

DOINGS IN THE WORLD OF SPORTS

Managers of Last Year's Champions and Leaders They Fear in Coming Race.



With the opening of the baseball season of 1920 the questions agitating the minds of the fans are: What teams will win the pennants? Can Chance and Jennings repeat? Will McGraw's Giants carry off the National banner...

RAIN AND WIND FOR OPENING DAY

GAMES TO-DAY. BROOKLYN AT NEW YORK. Philadelphia at Boston. Pittsburgh at Cincinnati. St. Louis at Chicago.

April 14 has arrived, but who would have thought the weather man would hand us the jolt he has. How many grandmothers and other long-departed relatives, could they but know, would feel that their memory has been avenged...

Two months ago the magnates who decide the destinies of the National League declared they would select April 14 as the day to set off the big display of fireworks that will last until October 6.

Manager McGraw announced yesterday that the gates at the Polo Grounds will be opened at 12 o'clock. At 4 o'clock the great old cry "Play Ball" will echo over the peaceful Harlem.

Leon Ames will probably do the pitching for the Giants. "Red" has shown about the best early condition of any of the staff.

The Brooklyn line will up as follows: Billy Bergen, catcher; Tim Jordan, first base; Whitley Alperman, second; John Hummel, short stop; and Walter Lewis, third base.

Acting President John A. Heydler has designated as the umpires for the game Jimmy Johnstone and John Cusack.

Pop Anson's Colts, garbed in sombre black, gave seventeen of the Giants their last exercise yesterday at the Polo Grounds.

McLaughlin "RUNS OUT." Edward M. McLaughlin, the veteran billiardist, has run out his last string.

HIGHLANDERS TURN TABLES ON SENATORS

Yesterday's Results. New York, 5; Washington, 0. Boston, 4; Philadelphia, 2.

Games To-day. New York at Washington. Boston at Philadelphia. Chicago at Detroit. Cleveland at St. Louis.

Stalling's Cripples turned the tables on the Senators yesterday, beating them by a score of 5 to 0, under a sky that threatened every minute to send forth a downpour.

The Highlanders' youngest players were very much in evidence in piling up the runs and hits and were mostly responsible for driving Hughes out of the box.

McConnell displaced Ward at first base. Although he dropped a difficult foul ball he was a power at the bat by getting two hits out of four times.

Joe Lake was in danger in only one instance, in the third inning, when Milan singled to left with men on first and second. But a deadly throw by Engle to Kleinow cut off Hughes, who was trying to score from second base.

OBJECTS TO MOVING PICTURES.

CHICAGO, April 14.—There will be no moving pictures taken of the championship wrestling bout to-night between Gotch and Mahmut. Gotch has not only refused to accept \$2,000 for his end of the privilege, but has said that he would not permit pictures to be taken at all.

NEAR CHAMPION DEFEATS TONY ROSS

A large gathering of members attended the stag of the Fairmont Athletic Club last night to see Al Kaufman, challenger of Jack Johnson for the heavyweight title, in action against Tony Ross.

In Ross he met a husky man with a dangerous right. Kaufman was first in the ring at 10:35 o'clock.

The first round Kaufman landed a left flush on the jaw, which shook Ross up, but he came back with a right swing.

After the excitement subsided the men were called to the center of the ring and the battle was on.

In the fifth round Ross landed a hard right swing on the jaw, knocking Kaufman against the ropes. The members were yelling for Ross to go in and finish it up.

Kaufman was all but out. The remainder of the bout was all Kaufman. In the ninth round Ross was floored with a terrific right to the jaw, taking the count.

TO WALK TO PHILADELPHIA.

Israel Hyman, of the Newsboys Home Athletic Club, on April 30, will walk from New York to Philadelphia. Hyman expects to complete the journey in twenty hours and would like to hear from two motor cyclists who would be willing to act as pacemakers.

LEARY EASILY BEATS KID BLACK

Billy Leary disposed of another claimant for his title of premier welterweight of New Jersey in the fourth round of a ten-round go at the Long Acre Athletic Club last night.

Black tried to force the fighting in the opening round and though Leary appeared under a pull, it was an even round.

The second was faster. The Kid kept shooting both hands to the head while Billy pored in, working for the body. Neither had an advantage.

In the third Leary started in earnest. He forced Black around the ring landing both hands. A right to the jaw put the Kid in bad shape and he was holding when the bell rang.

