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TWO INDICTMENTS RETURNED AGAINST CLARENCE DARROW

Charged With Complicity in Alleged Attempted Bribery.

ASSERTS INNOCENCE

McNamaras' Chief Counsel Knows Nothing of Tampering With Jurymen.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 29.—Two indictments were returned this afternoon by the County Grand Jury against Clarence Darrow, chief counsel for John J. McNamara and James McNamara, self-confessed dynamiters.

The indictments charge Darrow with complicity in the attempted bribery of Robert F. Bain, a juror in the J. B. McNamara case, and George W. Lockwood, a prospective juror in the same case.

Each indictment contains two counts, the first under Section 92 of the Penal Code, which provides that it is an offense to offer or give a bribe to any person who may be authorized by law to hear or determine any question or controversy with intent to influence his vote, opinion or decision.

The other indictment is under Section 95 of the Penal Code, which provides that it is an offense to corruptly attempt to influence a juror or any person summoned or drawn as a juror. A conviction under this section is punishable by a fine not exceeding \$5,000 or by imprisonment in the State's prison for not more than ten years.

Narrow Makes Denial.

Representatives from the office of Attorney Earl Rogers, who has been retained as counsel for Darrow, were before the Grand Jury room when they were notified of the indictments.

Asked if he had any effect upon the trial of Bert H. Franklin, chief investigator of the McNamara defense, who is charged with attempting to bribe and tamper with jurors, Davis stated that as far as he knew there had been no such attempt in the plans to fight the case.

The indictment of Darrow is the sequel of Franklin's arrest.

Darrow will be arraigned Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. He was required to give \$10,000 bond on each indictment. His sureties are Charles H. Brown, an old-time friend, and Mrs. Lorraine Davis, wife of one of his associates counsel in the McNamara case.

Washington Work Drags.

(By Luffan News Bureau.)

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 29.—According to the present understanding the Federal Grand Jury, which has been investigating dynamiting outrages for more than a month, will complete its work and adjourn either Thursday afternoon or Friday. It is expected that thirty indictments at least will be returned by that body, and it is thought that the grand jury will be able to have the arrest warrants made at the same time as possible.

The warrants will be sent out to several districts in which the indictments were made, and local arrests will not be made till there has been time in outer districts to receive the warrants.

More than two weeks stenographers and typewriters have been in the private offices of the District Attorney preparing the indictments as they have been ordered by the grand jury, and while the names of some of the indicted men will be known till arrests are made, it is thought that the grand jury has voted on the same and a number, against which the evidence is very strong, are now being held.

It is said that most of the indicted men are for conspiracy to violate laws by using the mails and disseminating explosives by interested persons, but in a number of cases the parties to the conspiracy have been indicted also as in-

DIDN'T PROVIDE SEATS FOR SALESGIRLS; FINED

In Special Sessions yesterday, the J. L. Keener Company, of 23d street and Sixth avenue, was accused of failing to provide seats for salesgirls behind counters, as is required by the labor law. Soon after the store opened, in October, the labor inspectors testified, the company was told to put in seats. A second order and two subsequent inspections failed to bring about the desired results and the company was brought to trial. A plea of guilty was entered and the court fined the company \$50.

William Hillis, Jr., a manufacturer of candy dates, at 34 North Moore street, pleaded guilty to employing two girls under 16 years for more than eight hours a day. He was fined \$20 on one charge and sentence was suspended on another. Dominic Canavaci, a grocer, of 923 Eighth avenue, employed a boy under 16 years of age twelve hours a day on Saturdays. He pleaded guilty and paid \$20.

SHUSTER CHEERED AT LONDON DINNER

Ousted American's Indictment of England and Russia Approved.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—There was a stirring demonstration of approval tonight at the dinner given by the Persia Committee in honor of W. Morgan Shuster, former director of Persian finances, who is on his way home with his family.

The American made a speech in which he sketched his experiences at Teheran. It was temperate in tone, but in its words it showed an undercurrent of feeling that it was hard to disguise. While the speaker was careful to avoid the making of any direct charges of any kind, there were ironical allusions to the causes which led up to his own dismissal, and these portions of the speech were greeted with prolonged applause.

It was evident that the dinner was anti-Russian and had no sympathy whatever with the part played by Great Britain in her endorsement of the Russian course in Persia.

Shuster said that he was unable to find any real reason for the course pursued by Russia and England in the Shah's dominion so far as his own dismissal was concerned.

The main reason given, he said, was his reorganization of the gendarmery, which was construed into a violation of the Russo-British treaty. He charged that at the time the appointments were made they were approved by the English Government, which afterwards used them for the purpose of demanding his removal.

Persia, he continued, had been taught by force that the doctrine has no application in international politics. Persia is now the prey of "anarchists" and brigands, the speaker went on. He made plain his belief that the independence of the Persian people had gone.

Philip E. Morrell, M. P., who was among the speakers, was cheered when he said that the events which had transpired in Persia reflected shame on the reputation of Great Britain.

HOLD OIL IMPORTER FOR CUSTOMS FRAUD

Government representatives here have discovered what they regard as a conspiracy to defraud the customs on importations of olive oil. At the instance of Assistant United States Attorney Carl E. Whitney, several of Marshal Henkle's deputies were sent late yesterday afternoon to the offices of the Oil and Seeds Company, at 35 South William street, where they arrested A. Fred. Heitfuss, an employee of the company. Heitfuss has a business under his own name at 59 Pearl street, where he deals in olive oil.

The prisoner was taken to the Federal Building and arraigned before Commissioner Shields on a complaint charging him and others with conspiring to undervalue an importation of olive oil valued at \$9,000. Mr. Whitney told the commissioner that the importation cited in the complaint was only one of many, and that the total undervaluations involved importations amounting to several hundred thousand dollars.

Heitfuss was held by Commissioner Shields in \$10,000 bail for examination next Monday, and in default of bail was taken to the Tombs.

\$238,534,000 FOR WAR.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—The Army appropriation bill, carrying \$88,534,000, and the agricultural appropriation bill, with a total of \$15,836,976, were reported today to the House. The pension appropriation bill was also reported, and probably will have the right of way. It carries \$150,000,000.

DEBS SHOWS UP STRONG.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 29.—The Presidential poll of the Weekly Star had brought in, up to noon today, 10,473 votes from the farms of the West and Southwest. Of these 5,883 were for Roosevelt, 1,096 for Champ Clark, 909 for Bryan and 148 for Eugene V. Debs.

AGED MAN KILLS HIMSELF.

John Sharman, 78 years old, of 502 West 147th street, shot himself in the mouth, yesterday. He died instantly. He had been ill for several months.

CRUSHING DEFEAT TO IMPERIAL ARMY

Chinese Rebels Win Important Victory Over Loyalists at Ku Chen.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—The Chinese revolutionists have crushingly defeated the imperial force commanded by General Chang-Hsun at Ku Chen, in the Province of Anawel, according to a news agency dispatch from Tientsin.

The imperial army retreated twenty miles to Wong San Po, says the dispatch. Wong's army, which numbered 8,000, captured the City of Chi Mark, in Shang Tung Province.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 29.—An imperial army of 10,000 under General Chang-Hsun was decisively defeated by a Canton republican army under General Wong Chang, near Ku Chen, yesterday, according to a cablegram received here today by the Chinese Free Press. Four hundred Manchus are reported to have been killed.

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SHANGHAI, Jan. 29.—That the defeat of the uprising in China, should the revolutionary forces win, and Dr. Sun Yat Sen finally become the Chief Executive of the new Chinese republic, will be possession by the Standard Oil Company of all of the oil reserves of the nation, was the assertion today of high officials familiar with the situation.

The Rockefeller interests, it was said, are financing the revolution through agents now on the ground. Whether President Sun Yat Sen has actually signed the concession is not known, but it is asserted on the best of authority that if he has not, he will do so in the immediate future.

By securing this concession the American financiers have checkmated their big British rivals. Representatives of the British and German oil syndicates have had preliminary surveys made, and within the last few days authorized their representatives to act to secure concessions to develop the oil industry in various sections of the empire. The Standard bent them to its will, however, and have Sun Yat Sen's promise that if he succeeds in overthrowing the Manchu dynasty it will have the absolute right of monopoly of the oil industry. The agent of the American trust has been in touch with the President of the Provisional Republic. It is said, since long before he left the United States, with the object in view of financing a successful revolution, and so getting possession of the greatest undeveloped oil territory left in the world.

ALBANY, Jan. 29.—Governor John A. Dix today issued the following proclamation calling upon the people of this State to contribute to the Red Cross fund for the relief of the sufferers from the flood of China. Contributions should be sent to Jacob H. Schiff, treasurer of the New York State Board of the American Red Cross, 522 William street, New York City.

ADJOURNS TRIAL OF ALLEGED BLACKMAILER

The murder of Louis Blumenthal, in the livery stable at 125-127 Division street, Sunday night, led yesterday to the postponement of the trial of Charles Vitusky for attempted extortion in the Court of General Sessions.

Blumenthal was investigating the horse poisoning case of the East Side some months ago, and Vitusky was his informant. Blumenthal charged, who tried to extort \$500 from him.

There is little doubt that Blumenthal's investigations worried the horse poisoner, for on December 19 last they tried to kill him by exploding a bomb at the door of his apartment, at 202 Henry street. He was not hurt.

