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# issions Made by Head of Standard Oil.

of 1879-His Own Affidavits n of Output of Oil.

very hard day it was yesterday wo John D.s at the Custom House counter between the Governand Standard Oll forces. part of the day saw John D. ler at the head of the battle second part of the day saw Archbold as the standard of rebates and conspiracy. n of them, in their loyalty to their ta," have put up a vigorous it, a fight worthy of the shrewd-, cunning and practice in illegal tions, with which they are ac-

ld was called after Rocked I gone through a very hard es examination at the hands of that Fighter' Kellogg. "Lieutenant" haboid replaced the old head of adard Oil, and in quick gestures see behind his attorney, Moritz sathal, in the well paved path of a latudded direct examination. He is "successful" rebates and "pipe is" and his own part in the oil rests. It will take a few days belawyers will be ready to deliver to Kellogg for what promises to a sensational cross examination. examination at the hands of

## Hard Day for Rockefeller.

bound local subway train as it was about to stop at the Spring street station. He died a short time afterward, just as an ambulance reached St. Vincent's Hospital with him.

In bringing, the train to a sudden stop Motorman Fred Satterfield threw the network of presumably not' became too for practical use. A week's use and easions tore holes in the with which the witness tried wer up facts, and the truth was a in many places, making the old tremble with shame which even uld not suppress.

Was developed that companies been organized and the shares held by individuals, the very individuals that happened to belie the Standard Oil Company, imself had fabulous amount of in his name of concerns that nothing whatever to do with the lard Oil Company, imself had fabulous amount of the Standard Oil Company, imself had fabulous amount of the Standard Oil Company, imself had fabulous amount of the Standard Oil Company, imself had fabulous amount of the Standard Oil Company, imself had fabulous amount of the Standard Oil Company, imself had fabulous amount of the Standard Oil Company, imself had fabulous amount of the Standard Oil Company, imself had fabulous amount of the Standard Oil Company, imself had fabulous amount of the Standard Oil Company, imself had fabulous amount of the Standard Oil Company, imself had fabulous amount of the Standard Oil Company, imself had fabulous amount of the Standard Oil Company, imself had fabulous amount of the standard Oil Company, imself had fabulous amount of the standard Oil Company, imself had fabulous amount of the standard Oil Company, imself had fabulous amount of the standard Oil Company, imself had fabulous amount of the standard Oil Company, imself had fabulous amount of the standard Oil Company, in the standard Oil Compa

## Facts He Could Not Deny.

Facts He Could Net Deny, ank B. Kellogg, the lawyer for lovernment, grew very impudent wented to know whether it was teact that on July 20, 1876, an ement had been made between leld. Schurmer and Teagle, of land, and the Standard Oil Comfor Ohlo to the effect that the out-of Ohlo to the effect that the out-of that concern for ten years to should be restricted to \$5,000 is per annum. For this, that was to receive a clear profit of 100 and the balance, whatever it if amount to, was to be divided mount to, was to be divided Standard Oil Company.

the Shindard Oil Company.

Rockefeller tried hard to deny
but was confronted with his own
data in a suit brought in Court
mon Pleas in the State of Ohio
to restrain Schofield, Schurund Fragel from producing more
in stigulated in the contract. It
this point that Mr. Rockefel. at this point that Mr. Rockefel-art falled him. He tried to be the question; he tried to make want answers; he paused; bit dpu; threw back his head, opened

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# WOULDN'T ROLL

in Physical Culture Class Mutiny on Orders.

GANSFORT, Ind., Nov. 25 .roll on the floor," was the filti-m delivered by a dozen society en when Miss Margaret Hall, who d a class in physical culture. ablied a class in physical culture, and they should follow her examA class in the science of reducweight was organized, following ries of health lectures delivered veral churches. Enthusiasm ran among women until the instruccolled from one end of the hall to other and invited her class to where. "You've got to do it or the class," she said, and while enthusiastic matrons and maids and played leap frog, rebellious and played leap frog, rebellious marched out in a body.

SCHEFF TO MARRY SOON

After Christmas, John Fox Jr., Announces.

OL Tenn., Nov. 25.-John the novelist, and Miss Fritzi the comic opera singer, arthe comic opera singer, arhere last night from the home
Fox's parents, near Bristol,
Miss Scheff has been the guest
family since Sunday. With
Cabell Moore, r., of WashMr. Fox's sister, they are on
ay to New York, where Miss
i sto appear at the KnickerTheater.

# TALK FROM JAPAN

Pacific Coast Operators Get Signals from Mikado's Powerful Senders -Reply Won't Carry So Far.

4.700 miles of ocean aerograms have been received from Japan by the operators in the United States wireoperators in the United States wire-less telegraph station in this city. Although they have been unable to reply to the call from over the seas, they have watched with growing in-terest the efforts of the Japanese to get into communication with the United States through other means than cable or ship. This marks a record for receiving wireless mes-sages.

record for receiving wireless messages.

It was nearly four months ago that James Watkins, chief operator, and R. Lawrence Maiarin, night operator, were surprised one night to catch strange signals from apparently a great distance seaward.

Japan with more powerful sending apparatus than is found in any other wireless station in the world, fisshes her signals through almost a sheer 5,000 miles. But Japan does not know that her voice is heard and will not until this news is sent to the land of the Mikado.

For weeks and weeks the Japaneze have been calling and Operators Watkins and Maiarin heard, but could make nothing of it all: Honolulu heard, too, and at the same instant, by comparing notes, the two stations reached the conclusion that the signals came from Japan.

came from Japan.

# CONDITIONS FORCED HIM

To Suicide By Jumping in Front Subway Train

Throwing his hat and coat aside, young man leaped in front of a north-bound local subway train as it was about to stop at the Spring street sta-

pain. I have lived and suffered, think-ing all the time that cowards commit suicide, but I am not a giant. I could not devote myself to literary pursuit.

education, and I strove for that, but the result was disappointing, being young and friendless. I hired out my physical force for mere starvation wages, just to maintain thve soul."

The letter was unsigned.
A card showing that the young man had been a patient at Beth Israel Hosnital was also found in his pockets, but there were no marks of identification in his clothing.

BOY BURGLAR CAUGHT.

"Real Burglar" Companion Es-

was Frank Genke, whose parents live at 52 South 2d street. His mother put him to bed last night after he had finished his public school work for to-day. When his parents were asleep he got up and, after dressing himself, he climbed out of a rear window and descended a fire escape to the yard. By prearrangement he met another

descended a fire escape to the yard. By prearrangement he met another youthful burglar, "a real burglar," Genke afterward told the police. This real burglar made his escape, but the police have a pair of shoes belonging to him. It was the shoes which led to the capture of Genke.

The two boys had planned to rob the tenement dwelling at 43 South 2d street, which is in the rear of the South 2d street house. They vaulted a fence and reconnoitred. By climbing a fire escape to the first floor they discovered the Moralskys, man and wife, had gone out. The young robbers raised a window and crowled into the rooms. The "real burglar" told Genke that housebreakers always remove their shoes so as to make as little noise as possible in carrying out a job. This the two did. They left their shoes on the kitchen floor.

The Moralskys, returning from call, found the haoes, and summoned Policeman Krummel, who caught Genke. The "real burglar" escaped, however, bue left his shoes in his haste.

Genke will be arraigned in the Children's Court and the police expect to have the "real burglar" there with him.

CROOKEDNESS IS ALLEGED,

HACKENSACK, N. J., Nov. 25.—Intimating that the contract for the proposed new bridge over, the Hackensack J. Foliroge, william H. Van Wart; treasurer, B. Peele William H. Doelle, chairman; Oswald Maune,

family since Sunday. With Cabell Moore, r., of Wash-Mr. Fox's sister, they are on any to New York, where Missis ato appear at the Knicker-Theater.

Fox stated that he and Missis and elecided to be married as the Christmas as possible. She eatly divorced from an officer Austran army.

HACKENSACK, N. J., Nov. 25.—Intimating that the contract for the proposed new bridge over the Hackensack and Ridgefield Park, was improperly awarded to Frank R. Long Company for \$158,000, a writ of certiforari was had tecided to be married as ter Christmas as possible. She eatly divorced from an officer Austran army.

# SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—Across Rev. Percy Grant Warns **Employers of Unrest.**

Not Many, but They Cause Excite ment"-Some Employing Printer Together and Live in Peace

At a dinner of the Printers' League held at the Hotel Westminster on Tuesday night the Rev. Percy Grant, rector of the Church of the Ascension on Fifth avenue, declared that all classes should unite in an effort to prevent a cival war arising out of trapped. the clash of classes in this country.

"When you deal with laboring men ou are bound to find a great many Socialists among them," said he. "The leaders of labor will tell you that while only about 10 per cent of the membership in labor unions is

of the membership in labor unions is composed of Socialists that small proportion makes more trouble—perhaps I should say, causes more excitement than all of the rest of the 90 per cent. The Socialists amonk the labor men stand for ideals and that is, perhaps, the reason they cause all the excitement.

"We should look upon the present unrest among the classes in France as being indicative of the trend of the conditions of the day. I fancy that the unrest in France will soon be the unrest here unless we can find some panacea that may allay, if not divert, the unrest from us. When we consider that for seventy-five years the legislators of this nation had an opportunity to do away with slavery and that they did not, but that it had to be wiped out with the frightful horror of the Civil War, we should strive to bend every sinew against the prevention of another such horror as that arising out of conditions that might be cursed in time.

"A condition confronts us that calls for the attention of every business man, every citizen, every human being."

This was the second dinner of th

Printers' League. About one hundred and twenty-five members and guests present. President Francis, of the Charles Francis Press, spoke on

Printers League of America all of the employers whose employes are organ-ized, for the specific purpose of con-sulting with these employes, who in this day are really as much interested, or should be so, in the success of our or should be so, in the success or our business as we ourselves are. Every employer who becomes a member of employer who becomes a member of our organization strengthens our claim to fair and preferential con-tracts with the unions and to the certracts with the unions and to the cer-tainty of immunity from the destruct-ive strike or lockout process, which has cost both employer and employe many hours of anxiety and vast wealth, and has halted his 'pursuit of

wealth, and has naited his pursuit of happiness.'
"We have so far achieved the following results: Contracts with three unions, one of which was made in open session with the union; an era members for two His "Real Burglar" Companion Escaped, However.

A twelve-year-old burglar was caught yesterday morning in apartments of Mrs. Ann Mosalsky, at 49 South 3d street, Williamsburg. He international Typographical Union."

Little Advice from Mr. Little. J. J. Little, toastmaster, also said,

among other things: "What will be the future of this movement depends upon the willingness of the parties interested. It will

van wart; treasurer, B. Peele Will-ett; executive committee, Frederick H. Doelle, chairman; Oswald Maune, J. F. Oltrogge, William Driscol, John C. Morrison and Alexander A. Kle-bold.

When you buy of The Call advertisers, mention The Call and show your C. P. I. card.

In Chicago River, Where, It is Said, Counterfeiters Threw Plates, Fearing Arrest.

Captain Thomas I. Porter of the Government Secret Service, to obtain evidence which, it is believed, will send to prison one of the largest and most dangerous aggregations of counterfeiters the United States authorities have had to deal with in years. Under the murky water that swirls beneath the Jackson street bridge, it is believed, the finely engraved copper plates on which was made \$100.000 in counterfeit \$5 bills that have flooded Chicago will be found imbedded in mud, where they were thrown by the counterfeiters when they saw they could not escape arrest.

With seven men and one woman in cells, the detectives of Unge Sam believe they have only two or three persons to find before all those concerned in the counterfeiting plot will be feiters the United States authorities

counterfeiting plot

arrest of Dr. W. H. Young said to be a prominent physician o Dayton. Ohio, is thought by Captain Porter to be one of the most importan steps in the efforts made to ferret ou steps in the entorts made to ferret out the band of counterfeiters. Just to what part the "doctor" played in the manufacture or exchange of the spur-ious bills is not made clear, but the authorities are satisfied he was one of

authorities are satisfied he was one of the ringleaders.

"About a week ago," said Edward Wheed, one of the suspects, "we carried about \$30,000 worth of the paper to the foot of 22d street and burned it. covering the ashes with dirt. We did this when we learned that officers were on our trail, and hoped to divert attention.

"Westcott threw the plates into the river from the Jackson street bridge. Thinking that we had thrown the detectives off the track, the gang broke up."

# NO MORE MERRY

Episcopalians, That Is, If They Live Up to the Ruling Handed Down by Bishop.

OMAHA, Nov. 25 .- "No more big nats for Omaha Episcopal churches, is the order given out by Bishop Will-Omaha, the occasion being the marriage last night of persons prominent in society in the Cathedral.

in society in the Cathedral.

And the Omaha women will not be permitted to wear their big hats to church and afterward remove them, either. The Bishop orders that the women shall come to the church with covered heads and wearing hats which will not interfere with the rights of others in the congregation.

In keeping with the modest hats which Omaha Episcopalians will be expected to wear in future, the Bishop suggests that women should wear dresses of a modest nature when they come to church.

\$2,000,000,000 COUNTRY NOW,

An Unprecedented Total of Appropriations Likely for This Congress.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25 .- Accordauthorized by Congress at its coming session will go away beyond the billion dollar mark. Eighteen years agoin 1890-when the Fifty-first Congress at two sessions had appropriated a billion dollars, a great hue and cry went up throughout the land. Speaker Reed answered the critics of the Fitty-first Congress with this observa-tion: "This has come to be a billion dollar country."

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## DON'T MAKE A MISTAKE.

Read This Before You Part with Your Money.

with Your Money.

Spending your money with people who do not advertise in The Call is a mistake—that is, if you are really desirous of helping your paper. Don't make that mistake.

New ads, are coming in daily, due to the good work of the readers of The Call. Soon a much larger variety of goods will be advertised in this paper, and advertised in this paper, and advertisers in various sections will enter the advertising columns.

If you do not see what you want to buy, or if stores advertising are not convenient to you, write us at once, stating the kind and grade of goods you want to get and how much money you expect to spend. We will then try to help you and at the same time get the advertising.

Write to firms whose advertisement you would like to see in The Call. Mention the amount of money you have spent with them during the year.

Keep up the good work of organizing the purchasing power of Call readers.

Continue to direct trede into the stores that advertise in The Call.

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# CHICAGO, Nov. 25.—The bottom of the Chicago river is being explored by a sea diver working under orders of Sampson.

Had a Piece of Cheese in His Hand When He Died-Letter Figured in

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 25. Georgia Allyn Sampson, daughter of Frank P. Allyn, a wealthy Wayne County farmer, was arrested at noc yesterday in the village of Macedon near this city, on a warrant charging er with murder in the first degree The crime alleged to have been con mitted by Mrs. Sampson is th shoot ing of her husband, Harry Sampson nephew of the late Admiral Sampso The arrest came as the culmination of an inquest which has lasted since November 5. Sampson was shot on November 1

Allyn farm, three miles from The house was arranged Macedon. for two families, and he and his wife occupied the west wing. The apartments of his father-in-law were on the opposite side of the house. 7:30 o'clock that morning there was a quarrel between Harry Sampson and his wife over a letter which Mrs. and his wife over a letter wine his-sampson had received from a Fair-port man. Mr. Allyn, the girl's father, tried to adjust matters, but Sampson declared that he would leave his wife.

"I'd rather shoot myself than live th her," he said, according to Mr. Allyn's story.
Twenty minutes later he ran into

he east wing with blood streaming rom a bullet wound in his chest and ell dead at the feet of his mother-a-lew. There were no smoke steins

the east wing with the feet of his mother fell dead at the feet of his mother in-lew. There were no smoke stains or powder marks on his breast or on the foot of the short of the was in an upper room when she heard the shot.