The semi-final was one of the best fights ever held at this club. Kid Alberts and Joe Farmer jabbed and slugged through six rounds and though both took a lot of punishment neither had an advantage at the end.

The other bouts saw Patry Royal beat Willie Faust, and Joe Gardner and Abe, the newsboy, fought a four-round draw. Young Moody threw Young Gilbert in the wrestling match.

NATIONAL BOWLING ASSN. ADOPTS UNION LABEL.

The officials of the National Bowling Association have made a wise move in deciding that the union label shall appear on all their printed matter. This association will hold a convention and championship tournament at Madison Square Garden, New York City, from May 24 to June 12, 1920.

BROAD BEARING THIS LABEL IS UNION MADE.

As the pin game has a strong hold on the printers of this country there will be many teams representing this craft in the tourney.

BOSTON WINS IN RAIN.

PHILADELPHIA, April 14.—Boston won the second game from the Athletics, 4 to 2, in a heavy drizzle. The visit by the bunches of their with Philadelphia's errors, which tells the story of the game.

GRIFFIN FIGHTS YANGER TO-MORROW.

Charley Griffin and Benny Yanger meet at the Whirlwind Athletic Club to-morrow night. Yanger has been training for five weeks at the Woodlawn Inn and is in fine shape.

RAIDED BOXERS LET GO.

Because of the lack of evidence by the police, Magistrate Walsh, in the Harlem Court, yesterday discharged the six prisoners who were arrested Monday night in a raid on the Olympic Athletic Club, in Manhattan street.

DIDN'T WANT CRAZY SNAKE.

TUSIA, Okla., April 14.—Chif Crazy Snake, it was learned yesterday, offered to surrender to Colonel Hoffman, of the state militia, as a prisoner of war.

THIRD TO BLEED TO DEATH.

Gerald Lower Victim of Trivial Cut—Family Seemingly Doomed. TYRONE, Pa., April 14.—Gerald, the youngest son of Edward Lower, accidentally cut his mouth by falling on a tin toy, and in spite of all that medical aid could do he bled to death.

PRETTY GIRL MARRIES COUNT.

Romance Culminates in Ceremony Performed by Alderman. An interesting romance is said to have led up to the marriage in the City Hall yesterday of Count Marcel Louis Billog, a French nobleman living at the Knickerbocker Hotel, and Miss Edna Mae Jeans, of 12 East 21st street, a young woman of unusual beauty.

HURT BY ELEVATOR.

Paul Roth, forty years old, of East 140th street, while operating freight elevator at 1182 Broadway had a narrow escape from death yesterday, when the elevator unexpectedly started, dragging him from the first to the second floor.

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FIGHT AGAINST CZAR TO BEGIN SATURDAY

To Hold Meeting for Abrogation of Treaty—Fourteen to Be Given Great Reception.

The mass meeting in celebration of the release of Jan Janoff Pouden, the Russian revolutionist whom the Russian government failed to get on extradition proceedings, will take place next Saturday evening at the Grand Central Palace, Lexington Avenue and 42d Street.

The meeting promises to be one of great significance, and thousands are looking forward to the opportunity of seeing the man who, through the influence of the Socialist press and the liberty loving people in this country, escaped deportation, torture and a horrible death. At this meeting the first step will be taken toward the establishment of a movement in favor of the abrogation of the treaty with Russia.

The Pouden Defense Conference, the organization that fought the Czar to a finish, in his attempt to hang Pouden, has decided to stay in a body until the fight against the treaty is won and further improvements on order of the Russian government are impossible.

The importance of taking measures against the treaty has been accentuated by the recent development in the cases of Pouden and Rudnitzky, the New York Governor on the principle of political asylum has been clearly shown by the recent attitude of the Czar, and the propaganda of its abrogation that will begin next Saturday.

MAY RAISE TELEGRAPHERS.

Report that Western Union Will Give Coast Operators an Increase.

It is reported that the operators employed by the Western Union on the Pacific Coast are to receive an increase of 15 per cent in their salaries. This will bring the pay of first-class operators up to \$3 a month, and others will advance proportionately.

HATTERS CLAIM VICTORY.

Confidence Expressed by 1,200 at Orange Mass Meeting.

Declaring that the hatters' strike had virtually been won, 1,200 of the strikers assembled at a mass meeting yesterday in the Orange armory at Orange, N. J. The meeting was held behind closed doors and was in session more than an hour.