It was a few days later that Vitusky was arrested on Blumenthal's charges. When the case against Vitusky was called yesterday before Judge Mulqueen, the judge, without comment, adjourned it until February 13 next.

HOW QUITO MOB SLEW 5 GENERALS

QUAYAHUHL, Ecuador, Jan. 29.—Details of the outbreak of popular fury at Quito, which culminated in the lynching Sunday of Gen. Eloy Alfaro, Flavio Alfaro, Medardo Alfaro, Ulpiano Paz and Manuel Serrano, reached here today.

The prisoners, who left this city at midnight and Thursday, arrived in the capital early on Sunday and were taken to the Quito penitentiary. As soon as the populace learned of their arrival a mob of 5,000 gathered at the prison and attacked the guards.

The soldiers fired a number of volleys, killing several persons, but were unable to control the mob, which tore down a portion of the jail walls.

TROUBLE NEAR IN CRETE.

CANEA, Crete, Jan. 29.—The Cretan Revolutionary Committee of Union, which aims at uniting this country with Greece and establishing a provisional government for Crete, decided today to demand an oath of allegiance from everybody. The Executive, which is now in charge of affairs, is divided over this question and has asked for time to consider the matter.

MAN KILLED BY CRANE.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Jan. 29.—One man was killed and two others were severely hurt when a crane ran them down at the plant of the Lackawanna Bridge Company in South Buffalo this afternoon.

LAUNDRY WORKERS' STRIKE JUSTIFIED BY STATE BOARD

Horrible Conditions in Shops Drove Slaves to Revolt.

HAND BOSSES HIT

Return to Tasks Advised, but Union Stands Pat. Armour Fined \$5.

The claims of the striking laundry workers that endless working hours, starvation wages and insanitary workshops were the causes of their present struggle were justified yesterday when the State Board of Mediation and Arbitration made public its findings at the recent inquiry into the causes of the strike of the laundry workers. The report followed an inquiry which lasted for four days at which about fifty witnesses gave testimony into the conditions prevailing in laundries in this city and Brooklyn.

The strikers ridiculed that part of the finding which recommends that all the strikers return to work pending a settlement. The finding was sent to both the employers and the strikers and reads as follows:

Mr. Julius Langfelder, Pres. N. Y. Association of Steam Laundrymen, 212 E. 92d street, New York City. Mr. A. H. Davidson, Secy., United Laundry Workers' International Union, Locals Nos. 24, 126, 27, 2438 Eighth avenue, New York City.

"Dear Sirs—In accordance with the requirements of Section 144 of the State Labor Law, the Board of Mediation and Arbitration announces to you our findings of facts and our recommendations, based on the board's investigation into the causes of the strike of the laundry workers in the City of New York.

"The principal causes of the laundry workers' strike were found to be long and irregular working hours, small wages and refusal of employers to recognize and treat with the union.

"The board find that six individual employers have signed agreements with the union and are operating under union conditions. The other laundries are running nearly full-handed, non-union workmen being employed.

"Unreasonable Competition."

"In the opinion of the board, the conditions of long hours and low wages disclosed by the evidence justify the complaints of the striking laundry workers. These conditions are the result of unreasonable competition among the proprietors of steam laundries to obtain the business of washing and ironing clothes from the so-called 'hand laundries' in the City of New York.

As a matter of fact, the 'hand laundries' are for the most part mere collection agencies for the steam laundries, their advertised 'hand work' being almost exclusively ironing of shirts and underwear. The steam laundries do practically all washing and most of the starching of all goods, and all the flating of flat work, collars and cuffs, for the 'hand laundries'.

"The steam and 'hand laundries' engaged in the rough dry business must compete (as to prices charged to the public) with the steam bundle laundries engaged in the direct family trade, so that the excessive number of 'hand laundries' conducting a business based on misrepresentation has reduced profits of employers and wages of employees.

"The larger steam rough laundries collect from 100 or more 'hand laundries' while the equally large steam bundle laundries have about ten branches each for the collection and delivery."

"Both steam laundry employers and striking laundry workers agree that all laundries and laundry agencies should be prohibited from sending out or receiving colored nets, and that nets be restricted to white goods exclusively and weigh not more than ten pounds. The colored nets are insanitary, heavy, incapable of being thoroughly washed, and are a direct financial loss to the steam laundry workers and employers, as well as a serious menace to health.

Want Men to Return to Work.

"The board recommends that all employes on strike be returned to their old positions; that the employers declare their willingness to deal with the union where it has been organized; and that the union and association of employers agree to settle the question of present and future disputes by mutual recognition and final arbitration; that the employers' scale of prices be adjusted to correspond generally with that paid in the shops where the highest rate prevails. That working hours be arranged between 7:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. daily, with four hours Saturday morning and overtime pay for work later than 6:30 a.m. or 12 noon on Saturday.

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OPERATORS RESIST CHECK-OFF DEMAND

Bosses Say System Works Hardships Among the Miners.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 29.—In the joint conference today of the miners and operators in the effort to agree upon a scale of acres for mining coal, the operators took decided ground against the unlimited "check-off" demand of the miners' convention. The demand would require the operators to check off from a miners' wages any sum that the organization might demand that be paid into the union and pay this sum to the treasurer of the local organization.

The operators say that the system works many hardships among the miners, especially in cases of sickness or loss of work for any cause and that there is much complaint among their employes over it. The operators are willing to check off the dues of the miner only and refuse to check off assessments levied by the organization.

The prospects for an agreement by the joint conference on a wage scale appear to be remote. It appeared to be the belief of both sides that there was such a wide difference between the operators and the miners on the main propositions that it would be nearly impossible for them to get together at this time. Some of the men are anticipating an adjournment of the conference by the middle of the week without an agreement, and in that event the miners' convention also would probably finish its work this week.

WILKES-BARRE, Pa., Jan. 29.—Owing to the inability of the representatives of the miners to return from Indianapolis the session of the conciliation board scheduled for today was not held. The miners' representatives on the board failed to arrive at the hour set for the meeting and it was continued. The board has only one case to settle, and this is a dispute of the miners of the Lehigh and Wilkes-Barre company. The company forces its men at two of the Plymouth collieries to use Moma Belle powder, which the men declare is much more expensive than other powders of equal strength and merit.

When this case is disposed of the board will have disposed of the last of 225 cases, the number of cases which have come to its attention since the Anthracite Mine Commission created the board.

PORTUGAL FACES GENERAL STRIKE

Workers Determined to Force Resignation of Governor Responsible for Fatal Skirmishes.

LISBON, Jan. 29.—The Federation of Trade Unions today proclaimed a general strike with the object of forcing the resignation of the Governor of the District of Evora, in the Province of Alentejo.

It was in this district where there were clashes the other day between the military and the agricultural laborers on strike.

A number of persons were killed and blame for the trouble is laid at the Governor's door.

The district was placed in a state of siege for two days, after which the agriculturists returned to work.

When the tie-up reached this city, the street railway sheds were stormed and the military prevented from sending out cars. Large numbers of workmen, including printers, joined the strike.

The government Committee of the Republic in Estremadura, has consigned all the regiments to barracks.

The newspapers have suspended publication and the theaters are closed. There was not a street car moving in the city tonight, but the steam railways are not affected thus far. Most of the stores are open for business, as usual.

N. Y. CO. REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE FOR TAFT

CLEVELAND, Jan. 29.—President Taft tonight received this telegram from Samuel S. Koenig, chairman of the New York County Republican Committee: "The Executive Committee of the Republican County Committee of New York County, by a vote of 34 to 1 endorsed you for renomination and re-election. Two men were absent, who were for you. This means a solid delegation from New York County, and I offer you my congratulations."

TAFT FIRES OPENING GUN.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Jan. 29.—President Taft made a speech here tonight at the McKinley Day banquet of the Tippecanoe Club. He defended his administration and declared that the Republican party under his leadership had fulfilled the pledges made in the last national platform.

Taft's speech practically marks the opening of the Republican national campaign and it will undoubtedly be used as the keynote of the political spellbinders. He declared that the Republican party was backed by a strong record and the rank and file of the Republican party should have no fear of the outcome of the next Presidential election.

\$10 OVERCOATS AT 60.

I have but 228 overcoats and 130 suits left, which will be placed on sale today and cleared at 65. They are the identical quality and make that other stores would not sell under \$10. John Marx, the Clothier, 671 Broadway, Brooklyn, phone 213 overcoats at \$10.

PLEAD NOT GUILTY TO FALSE LABELING

All four members of the Chicago forwarding firm who were indicted by the Federal Grand Jury last week on the charge of false labeling of imported merchandise consigned to the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad for shipment from this city to Chicago entered tentative pleas of not guilty yesterday before Judge Hough in the United States District Court. The indicted men are Jules E. Bernard, of Gallagher & Ascher; August Bonheur, president of the International Forwarding Company, and Oscar F. Kosche, trading as Charles E. Stone & Co. They were already at large on \$5,000 bail each on an indictment charging them with accepting rebates from the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad and other roads.

Accordingly, Judge Hough fixed bail in the present case at only \$2,500 each, and the four men were paroled in the custody of Stuart McNamara, former Assistant United States Attorney General, counsel for the defense, until they can arrange to give bail.

HITCHCOCK ECONOMY IS A HUGE FAKE

Auditor Asserts Postal Deficit Has Been Wiped Out on Paper Only.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—That Postmaster General Hitchcock has juggled postal figures to make a record for himself is the charge made by W. D. Brown, formerly an auditor in the War Department.

