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Some years ago. Prof. Richard T. Ely, the American economist, propounded an ingenious theory intended to demonstrate the impracticability of Socialism would not only centralize, or conscisions would fail the following the time the control of the State, but also centralize, or concentrate, all the discontent, hatred and revolution, that the exercise of those functions and powers Create. So far as we can recall, nobody ever took this theory seriously. The Socialists, against whom it was aimed, by way of criticism rather than antagonism, contenting themselves with answering that, since, under Socialism the people would be the State, it is not likely that they would grow discontend with, or hate, and revoit against, themselves.

However, there are some thing happening nowadays that feat us to believe that Prof. working itself out under capitalism elements that the sound of the seasone, and it is to discontent. The control working itself out under capitalism elements are some thing the sound of the seasone, and the corporations impracticabilities to which it gives rise in modern society. There can be no doubt that capitalism centralized or concentrate deconomic functions and powers give rise to discontent, hatred, and revoit against the institutions and persons representing and embodying such centralization or concentration. Hence we see that, today, as the power of the State, physical violence is no longer committed against the representatives of corporate capital and wealth, who have come to be regarded as the embodiment of all that is transmissal and unjust in the prevailing system.

However, the seed of the seasone, and the workers are also and the work of the seasone, and the work of the seasone, and the work of the seasone, and from which the writers and investigators themselves derive their wealth and so deriving cannot condemn, as the a

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Their demands, which the commission, after the uses of the fruit of the smeltermen of Leadville, Colorado, who were visible told it was sliegal to strike against increased work demanded by employers without adequate increase in pay?

What of the workers of Canada who are informed that the sovernment intends to extend by executive order the provisions of the industrial Disputes Act, to cover all workers in industries by producing munitions of war and by that order to restrict the power of a greater number of workers to protect themselves and their standards of work and life?

What of the workers of Great Britain, who, under the defense of the Realm Act, feel the iron grip of compulsion throttling shiely freedom?

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"What of the men, women and children of France who find themselves helpless under the militarization of the workers in the factories?

"What is transpiring in Germany and Austria is clouded in the unknown and will be until the war shall come to a close."

All of which shows that, while "trades unionism has been p

tried with every conceivable test, there is one—political coercion—that it does not respond to with success. The general strike is —that it does not respond to with success. The general strike is necessary for that.

Mr. Gompers, political nomisee and lobbyist, hurled a boom-erang at his pet theory when he hrew the above.

Elsewhere in this issue will be found a communication regarding the necessity of organising all the chain factories of corporations in order to secure beneficial results. This communication is timely. There is no doubt that complete organization is the ideal toward which labor mest strive. It is good for labor to

Unionism In Chain Factories

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strike-it down, when and wherever it appears. "There's a reason."

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We are inclined to grow enthusiastic over the prospects of the ideals of The Woman of Today." by Agenes Grundel, a brief, but well-put ex-ay. "Hellen Keller," an appreciation of this gifted I. W. W. woman, by Annie Mestbrook of Ferth, West Australia. "Collars and Cuffs," dealing with an industry based on an invention of the special woman, by Annie Mestbrook of Ferth, West Australia. "Collars and Cuffs," dealing with an industry based on an invention discovered by a woman in "The Redemption of John Vast," story of domestic life, showing the transforming influences of the ideals of labor. In addition, Elizabeth Gurley Flynn, promises us an article on "Women and Industry." This is a subject that she has already handled from various standpoints with success. We expect a good article from Elizabeth Gurley Flynn, as a consequence. We have written to quite a few women and/look for good returns. If you are a woman and have not been written to, kindly goverlook the lack of time and facilities that "prevented the sending of an invitation, and join the procession. Contribute to this number. In facilities that "growth and the sending of an invitation, and jo

announced last week, have not oeen laid to rest. We are at k on them, too. All together, for a bigger and better Solidarity and I. W. W.! Woman's Special Edition will be issued the first Saturday in . Send in your bundle orders now. July.

Leave off until tomorrow what you should do today, if your doesn't give you enough pay,

It is better to have revolted and lost than to have not revolted

He who robs me of my pure steals thrash. And he who kills Henry Frick or John D. Rockefeller is doing a deed equally as fruitful.

Are strikes wasteful? Judging from the loss of capitalist rofits that they occasion, in the form of increased wages, reduced urrs and better conditions, we should say that they are; decided-so.

"Prosperity to Stay; Business Heads Say"—headline." No doubt; they have prosperity always with them, thanks to the surplus funds which their robbery of labor in the shop makes possible.

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The Commonwealth Of Toil

(Air: "Nellie Grey")

In the gloom of mighty cities
Mid the roar of whirling wheels,
We are tolling on like chattel slaves of old;
And our masters hope to keep us
Ever thus beneatt their heels,
And to coin our very life-blood into gold.
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But we have a glowing dream
Of how fair the world will seem
When each man can live his life secure and free;
When the earth is owned by Labor
And there's joy and peace for all,
In the Commonwealth of Toil that is to be.

They have laid our lives out for us To the utter end of time,
Shall we stagger on beneath their heavy load?
Shall we let them live forever
In their gilded halls of crime
With our children doomed to toil beneath their goad?

CHORUS

They would keep us cowed and beaten, Cringing meekly at their feet, While they stand between each worker and his bread; Shall we yield our lives up to them For the bitter crusts we eat, Shall we only hope for heaven when we're dead?

CHORUS

When our Cause is all triumphant
And we claim our Mother Earth,
And the nightmare of the present fades away,
We shall live with love and laughter,
We who now are little worth.
And we'll not regret the price we have to pay.

CHORUS -Ralph H. Chaplin.

The Girl And The Man

It was a sweltering hot day. Footlove and hungry, Bob Smith looked
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