For four days the theory of suicide heard on Sampson's words to Mr.
Allyn was believed. Then the Sampson family heard about the absence of smoke stains and powder burns. They learned that the sun was not throw on the floor, as would have for smoke stains and powder burns. They learned that the sun was not throw on the floor, as would have purebally been the case if it were purebally been the case if it were suicide, but was placed carefully in a corner and that Sampson held a package of cheese in his hands as he fell dying. They urged an inquest, be fell dying. They urged an inquest, and all although he is a cousin of support of the sequestions raise the slightest of these questions raise the slightest of the surface of these questions raise the slightest of the surface of these questions raise the slightest of the surface of these questions raise the slightest of the surface of these questions raise the slightest of the surface of she was in an upper room when she heard the shot.
For four days the theory of suicide hased on Sampson's words to Mr. Allyn was believed. Then the Sampson family heard about the absence of smoke stains and powder burns. They learned that the gun was not thrown on the floor, as would have probably been the case if it were suicide, but was placed carefully in a corner and that Sampson held a package of cheese in his hands as he fell dying. They urged an inquest, and although he is a cousin of Georgia Sampson, Coroner Cyrus P. Jennings called the inquest. He was assisted by District Attorney Joseph Gilbert, also a cousin of Mrs. Sampson. The testimony at the inquest was given with but two exceptions by blood relatives of the suspected young woman.

# 2 BODIES FROM SEWER

Boy Victims of Cave-in Recovered by Searchers

officials of the House Committee on Appropriations the expenditures to be authorized by Congress at its set of the House Committee on Street cave-3in at Gold street, Brooklyn, last Friday morning. It was that of six-year-old William B. Dougherty, the son of John Dougherty, of

109 Gold street. was found very close to

The body was found very close to the place where the searchers uncovered the body of six-year-old John Brady. The boys were playing together when they were engulfed on Friday morning, and it was expected that they would be found thus, side by side. 3

The body of young Dougherty was removed to the temporary morgue at 31 Gold street. The elder Dougherty was called in and identified his son without hesitation.

The Dougherty and Brady boys were playing on the sidewalk in front of the houses at 107 and 109, where they lived, and Mrs. Brady had just come out on the stoop to call her son, when the cave-in occurred. The mother was left on the edge of the gap and the children were swallowed up before her eyes.

GOV. HUGHES DEFINES POLICY.

Governor Hughes made his first speech since his re-election on Tues-day night at a subscription dinner, given by the Republican Club to the Governor and the other state officers-Governor declared his policy

The Governor declared his policy would be the same in the future as in the past, and that he would continue "to give the places to those best fitted to fill them. He made a plea for home rule, eulogized Judge Taft and warned the Republican party to fulfill its promises to the people.

## HAECKEL TO RETIRE.

JENA, Nov. 25.—Ernest Heinrich Haeckel, who is the great living exponent of the theory of natural evolution, and who has been professor of zoology at the university here since 1862 has decided to retire from his university duttes on his seventy-fifth birthday. February 16, next year. He will deliver his last lecture on February 12, and will devote the remainder of his life to the phylogenetic museum founded by him.

# SYRACUSE JUDGE CALLS ATTORNEY

JAPS TALK ACROSS THE PACIFIC BY WIRELESS TO SAN FRANCISCO

ralized, and Tells Hugh Govern Some Hard Facts.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Nov. 25 .- The local members of the Socialist party are highly elated over the fact that only held that a Socialist may be nat uralized as a citizen, but also that the discussion of such views is beneficia Govern, of New York, who took ex ception for the purpose of appeal doesn't know what he is talking

Late Saturday afternoon when Car Otto Leiss, of 465 Shonnard street was being examined upon his applica-tion for citizenship, Mr. Govern of jected to his being naturalized on the ground of his being a Socialist.

Then the following dialogue too

The Court-I don't think this que tion of Socialism is very important. I should not hesitate to admit an applicant because he has opinions favor able to Socialism.

Mr. Govern-I do not for a mo ineligible to citizenship, but if a man's Socialistic views are such that they place him in a position where he does

not beleve in the principles of the constitution. I think it is important; and this man does not believe in certain very conspicuous and important provisions of the constitution. How can he take the cath that he is attached to all of the principles of the constitution of the United States?

The Court—I don't think the cath means that. It simply means that he is attached to the general principles upon which the constitution is based. In other words, I don't think that if a man is a Socialist or believes that large fortunes should be distributed or should be taken away by taxation, that that disqualifies him from citizenship. He may think the constitution could be improved in this or that particular, and yet be attached to the general principles contained in it.

Mr. Govern—I can refer your Honor to at least one decision by the District. Caust of the United States. In Texas, which held that a man who entertained views of that character was not eligible to citizenship. I should like a little more time to think of it.

The Court—I don't think there is

st 7:30 o'clock.

Schuster had served in the Prussian army in the Franco-Prussian war. Twenty years ago he married and came to America. He worked as a cabinetmaker, and cleven months ago he was earning \$4 a day. He had saved up a comfortable sum and he lived very happily with his wife. Then his employers falled. Schuster looked for a position claswhere. Sevieral times work was offered him at \$2 a day, but he was a proud man and refused it. He told his wife that he could not look his fellow members of the union in the face after such "degreedation." The money that the couple had saved was nearly gone. This morning, when his wife had gone out of the house for a few minutes, he placed a chair in front of a mirror and, facing the mirror, shot himself. He left a letter to his wife, Eva, explaining his act. He leaves no children.

PERRY DEFICIT Staten Island Boats Operated by City

at \$945,000 Loss. A report will be presented within the next few days to the City Club regarding the matter of city ownership. It will be in the form of a warning from a special committee and w cite the result of the city's experien

with the municipal ferry running to Staten Island. The deficit in the op-eration of the ferry for the last year amounted to \$945.000, and in the 39th street ferry the books show a loss o \$445,000.

BIG BUILDING SOLD. Twelve-Story Office Structure Brings \$1,250,000.

# Before He Will Kn Fate---Case Adjourned

accused are to introduce of document and then it will be finished. The lawyers for the ed that th rovernment announ would dispense with the cross-example in all on and let the case rest on the vious day.

Brothers to introduce irreledence and to throw discred try with was not his legal wife. I bert Parsons objected to the in duction of questions which had a ing whatever to do with the case. Commissioner Hitohoock susta

pathetic accounts Pouren is revesting.

It was generally admitted that the less talk there is of Pouren and his case the brighter are the prospects for the Russian Government.

The attempt to enter into the conjugal relations of the prisoner, at a time when the question was whether he is a revolutionist or not, was a move characteristic of the government against which Pouren is fighting. It was ovident that from the very beginning the client of Coudert Brothers did not mean to play fair, and when the political end was defeated, personalities were touched upon. The attempt to blackmall the prisoner, however, was stopped at an early period.

Two Months of Prison.

Mr. Leiss was admitted to citizenship, and the right to Socialist beliefs is upon record. His witnesses were Anton Weiler and Frederick Ehrie.

SUCIDE AT 62

Schuster's Bride Would Not Suffer a Decrease in Wages.

Because he wouldn't accept a position which paid him less than he had been used to getting and because his savings of twenty years were almost gone, George Schuster, sixty-two years old, of 201 West \$23 street, shot him self in the temple yesterday morning ht 7:30 o'clock.

Two Months of Prison.

Before Pouren will know whether he is free or not he will have to stay in prison for at less two months. The Russian lawyers have forty days granted by the treaty applies to the preducing of evidence after the arrest smade, not to the case at its present stage. Commissioner Elitehocek would be a sufficient period for the Russian government to file a reply. The documents to be produced by the attorneys for Pouren is great from the Russian army would be a sufficient period for the Russian government to discolsed. It is rumored that many applications that the producing of evidence after the arrest made, not to the case at its present stage. Commissioner Elitehocek would be a sufficient period for the Russian government to discolsed. It is rumored that the attorneys for Pouren is great from the Russian army showing that an officer ordered the maccused of the "crimes" with which he is charged.

# CHESTER STRIKE OFF

Long Drawn Out Trolley B to an End at Last.

CHESTER, Pa., Nov. 25.—After a struggle that lasted more than seven months and was fought with great demonths and was fought with great determination on both sides, the strike of the Chester Traction Company, which began on April 12, was officially declared off yesterday, after a meeting of the striking trolleymen and C. O. Fratt, of Detroit, chairman of the international executive board of the Carmen's Union, and P. J. Shea, vice president of the same union.

During the entire course of the strike the sympathy of the inhabitants and even of the city officials was with the strikers, but to no avail.

