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Socialist Notes.
Notices of meetings must be in this office by noon of the day previous to publication. All meetings begin at 8 P. M., unless otherwise specified.

To-Night's Meetings.
MANHATTAN AND BRONX.
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CHRISTMAS EVE GRAND ANNUAL FULL DRESS BALL AND CIVIC BALL
given by the SOCIALIST PARTY
EIGHTH ASSEMBLY DISTRICT, THURSDAY EVE., DECEMBER 24, '38

THE RAND SCHOOL RESTAURANT
115 East 19th St.
A visit to the Rand School Restaurant may convince you that Socialism is not merely a cut and dried, scientific proposition...

ST. LOUIS CAMPAIGN OPENED.
ST. LOUIS, Dec. 23.—The local Socialists have opened another important campaign. An excellent platform has been adopted and a full ticket, headed by Frank L. Robinson, a veteran Socialist printer for Mayor, nominated for next spring's municipal election...

GREAT SUCCESS ASSURED.
That the grand full dress and civic ball to be given by the 2d A. D. of the Socialist Party at Manhattan Lyceum, 66 East Fourth street, tomorrow evening, will be a star East Side event is shown by the elaborate preparations made and the great interest manifested by all the young people of that section.

HARLEM ENTHUSIASTIC.
The tickets for the entertainment and ball to be given by the Socialist Party at Manhattan Casino, 155th street and Eighth avenue, New Year's afternoon and evening, are selling so fast that it is feared that the Casino will be too small to hold the crowds who will want to listen to the choice music and take part in the dancing.

FERRI HOME AGAIN.
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BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 23.—A destructive blaze caused by crossed electric wires, completely destroyed the Harlem Park M. E. Church about midnight. The loss will be about \$55,000, partly covered by insurance.

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BUILDING NEWS.
Sixty-sixth street, No. 58 East, for a five story brick dwelling, 20x62.2; A. Sachs, of 26 East 62d street, owner; Buchman & Fox, architects; cost, \$25,000.

Alterations.
Items involving less than \$5,000 omitted. Madison avenue, n. e. corner of 107th street, to a five story brick tenement and store; J. Keppel, of 287 West 17th street, owner; C. B. Meyers, architect; cost, \$5,000.

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ENTERTAINMENT AND BALL OF THE Harlem Branch, Socialist Party
TO BE HELD AT Manhattan Casino, 155th St. cor. 8th Ave.
New Year's Afternoon and Evening, January 1st, '39
Concert arranged by Platon Brouneff, assisted by Maurice Nitke, Violinist; Caroline Van Name, Soprano, and a host of other.

GRAND CONCERT AND BALL for the Benefit of the "New York Call" Sustaining Fund
AUSPICES SOCIALIST PARTY BRANCHES OF SOUTH BROOKLYN.
TUESDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 29th, 1938
AT PROSPECT HALL, Prospect Ave., Near Fifth Ave.
Address by Prof. George R. Kirkpatrick, Vocal and Instrumental Solos, National Dance by Finnish Branch in Costume, Tableaux, Chorus of Nations in Costume.

STORY OF THE BROTHERHOOD OF PAINTERS' AND DECORATORS' UNION

By J. C. SKEMP. Secretary-Treasurer of the Brotherhood of Painters and Decorators.

Brotherhood of Painters and Decorators was organized March 15, 1897, and is incorporated under the laws of Indiana. We have about one hundred local unions scattered throughout the United States, Porto Rico and Alaska, with a total membership of 70,000.

standing the lack of employment, the number has been no greater than in previous years. The increased benefits provided for the provisions of the constitution in the adjustment of claims and the more general adoption of the working card system with the requirement of the payment of dues in advance have led the membership to pay dues more promptly than in the past.

THE CALL LIBRARY CONTEST

For the Most Popular Organization.

Any Trade Union, Labor Organization, Social Club, Singing Society, Socialist Party Local, Fraternal Organization, Lodge, Athletic Club, etc., can enter this contest.

Table listing various organizations and their scores in the library contest. Includes categories like First prize, Second prize, and Third prize.

THE SUSTAINING FUND

Table listing donors to the Sustaining Fund and their respective contributions. Includes names and amounts.

POPULAR SCIENCE

Each 10,000 square inches of belt passing to a machine per minute represents one horsepower in that rule that P. V. Vernon, an English Mechanic, finds to agree with his experience.

SOME RECIPES

- List of recipes including Coconut Cakes, Cheap Fruit Cake, and Nut Squares. Each recipe includes ingredients and instructions.

THE EVENING CALL PATTERN



Girls Dress. Paris Pattern No. 2668. All Seams Allowed. This attractive little frock is developed in wood-brown wool batiste, and is a very simple and becoming model to the growing girl.

Advertisement for Simon Ackerman, Tailor and Clothier, located at 49 Canal Street, New York. Features high grade clothing ready made or to order.

Advertisement for The Barmann Shoe, featuring all styles in all grades, up to date and serviceable. Located at 740 Westchester Ave., Bronx.

Advertisement for Socialists, featuring H. C. Will's Zwieback. It makes good, strong socialists. For sale at all groceries and delicatessen stores.

Advertisement for California Brandy-Rye Whisky by I. Goldberg's. Sold at 4 stores. Where ever you live, one of these must be within walking distance from you.

Advertisement for White Lily Ceylon Tea, second to none. Ask your grocer for it. Includes a coupon for a free pattern.

Advertisement for For Rent, featuring a house suitable for manufacturing or printing business. Three floors up. Immediate occupancy.

Advertisement for Men's Furnishings, featuring 10c Carfare given on all purchases of \$2.50 and over. Includes Ladies' Fur Specials and Ladies' Furnishings.

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OUR DAILY POEM

Simple hearted William. "I wouldn't be a pig," said little Billy Boy. "I wouldn't be a pig like some; but I'd kinder like a sled that was painted blue an' red."

NEWS BEFORE THE TELEGRAPH

Before the advent of the telegraph news travelled slowly, and in times of reports of victory or defeat were anxiously awaited and were at times grossly delayed.

A CHRONIC AILMENT

Peckham has a bad case of chronic dyspepsia. How to cure it. His wife doesn't agree with Chicago News.



NOT NATURAL. Griggs—I like work, but Spriggs—But what? Griggs—I will admit that it's an acquired taste.

Our Daily Puzzle



Can you find another farmer running for the bird? Turn the picture round about. Here's here upon my word. ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE. (On his arm.)