BROOKLYN ADVERTISERS

Advertisement for Socialists, N.C. Will's Zwieback, Martin Derx Men's Furnishings, Aronson Bros. & Fierst Dry and Dress Goods, Y. Katz, F. S. Haslach, and Clearfield Butter and Egg Company.

FEDERATION ACTIVE

Labor Union Organizers Arouse Porto Rican Proletariat.

By VICTOR G. CANDAMO. (Correspondence to The Call.) ARECIBO, Porto Rico, April 7.—The propaganda tour of the organizers of the Free Federation of Labor in the district of Ponce was a great success, and now the campaign begins in Guayama, where it is probable that Organizers Manuel Rojas, Nicomedes Rivera and Carlos Georgetti, will meet with the same enthusiastic reception accorded them by the workers of Ponce.

DRILL SAVES CHINESE

Teachers Instrumental in Orderly Escape of Asiatic Pupils.

Twenty-two Chinese children penned in on the third floor of a burning building at Nos. 15-17 Doyers street, yesterday, were rescued by their three women teachers.

DISCUSS LIVE TOPIC

Consideration of Industry and Wages to Be Feature of Labor Club Dinner.

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RESOLVE TO HELP THE HATTERS

Societies of Paterson Adopt Resolutions to Render Assistance.

FREE LECTURES TO-NIGHT

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN. Public School 102, 71st Street and Second Avenue—Charles McDowell, M. D.: "What Vaccination Has Done for the World."

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Far Rockaway High School: Levi J. Denchfield, M. D.: "Everyday Life in Burma."

GREAT WALLS GALORE.

Dr. William Edgar Geil, of Doylestown, Pa., arrived here yesterday on the steamship Minnehaha from London, after an extended trip of exploration in China and Tibet, during which he made interesting discoveries along the Chinese Great Wall.

SOROLLA, SPAIN'S FAMOUS ARTIST, WHO IS PAINTING TAFT'S PORTRAIT



Joaquin Sorolla, Spain's greatest painter since Velasquez, will paint the first portrait of William H. Taft since his election to the Presidency. The picture will be life size and will be a gift to the President's brother, Charles F. Taft, of Cincinnati.

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COFFIN AFIRE; BODY BURNS.

Lace Curtain Starts Blaze That Consumes Funeral.

BUILDING NEWS.

The following plans have been filed with the Buildings Department for new structures in Manhattan and the Bronx:

CITY WILL USE AXES

Fifth Avenue Property Owners Must Make Way for Street Widening.

Property owners along Fifth Avenue between 25th and 47th streets were notified yesterday that they were not ready to proceed, so as not to interfere with the city's plan to widen the thoroughfare on May 1, the axe brigade would be turned loose to make an onslaught on the projecting signs and cornices.

CORONER HOLDS MOTORMAN.

Thomas McSweeney, of 257 West 45th Street, motorman of an Eighth Avenue car that ran over and mortally injured five-year-old John Fitzgerald, of 804 West 121st Street, yesterday, has been held in \$3,000 bail to await an inquest, by Coroner Harburger.

NOTICE.

All delegates to the 2nd Conference should attend the regular meeting to-night, Wednesday, April 14, 1909, at the Labor Temple, 245 E. 84th Street, 8 P. M.

BIG WIND HELPS STRIKING GLAZIERS

Loosens and Breaks Many Windows—No One to Repair Them—Unorganized Coopers Go Out.

(Special to The Call.) CHICAGO, Ill., April 14.—Nature has rallied to the assistance of some of the many strikers in this city. The windstorm of the past few days which has blown out and loosened so many windows may expedite the settlement of the strike of the glaziers who have been out since March 1 for an increase of five cents an hour.

Evidence of the impossibility of getting glazing work done is seen at 202 East Washington Street, the headquarters of the Associated Building Trades. Of course the building trades organization is willing to pay union wages, but glass cannot be had, and consequently the wooden panels take the place of glass which was broken a month or so ago.

UNORGANIZED COOPERS GO OUT.

About 150 unorganized coopers employed by the Pioneer Coopers Company, Hoyme and Grand Avenues, are now on strike in an effort to get back a cut of 10 per cent in wages made about 18 months ago.