In August last Hitchcock stated that the closing of the fiscal year June 30 witnessed the wiping out of the postal deficit and that the department showed \$219,118.12 to its credit. Brown asserts that Hitchcock had not wiped out the deficit, but on the contrary the postal department now shows a deficit of at least \$7,000,000.

Brown says that the trick by which Hitchcock showed that he had removed the deficit was all in book-keeping. The report of the Postmaster General showing the receipts and disbursements of money proves the assertion, Brown claims.

The Postmaster General has announced that he has been enabled to wipe out a deficit of \$17,000,000 in two years by great economy in administration and by improving the standard of efficiency of employes and machinery.

Brown says the Postmaster General has been enabled to seemingly wipe out this deficit by increased revenue, juggling of figures and a failure to pay bills when due. Brown has no claims of any kind against the government.

It has been the custom of the Postoffice Department to hold over at the end of the fiscal year certain obligations and pay them out of the revenues of the next fiscal year. This custom has prevailed for years.

At the beginning of the year Hitchcock took office this "item" was \$554,928.71.

On June 30, 1910, the end of the first full fiscal year of Hitchcock's administration, this item of unpaid bills carried over was \$6,786,394.11, an increase of more than 1,000 per cent, and on June 30 last it had increased still more to \$7,132,112.23.

Brown says that with the system of auditing now in operation in the Postoffice Department no surplus in any item may be produced at any time by the simple process of not paying the debts of the department prior to the close of the fiscal year.

MAKES STRENUOUS DENIAL.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Fourth Assistant Postmaster Degraw, in a formal statement given out tonight, states that the allegations of W. D. Brown that the figures of Postmaster General Hitchcock showing a surplus in the operation of the "item" of false bills, so he is informed by the auditor for the department, Degraw also claims that several months ago the department prevented rural carriers from contributing to a fund to reward Brown for efforts which it was alleged, he had made to have the pay of the rural carriers increased by Congress.

"There was no further trouble during the evening and the customary mass meetings did not take place. Colonel Sweetser, who is in charge of the troops here, sent word to Eitor that there are to be no more parades, no more mass meetings and no more congregating in any public places out of doors, and that all such persons violating the decree will be arrested on a charge of rioting. Troops poured into the city in a steady stream tonight.

MERRILL INTRODUCES WOMAN SUFFRAGE BILL

ALBANY, Jan. 29.—Herbert M. Merrill, the Socialist legislator from Schoharie, introduced a bill into the Assembly tonight, providing for equal suffrage for all citizens, regardless of sex.

OIL SUBSIDIARY PAYS.

The Continental Oil Company, a Standard Oil subsidiary, has declared a dividend of \$10 a share. Judging from the little information obtainable it can well afford such large payments, as its earnings on its capital of \$50,000 amount to 192 per cent and on its assets to 44 per cent. The company is one of the smaller subsidiaries of the so-called trust, with offices in Denver. Its stock has recently sold between \$50 and \$55.

DEPONENT, SHOTS HIMSELF.

James Edwards, 59 years old, a paper salesman, shot himself in the right temple yesterday at his home, 440 West 27th street, Ozone Park, and died later in St. Mary's Hospital, Jamaica. Edwards had been ill for some time, and it is believed that the shot was self-inflicted.

Arrest in Dynamite Plot.

After a long investigation, the State police arrested tonight John E. Green, a member of the Lawrence School Board and son of former Mayor Green, on a charge of "blowing" the dynamite which was found in three different places a week ago Saturday. The warrant charges Green with conspiring to blow up the face and destroy property. The arrest caused considerable excitement, although it was rumored last week that some local man of prominence was under suspicion and for that reason the court hearing in the case of eight men and women arrested when the explosive was found was postponed.

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WOMAN SLAIN BY SHOT IN LAWRENCE STRIKE EXCITEMENT

One Policeman Gets Roughly Handled by the People.

MORE TROOPS OUT

Foss Throws 12 Additional Militia Companies Into Town Owned by Bosses.

LAWRENCE, Mass., Jan. 29.—After a two hour demonstration, during which the woolen and cotton mill strikers had full control of the streets of this city, there was a clash between the police and militia on one side and about 1,000 strikers near the Everett mills just before 6 o'clock tonight.

The affray resulted in the killing of an Italian woman, who was standing on the sidewalk, the stabbing of Patrolman Oscar Benoit and sore heads for many of the strikers, who were finally put to flight.

that five shots were fired by a striker while the parade was passing the corner of Jackson and Common streets, near the Everett mills. No person was injured and the man disappeared before an arrest was made.

Soldiers Charge the People.

When it was learned that the first detail of police were meeting with no success in subduing the people, more officers were hurried to the scene. They charged into the crowd, using their clubs freely. Then two squads of soldiers were dispatched and they came charging up the street with bayonets fixed. The militiamen finally reached one bunch of strikers and clubbed the crowd into submission.

The full police force was practically unable to quell the people, but in the mill district the militia had the situation in hand. Squads of soldiers, ready for action, stood at the various short streets and were successful in keeping the people in the business section of the city.

Scabs All Had Guns.

Interviewed tonight, Joseph J. Eitor declared that "Every scab carried a loaded revolver, and every soldier of the other side was armed with a club or bayonet. No matter whether it is under the mantle of law, there was just as much rioting, and it is to be equally condemned, as the rioting under the mantle of the mob."

"How do we know it was strikers who broke the car windows? You and I know that it has been proved before that paid agents of the officials have gone among strikers and caused just the same kind of damage this morning."

"But, remember, you don't have to throw stones. This town is going to be sorry in a couple of days. Probably there won't be any cars to throw stones at."

Leader Eitor, when asked about the disturbances, said: "I don't know anything about that. It is none of my business. We fooled them by drawing

up our separate picket lines, didn't we? They couldn't get by us."

Foss Orders Out More Troops.

BOSTON Jan. 29.—Late this afternoon Governor Foss ordered out twelve more companies of infantry, two troops of cavalry, and fifty metropolitan police, for the purpose of assisting in "maintaining order" at Lawrence. All the companies are due to reach Lawrence by midnight. As there are now eight companies on duty in that city, and three local companies who can be called upon at a moment's notice, there will be in the vicinity of 1,400 officers and men in Lawrence tomorrow morning.

The following statement was given out by Dudley Holman, the Governor's secretary, early tonight:

"At the request of Mayor Scanlon and the City Council of Lawrence, who came to see the Governor this afternoon in regard to the strike situation in Lawrence, the Adjutant General has ordered twelve companies of infantry and two troops of cavalry to proceed at once to Lawrence. The Governor has also requested of Chairman DeLas Casas a detail of fifty officers from the metropolitan park force, which will leave this evening for Lawrence to aid in patrolling in the outskirts of the city."

"The Governor intends that there shall be ample protection to life and property in the City of Lawrence. It is expected that part of the troops will be on the ground during the early evening, and that all will have arrived by midnight."

Foss Has Peace Plan.

Governor Foss tonight made a proposition which may lead to the ending of the strike, as it is understood the mill owners are agreeable to it. The Governor addressed the following open letter to the mill operatives and owners:

"The situation at Lawrence has become so serious that every possible effort should be made by all parties concerned to adjust matters; and I therefore request all workers to go back and resume their places in the mills for a period of thirty days pending the efforts which I shall make to get all the differences adjusted; and, in view of the fact that no notice was given to the mill operatives of a proposed reduction in wages when the change of hours went into effect on January 1, I request all mill operators to give fifty-six hours pay for fifty-four hours work during that period without discrimination."

Socialist Party Aids Strikers.

(Special to The Call.) CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—The national organization of the Socialist party has entered the lists in behalf of the 25,000 textile strikers of Lawrence, Mass., and the National Executive Committee has adopted the following motion, made by William D. Haywood, one of its members, who has been at the scene of the conflict:

"Calling attention to condition of striking textile workers of Lawrence, Mass., where 30,000 men, women and children are fighting against the master class for better living conditions, I move that immediate action be taken to raise funds, and that every possible assistance be rendered the strikers."

Contributions for this purpose should be sent to the National Secretary, 265 West Washington street, Chicago.

More Contributions Here.

The good work of raising funds for the Lawrence strikers continues in

this city, the following letter showing how the spirit of working class solidarity is spreading:

Editor of The Call: I am pleased to inform you that as a direct result of your excellent editorial of the 24th, which I clipped and posted on the wall of our factory, I have been enabled to collect the sum of \$27.50, and have mailed the same to the Textile Workers' Strike Committee, Lawrence, Mass.

PLAN MEETING TO FIGHT BREAD TRUST

The Anti-Bread Trust Campaign Conference, which was started several months ago to combat the attempt of the Ward Baking Company and the other non-union concerns from crushing the union and controlling the bread market, has arranged a meeting to be held at Carnegie Hall next Saturday night. The meeting is to be a public demonstration against the methods of the Bread Trust in establishing a bread monopoly and introducing slavery in the baking industry.

The meeting is to be held under the auspices of the New York and New Jersey Federations of Labor, Central Federated Union of New York, United Hebrew Trades, Women's Trade Union League, Anti-Bread Trust Campaign Conference and the Joint Executive Board of the Bakery and Confectionery Workers' International Union.