So bitter was the company in its fight against the men that it recently had thirteen members of the local union seized on a fake charge of "dynamiting cars of the company." They were indicted by the Grand Jury, but at their trial the jury disagreed.

It is not "nown whether the men will be taken back or not.

TO FIGHT LABOR.

French Soldiers Will Be Used as Scale in the Subway.

PARIS, Nov. 25 .- A great storm been raised in labo by the action of M. Lepine, prefec of police, inn detailing a num One of the largest deals in Fifth avenue real estate that has been put through in some time was reported Monday in the sale of the Lyons building, a twelve-story office structure at 228 and 228 Fifth avenue. Preliminary arrangements for the sale were made by the owners of the building, the Jeremiah C. Lyons Building, a coperating Company, the price named being \$1,256,000 cash. N. Y. P. O. Clerk's Union No.10. 590 N. Y. Propaganda League, I. W.

W. 2d A. D., Sec. Party Harrison Lodge No. 156, Int. Ann Machinists.

# **ASSACHUSETTS**

Executive Board Will Invest Political Action and Many Other Things.

BOSTON, Mass., Nov. 25 .- The examerican Federation of Labor ed at its first meeting in this ay, to make an effort to asjust where the trade unionists state stand regarding political Some of the unions have the ground that they should nothing to do with politics, have indorsed their own mem-shen cardidates, whatever their s, and still others have claimed

others have indorsed their own members when cardidates, whatever their polities, and still others have claimed that trade unionists as such should nominate entire tickets in both the state and cities.

The executive board, in its effort to know where it should stand on the proposition, will issue a letter to the central bodies asking them to discuss the issue and to send two instructed delegates to a conference to be held here. This conference, it is planned, should make recommendations to the unions of the state who are affiliated delegates to a conference to be held this contest will end at the here. This conference, it is planned, should make recommendations to the unions of the state who are affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, so that action by which the machor, so that action by which the machor will stand may be taken at the state branch convention at Holyoke next October.

exta branch convention at holyone next October.

Energetic declarations for a ticket of trade unionists from top to bottom were made at the convention of the state branch A. F. of L. and have since been runewed in the Boston C. L. U. No one seems to know where the leaders who cannot yet make up their mind to vote the Secialist ticket will attempt to lead their flocks next time, but politics so far as the trade unionists are concerned are certainly in a state of flux.

The executive board heard Charles H. Window, of the State Board on Industrial Education, who reported that a number of schools without any definite plans are being started in

Arthur M. Huddell, of the Engineers, and George E. Curran, of the Theatrical Stage Employers, were appointed a committee to take up the compilaint regarding the injustice done working the property of the compilaint regarding the injustice done working the property of the compilative property at the joint meeting of the executive council and legislative committee December 10, so that a petition regarding the matter may go to the Legisture of 1969.

Resolutions were adopted thanking Governor Guild for his courtesy to the labor unions of the State.

A committee will sek the Bostom Good Government Association, otherwise called the "Goo Goos," to consider organized labor when about to make recommendations.

President Philip H. Sweet and Secretary Treasurer Driscoll were instructed to wait as Governor-elect Draper before he prepares his inaugural address, and inform him what questions organized labor considers of great importance for legislative action at this time. orge El. Curran, of the Th

# HARD DAY FOR JOHN D.

(Continued from page 1.)

mouth and closed it again with-saying a word. But Kellog de-ded an answer and then he ad-ed that he remembered such liti

was the litigation

"What were the conditions?"

This, as well as all the other busime, was conducted so long ago I
meet remember." he said.

At this point his lawyers wrangled,
the question was insisted upon.

Tas—yes—we had a contract. A
memable agreement—and the suit
we shout that agreement."

Tas the suit not to restrain them
me producing more oil," Kellogg
ked.

do not remember."
Id you not enter personally into suit and make an affidavit, and you not charge in that affidavit they were producing oil in violated the contract?"
Took refer tried to tell the that he did not read the affidation of the contract.

court that he did not read the affida-vit. and, really, was not expected to remember what it contained. But when forced by Kellogg he admitted that he read it lately. Kellogg also saked him whether it was likely that he would ever sign anything that he had not read. "Presumably not," he

Trust Agreement.

A bit of sensational testimony was the introduction of the "Trust Agreement" of 1375, a secret document with was, not to be known by anyboe clae, than the gentlemen who algoed it. The lawyers for the standard Oil Company tried to twist peters into shape by proving that it may not secret, since the gentlemen who signed it knew of it. At this peter into shape by proving that it may not secret, since the gentlemen who signed it knew of it. At this peter the witness had much to do from making himself ridiculous. The censuls of what seemed too evidently true was a very hard task, hard even me, him. He tried to tell that he did not knew what the agreement considered in the second of the second o

## THE RAND SCHOOL RESTAURANT

A visit to the Rand School Restaurant may coavince you that Socialism is not merely a cut and dried, scientific preposition, but that even Socialists can he sociable.

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Truth About Army.

PARIS. Nov. 17 .- Despite all the

forts made to prevent it, the Clem-

enceau government has again covered

two journalists to prison for a year

the French army in the Moroccoan

Victor Meric, the author of the series of character sketches entitled

"Men of the Day," one of which, de

scribing the bloody character of General d'Armande, commander of the

troops at Casablanca, furnished the

pretext for his arrest, is already be-hind the bars, and Delannoy, the art-ist who drew the cartoon accompany-ing the article, will begin his sentence within three months. The delay in his case was granted because of sick-

Not at all downcast at the prospect

than a year he would be reimprisoned at the expiration of his present term. Great indignation is expressed over this latest attempt at the suppression of free speech, and the members of the Socialist party and the union men are all very bitter in their condemnation of the action of the former "apostle of liberty," Premier Clemenceau.

CHICAGO. Nov. 25.—"Father Jacob" Beilhart, known as the head of the "Spirit Fruit" movement at Wooster Lake and the founder of half a dozen colonies over the country, where it is said the formality of a marriage service is dispensed with, is dead at the colony at the lake. It is called "Spirit Fruit Farm," and has twelve inmates. The colony owns three hundred acres of well tilled land. His death followed an operation for appendicitis.

KILLED IN "WILLIAM TELL" ACT.

LONDON, Nov. 25.—Herbert Lee, a vaudeville performer, is dead in this city from the effects of a wound in the head received during a performance of a "William Tell" act at a local theater. Lee held a ball on his head, at which Mme. Clementine shot at a distance of fifty feet. Mme. Clementine surrendered herself to the police. Mr. Lee had been giving this act for eighteen years.

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# **KEEP CHARGES SECRET**

In Divorce Suit Filed by Assistant District Attorney.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 25.—Assistant District Attorney William A. Gray's suit for absolute divorce against his wife, Maybelle Burnetta Gray which is proving the reigning sensation in this city, goes to the jury to day

The greatest interest in the suit is casioned by the efforts to keep the details from publication concerning the startling charges made by the hus-band and the wife. The demand for admittance to the court room has been overwhelming, but none but friends and politicians have been allowed in-

side.

The jury is to consider whether they believe Gray's story to the effect side.

The jury is to consider whether they believe Gray's story to the effect that his wife was friendly with a young dental student of the University of Pennsylvania, named J. S. Liebman, of Ohio, who lodged in the house vacated by Gray, at 4910 Hazel avenue, or the denial of Mrs. Gray and her counter charge that the Assistant District Attorney was too friendly with his stenographer. Florence Ferry, divorced wife of Dr. Cornelius T. Ferry.

Mrs. Gray is an attractive brunette. She is thirty years old and positively denies any wrong doing on her part. One of the features of the case was the wife's struggle to secure counsel to defend her in the case, as attorneys of known organization affiliations such as John C. Bell, Samuel M. Clements and others refused to handle it. Finally she managed to secure the services of Smithers & Lank, A. S. L. Shields represents Gray.

Not at all downcast at the prospect of spending a year in the prisons of the republic. Meric, or "Flax," as he is known to the readers of "La Guerre Sociale," the famous anti-militarist weekly to which he is a regular contributor, told a reported of "I'Humanite" who interviewed him that he had already prepared the copy for thirty numbers of the "Men of the Day" series, and that he roasting of prominent personages would continue.