At the regular meeting of the Milk Wagon Drivers' Union Sunday night it was decided to call a special meeting to vote on calling a strike for an increase in wages of \$1 a week. There is said to be no question but that the men will vote overwhelmingly to strike.

The electricians report more of their men have returned to work under the new scale in the past 24 hours, reducing the number now unemployed.

TEACHER JOINS SEARCH

Victim of Pupils Assists Detectives in Hunt for Assaulters.

Frank D. Smith, a physical director in Public School No. 179, on 401st Street and Amsterdam Avenue, who was set upon and badly beaten by thirty boys of the night gymnasium classes, went through the neighborhood yesterday with two detectives, trying to find some one of his assailants.

The boys, whose ages range from fifteen to seventeen years, attacked the teacher with bricks, clubs and empty bottles. He was saved from more serious injury by the interference of an express driver and the appearance of Policeman Murphy, of the West 100th Street station.

The trouble started over a game of basketball. There are several teams in the school, and on different nights in the basement of the building.

A boy of fifteen, whom Smith says he identified as Barnes (he doesn't know his first name) appeared at the school and wanted to play. He was told that it was not his team night, but he refused to leave the building.

Barnes stood around and annoyed the players by throwing matches and in other ways. Finally he was ordered out of the building, but he refused to go.

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THE HAPPY MARRIAGE AT THE GARRICK THEATER.

The "Happy Marriage," a comedy by Clyde Fitch, was produced for the first time in New York at the Garrick Theater, on Monday evening last.

The "Happy Marriage" is neither new in theme nor strikingly original in situation; it displays the facility in construction of which Mr. Fitch is the recognized possessor, and it also reveals those types of modern life which he has the faculty of reproducing with photographic fidelity on the stage.

The story relates to a threatened rupture in the marital relations of Frederick Robinson and his pretty young wife, Joan. They have been married two years, and the husband has become so engrossed in business that he is neglecting his wife and withdrawing from her the love she feels to be a necessity.

The absence of originality in theme and situation, the chief interest in Mr. Fitch's play, as in so many others of his making, lies in the development and delineation of character. In this play, particularly, the same fault obtains that is peculiar to all of Mr. Fitch's work.

This failure to carry conviction in Clyde Fitch's chief fault. It is the one thing that will prevent him from achieving permanent fame and all of his expertness and brilliancy will be of no avail.

Henry Fitch will deliver the second of a series of eight lectures on "Shakespeare and Hamlet" at Berkeley Hall, 23 West 44th Street, at 8 o'clock this evening.

With the two shows this week the New York Hippodrome entered upon the fifth year of its history. The year 1909 marked its fifth anniversary, and it is singular that the performance Monday night should be the 1909th to be given in the big playhouse.

Advertisement for Hippodrome, featuring various theatrical performances and shows.

IN VAUDEVILLE.

Odette Valery danced "The Death of Cleopatra" at Keith and Proctor's Fifth Avenue Theater yesterday. Yesterday she was her own stage manager and director; everything was as she wanted it and the result was a justification of the statement that she is Europe's greatest vaudeville dancer.

The skeptics who doubted Julius Stieglitz's ability to secure a success to his one-act playlet, "The Fifth Commandment," pulled down their flags at Keith and Proctor's 126th Street Theater yesterday at the conclusion of the first performance of "The Way to the Heart."

Miss Irene Franklin heads the bill at the Alhambra this week in her "Redhead" song and character impersonations. Miss Valerie Bergerson, of her company, are presenting one of her earlier successes, entitled, "Billy's First Love."

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Advertisement for I. GOLDBERG'S, 171 East Broadway, featuring California Brandy and Rye Whisky.

THE SCAB: A STORY OF THE STRUGGLE.

By Arthur Bullard.

The day was barren of news and the city editor was scratching his head for copy. "The iron molders are out on a strike over in Brooklyn," he said to me. "and I hear that there has been some violence. If you could get hold of one of the injured strike-breakers you might get a story out of it."

TRADITIONS OF POE'S COLLEGE DAYS.

Some interesting stories of Edgar Allan Poe's student life at the University of Virginia have been gathered from the traditions long current at his alma mater. James B. Lyon, who sketches these stories for "The Remus Magazine," after describing Poe's room and standing at the university, says:

THREE YEARS AMONG THE HOPI INDIANS.

After passing nearly three years among the Indians, living with them and painting them, Miss Kate T. Cory, of New York, has returned to civilization, as the white man knows it, for a brief period, and is at present in Los Angeles, Cal., previous to her return home.