The principal speakers of the evening will be Morris Hillquit, member of the National Executive Committee of the Socialist party; James Duncan, first vice-president of the American Federation of Labor; Cornelius Ford, member of the New Jersey Legislature and president of the New Jersey State Federation of Labor; Miss Leonora O'Reilly, of the Women's Trade Union League, and Jacob Panken.

BAKERS' UNION FIGHTS WITH ANOTHER BOSS

Another baker boss, N. Messing, who is operating shops at 82 Allen street and 100 Broome street, has joined in the crusade against the Bakers' Union and locked out his employees yesterday. The union immediately revoked his label and placed Messing's shops on the unfair list. The lockout was unavailing for, as there has not been any trouble between the union and Messing, and it is believed that the bosses have conspired to break up the Bakers' Union.

Bakers' Union, Local 100, is also carrying on a strike against Morris Gruberg's bakeries, of 80 Essex street, 230 Eldridge street, 210 Broome street and 145 Ludlow street. The labels have also been revoked from E. Gottfried's shops, of 175 East 2d street and 532 East 73d street.

J. Goldstein, representative of the Bakers' Union, said yesterday that it looks as if the bosses have started a campaign to crush the bakers' organization, as their systematic way of locking out the workers from one shop after another shows that. He said the workers are ready for a fight, and should the employers attempt to break the union, they will be given a fight to a finish.

The workers are determined to stick to their organization and will not stand for any attempt of the bosses to break up their union, through which they have succeeded in bringing down their working hours from eighteen and twenty to ten hours a day. The union appeals to all workers to demand bread with the union label and thus help the union in its fight against the employers.

NEWARK FIRE CAUSES LOSS OF \$300,000

Toppling walls and a mass of ruins and the debris of one of the worst fires of Newark in two decades alone remains witness to the disastrous conflagration that swept the buildings at 210-220 Market street yesterday, totally destroying the building and plant of the Essex Printing Company and the building and furniture store and stables of John Mullins & Sons, extending from Market street to Mechanic street. Seven horses perished.

The total loss is estimated at \$300,000. The origin of the fire is unknown.

AGED FORGER HELD FOR TRIAL

Former Publisher, Otten Jail Bird, Confesses When Trick Falls. Charles Bartlett, 89 years old, once a publisher, but for years a clever forger, was yesterday held in \$2,500 bail for examination tomorrow on a charge of forging a check for \$100,000 on a check book of the Jefferson National Bank. The man had given himself up to the police, saying that his latest "trick" had not worked. Detective Kelly was the complainant, telling the magistrate that Bartlett had forged a check on the Mellon National Bank, of Pittsburgh, for \$2,125, using the name of William B. Bennett, a hardware merchant in that city.

TOOK FIANCÉE'S JEWELRY.

Having admitted that he had taken two gold watches, a gold locket and a morocco case from her fiancée, whom she had deserted on the eve of their marriage, Miss Rose Lanner, 19 years old, of 235 Bedford avenue, Williamsburg, was held yesterday by Magistrate Dodd, in the Manhattan Avenue Police Court, in \$500 bail. Miss Lanner would not explain why she had taken the articles, but it is thought that her sudden disappearance with the goods was due to her infatuation for another. The complaint was made by George Geanetti, a traveling salesman, of Springfield, Mass.

GET FREE MEALS IN JAIL.

Refusing to give free meals yesterday, Gottfried Golden, manager of a luncheon room at 2583 Third avenue, was made the target of a sugar bowl and a heavy chair. He fell, his forehead gashed open, and Policeman Clossot, of the Morrisania police station, ran in to arrest John Hurley, of 3105 Park avenue, and George Muller, of 542 East 133d street. Magistrate Krotel, in the Morrisania Police Court, sent Hurley and Muller to the workhouse for ten days each.

CALLAHAN THE HATTER

Seize 200 Yards in Sewing.

ALEXANDER JONAS HAS PASSED AWAY

Veteran German Socialist Is at Rest After Well Spent Life.

Alexander Jonas died late last night at his home, 223 East 18th street, from heart failure. The arrangements for the funeral will be announced later.

Alexander Jones was born on March 14, 1834, in Berlin, where his father was the owner of a large publishing house. When in 1848 a revolution took place after the revolution, the family removed to a small town about thirty miles outside the city.

Here Alexander Jones performed his first revolutionary act by posting notices in the town calling upon the people to refuse paying taxes as the government had not instituted the promised reforms. This action of himself and his brother horrified the townspeople.

He came to these shores with little means but lofty aspirations, at the time America was still suffering from the upheaval of the Civil War. He at first entered into a business career, but soon exchanged it for that of journalist, and immediately took an active interest in American politics and long before he had become a full-fledged citizen was extremely well versed in American political, social and economic conditions, one of the first questions to claim his attention and support being that of political equality for women.

After organizing the German Woman's Suffrage Association he wrote and spoke in its support at a time when such doctrines were not looked upon with favor.

He contributed weekly to the Neue Zeit (New Era), a weekly devoted to the interests of women, being also at the time editor-in-chief of the Arbeiter Stimme (Workingman's Voice), which position he held until the paper suspended publication.

Jonas was a delegate to the first national political organization of Socialists in this country, the Social Democratic Workingmen's party of North America, which was founded July 4, 1874.

He ran as the first Socialist candidate for Mayor in New York City, in 1878, and polled a total of 1,000 votes.

In January, 1878, Comrade Jonas founded and became editor-in-chief of the New Yorker Volkszeitung.

At his life he gallantly fought the battles of the working class and followed the words of his own poem: "Be faithful to the end."

WAIST MAKERS END VOTING ON STRIKE

With thousands of votes deposited on the proposition of calling a strike of ladies' waist and dress makers, the balloting closed at the various polling places late last night. All the polling places were jammed from early in the morning until late at night, when the polling clerks announced that the time was up, with workers who gathered to cast their votes.

None of the leaders would make any comment on the probable result of the vote and said they had left the matter to the membership and would not say anything until after the ballot boxes are opened this morning.

At the eleventh hour a great number of non-union workers turned out and joined the union so as to be entitled to cast their vote on the strike proposition, and they were enthusiastic about the talk of ordering a general walk-out.

It was reported that many employers have applied for committees to confer about a settlement of the grievances of their workers, and it is expected that by tonight many will have signed agreements with the union.

The Waist Makers' Union will hold a concert and ball at the Harlem River Casino, 127th street and Second avenue, next Friday night, where the results of the vote will be announced.

ABDUCTOR GETS LONG TERM.

Harry Robert Shank was sentenced by Judge Dike, in the Supreme Court in Brooklyn, yesterday to a term of from four to nine years and six months in Sing Sing Prison for having abducted Ruth Lundgren, a pretty 17-year-old choir girl, from her home in North Easton, Mass., more than a year ago. Shank promised the girl a long engagement in New York as a singer. She was found about three weeks ago living with a man in a flat in Brooklyn and had been working as a maid in a Broadway hotel in Manhattan.

WOLTER IS PUT TO DEATH.

OSSINING, Jan. 29. — Leaving a written denial that he killed Ruth Wheeler, Albert W. Wolter was legally murdered in the electric chair in Sing Sing, early this morning. He went to his death quietly and without the least show of emotion. It required but one shock to kill Wolter, and with 1,950 volts at from seven to nine amperes sent through the body for a brief period, death was certain.

SON'S SHOT PROVES FATAL.

Patrick Keegan, 45 years old, who was accidentally shot by his 15-year-old son, Frank, during a rat hunt in the cellar of the home at 174 Woodland avenue, Yonkers, Saturday, died yesterday in St. John's Riverside Hospital, in a statement to Coroner Heil he exonerated his son from blame.

NATURALIZATION AID SOCIETY.

From 5 to 10 o'clock this evening the office of the Naturalization Aid Society, at 1461 Third avenue, will be open as usual Tuesday nights. A committee will be in charge prepared to give information about becoming a citizen and to help applicants with all the means in their power. Information and aid is given free.

OWNER OF RESORT SENTENCED.

Walter S. Sweeney, proprietor of the resort known as "Sweeney's," at 111 East 31st street, was sentenced yesterday to six months in the workhouse by Justices Duell, McInerney and Hoyt in Special Sessions on a charge of conducting a public dance hall without a license.

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How They Became "Exalted"
Of all of the agencies of capitalism the courts have been the most potent, effective and hitherto the most mysterious to the popular gaze. Volumes of stush and gush have been turned out for the influencing of old and young. Even school children are taught the myth of what "great and noble" men have sat on the Supreme Court of the United States. In these books, Chief Justice Marshall and his successor, Taney, are represented as the incarnation of all that was pure and holy. But Gustavus Myers' "History of the Supreme Court of the United States," running serially in The Sunday Call, dispels these myths, and narrates by an abundance of indisputable facts just what the Supreme Court as an institution was and did. We see Taney as the son of a slave owner and the heir of slaves and landed estate. Next we see him as the most prominent attorney for the slave traders engaged in the horrible business of kidnapping negroes from Africa. Then he becomes Attorney General of the

PROTECTOR REBELS SEVERELY PUNISHED
Joseph Murray, Joseph Bittello, John Lateberg, Joseph Donegan, John McGowan and Raymond Wolf, arrested for a Sunday-supper riot at the Catholic Protectors, were sentenced to the City Reformatory by Magistrate Krotel in the Morrisania Court yesterday.