Meric also said that he intended to write some novels and do other literary work while in jail. When asked if he did not expect to be pardoned before a year was passed, he replied in the negative, saying further that as he was under charges of inciting civil war because of an article that he wrote for "La Guerre Sociale" just after the massacre of a dozen working men by the troops at Villeneuve-St. George last July, it was extremely probable that instead of serving less

# Marathon Champion Hayes and Dorando Ready for Their Great American Race



was his pluckiest competitor in the Olympic games, as they appeared in training for their New York race. Dorando came to this country expressly to challenge Hayes and the race will take place to-night in Madison Square Garden, New York. The winner will receive a large percentage of the gain. This illustration shows John J. Hayes, the American Marathen champlen, and Dorando, the Ttalian who a alstan





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pectedly called into two debates during the past week on Socialis.

He was invited by the Open Parliament to address them in the Methodist Church, 14th street and Seventh avenue, on the subject: "Does Socialism offer the best incentitives to the Hightest Ideals of Life." Mr. Frank had been informed that his time would be unlimited, but before he was finished he was informed that his time was up, and Judge William Armstrong attempted to refute Mr. Frank's arguments. The judge's effort fell flat, however, while Mr. Frank's rebuttal was cheered to the echo.

echo.

Mr. Frank's second unexepected debate was with Professor St. Claire Perrin before Club A of the People's Institute. He had been invited to speak on the subject. "Why I, as Socialist." and when he got there he

Socialist," and when he got there he found there was an opponent all cocked and primed to meet him. Professor Perrin fought bravely for the old ideas and was given a fair and courteous hearing. Mr. Frank was overwhelmed by congratulations by all present. He made a clean cut presentation of the entire philosophy and historical evolution of the rise and development of the theory of Socialism, and even his opponent admitted that the lecture was an education.

mitted that the lecture was an equation.

Mr. Frank will speak next Sunday morning in Berkeley Theater, 44th street, near Fifth avenue, on the "Womslers of Psychic Phenomena and soon begin a series on "Woman in the Scientific Interpretation." He will soon begin a series on "Woman in Civilization."

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# HAS BEEN FOUND

oners Were Going to He Smelt Dynamite.

Received press agent "gag" ent Taft campaign has found that the New York Police Dest, for even detectives find out occasionally. Irving Rafnessher of the McCafferty Shoe Squad." in search of a to distinguish himself, has at the press agent system a last, and here is the good fulry tale which came from vesterday:

yesterday: two New York Anarchists who two New York Anarchists who trailed over to this city by Cen-Office Detective Irving Rafsky, arrested by Detectives Ryan and ell, of the Newark bureau, just of were believed to be ready to ou an aged woman having in cash, had first planned to the her sick daughter for the are a week ago it was revealed to Rafsky, who is connected the Allen street branch of the York Central Office, said that he been vaiching the two men a long that they were members of an York Central Office, said that he been watching the two men a long it that they were members of an entitie circle which had delegated to obtain the money, without wer, if possible, but get the money. Without watcher, if possible, but get the money and wife of Joseph Ross, of John Ross & Co., manufacturers of houre articles in Coit street, agton, was the intended victim sording to Rafsky, who is rated by by the New York detective on, he overheard the two prisma, John Schreiber and John movicia, plan the attack and roby. They had first planned to break the Ross home, in Hawthorne see, Irvington, and there gag and Miss Lillian B. Ross, a daughter, has been a bookkeeper for, her in the office and then loot it. Ross has been ill in bed recently, has been absent from her desk, conspirators gave up this plan use they could not find her in house alone. they discovered that every

fonday afternoon Mrs. Ross went of the office of the National Newark sanking Co. and, there obtained about 11,000 in cash with which to pay off the employees of the Rosa Company.
While Detective Rafsky does not admit it. it is inferred that he secretly rorked with the anarchist circle in lew Yori, and in that way learned the special meeting called by the general committee at the headquarters. 239 East 84th street, to consider ways the plans. The robbery was to ave been effected yesterday aftermen and Rafsky followed the two and marked to the special meeting called by the general committee at the headquarters. 239 East 84th street, to consider ways and means to make Socialist propagand in the unions.

BROOKLYN.

New Organization.

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# OME, BARGAIN HUNTERS

se to Be Sold Cheap Next Saturday.

COLUMBUS, Ind., Nov. 25 .- If ybody wishes to buy a good secondhopworn and a little rubbed here and here, but still in a presentable condition, her should go to Hope, this sunty, Saturday afternoon. Trusted Arthur May, of Haw Creek township, still sell nine school houses and arow in the ground on which they sand, together with the old pump and far cups. He would have sold ten hildlings, but D. Harold Galbraith, a resident of the Rugby neighborhood, got a restraining order and swed the old possum glory school, mous in song and story. A year so age Trustee May decided that best interests, of the schools of the buildings was tora down and a new building erected, all of the schools of the township being consolidated into one.

Immigrantis' will be the subject of the weekly debate at the club rooms, 477 Atlantic avenue, and a big crowd its expected. The affirmative will be taken by Davidson, Egan and Vanden Ryekern; the negative by Muller, Markwatter and Werd, The judges will be G. Lewis, O'Neill and L. Lewis.

6th A. D.—222 Stockton street. Very important.

JERSEY CITY, N. J.

Business.

2d Ward.—Butler's Hall, Grove and 3d streets.

Fife and Drum Corps—Ganzberg's Hall, Congress and Pierce avenues. worn and a little rubbed here and

## STRIKE NOT PROBABLE.

Teainmen Deny Rumors of ing Tie-Up of New Haven.

BOSTON, Mass., Nov. 25 .- Though nist stories have been printed reling the alleged intention of New
so system trainmen to strike, offiof Buston Ledge 97. Brotherhood allroad Trainmen, flatly deny that
e will be a strike of trainmen or Railroad Trainmen, flatly deny that e will be a strike of trainmen on re is much uneasiness and loud

The Boston trainmen say that they consider that an amiable undersaing will be reached. A sub-committee representing the trainmen has an conferring with the officials for me time, but t is said that the gendermittee has not yet been called ther, which indicates that the thinnen do not regard the situation being critical as yet.

Chasing a small printing outfit for the purpose of issuing local literature will be discussed.

PHILADELPRIA, PA.

The 11th Ward Branch will give a grand entertainment and ball at their headquarters, 541 North 5th street, on Wednesday evening, November 25.

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## Socialist Notes.

NOTICE.

Readers of this column are asked to take notice that all meetings listed here begin at 8 P. M., unless some other time is specified.

## To-Night's Meetings.

Algernon Lee will open the discussion on "Preparing for the Municipal Campaign" and an interesting evening is assured. All those present will have a chance to exiress their opin-Campaign" and an interesting the sassured. All those present will have a chance to extress their opinions. The discussion will begin at 9.30 P. M., and the regular business meeting of the English Branch will precede it. The 22d A. D. meets at the Labor Temple, 243 East 84th

BROOKLYN.

New Organization.

Encouraged by the fine showing made at the polls, and in order to critilize the great interest awakened in Socialism by the seventy-one street meetings held and the hundreds of books and pamphlets sold during the campaign, the hustlers of Greenpoint have decided to organize a club for all year around agitation, and a meeting will be held at Erkford Hall, Eckford and Colyar street, to formally laumch the undertaking, which is destined to make the Greenpoin districts a revolutionary center. All those in terested are asked to be on hand.

Washington Division.

"We favor exclusion of all Asiatic Immigranis" will be the subject of the weekly debate at the club rooms, 477 Atlantic avenue, and a big crowd is expected.

The affirmative will be taken by CHIO.

WEST HOBOKEN, N. J.

There will be a business meeting of the 2d Precinct of the 3d Ward at 543 Angelique street.

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BOSTON, MASS.

A letter. Weller notifies the locals decreased for new State officers must be in his for members-at-large that the vote for new State officers must be in his for head of the sent many and george H. Goebel in January. There are now thirty-four locals in good standing.

The agitation is being pushed very actively and many new members are joining the party.

That the general interest in Socialism is spreading is shown by the fact that a great number of lectures and debates on that subject are being given under the auspices of clubs and churches. James F. Carey, candidate

BOSTON, MASS.