Miss Cory visited the Hopi Indians at Walpi, Ariz., on her way to California, intending to remain there a week or so to sketch. That visit lengthened itself into three years, and it was only a few weeks ago that she arrived at her intended destination. Now Miss Cory intends to devote her life work to painting the Indians, especially the Hopi tribe, which she says is one of the best.

'T WAS EVER THUS.

By WILBY HEARD.

Mr. A. Fatt Circumference had to leave on his regular annual vacation of merely three months. So he called Eattless Gauntman, his most faithful servant, thanks to his father's and his own employers was so happy with his job that he never dreamed of such awful things as vacations, and explained in tender, bossy words that the mansion and its welfare in all was to be entrusted to him. The benign master informed his employe of the great responsibility such a position incurred. He also reminded his faithful servant that should he not fulfill his duty as was expected of him, he, his house, what is called, closed up. A. Fatt's family shipped off to the mountains, while A. Fatt himself was to remain a homeless wanderer, and he was expected to take care of four thoroughbred horses and several other vacation necessities, besides a dog apiece of six different breeds, and a gold collar for each and a diamond studded robe for each to match. While this time he was to stay at Waldorf Astoria.

SOCIALISM OR SHIPWRECK.

Modern society cannot escape shipwreck unless it re-organizes itself into a co-operative commonwealth. The establishment of the Co-operative Commonwealth implies a social revolution; it implies the overthrow of the capitalist system of production, that has become a drag to all further development, and an incubus upon the commonwealth. It means the placing of the machinery of production now held and owned by landlords and capitalists, into the hands of the people; it means the abolition of the profit system, and the placing of the implements of labor—land and capital, i. e., machines, tools, etc.—and its substitution with public property, to be held and operated for the benefit of the community.—Karl Kautsky.

THE YOUNGEST WAR GOVERNOR.

The question having been recently raised in connection with the serious illness of ex-Governor Holbrook, of Vermont, as to the number of War Governors still living, some uncertainty has been expressed as to what has become of Samuel J. Crawford, of Kansas. An inquiry by the Boston Transcript discloses the fact that Crawford is still living, but he is now in his home on a fine farm near Baxter Springs in that state, but that he usually passes his winters in Washington. He was elected Governor of Kansas in 1884, and he served until 1889, when he resigned a few months before the end of his term to accept a commission under Custer. He had been a colonel in the civil war, and he was nominated in a Republican convention near the war's close largely by the influence of the soldier delegates from the army on the frontier. He became the third Governor of the State, and he also served as a member of the War Governors' Association. At the natural course of events he is likely to become the last survivor of the honored fellowship.

AN INDIAN ARROW.

Dr. Whipple, long bishop of Minnesota, was about to hold religious services at an Indian village in one of the Western States, and before going to the place of meeting asked the chief, who was his host, whether it was safe for him to leave his effects in the village. The chief, pointing to the red man, said: "No white man is a hundred miles from here."—Argonaut.

THE LAW OF THE AIR.

When the airship ceases to be a thing to wonder at and becomes a common sight on every skyway, what are we going to do about the law? A writer in Success Magazine inquires. Will it not be necessary to evolve an entirely new system of regulations to deal with the navigation of the upper atmosphere? We do not refer here to the obvious difficulty of collecting government revenues; the "stand-pat" high tariff gentlemen of the future day will have to worry about that themselves. Neither do we concern ourselves with the regulation of traffic in the congested regions over our large cities. What we are losing sleep about is the rights of the private earth-dwelling citizens. One's forty-acre farm extends downward-as far as one has the energy to dig; upwards it extends as far as the procession of the equinoxes. How is the middle-aged farmer, with only one hired man going to keep trespassers out of the upper forty million cubic miles of his estate? Give a perfect gentleman four rubber-tired wheels and a quart of gasoline and he becomes an enemy to the people. What can we expect when all our perfect gentlemen have sprouted wings? How shall we prevent total strangers from landing in our favorite shade trees? How will the future be? How shall we restrain our children from dropping empty bottles through our skylights; and above all, what shall we do to prevent aerial burglars from breaking into our air castles? When we think of the multitude of new laws which our future legislature may be expected to pass, or our future Supreme Court to declare unconstitutional, we almost wish that the Wright brothers had confined their efforts to the repairing of bicycles.