INTERBORO PLAN TO BE PRESENTED
Figures Show Subway Traffic for Month of December Exceeded 1,000,000 Passengers a Day. That the gigantic subway deal is about ready to be put through became apparent yesterday when it was announced that the Interborough Rapid Transit Company directors have approved a subway proposal which will be submitted to the city today or tomorrow.

PANAMA CANAL TOLL TO BE \$1 PER TON
WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Senator Bristow today introduced a bill to fix the toll for the Panama Canal at \$1 a net ton for all ships using the canal, but that all American ships whose owners agree that such vessels may be used by the United States in time of war as auxiliary cruisers shall have a rate of 50 cents a ton, and all ships engaged in coastwise trade, under the same conditions, shall have a rate of 25 cents a ton. Senator Bristow holds that the treaty with Great Britain does not forbid such reductions for American vessels. Vessels in ballast without cargo are to have a reduction of 40 per cent from the rates prescribed.

SPENT NIGHT IN ICE PACK.
Thirteen Caught in Boat on Mississippi River Landed Safely. WICKLIFFE, Ky., Jan. 29.—The thirteen or more persons for whose safety fears were expressed last night when they were caught in ice that choked the Mississippi River, landed here early today and were returned to Bird's Point, Mo.

TEA.
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More Dividends for Penn.
Completion of February interest and dividend disbursement by the road, industrial and traction companies, according to the Journal of Commerce, will amount to \$65,000,000. This compares with \$58,000,000 year ago, or an increase of \$7,000,000. Dividend payments will approximate \$42,500,000, an increase of about \$2,000,000, and interest payments will be \$22,500,000, an increase of about \$4,000,000. Changes are rather few among securities listed on the Stock Exchange.

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Under the new plan the Manhattan traction corporation is to be "compensated" for making certain "concessions" to the city by taking out a preferential income equal to an average of the company's earnings for the past two years.

The Interborough Company is to put \$75,000,000 into the new subway system, under the arrangements, and is to agree to the leveling of its leases under Contract No. 1 and Contract No. 2, for the present subway, to forty-nine years. It is to pool all of its present earnings with the new subway system and go into partnership with the city on the future growth and increase of business of the big traction combine.

Figures given out yesterday by the Public Service Commission show that for the first time in the history of the subway the average traffic for the month of December exceeded 1,000,000 passengers a day, allowance being made for Sundays and Christmas Day.

The combined traffic exceeded the combined traffic on all four elevated lines in Manhattan and the Bronx by more than 1,600,000, the total for the four elevated lines being 28,637,246.

KLAUS SHADES K. O. BROWN.
PITTSBURGH, Pa., Jan. 29.—Frank Klaus, the East Pittsburg bear cat, by his better fighting and judging of distance, earned a shade tonight over George (Knockout) Brown, of Chicago. Brown was willing to rough it but was wild throughout the mill.

BLAMES POLICE FOR MURDER ACQUITTALS

Whitman Makes Analysis of Commissioner Waldo's Figures on Convictions.

Aroused by Police Commissioner Waldo's report relative to the arrests made in New York County, and statistics showing the large number, proportionately, of acquittals which follow, District Attorney Whitman yesterday gave out a statement in which he holds the Police Department itself responsible, in part, for existing conditions.

Whitman also intimates that the figures, as published, are susceptible of wrong inference. He says: "My attention has been called to the published statistics, purporting to come from the Police Commissioner, relative to homicide cases in this county last year. These figures, as published, tend to show that there were 125 arrests made for murder last year.

GERMAN SOCIALIST VOTE IS 4,238,919

Working Class Party Gained 978,899 During the Past Five Years, Despite Kaiser's Efforts.

BERLIN, Jan. 24.—In the general elections to the Reichstag last Friday the votes cast were divided as follows: Social Democratic party, 4,238,919; Centre party, 2,012,990; National Liberal party, 1,871,297; Progressive People's party, 1,556,549; Conservative party, 1,149,916; Miscellaneous, 1,558,666.

H. Delventhal GROCERY AND MEAT MARKET

Gustav Stiglitz WATCHES, DIAMONDS AND JEWELRY

J. B. Schierenbeck GROCERIES AND FRUITS

Workingmen's Co-operative Publishing Association New York, January 25, 1912. Dear Comrade: You are hereby invited to the ANNUAL MEETING of the above association, which will be held on Tuesday, January 30, 8 P. M. at the LABOR TEMPLE, 243 East 84th street, Manhattan.

BAKERS IN CHICAGO SETTLE DIFFERENCES

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—Peace has been effected between the Bakery and Confectionery Workers' International Union of America and the old Local No. 2, which was expelled three weeks ago by action of the General Executive Board.

The tentative agreement provides that the old local shall be readmitted to the international union just as if it had never been expelled. The property of the old local will be returned and all the members, without exception, will be readmitted to membership in the international organization.

SOCIALISM AS THIS COUNT SEES IT

Bohemian Lecturer Says His Country Does Not Take to Socialist Ideas, But the Count Is Mistaken.

A Bohemian lecturer, calling himself Count Leutnow, arrived in New York yesterday on the Cunard liner Laconia, and the first thing he did was to tell the reporters that there was a great deal of political unrest all over the world, all due to Socialism.

GIRLS AID FELLOW WORKER. She Is Daughter of Watchman, Victim of Equipped Fire.

Fifty girls employed by S. Langsdorf & Co., manufacturers of fancy goods, at Spring and Crosby streets, Saturday donated a purse of \$102, which they gave to their coworker, Miss Anita Neider, the daughter of Frank J. Neider, the Mercantile watchman who lost his life in the Equitable fire.

WEST POINT NOT POPULAR.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—With fifty vacancies at the Military Academy, despite all efforts to get eligibles for appointment as cadets through ordinary channels, the War Department again has turned to Congress for relief.

MACFARLAND ON TRIAL.

Allison MacFarland was put on trial in Newark yesterday, charged with murdering his wife Evelyn, who drank cyanide of potassium at her home, 346 Park avenue, Newark, on the night of October 17 last.

PORTER HANGS HIMSELF.

Hanging by a rope, which had been thrown over a steam pipe in the bowling alley conducted by Julius Appel at 236 West 42d street, the body of Frank Luft, 40 years old, porter, was found yesterday. No cause for suicide is known.

WORKERS BETWEEN DEVIL AND DEEP SEA

Berger Tells Hard Truths to Old Partyites in Tariff Debate.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—"As far as the tariff question is concerned, the American working class is between the devil and the deep blue sea. Here is the Republican devil and there is the Democratic deep blue sea. And, gentlemen, the rock of rescue is Socialism, when every person will own his job and get the full value of the product of his or her labor."

The above pointed paragraph is from a short speech delivered by Victor L. Berger, the Socialist Congressman, during a stormy debate in the House over the steel tariff schedule. Berger was applauded by the Democrats whenever he made a remark derogatory to the Republicans and vice versa.

STATE HOLDS ONTO ITS WATER POWER

Board Recommends Improvement of Water Sheds and Reclaiming of Power Rights.

ALBANY, Jan. 29.—Recommending that the State should forever hold all rights in water power now owned by it, that the same should be conserved and developed to the maximum point of commercial efficiency, that every encouragement should be given development of power rights owned by individuals, and pointing out that there exists a widespread misconception both as to the quantity and value of the water powers owned by the State and as to the extent of the legal rights of the State in water powers owned by individuals, the Water Storage Committee of the Legislature filed its report tonight.

INSURANCE INCOME IS A BILLION ANNUALLY

ALBANY, Jan. 29.—The annual report of the Superintendent of Insurance was submitted to the Legislature tonight showing the wide range of insurance supervision in New York, in that it includes fire, marine, casualty, surety, fraternal and assessment insurance. The total of the risks of the companies authorized in New York was, for their last annual statements, \$70,994,000,000, the total of their assets, \$4,582,000,000, and of their annual premium income, \$1,013,000,000.

DEMOCRATS JAM STEEL BILL THROUGH

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—The Democratic bill revising the iron and steel bill of the Payne-Aldrich Tariff Law was passed by the House by a vote of 210 to 190 this afternoon.

GRAND TRUNK CRASH KILLS TWO TRAINMEN

DURAND, Mich., Jan. 29.—Two trainmen were killed and two seriously injured when a pick-up train, carrying three engines, crashed into the rear of a stalled freight train on the Grand Trunk Railroad, near here, today.

RUSSIANS SLAY KURDS.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 29.—Several skirmishes between the Kurds and the Russians occupying the northern provinces of Persia are reported in a dispatch received here from Khel in the Persian Province of Azerbaijan, Jan. 26-27, which states that the northwest of Tabriz, several Kurds were killed.

SCHIFF TO FIGHT PARDON FOR VALET

Recommendation of District Attorney Whitman Filed at the Executive Chamber by Secretary Beirne.

ALBANY, Jan. 29.—The report and recommendation of District Attorney Whitman, of New York County, relative to the application of Folke E. Brandt, the former valet of Mortimer L. Schiff, is on file at the Executive Chamber, Governor Dix has not seen it, and will not see it for several days, not until he is ready to take up the application of the imprisoned valet for final determination.

Whitman's secretary, Beirne, went to the State Capitol on the arrival of his train at 4:15 o'clock, and delivered the document to Attorney Owen L. Potter, who has charge of the application of Brandt. Neither Potter nor Beirne would make the contents of the report known. It was delivered without comment, and will later be examined by Potter prior to the transmission to the Governor.

