Labor and its subsidiary organizations. It is to that body that we own alleging the American Federation of Labor and its subsidiary organizations. It is to that body that we own alleging the American Federation of Labor and its subsidiary organizations. It is to that body that we obtain the American Federation of Labor and its subsidiary organizations.

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tionize the labor movement.

Those comrades who are inclined to be impatient with the American Fed In econvention voted to so amending the constitution as to permit of introduction of resolutions during the first four, as it has been. It is figure is that this will permit the convention to get to actual work two days only, instead of during the last day or two first four, as it has been. It is figure is than has been the case, thus preventing the land during the last day or two first four, as it has been the case, thus preventing the land during the last day or two first four, as it has been the case, thus preventing the land during the last day or two first four, as it has been the case, thus preventing the last day or two first four, as it has been the case, thus preventing the last day or two first four, as the second than thru the means of their trade is the first four, as it has been the case, thus preventing the last day or two first four, as the second than thru the means of their trade is the first four, as it has been the case, thus preventing the last day or two first four, as the second than thru the means of their trade is the four than the second than thru the means of their trade is at the four two first four, as it has been the case, thus preventing the last day or two first four, as the four two first four, as the four two day only, instead of during the last day or two first four, as the four two day only, instead of during the last day or two first four, as the four two days only, instead of during the last day or two first four, as the four two days only, instead of during the last day or two first four, as the four two days only and dis up something to the object of much congratulation.

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GENGRG H. SCHEPP. East Liverpool.

The writers of t The massed a great fortune making and is from the sixth congressional district of that afact. We congratulate the 800 who will receive copies of the MEYER LONDON EDITION and hope they see the light sufficiently to send a Socialist to congress from this district in 1916.

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maladjustment. Every delegate who spoke seemed to know and state that there is no superficial cure for unemployment and that no palliative will satisfy labor. That debate was rich in inspiration for those who list its labor. Socialist should not only obey the party mandate to join the union of his craft, but live up to the concepts of trade unionism. Be an active worker for the cause of organization.

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We believe that the last report was published in the issue of Oct. 23, showing the circulation then as 41. 503. During the seven weeks since that time we have fallen back slight.

In a circulation figures each leaders against revoking charters were clear and emphatic. Geo. H. GOEBEL.

In a contraction on the part of the principles of Socialism found so little response among the leaders of organized labor in this country. The decides over the eight-hour law and organized more dead ones, and infused it may be ready. According to the task of the big internationals that has brought this condition about, what is going to be its effect on 'the 'big internationals that has brought this condition about, what is spublished in the issue of Oct. 23, showing the circulation then as 41. 503. During the seven weeks since that time we have fallen back slight.

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Fellowship Club, Bayonne, N. J., ran a cry successful novelty dance. On their "nut" program they named their dances after the visiting leagues and some of the prominent members thereof. Those so distinguished were the object of much congratulation.

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ETHAN A. WILEY, SCHENECTADY, N. ON EDITION of distribution in the second ward of this Socialist congressman in 1916.

In traction and hope they see the light sufficient proportion do match the eyes of the Course there was reaction expressed in word and deed. But so was progress expressed—and just about the hands full in keeping them in add outbut that the man means it when he says, that he would give his last penny if he could be the instrument by which peace emay be restored to a war cursed and stricken world.

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# **EXTRAORDINARY OFFER** the American Federation of Labor has just closed here. Here are just two of the reasons for rating this convention as of more than average importance. It marked the turning point in the matter of letting the first week go to waste while the great mass of business is jammed and rolled thru during the closing hours. It marked and rolled thru during the closing hours. It marked and rolled thru during the closing hours. It marked a mitrical care for unemployment and that no palliative lines is parked a mitrical care for unemployment and that no palliative lines are too conservative to be officers are

# A marked a vital change of policy in the matter of jurisdictional questions. Turning Into New Road. It is safe to say that from mow on the American labor movement is turning into a new road, the nobody know, just what kind of a road it is going to be or where it will lead. In the matter of jurisdictions this is what seems to have happened: The Federation will endeavor to lay out lines of jurisdiction, it will endeavor to get internationals to remain inside the lines, but there it will stop, except possibly in cases of minor importance. So this convention has adjourned, for a trade unionist not being a So that the variance would be some valid reasons for a trade unionist not being a So this convention has adjourned, so the convention has adjourned, for a trade unionist not being a So this convention has adjourned, for a trade unionist not being a So the soundation of these who list in the matter of jurisdiction, it will endeavor to get internationals to remain inside the lines, but there it will stop, except possibly in cases of minor importance. So this convention has adjourned, for a trade unionist not being a So the soundation of the proceedings of the last few conventions of the A.F. of L. will show. There may be some valid reasons for a trade unionist not being a So.

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Warren says:—"Goebel could put life into the contract of the secondary and contract of the seconda

is enthusiastic ever them.

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The Comrade Club, Jersey City, N. J., held its last outing to the woods and came loome with a whole carlead of leaves and boughs. The latest feature was an "Amateur Night," which is of their members took part. It was a bir success and the "hook" was noted in evidence.

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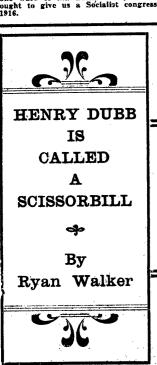
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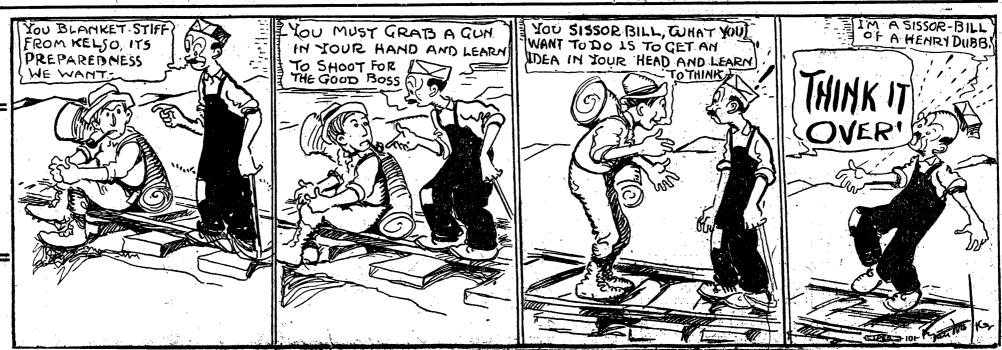
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