THE SPELLING HABIT.

The art of spelling words correctly is of comparatively recent repute. Time was when men and women did not care, but wrote ahead without regard to strict orthography. Madame de Sevigne, for instance, never learned to spell. Her French academicians, while it was remarked by Madame de Maintenon that at the college of St. Cyr most precious time was wasted in learning how to spell. It remained, however, for the Emperor Eugene, in 1848, at Compiere, to put to a practical test the spelling standard which obtained even among the highest literary authorities. Thus, under pretext of a theme, proposed to them for an examination, a number of French academicians were taken down from dictation a composition by Prosper Merimee. Not one "imortal" wrote without mistake. As to the Emperor, she could not understand so many faults being made, until it was conveyed to her that she herself, from the same dictation, was responsible for no less than ninety. The Emperor again made sixty. It is but fair to add, however, that the dictation was complicated expressly with words causing difficulties not only of spelling, but of grammar.—Harper's Weekly.

READ THIS, NON-UNIONIST.

Do you know that when wages are reduced in times of panics they never rise again among unorganized workers? Do you know that each succeeding panic has left the wages of the unorganized worker smaller than they were before? Do you know that in spite of all panics the wages of organized labor have steadily advanced and hours of labor shortened? Do you know that if the wage earners were all organized panics would be less frequent and less severe? Do you know that the recent cut in your wages will never be recovered until you organize? Do you know that the long hours of labor lessen your pay? How will you increase it? Do you know it is a duty you owe your family and your fellow-craftsmen to join the union of your craft? Do you know that the longer you delay joining the union of your craft the longer you will be bettering your present condition, shortening your hours of labor per day, and increasing your pay?—Ex.

MONUMENT TO GREAT SURGEON.

Within a few months Chicago hopes to have a memorial in one of its parks to Dr. Nicholas Senn, one of the city's greatest surgeons. Such a project was discussed at a meeting of the Nicholas Senn Club, composed of physicians of Chicago. The same meeting the Chicago Board of Education approved of a committee report to name the new Lake View High School after Dr. Senn. The plan to erect a memorial to Dr. Senn in one of the Chicago parks was discussed at our meeting, said Dr. Alexander H. Ferguson, president of the Nicholas Senn Club, last night. "We also talked of establishing a lectureship, or of fitting up a room in the new Rogers Library in memory of Dr. Senn, but the idea of a monument in one of the parks seemed to meet with general approval."

WORST ABOUT TRADE UNIONS.

It is true that the trades union movement has in some essential respects proved a disappointment, but it may not on this account be repudiated as a failure. The worst that can in truth be said of it is that it has not kept up with the procession of events, that it lacks the progressive spirit so necessary to its higher development and larger usefulness, but there are reasons for this and they suggest themselves to the most careful student of the movement.—Eugene V. Debs.

STANDARD OIL MAY INCREASE STOCK.

By H. S. LAW.

The Standard Oil Company is busily thinking of readjusting its capital in the near future. The question of increasing the capital stock of the company was taken up two or three years ago, but litigation prevented it at that time. Now that lawsuits against the company will be settled during 1909 one way or another, the recapitalization is soon to be taken up in earnest. The company during the last few years showed net profits of over \$50,000,000. The dividend for the year 1908 was 600,000 a year. The dividend payments have equalled about \$40,000,000 of the net income. The stockholders will receive a bonus due to the heavy surplus accumulation over the last five years. Since January, 1907, the company has shown profits since 1902 to date of \$53,202,000 paid out on account of dividends during that time \$29,000,000. If the company increases its capital from \$100,000,000 to \$500,000,000 and shows net earnings of \$8,000,000 a year, that would be equal to 16 per cent. yearly on the increased capitalization. John D. Rockefeller controls about 55 per cent. of the total capital stock of the corporation.

YAKS FOR THE CANUCKS.

A small herd of yaks, a domestic animal new to this continent, but common in parts of Asia and Northern Europe, will shortly be brought to Canada, under charge of the Department of Agriculture, with a view of ascertaining the suitability for domestication in the northern part of the country. The Duke of Bedford has presented six yaks from his herd in the Canadian government, and they will be placed on the central experimental farm. The chief herds of yaks in Tibet and the adjacent parts of Central Asia. Its hair is long and covers a fringed style its flanks and shoulders. The yak rug is a notable article of commerce. Yak milk is one of the chief articles of diet in Tibet. The yak does not like heat at all, as is found in the summer season as high as 20,000 feet above the sea level. In Tibet it is both a wild and a domesticated animal.