"We never make reports of this character public," said Potter, tonight. "They are expressions of opinion desired by the Governor in arriving at determinations on applications for clemency, and are treated as confidential."

STEEL WORKERS ARE WORSE THAN SLAVES

Louis D. Brandeis Pillories Trust Before Stanley Investigation Committee.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Challenging the statement of Judge Gary that the United States Steel Corporation was a model employer, Louis D. Brandeis, the Boston attorney, today bitterly arraigned the methods of the trust before the Stanley Steel Committee.

"We have heard for a long time," said Brandeis, "the assertion that with labor the Steel Corporation has an excellent record and that its efforts have been to advance the condition of its employees." Judge Gary recently said that the treatment accorded its employees by the Steel Corporation compared with any corporation at any time in the history of the world.

BRITISH SHIP SEIZED BY ITALIAN CRUISER

HODEIDA, Jan. 29.—Italian warships searching the Red Sea for vessels carrying contraband of war made another seizure yesterday. The Italian cruiser Piemonte anchored off the coast and sent a boat to the shore, where a motor launch belonging to Thorneycroft & Co., flying the British flag, was seized and carried off.

VANCOUVER POLICE BEAT UP I. W. W. MEN

VANCOUVER, British Columbia, Jan. 29.—A vicious assault was made by the police last night upon a number of members of the I. W. W. who were holding a meeting here in an effort to organize the laborers and lumberjacks.

BOOKSELLERS' LEAGUE DINES.

The banquet of the Booksellers' League was held last night at the Hotel Martinique. The opening speaker, Andre Tridon, remarked that book reviewing was becoming a more arduous task every day, as certain publishers, dreaming the impossible dream of reaching every class of the reading public, worded their announcements in a more and more ambiguous and misleading style.

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SENATOR LORIMER AGAIN ON GRILL

Says He Favored Deenee Because He Thought He Would Do Less Harm There Than in Illinois.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Cross-examination of senator Lorimer regarding his version of his election was resumed before the Senatorial investigating committee today, after a recess of ten days, caused by the illness of Lorimer's counsel, Judge Haney.

Attorney Marble, for the committee, questioned the Senator exhaustively regarding conditions at the legislative session of 1909 at Springfield. Lorimer was in a belligerent mood and protested impatiently that he had already answered several of Marble's questions. Asked why he favored Governor Deenee for Senator, he declared: "I favored him because we wanted a reorganization of the party in Illinois and I felt that Deenee would do less harm in the Senate than as Governor, and we had to have him in one place or the other."

LAUNDRY WORKERS' STRIKE JUSTIFIED BY STATE BOARD

(Continued from page 1.) Saturday) at the rate of time and one-half. Respectfully submitted, WILLIAM C. ROGERS, Chairman. M. J. REAGAN, JAMES M'NAMUS, State Board of Mediation and Arbitration.

DANGER AHEAD

for the Socialist party is now by Eugene V. Debs and Charles Edward Russell. The pamphlet bearing the above title and written by these two influential men is the latest in our Pocket Library. It sets forth their views on recent developments and points out the straight course to follow. Especially valuable for new members of the party and for those desiring to old members. Our Pocket Library consists of 50 VOLUMES covering Socialism from every conceivable angle. The authors are the best and the most brilliant in the movement. Their little books are an education to themselves and compose a regular quiverful of Socialist arms with which to shoot the ignorance and unenlightenment. When you have read them yourself you can set a few of them in your pocket and lend them around among your friends and acquaintances. In this way you can spread socialism on the wing. For a time we are going to send the International Socialist Review, the fighting feature magazine, with this set of 50, giving you a total of 100 copies of educational and interesting literature. Send a 50c or 75c note. The 50c note covers the cost of the books.

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CEMENT SHOW IS IN FULL SWING

Exhibitors of Model Workmen's Homes Wax Enthusiastic Over Possibilities of Housing People.

The great possibilities of lengthening the lives of the working class and eliminating many diseases are presented at the cement show, which opened last evening at Madison Square Garden, with its exhibition of cement and its allied combinations. One of the exhibitors said regarding sanitary homes for workmen: "The housing of the masses is a serious subject worthy of careful and deliberate consideration. Some one has said: 'As a man thinks, so is he.' To this we might add, 'As a man lives, so is he; for it is conceded that environment is most potent in shaping the later years of a man's life. Home is the place where the best part of one's life is spent; and home environment, in all its details, means much in those things which make home the ideal place to be. To be sure, there is no dearth of houses in the world; but are there many homes, owned by the occupants as there ought to be in a progressive country like America? 'The man who works for a moderate wage cannot take care of his family, no matter how small, and build the ordinary home for himself; cost of labor and materials makes it altogether prohibitive. Neither can this same man find a sanitary home in which to live, for this same high cost of building has forced the man who builds to rent, to place such high rentals on his houses, that only the well-paid can afford to live in the sanitary, well-ventilated and pleasantly situated dwelling. A country owes it to the present and coming generations, that its children be healthfully cared for and housed, and not compelled to call a poor servant of a once-upon-a-time good building, its home.' The great sanitary and economical qualities of this building material are forcibly called attention to by the five-room workman's home which was built at Brentwood, Md., at a cost of \$300. This pretty little detached house, surrounded by shrubbery and its garden, was designed in the crusade for better housing, and received the highest award from the tuberculosis societies. As it is fitted with a combination of wash tub and bathtub, it dispenses the necessity of a separate bathroom. The rooms are well lighted and ventilated, letting in sunshine through its many windows.

Among the exhibits is a scale model of the Gatun dam and locks of the Panama Canal, with its ships entering the locks, which draw a large crowd, while the working model of a Pittsburg cement factory in operation, showing the process of production from the raw material to the finished product in the bins, was always surrounded.

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DILLINGHAM BILL ATTACKED BY HOLT

Editor Says New Immigration Measure Endangers International Peace.

Charging that the Dillingham bill, which was reported favorably by the Committee on Immigration to the Senate on January 18, contains a provision which would exclude Japanese from the United States...

By a decision of the courts Syrians and Armenians are white, but Japanese, Chinese, Hindus and Malays are not white. They are not allowed naturalization in this country...

"The important thing," says Editor Holt, "is that instead of excluding Chinese by name, it widens the exclusion by saying, 'persons not eligible to become citizens by naturalization.'"

"They are Chinese, as every one knows, but they are also Japanese, Hindus and Malays. By the law of 1869, as amended in 1875, only these aliens can be naturalized."

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JERSEY REPORTER TO BE FORCED TO TALK

HACKENSACK, N. J., Jan. 29.—Supreme Court Justice C. W. Parker has granted Prosecutor Wright a rule to show cause why Julius Grunow, a reporter for a Jersey City newspaper, should not be adjudged in contempt for failure to answer certain questions asked him by the Bergen County Grand Jury...

BUTTER UP AS GRAND JURY PROBE BEGINS

Dealers Deny Responsibility for High Prices. Show Books.

While the Grand Jury was questioning yesterday the officers, directors and Executive Committee of the Mercantile Exchange in an effort to ascertain why butter has become a drug on the market...

"The Mercantile Exchange men brought their books with them for examination. Those who have instituted the investigation suspect that the exchange has worked in conjunction with a similar organization in Elgin, Ill., and another in Chicago."

"There is a shortage of eggs," declared W. N. Douglas & Co., of 191 Duane street. "The storage stock has been cleaned up this year a month earlier than usual, and by the end of this week there will be practically none on hand."

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SPORTS BOUTS THIS WEEK

Fights at Three Large Clubs Tonight. Long Acre's Show Tomorrow. Other Plastic Attractions.

Starting tonight, a plentiful supply of boxing events are on tap this week for the fight bugs.

This evening three big clubs have shows, the Royale, Fairmont, and Mount Vernon. At the Royale, in Brooklyn, Kid Williams, Baltimore's leading bantam, again meets Young Solberg...

Johny Moran, formerly a "bell hop" at the Lamb's Club, will be seen in action again tonight at the Mount Vernon Sporting Club.

Eddie McGorty, the crack Western middleweight, clashes with Walter Coffey at the Fairmont A. C. tonight. McGorty stands "ace high" in the estimation of fight lovers...

Jeff Smith, the Bayonne slugger, will appear at the National Sporting Club Thursday night in a ten-round engagement with Young Loughey...

Carl Nelson, the lightweight Danish champion, and Nicola Montagne, the aggressive Italian welterweight wrestler, will try conclusions on the mat tonight at the Harlem Music Hall...

Clabby Defeats Howard. Melbourne, Australia, Jan. 29.—Jimmy Clabby, the American pugilist and Australian middleweight champion, defeated Jack Howard...

Chief Justice White Hands Self Bouquet. Washington, Jan. 29.—What was interpreted by some lawyers as an appeal to the people to support the Supreme Court of the United States against current attacks was made today by Chief Justice White in pronouncing a tribute to the late Associate Justice Harlan...

Porter Hangs Himself. Hanging by a rope, which had been thrown over a steam pipe in the bowling alleys conducted by Julius Appel at 234 West 43d street, the body of Frank Luft, 40 years old, porter, was found yesterday. No cause for suicide is known.

Call Advertisers Directory. Physical Culture Restaurants. MacFadden's Physical Culture Restaurants.