Lecals in good standing.

LECTURE BY PASSAGE.

"Socialism and Physical Beauty" is the subject of a lecture to be given given under the auspices of clubs and churches. James F. Carey, candidate

for Governor in the last election, is one of the most popular speakers, and is delivering many lectures.

## LVNN MASS

The local is carrying on a lively city campaign and it is expected that the vote will show a good gain over that cast November 3. A big rally will be held at Lasters' Hall, Andrew street, on Friday night. November 27, at which Fred L. Johnson, candidate for Mayor, and Daniel White, of Brockton, will be the principal speakers.

## BROCKTON, MASS.

MANHATTAN AND BRONX.

On the West Side.

The headquarters of the West Side Agitation Club, 585 8th avenue, will be the scene of much merriment at the combination business and pleasure meetings. There will be music and dancing, and a monster turkey will fall to some fortunate visitor.

BROCKTON, MASS.

The municipal campaign is in full swing and the Socialists expect to poll a heavy vote, as their candidate for Mayor, Dan A. White, assisted by the addidates for School Committeemen. Edward M. Henry, Joseph D. Potras at work from now until election day. The "independent" candidacy of william H. Clifford for Mayor is treated as a joke by all parties.

## ALLEGHENY COUNTY, PA.

Great preparations have been made for the Thanksgiving supper and entertainment to be given at the old hall, 204 6th street, Pittsburg, Thursday night, and a joyful time is an-ticipated. There will be music, danc-ing and speeches, and nobody will go away disappointed.

Good Meetings

Good Meetings.

The Sunday evening lectures are decided successes. Strangers make up three-fourths of the audiences. Homestead has taken on the weekly lectures and other branches that have been taiking of similar arrangements are falling into line.

McKeesport is helding a most area.

are falling into line.

McKeesport is holding a most successful series of weekly lectures, and that branch now has 120 members.

## LANCASTER, PA.

## OHIO.

The organizing work is being pushed with great energy, as the following letter, which is being sent to every Socialist voter and sympathizer, shows:

Socialist voter and sympathizer, shows:
"Dear Comrade:
"Knowing you are interested in Socialist
callism and the success of the Socialist
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party, I take pleasure in asking you to become a dues paying member, believing you will do so when you understand the necessity of organization.

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The Socialist party is composed of a dues paying membership, each

The Socialist party is composed of a dues paying membership, each sharing alike in its struggle to emancipate the wage slave. The inclosed leaflet, Why Socialists Pay Dues," will show you the necessity of becoming a dues paying member.

ORANGE, N. J.

The branch will give a lecture in Eagles Hall, Cone street, Thursday, November 28, at 2 P. M. W. B. Killingbeck will speak in English and D. Carvelli in Italian.

There will be no evening meeting.

PATCHOQUE, N. Y.

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mplaint because of the new system mall in because of the new system and schedules introduced on the road stream that the trainmen say many two been laid off and many passens trainmen set back to freight work. New Haven is the only road in East to have the freight and passer trainmen in the same list, and a trainmen hope that the old order libe restored.

The local is pushing the agitation, and many people are becoming interested in the Socialist movement. Arrangements are being made for a lecture by Dr. John D. Long, of Brooklyn. General Secretary of the Christian Socialist Fellowship.

At a special meeting Wednesday night, November 25, the plan of purchasing a small printing outfit for the purpose of issuing local literature will be restored. A sub-combine will be reached. A sub-combine will be reached with the provided with the provided will be reached. A sub-combine will be reached with the provided will be reached. A sub-combine will be reached with the provided will be reached. A sub-combine with the provided will be reached with the provided with

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PHILADELPRIA, PA.

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First Annual Ball.

Mrs. Rose Pastor Stokes will speak at the first annual ball of the 11th to 15th Ward Branch, to be held on Friday evening. December 11th, at Mercantile Hall, \$58 North Franklin street.

Part of the proceeds are to go to The New York Cail and part to Local information, write to "Vours for the Revolution."

"This letter is sent to all readers of the "Appear to Reason" and others whose names are on file at the State office, with a view to interest them in the organization of locals of the So-cialist party in their respective localities. We can successfully combat can be compared to the successfully c

member-at-italian information, write to "Yours for the Revolution. "JOHN G. WILLERT. "State Secretary. "State Secretary." 3469 West 54th street, Clevelond, O.

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Labor Temple, 229 East \$4th St.; the Rand School and other Social ist headquarters.

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## MRS. STOKES IN BROOKLYN.

Mrs. Rose Pastor Stokes will speak on Sunday evening, November 29, at New Utrecht Hall, Bay Ridge and Third avenues, South Brooklyn, under the auspices of the Committee on Social Research. The proceeds are to go to The Call.

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## WHY GREEN FOR SPRING.

The kindergarten teacher had been telling her pupils about the seasons and the colors that were characteristic of each.

"Now." said she, "if you were trying to represent spring, which of the colored chalks would you use?"

"Green." responded little Pat, promptly.

promptly.
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After having completed a steady to hours' run around the track at the pastime Athletic Club grounds, Dorando Pietri, the Italian runner, ed Monday that he was ready and fit for his duel with Johnny Hayes, which will take place at Madi-

The great runner from Sunny Italy ran at such an even and easy gait sion, ("Gli Ugonotti"), was given its that it assounded the small army of second representation of the season in that it as ounded the small army of

spectators. They all acknowledged that Hayes would have to be at his best to beat the challenger.

There will be question after this race which is the better man. The rivals are keyed to the highest notch. Neither runner takes his opponent as an easy yletim. Although the conqueror of Dorando. Hayes realizes that he is meeting the Italian here on equal conditions. Dorando has always said that if the sun hadn't affected him in London he would have beaten the American.

Hayes and Dorando have finished the hard training necessary for a race of this order. Hayes completed his keying up when he reeled off seventeen miles at the West Side Athletic Club grounds on Monday at a six minute gait. The champion moved along easily, without the least sign of distress. George Cameron, who has been petting the little Yankee in shape, is delighted with the condition of his churge and predicts an easy victory. Cameron handled Hayes in his menorable London feat and says that the gume little distance runner is now in even better shape than the day he startled the world by his victory.

Followers of Dorando cannot see

Followers of Dorando cannot see how the Italian can lose. Ever since he stepped off the steamer Dorando has been preparing for the duel. His remarkable performance last Sunday at the Pastime A. C. grounds has buoyed up his handlers and they are figuring the race as good as over. Starting along in his final tryout as if he were only going to run five miles at the almost impossible gait of five minutes and forty seconds. Three watches timed the run. Yesterday he spent the afternoon walking around the city. Dorando will rest to-day at his hotel.

Brother Ulpiano said yesterday that Dorando is more than confident he will beat Hayes. "My brother will not have tany sun to bother him. If the weather hadn't been so hot in London Dorando would have beat m Hayes several minutes. Dorando was ten minutes ahead of Hayes when he entered the Stadium. If he had not gone to pleces he would not have lost."

"How will Dorando race against Hayes?" was aaked.

After a few minutes' conversation with Dorando, he explained the con-Followers of Dorando cannot see

Hayes?" was asked.

After a few minutes' conversation with Dorando, he explained the contemplated plans. "Dorando will keep Hayes hus ling all the time, and when it comes fown to the last few laps, look for a heart breaking sprint. Dorando it so well trained that he will be able to run the last mile faster than the first, and he will have Mr. Hayes very tired and unable to keep up with him."

# O'LEARY WINS

Young O'Leary beat Charlie Harvey, of Philadelphia, to a standstill in six fast and furious rounds last night at the Dry Dock Athletic Club. In the round Harvey made O'Leary's nose bleed and then it was nose bleed and then it was all O'Leary. Harvey is a very clever boy and O'Leary had to fight to beat him and he did. He kept putting that hard right to the Philadelphia boy's heart till he held on like a leech. Harvey is the boy who recently fought Johnny Crulon twelve rounds to a draw ,but he would never go as far as ten with the New York lad.

In the semi-final Joe Hyland beat Joe Palmer in six rounds, Hyland getting in five to every one of Palmer's.