MOLTOZONE.

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MANUFACTURERS OPPOSE SHORTER WORKDAY

The following editorial appeared in American Wool and Cotton Reporter, the organ of the wool and cotton manufacturers, defending long hours of labor for women and children:

THOUGHTS.

BY NATHANIEL J. ZALOWITZ. When economic liberty will prevail, political slavery will be impossible. What fools are those who prate against Socialism as being 'The Coming Slavery.'

THE SUSTAINING FUND

- The Call Sustaining Fund acknowledges receipt of the following contributions for the week ended April 10. Please report all errors and omissions to Anna A. Maley, care of The Call, 442 Pearl street.

OUR DAILY POEM

WAIFS. By Gertrude Barnum. Little shivering son of Israel. Hat so ragged, shoes so queer. Little brother of the people. Checks so drawn and eyes so drear.

CHILD LABOR.

With public sentiment so wrought up it is not likely that the State Legislature can adjourn without bettering the child labor laws. One not conversant with conditions and circumstances would naturally wonder why it is so difficult to secure laws for the protection of the little men and women who are compelled to earn their living.

LET US SEND YOU OUR BOOKLET IT WILL BE MAILED FREE. IT TELLS YOU HOW TO AVOID MISTAKES IN SELECTING FURNITURE, CARPETS, RUGS, DRAPERIES AND FURNISHINGS OF ALL KINDS FOR YOUR HOME.

THEY WATCH US. The New York Evening Call, the Socialist daily, although working with a deficit, has refused an advertising contract of 20,000 lines offered by W. L. Douglas Shoe Company on account of the latter being a "scab" shop.

THE CALL PATTERN. Friends of the children are hopeful of securing the enactment of a law much better than has ever been established in this state. When they prepared their bill they found that certain manufacturers, greedy to profit from the labor of children, wanted to make exceptions.



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OUR DAILY PUZZLE. POKER TERMS. I asked her "age." She lifted. I "saw" her "flush." Her "full" lips curled.

WORKERS OF THE WORLD, UNITED. This is the appropriate inscription to be found on every one of the self-filling fountain pens we are offering to our readers.

THE JAPANESE TAKING UP WALT WHITMAN.

The Japanese poet, Yone Noguchi, has joined Walt Whitman in "chatting literature." He tells us this in the Tokyo Times, quoting Walt's observation that he felt about literature as Grant did about war.

Itive state. He looked upon them through Adam's eye. By the way, "Children of Adams" is the core of his message. "I think quite often that Saigyō, the wandering poet of Japan of the Kamakura period (1186-1332) might have been a Whitman if he had been born under different climes.

WHO BREAKS UP THE HOME?

In times of industrial activity there are more marriages, fewer divorces and less wife desertions. Socialism will produce a condition in which employment will always be open for every one, the rewards of labor fully five times as great as at present.



Grumpy Farmer (engaging a man)—Well, you'll go. Start right away. Farm Hand—I think I'll please ye, sir. I've had a lot to do with pigs.

THE LESSON FOR THE DAY.

George Ade says that when a certain college, presided over by a clergyman, was addressing the students in the chapel at the beginning of the college year, he observed that it was a "matter of congratulation to the year had opened with the latest freshman class in its history."

TOOTH BRUSHES FOR COWS.

A Los Angeles physician named Tupper has been spending a lot of time lately looking into the mouths of cows, and he finds that they are full of germs. These germs, he says, contaminate the cows' milk, and are a contributing cause of illness in children.

PARTIES DIE FIRST AT THE HEART.

Abundant evidence exists, says Charles Edward Russell in an article in Success Magazine, that the campaign of 1852 sounded in attentive ears a note almost as hollow and perfunctory as the campaign of 1908 sounded to us.

WOULD BE ANNEXED.

While Chicago, with open arms, welcomed the prospect of additional territory, large majorities in both suburbs of Evanston and Cicero squandered their votes in the recent election.

NO STRIKE EVER LOST.

No strike has ever been lost, and there can be no defeat for the labor movement. However disastrous the day of battle has been, it has been worth its price, and only the scars remain to bear testimony that the movement is invincible and that no mortal wound can be inflicted upon it.

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