VARIED OPINIONS ON VARIED SUBJECTS

PRAISE SOCIAL SANITATION. Editor of The Call: Congratulations on masterpiece in today's issue, "Social Sanitation in Cologne." With a broken wrist I want to shake and say, Keep up the good work.

Editor of The Call: Can the editorial page of The Call of January 27 be reproduced or printed in leaflet form at cost for general distribution by the "army"?

Editor of The Call: Today's cartoon by Ruser on "All the News—that ain't, and is," was one of the best I ever saw.

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FREE LECTURES IN NEW YORK TONIGHT

Free lectures will be delivered in Greater New York tonight, under the auspices of the Board of Education, as follows, beginning at 8:15 o'clock: MANHATTAN.

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Public School 63, 4th street, east of First avenue: "Italy in Song and Story," Miss Mina D. Kuhn.

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The above society was founded in the year 1884 by workmen imbued with the spirit of solidarity and Socialist thought. Its numerical strength (at present composed of 248 local branches with 34,100 male and 7,000 female members) is rapidly increasing among workmen who believe in the principles of the modern labor movement.

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LEGAL NOTICES

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SOCIALIST NEWS OF THE DAY

MANHATTAN AND BRONX

Hand School Notes.

The regular class in American Government meets this evening at 8 o'clock. James A. Fairley is the instructor. Fairley is about to take up the subject of the relation of the State to the Federal Government. The class in Stenography and Typewriting meets, as usual, this evening at 7:45, with John Lyons as instructor. This class meets on Tuesday and Friday evenings, and can be entered at any time. Joseph Golomb is the instructor of the class in Advanced English, which meets this evening at 8:15. It is still too late to register for this class. Attention is called to the lecture by Dr. C. Ward Crampton, which will take place in the reading room of the Hand School Saturday evening, February 1, at 8:15. Dr. Crampton will speak upon the question, "How the Board of Education of the City of New York is Handling the Health Problem." Admission to this lecture is free.

Bronx General Party Meeting.

Bronx general party meeting, January 24, Bronx Labor Lyceum, 707 Courtlandt avenue, Comrade Rubinow chairman and Comrade Paullitch vice chairman. The following is a condensed report of the minutes: The Bronx organizer's report was accepted. The financial secretary reported total receipts \$416.81, and expenditures \$401.46, leaving a balance January 1 of \$15.35. Report accepted. The Auditing Committee reported being audited and found correct the books of the financial secretary, but that they had been unable as yet to audit the literature agent's accounts and literature. Report accepted. The literature agent reported having purchased 2,067 books during the year; that a quantity of unsalable pamphlets had been given away; that Branch 8 had sold 472 books and Branch 9 450 books. Report accepted. Under election of officers for the coming six months, Louis A. Baum and Phillip Scherer were nominated for Bronx organizer. On a motion thirty-five minutes was given to the discussion of the qualifications of the two candidates for the office. On motion, Comrade Baum was given ten minutes to reply to criticisms of his conduct as Bronx organizer. Comrades Lichtenberg and Melhado, acting as tellers, counted a vote of 51 for Comrade Phillip Scherer, and 9 for Comrade Baum. Comrade Scherer declared elected. Comrade Raymond Wilcox elected secretary. Comrade Charles Dell re-elected financial secretary. Comrade Black elected Bronx literature agent.

Comrade Shier spoke on the coming spring festival, and urged the comrades to give it their hearty support. Comrades Burgher and Reichenthal spoke on the Lyceum Lecture Course to be held in the Bronx, beginning with Charles Edward Russell, on March 1.

The proposed Bronx County was then discussed. A motion was passed that the delegates to the Central Committee of Local New York be instructed to vote to request Comrade Merrill to vote against any county bill that does not submit the question to a referendum vote of the people.

A motion was carried that the members of the party in the Bronx protest against the misappropriation of the funds of the party by the Central Committee in making loans to individual members, and that the Executive Committee be held responsible.

A motion to table the matter was lost. A motion was made that the general party meeting overrule the action of the Agitation Committee in allowing Bronx Organizer Baum \$25, amended, that the matter be referred to the Agitation Committee. Amendment carried.

The meeting, which was the largest general party meeting of the Bronx held in years, then adjourned at 11:15.

MARION H. LAING, Secretary.

Bronx Lyceum Lectures.

The enthusiasm that is being shown by the comrades in the town above the Harlem is a surprise even to the committee. The demand for tickets has exceeded the supply, although the 200 additional tickets coming from the National Office will enable the committee to better meet the demands from ticket hunters. Every party member should attend this course—it will inform him as to just what are the fundamental principles of Socialism. But what we want more than anything else is to get non-Socialists to attend. The Lyceum Lecture Course is a challenge to them. We want to make well informed new party members. That is why there is an application blank attached to each Lyceum sub card.

Representative Maurer, the Socialist in the Pennsylvania Legislature, will take Ben Wilson's place in the Lyceum Lecture Course in the Bronx. Maurer's subject is "The War of the Classes." He is well fitted to talk on this topic, being a man from the firing line. This change should add to the value of the Lyceum lectures for the Bronx. The committee in charge wish to announce that no collections will be taken at the lectures. In addition to the speakers there will be musical programs. Ticket hunters will please note these announcements and advertise them.

Branch 8 in the beginning assumed the financial responsibility for the success of the lecture course. At their last branch meeting the recommendation that any net profits from the lecture course should be turned over to the Agitation Committee. The committee meets every Sunday morning. Later in the week there will be important announcements for committee members and ticket hunters.

THE COMMITTEE.

BROOKLYN.

Party Meeting Tonight.

To those of the party members who are interested in the party's organization and activities an opportunity will be given to express their views on these questions at the regular general party discussion meeting, to be held this evening at the party headquarters, 957 Willoughby avenue, Herman Simpson, former editor of The Call, known to have decided views as to the party tactics and organization, will open the meeting by a talk on "The Socialist Party: Its Organization and Activities." The last week's meeting was well attended, in fact, standing room was at a premium. There is no doubt that those who desire to take in tonight's meeting will have to come early, as the subject for discussion is one of interest to all active members and one very seldom discussed.

At the next meeting, to be held on Tuesday, February 6, Harry Watson will talk on "The Class Struggle and the Road to Socialism." Comrade Watson has already delivered two lectures on this subject and those who attended these lectures should attend this one in order to fully appreciate the previous ones.

Woman Suffrage Petitions.

Secretaries and members of subdivisions are requested to note that all petition blanks for women suffrage now being circulated must be turned in as soon as possible. They can be left at the office of the Socialist party, 957 Willoughby avenue, or with the secretary of the Women's Conference, Mrs. Lily Lore, 132 Hilmrod street, Brooklyn. This is important, as the bill introduced by Victor L. Berger will come up for action in a few days.

Minutes Central Committee.

The Central Committee of Local Kings met at the party office, Saturday, January 27. Comrade Rumpier was elected chairman. The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read.

The following delegates were seated: Two from 14th A. D., Branch 2; 2 from 16th A. D.; 1 from the 18th and 23d A. D.; 2 from the 13th A. D.; 1 additional delegate from the 9th A. D., Branch 4; 1 from the 5th and 23d A. D., Branch 1; 3 from the 22d A. D., Branch 4; 1 from 9th A. D., Branch 2; 1 from 4th A. D., in place of a delegate who resigned. The 21st A. D. elected six delegates, but were entitled to four. Three of the delegates present were seated provisionally. Six delegates were seated from the 6th A. D., Branch 2. A letter from the 16th A. D. and 9th A. D., Branch 1, regarding an amendment to by-law, was referred to the By-Law Committee.

Letter from Louise W. Kneeland, including check for \$150, which she donated toward covering the deficit

was received, with a vote of thanks.

Letter from Annie Wright was received, reporting that Branch 1 of the 22d A. D. had decided to donate 10 per cent of the proceeds from the next two entertainments to the Central Committee. The branch was given a vote of thanks. Letter from C. W. Cavanaugh, of Branch 1, 14th and 9th A. D., stated that the branch was unable to donate anything to the Central Committee.

Letter from the Executive Committee of Local New York was received, preferring charges against Max Rothenberg and William Feinbaum, for loaning party cards to S. L. F. men for the Haywood-Hillquit meeting. A motion was made to refer the matter to the branch to which these members belonged, and an amendment that the Executive Committee act as a Grievance Committee. An amendment to the amendment that we elect a committee of five to investigate the charges was carried, the following comrades being elected: Solomon Lindgren, Hanneman, Ellison and Pratt.

A letter received from J. A. Weil, urging the re-election of Lindgren and making recommendations in regard to literature distribution. No action was taken. A letter from the Socialist Sunday School Union was referred to the Sunday School Committee. A letter from Local Yorkers including two subscription cards for the Westchester Socialist was received. The subscriptions were accepted.

A letter was received from Black White requesting addresses of the secretaries and organizers of the branches. The request was granted.

Letter received from Butcher Union, No. 21 and 242, notifying us that Louis Meyer, meat and provision dealer, of 154 Flushing avenue, was on the unfair list, and asking us not to patronize him.

Letter from Brotherhood of Machinists, Bushwick Lodge, No. 5, enclosing ten complimentary tickets, was received and tickets accepted.

Letter received from Alexander Fraser suggesting the repeating of the Haywood-Hillquit debate in Brooklyn. A motion that a debate on the position of the party toward unionism be held was carried, the following comrades being elected on the committee to take charge of the affair: Lyons, Schwartz, and Slavin.