Board to wite for the union label on school bools. In order to make the crusade effective the union has instructed its delegates to the Allied Printing Trades Council, which represents the tilitreen printing trades, to call for a special meeting of the council and to appoint a committee to inierview the candidates for the board. This union is about to send out circulars to the Typographical Unions of the United States asking for contributions to the fund for Frank K. Foster. Fester was for years a delegate from the I. T. U. to the A. F. of L. conventions, and was also fraternal delegate to the British Trade Union Congress. He is now ill in a hospital without any likelihood of recovery.



# "HUGUENOTS," IN 34TH STREET, INTERESTS

By HARRY CHAPIN PLUMMER.

Not in the entire history of music has there arisen an individual composer who was destined to wield so peculiar—in fact, so pervertive—an influence in his field of artistic endeavor as Giacomo Meyerbeer, the creator of the grand opera, "The Huguenots," which, in its Italian ver-

# THE STAGE

They all acknowledged the Manhattan Opera House Monday two be at his the challenger.

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—the English are sadly lacking in imagination.

The English may be a nation of shopkeepers, but they deal in perishable wares. The poet, the musician, the painter and the dramatist are held in small honour amongst us; whilst was named, was reared to the ideals and principles of the Teuton nation, the huckster, and the stock jobber



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and his early work in the composition of music followed closely the classical school of the most representative of German masters, Carl Maria von by the markets it holds, but by the markets it holds. of music followed closely the classical school of the most representative of German masters, Carl Maria von Weber. And as showing the course which his art might have been expected to take in a national direction, two of Meyerbeer's brothers attained renown in literary and scientific spheres of German activity. The poetic tragedy, "Paria," and classic Jrama, "Streunsee," of Michel Beer are examples of the German literature of the early nineteenth century, and the work of William Beer as an astronomer of his time is recorded in the annals of German research.

tronomer of his time is recorded in the annals of German research.

But "a prophet is not without honor, save in his own country," and it was to Paris and to France that Meyerbeer, exchanging the Teutonic Jakob for the Italian Glacomo, turned for the recognition of his aims. And by the Paristans and the French he was accorded that recognition.

zenstello, as Raoul de Nangis, sang splendidly and acted with his accustomed brilliancy, and in the last act elicited the only real tribute of the evening that went from auditorium to proscenium. M. Sammarcó appeared as the Count de Nevers and gave an excellent delivery of his part. MM. Arimondi and de Segurola were heard as Marcel and the Count San Bris, respectively. The work of both was respectively. Bread bearing respectively. The work of both was

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panini and his players.

As Valentine, Mme, Agostinelli was vocally agreeable and her performance was of an high order. Alle, Eeppilli, as Queen Marguerite, was in poor voice and accomplished but a barely capable execution of her redious role. Mme, Mariska-Aldrich will be given this year at the Broadway Theater on Friday afternoon, December 11. The play was written for as Urbain, the page, proved acceptable as to her singing, but was not a composite figure in the stage picture.

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Henry B. Harris has organized an out-of-town company to present "The Traveling Salesman." Herbert Coring in shantles on Everett avenue, theil will play the part of Bob Blake.

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is to direct the production of a new play, in which Mrs. Leslie Carter will star shortly and which was written for her by John Luther Long.

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"Labor Leader." "The Englishman and Secretary of the Air." Nat M. Wills, "the happy tramp, with his famous apecially: Miss Winons Winors with a since the college of the college o

Mike Donlin and his clever wife, Mabel Hite, are appearing for the first time at the Alhambra in their domestic travesty. Stealing Home. Thomas W. Ryley's production of "The Submarine." Ryan & Richfield in their enjoyable "Mag Haggerty" sketch. Searl Allen & Company in a new one act playlet, entitled "The Traveling Man;" Hal Merrit with his clever Posterlogue; Hawthorne & Burt in a comedy skit: The Elite Musical Four with a musical act; the Brittons, in lively dancing specialty. "The Man with the Crazy Feet," and The Marvelous Jossettis troupe in acrobatic feats fill out the excellent bill.

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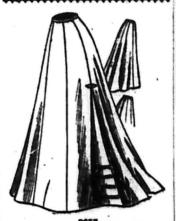
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for any great public good."—From
,"A Note on Milton and Keats," in the
Christmas Century.

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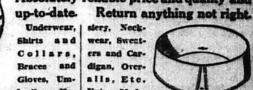
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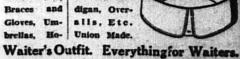
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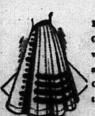


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So says the New York "Tribune," in a tone that strongly suggests the efforts of the boy going past the cemetery on a dark night and whistling merrily because he is so horribly afraid. And then the "Tribune" goes on to draw from its false premises the logical and false conclusion that the advocates of Socialism have little ground for hope and its opponents little reason to fear its future growth in this country.

It would be hard to pack more misstatement of fact into so T. H. Woehlert, Philadelphia, short a paragraph as the "Tribune" editor has managed to condense in those hundred words. Most Socialists did not expect a million votes, though the "Tribune," as well as other Republican and Democratic papers, persistently predicted such a result. There has been no evidence that the Socialists are seriously "disconcerted" by their failure to get such an abnormal increase. Mr. Gompers did not attempt "to induce labor to vote as a class," but strained all his energies to induce workingmen to vote with the bankrupt middle class, the Southern plantation owners, the corruptionists of the Northern cities, and some of the worst of the industrial trust magnates in favor of a party which repudiates the idea of being a party of the working class. He did not "use the accepted tactics of the Socialist party"except in so far as he badly imitated them on a few minor points; on the contrary, as against the Socialist weapon of argument he used the capitalist weapon of impudent slander and as against the Socialist method of democratic self-government in the party he used the method of bossing from above so familiar in old-party politics. He did not "appeal to class consciousness," but vehemently inveighed against it. He did not "ask labor to cease voting for parties," but asked workingmen to vote for the Democratic party of the laborskinners, and, on the other hand, we Socialists do not ask labor to cease voting for parties, but advise workingmen to join and vote for the party of their own class.

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Mass. ceed in saving for the Democratic party a few hundred thousand votes which would otherwise have gone into the Socialist column. This cannot be proved, of course; we frankly express it only as an opinion. Even if it could be proved, it would not be much for Mr. Gompers to boast of, since his policy was to stake everything on getting a majority for his political patrons at this election, not to build strongly for the future; but, if it be true, as we think it is, the capitalist enemies of Socialism ought to have the grace to scothe his wounded pride, not to mock his disappointment.

But how about the other half of the result? With the Republican party making such a pose of hostility to the trusts as it never made before; with the Democratic party making such promises to labor as it never made before; with the heads of the greatest labor organization enlisted as a "puller-in" for the Demo Independence party using all the power of the Hearst dailies, with their gigantic circulation, to halt those who had newly become socialistically inclined on the plea of "practicality"; and with some hundreds of thousands of workingmen disfranchised through the loss of their jobs during the hard times, and among them especially those who had been most steadily active as workers for Socialism-with all those handicaps, in comparison with the execeptionally favorable conditions which confronted us in 1904, to increase the Socialist vote twenty-five per cent, and perhaps thirty or forty per cent.; to cast five or six times as many votes as we cast eight years ago, fourteen or perhaps sixteen times as many as we cast twelve years ago, and twenty-five or thirty times as many as we cast sixteen years ago; and along with that to have more than twice as many organized party members as we had in 1904, and to have two daily papers in English,

An added reason for the American capitalists to uphold the power of Diaz in Mexico and an added reason for American workingmen to oppose the extradition of any Mexican refugees whom Diaz may seek to get back into his clutches, is the fact that Edward H. Harriman, with a few associates, has just now acquired five thousand acres of oil land in the district south of Tampico. Every such purchase brings the America and the Mexican capitalists into closer alliance on the one side, and ought to bring the American and the Mexican workingmen into closer alliance on the other.

where we had none in 1904-is that such a result as should "disconcert" the Socialists, or is there much in it to reassure those who have

reason to dread the ultimate triumph of Socialism?

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—Wahre Jacob (Stutgart).

## A PAIR OF TWINS.

By JOHN M. WORK.

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To a capitalist, there must be something uncanny about the way in which the Socialist party in every country almost always bobs up at election time with an increased vote.