Letter from the 12th A. D., asking permission to reinstate a member was received and request granted. A delegate from the 6th A. D., Branch 2, asked that the Central Committee reconsider its motion that 10 per cent of the profits of all entertainments run by the branches be donated to the local. This was referred to new business, as was also the matter of aiding the Lawrence strikers, which was brought up by the delegates of the 9th A. D., Branch 2. Comrade Shapiro, of the 21st A. D., Branch 3, announced that the branch will donate 10 per cent of the proceeds of its ball, which will be held on Sunday night, March 17, at the Brooklyn Lyceum, to the Central Committee.

A letter was received from the 22d A. D., Branch 4, recommending Comrade Harbers for organizer.

The report of the Executive Committee was taken up for action. The recommendation that the branches be urged to advertise their meetings in the Volkszeitung was concurred in. The recommendation that the Russian Branch be permitted to sell tickets to the branches was also concurred in. On request, the letter from I. Sternberger protesting against his expulsion from the party was read. Comrade Lipps reported that he had placed an order with the printer for 50,000 copies of the Brooklyn Socialist before the Executive Committee had decided to order but 25,000, and that the order would have to stand.

The organizer reported that he had sent out a call to the subdivisions to nominate three delegates to the national convention. Nominations will close on February 12. He also reported that Comrade Lore asks that the women's petitions be sent as soon as possible to Washington; that he had tickets and throwaways advertising the Women's Day meeting at the party office; that L. Polsky's case had come up in court, and that Polsky had been committed to the District Attorney, promising not to sue the hotel manager. If he was discharged, organizer Lindgren recommended that Comrade Polsky be censured. Motion that the matter be dropped was carried. The organizer also recommended that we take up a collection at the Women's Day meeting. It was decided to reconsider the motion not to take up a collection. A motion to take up a collection was carried.

The organizer's report for 1911 was read. The Executive Committee was instructed to publish the most important part of the report in the party press and bring back a list of recommendations made so that they may be considered.

The May Day Committee reported it would run an afternoon and evening affair at the Labor Lyceum; that Comrade Slavin had secured Alma Webster-Powell to furnish the entertainment; that it recommends that admission be 25 cents, instead of 15. The report was received and the recommendation concurred in.

The delegate to the The Call Board of Management reported that The Call was making excellent progress. Report accepted.

The Excursion Committee reported. It was decided that the excursion be held on July 7; that we take the steamer Atlas, and a large, with a capacity of 2,400 people; that we leave at the South 5th street pier, Brooklyn, at 10 a. m.

The Sunday School Examining Board reported progress, and its recommendation that a letter be sent to enrolled Socialists regarding the Sunday schools was referred to the Sunday School Committee. Comrade Shiploff reported on the Sunday school in the 23d A. D. His recommendations were referred to the Sunday School Committee.

The Auditing Committee asked that another Comrade be elected to take the place of Comrade Samuelson. Comrade Boitel was elected. The report of the State Committee was accepted. Twenty-nine applications were received. Four were admitted.

The following comrades were nominated for organizer: Fall, Lipps and

Harbers. A letter from J. C. Lipps, regarding his accepting the nomination, was read. Comrade Lindgren was nominated. Upon his accepting the nomination Comrade Lipps withdrew. Comrade Lindgren was elected by acclamation and a month's vacation was granted to him. Louis Gold was unanimously elected secretary. Comrade Hopkins was elected treasurer. The following were elected as members of the Executive Committee: Boitel, Uswald, Schweitzer, Pauly, Lichtenfeld, Harrison, Slavin, Lipps, Hanneman and Wolfman. Credentials Committee: Well, Samuelson and Ellison. Lecture Committee: McTuskey, Lipps, Uswald, Harbers, Weil and Saira. Press Committee: Pasquel, Uswald. Harbers and Linhart. Call conference: Wright, Dinker and Ellison.

Under unfinished business, the Zukunfft matter came up. A motion that it be referred to a special committee of three to bring in a report was lost. Comrade Roudin and Comrade Shiploff were given five minutes each to explain the affair. Comrade Milch was also given the floor. The following resolution was adopted: "It is the sense of the Central Committee of Kings County that the article entitled 'Democracy and Education,' by I. Milch, in the December issue of the Zukunfft was not fit for publication in a Socialist magazine."

Financial report: Income, \$446.46; expense, \$139.45.

LOUIS GOLD, Secretary.

ELIZABETH, N. J.

The regular business meeting of Branch 1 was well attended and a large amount of detail work attended to. Several new applications for membership were received and referred to the Investigating Committee. A donation of \$5 and a collection of \$4.50 for the benefit of the strikers at Lawrence, Mass. were ordered to be sent to Jos. Bedhard, secretary of the Textile Workers' Strike Committee.

City Organizer Harry F. Kopp reported that collections of dues from members who were unable to attend the meetings were very encouraging. It was decided to supply ward organizers with due stamps. Such move, it is believed, will place Local Union County among the foremost in the State. A committee of five was elected to draw up resolutions of respect and condolence on the death of Comrade Paul Derzatschenko, to be sent to the family and the party press.

The general meeting of Local Union County, called for the purpose of nominating delegates to the national convention and various other important matters, was held Sunday afternoon at party headquarters. Counselman Harry F. Kopp was elected chairman. Preceding the nomination of delegates, Comrade Henry Carless, of Newark, spoke for about an hour on the provisions of the Geran Law and its relations to the Socialist party, going very deeply into the subject. At the close of his address a number of questions were asked, showing the earnestness of all those who were fortunate enough to hear this address.

Comrade Thelmer reported that the Workmen's Sick and Death Benefit Fund had donated \$25 and also decided to advertise extensively in the issue. He appealed to the comrades to aid in the formation of an English speaking branch, which resulted in a number of signatures being obtained for that purpose. A request was made upon Comrade Brelsford, as secretary, to call a meeting of all the members of the American Co-operative Society for the purpose of completing plans.

The Issue Masquerade and Civic Ball Committee reported that tickets are selling fast and that this event promises to be the most successful ever held in this city.

The following nominations for delegates to the national convention were made. The eight comrades receiving the highest vote were declared elected, subject to a referendum of the State: Harry Carless, Newark, 63; Harry F. Kopp, Elizabeth, 60; Chris J. Cosgrove, Elizabeth, 58; James Reilly, Jersey City, 55; Gustave Thelmer, Elizabeth, 51; D. L. H. Ferguson, Elizabeth, 49; M. O. Jones, Newark, 42; W. L. Lloyd, Westfield, 42; John R. McMahon, Elizabeth, 25; Daniel J. Henry, Trenton, 21; A. V. Alexander, Paterson, 28; Frank Hubschmitt, Paterson, 24.

At the close of the meeting a collection of \$7.25 was taken for the benefit of the textile strikers of Lawrence, Mass.

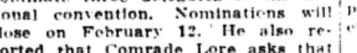
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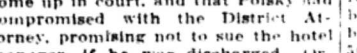
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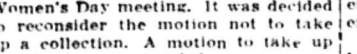
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The National Office can furnish copies of the bill introduced in Congress by Comrade Berger providing for the collective ownership of the trusts at the following rates: Single copy, 5 cents; 25 cents per dozen; \$1 per hundred.

By a recent referendum in Wisconsin, Winfield R. Gaylord, 42 Estes street, Milwaukee, was elected a member of the National Committee; Victor L. Berger, House of Representatives, Washington, D. C., and Carl D. Thompson, City Clerk's office, Milwaukee, were re-elected to the same position.

The Jewish Socialist Agitation Bureau has just issued a booklet on American institutions. The name of it is "The American Government: How It Came to Be, What It Is and Whom It Serves." The author is R. Holzman, at one time editor of the Jewish Forward. It is an explanation of how our American governmental institutions developed and is highly recommended by the Agitation Bureau as of very great value in teaching Jewish working people to understand the present position of the working class and its mission.

The price is 10 cents per single copy and 7 cents a copy in bundles of twenty-five. Order of the Jewish Socialist Agitation Bureau, 141 Division street, New York City.

Acceptances and declinations of nominations for members of the committee of three to investigate and report concerning the Chas. H. Kerr Co. closed January 24. The following accepted: Clyde A. Berry, of Missouri; W. R. Gaylord, of Wisconsin; John A. Keyes, of Minnesota; S. M. Reynolds, of Indiana; Gustave A. Strebel, of New York. The National Committee is now voting on the investigating committee.

Announcements: A regular meeting of the Benevolent Society of the United States for the Propagation of Cremation, Branch No. 41, will be held tonight at 15 McDougal street (Hunler's Hall), Brooklyn, at 8 o'clock sharp. All members should be at this meeting, and bring their friends along, so as to be able to propose them for membership in the society.

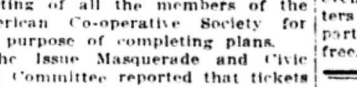
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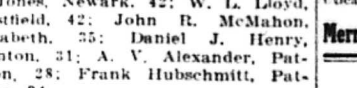
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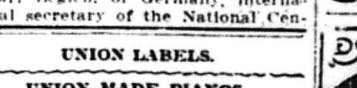
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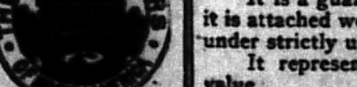
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