To a Socialist it is, of course, the most natural thing in the world. He knows that the minds of men are simply evolving in accord with the evolution of industry.

However, it would not have surprised some of us if we had come out of the recent election with a decreased vote.

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Those comrades who seriously cone sidered the fact that fully half of our votes in 1904 were the votes of anti-Parker Democrats, and who spread out before them the list of states, the list of 1904 votes, and the list of locals, and tried quietly and calmly to figure out how many votes we could expect to get, realized that if we merely held our own we would be doubling our strength. That is, we would be doubling to the number of genuine Socialist votes.

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If we have polled six hundred thousand votes, it follows that we have trebled our strength.

The result of the election, therefore, should be very gratifying to us. The thing for us to do now is to turn our faces confidently and courageously to the future.

There are many duties awaiting us. Of these, I want to emphasize the two that are most important.

We must push the circulation of the Socialist papers. How in the name of reason can you expect a man to vote the Socialist ticket if he is not taking a Socialist paper? Without under-estimating other powerful influences, the press is far and away the most influential factor in forming the opinions of the people.

If we can get every voter to take a Socialist paper, we can snap our fingers at all other influences.

One of the two supreme duties of every Socialist is therefore to get subscribers for the Socialist papers. I take it that you live in the field covered by The Call. If so, it is your duty to get subscribers for The Call. If you are one of those who are too timid to approach people on the subject, get another comrade to go along with you. You will stiffen up each other's backbone. Set aside certain evenings to solicit subscriptions for The Call. Go direct to, the non-Socialists, at their alleged homes or elsewhere, and ask them to subscribe. Don't quarrel with them. If you do not get them, leave them thinking well of you and the cause. You will stiffen up each other's backbone who did not subscribe. Keep a list of all subscriptions taken and go and get their renewals when they expire.

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radical candidates. When none of heir most radical candidates are runing, we can count on polling twenty times as many votes as we have dues paying members—sometimes even more than that.

The increasing of the size and quality of the organization is a part of your duty to the cause. Invite every Socialist to join the party. Attend the meeting. Help to make them interesting and attractive. Help to make the local activities effective. See that your branch or local urgos the state and national organizations to shove the organizers out into the unorganized territory. And see that it also gives them its share of the wherewithal to do so.

From the national headquarters to the smallest branch, push the work of organization.

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We can just as well as not go into the Congressional campaign of 1916 with a hundred thousand dues paying members, cast a million and a half totes, elect several Congressmen, and put a let of Socialists into the state legislatures and the minor offices.

Don't you think it is worth while?

## "THIEVES AND HOGS"

By SARDQNICUS.

Charles Francis Adams, of Boston, former pre-Railroad, has written a letter denouncing the Ways and Means Committee with demands fo-ms divides them into two classes—thieves and he former class," he says.—From a Washington & Sun. November 19.

Up! mount this pedestal, oh, Plutocrat marvellous. Let the populace see and hear and admire, For, lo! the statue of Memnon is with us reincarnate-A vocal colossus walking among men; Soul-weary of lies, and lies, and lies; Responsive to the sigh-laden winds of the desert, Winnowers of God's own truth.

Therefore, I, Sardonicus, would bid thee mount this pedestal; Let the new Memnon be heard and seen in the Forum-Let him strike terror to the crouching brotherhood, To the rolling ball of deceit and hypocrisy, Which rolleth and rolleth down the sides of eternity, Upon a helpless earth.

And yet, what thrusts itself into the center of our vision? Oh, Memnon, thou are not for the pedestal; Not for the applause of the multitude; Not for the overawing of the robbers. Nay, rather shalt thou be a thief glorified, Rather shalt thou be a thief self-crucified; Thou shalt climb up, upon thine own Golgotha; Thou shalt expiate in company celestial, invisible.

For, see, already thy fellow thieves are throwing dice for garment of the Righteous One;

Already thy fellow hogs are digging a long, narrow grave Humanity.

They have left their troughs momentarily, They are uprooting the soil between debauches.

And shall the clarion voice of one repentant thief avail, Even upon the cross self-crucified?

Shall it evoke more than a few passing grunts? Shall it disconcert the dicers who are dicing for the garment of Golgotha?

## FOOL HASTE AND THE RADICALS.

By ROBERT HUNTER.

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The Mayor of one great city and the former Mayor of another great it have said the same thing.

Thousands of trade unionists, radicals and sincere Democrats all over the country think likewise. Socialists principle, they would have preferred the country think likewise. Socialists principle, they would have preferred the country think likewise. Socialists at heart, with us in every important principle, they would have preferred the country think likewise. Socialists in the Republican party, and they could not wait for our movement to grow. Some of these men drear the power of the Republican coligarchy. Some of these men drear the power of the Republican coligarchy. Some of these men drear the power of the Republican coligarchy. Some of these men drear the power of the Republican coligarchy. Some of these men drear the power of the Republican coligarchy. Some of these men drear the power of the Republican coligarchy. Some of these men drear the power of the Republican coligarchy. Some of these men drear the power of the Republican coligarchy. Some of these men drear the power of the Republican coligarchy. Some of these men drear the power of the Republican coligarchy. Some of these men drear the power of the Republican coligarchy. Some of these men drear the power of the Republican coligarchy. Some of these men drear the power of the Republican coligarchy. Some of these men drear the power of the Republican coligarchy. Some of these men drear the power of the Republican coligarchy. Some of these men drear the power of the Republican coligarchy. Some of these men drear the power of the Republican coligarchy. Some of these men drear the power of the Republican coligarchy. Some of these men drear the power of the Republican coligarchy. Some of the some of the power of the Republican coligarchy. Some of the some

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

ONE WAY TO HELP.

Editor of The Call:

In my judgment one of the most powerful means of sustaining The Call is by active support through The Call Purchasers' League. There is no ceason whatever why Socialists and

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Labor straight; 104 split, of which a were for Debs, and a void or spoiled.

[The figures given in The Call and the "Volkszeitung" is that reported by the watcher at the official canvass. The matter has been referred to Organizer Solemon for investigation.—Ed.]

## QUESTIONS and ANSWERS

sympathizers should not give their patronage to advertisers in The Call and have purchases recorded on a purchaser's card. Every supporter of the paper should be considered lukewarm in his or her support if this assistance is not given. If consistently followed there is no reason why the paper cannot be increased to eight and ten pages and enable the management to accumulate a fund to install the paper in its own building.

One Call advertiser whom I patronized, on being shown a purchaser's lard said: I have received more returns from my advertising in The Call than from any other puper. Your people are more loyal in this respect than any I know of and represent a ligher type of patrons than any other lass of people that come into my store."

Every union man should be considered to a purchaser's cardinal legal holiday.

J. W. Stoliker.—Thankagiving Day is a popularly observed as a holiday in the country, though it is not a legal holiday in all states. According to custom, the President is and a legal holiday in all states. According to custom, the President is and a legal holiday in the tourth Thursday in November, as an annual day of thankary states also issue such proclamations tates also issue such proclamations have no legal force, except in the states also issue such proclamations have no legal force, except in the states also issue such proclamations have no legal force, except in the states also issue such proclamations have no legal force, except in the states also issue such proclamations have no legal force, except in the states also issue such proclamations have no legal force, except in the states also issue such proclamations have no legal force, except in the states also issue such proclamations have no legal force, except in the states also issue such proclamations have no legal force, except in the states also issue such proclamations have no legal force, except in the states also issue such proclamations have no legal holiday in the states also issue such proclamations have no legal holiday in

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W. Hessler.—Having lived for three years continuously in a furnished room in Brooklyn you have certainly scalaint indifferent to his responsive according to the state of New York, in Kings County, and chaser's card and patronize those who advertise in The Cell. If I am not nistaken some of the European in the state of New York, in Kings County, and in your election district, and were perfectly right in voting there. Even if it had been only one full year, you would have had that right. A full-missed room is just as much a residence as is a fat, a suite in an apartment the cell of the workers were established in this way. Why cannot we do the county of the workers were established in this way. Why cannot we do the county of the workers were established in this way. Why cannot we do the county of the workers were established in this way. Why cannot we do the workers were established in this way. Why cannot we do the workers were established in the workers were establis