

VICTOR BERGER HOPES TO "MILWAUKEEIZE" THE COUNTRY

HERE IS VICTOR BERGER. He is five feet ten in height, weighs about 190 pounds. He is stockily built and is about three inches broader around the waist line than about the chest. He dresses plainly, but in good taste. A blue serge suit, a plain tie and low collar constitute the principal portions of his unchanging wardrobe. He wears old-fashioned eyeglasses and through them peer a pair of sharp brown eyes that alternate between a twinkling and a pensive expression. His head is large, somewhat rounded, with a square across the front and narrows slightly toward the rear. His complexion is swarthy. His hair, once brown, is now gray. A sharp, stubby mustache covers a pair of large lips. His teeth are of medium size and even.



VICTOR L. BERGER.

There was nothing about his appearance to suggest a prophet or the son of a prophet. He looked more like a hard-headed business man laying out a plan for the day's selling campaign. When he had finished he swung around in his arm chair, a smile broke across his features and, leaning far over, he said: "This sounds strange to you. I am not surprised. It sounds strange to most people. But wait and see."

They finished it and returned to their homes with the declaration that it was far from perfect, and still we have swallowed it all these hundred years and looked upon it as the most perfect of instruments. It was the best they could do, and I admire them for their efforts. I do not mean to criticize them for their work, but blame their posterity for accepting offhand an imperfect document.

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Washington, April 18. TWO-THIRDS of the members of the House of Representatives agree with me that the Constitution of the United States should be abolished. If a constitutional convention called to-morrow they would vote to abolish it in its present form. Within ten years such a convention will be called and the venerable and outworn

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The supreme court seems to have been putting its ears to the ground in the Gompers case. A Justice Wright is a stench to the judiciary, and especially because he is frankly capitalistic. The supreme court has been slyly making laws for the people again. They will reap the whirlwind sooner or later. Hofstott, the millionaire banker and car manufacturer, whose houndings of labor brought him into national notoriety, is on trial this week for bribery growing out of the councilman graft investigation in Pittsburgh. Just the same, few of them get caught!

Trust Smashing Is As Silly As the Bull Against the Comet

The recent decision of the United States supreme court compelling the dissolution of the Standard Oil trust reminds one of the Pope's famous bull against the comet. And the attempt to differentiate between good trusts and bad trusts is simple humbug. When the \$29,000,000 fine was imposed by Judge Leland on the Standard Oil company, I said—and I now say again—the easiest dupe in the universe is the average American citizen. He actually likes to be humbugged. All great business men in this country, from P. T. Barnum down to John D. Rockefeller, knew this, and they have done business accordingly.

Milwaukee the Storm Center

The Socialist Administration of the Cream City Attacked Nationally As Well As Locally—Nineteen Party Locals Answer in Unmistakable Tones—Thirteen Branches of the Workmen's Sick and Death Benefit Fund Join the Fray—The Upholsterers' Union No. 29 and Clothing Cutters and Trimmers' No. 195 Face the Enemy—The Rally of Our Comrades—Total Amount Subscribed \$26,740—The Bonds

Washington Letter

(By National Socialist Press) Washington, D. C., May 17.—The protest of millions has been heard in Washington. Robert L. Henry, chairman of the house committee on rule, has notified Representative Berger, the Socialist member of congress, that the committee will at its next meeting consider the Berger resolution providing for a congressional investigation of the kidnaping of the McNamara brothers. Since the introduction of this resolution, hundreds of letters and resolutions from all over the country have been received by Henry and other members of congress, urging an investigation of the Indianapolis outrage.

Subscription for Bonds

The past week showed a gain in factory, the greater the club. Start on the 25-cent plan, as suggested above, and begin to shake Milwaukee. It is a question, fellow workmen, of either you shaking or have the other fellows shake you off next spring. Clinch your jaws, and with the 155 pounds of flesh and blood on your bones that your mothers gave you, crack the chains. By the end of May the bond sale should be way over the \$35,000 mark. And now, now, for a big, mighty shove.

Wants Government Unleashed

That Uncle Sam should be among the first to recognize labor organizations, is the opinion of Berger. He has taken a deep interest in the hearings on the Lloyd bill now taking place before the house committee on reform in the civil service. In a few days Berger will make an argument before the committee in favor of this bill, giving government

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If a man would eat he must work. A life of elegant leisure is the life of an unworthy citizen. The republic does not owe him a living. It is he who owes the republic a life of usefulness. Such is the republican idea—Andrew Carnegie. And how about the chap, Andy, who grows swollenly rich through gross trickery? What is the Carnegie idea? The people are not the docile, stupid mass they used to be. They are waking up to their dangers and their rights. They mean to get the rule of this country back into their own hands. "Phony" popular decisions may help the supreme court to maintain its position with the ignorant, but this nation is on the eve of big things in the direction of true democracy, and legislation by autocratic supreme court justices is a thing that cannot last for very much longer.

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The Warren case, the Moyer case, and now the Gompers case, all show that capitalism is not above caucusing. Warren was not freed because he was not technically guilty, but because his further persecution at the hands of plutocracy's officials and courts would have brought down on the heads of the rulers a devil of a row. Moyer was freed because capitalist interests did not dare push the persecution to the end. The prosecution weakened at the last minute, evidently under orders. We may form our own conclusions regarding the Gompers case. Certain it is that if Gompers had been sent to prison it would have created a commotion throughout the labor circles of the land that would have had just the far reaching effect politically that the interests are in dread of. Doubtless all this had been pretty well discussed in the wine and dining circles of Wall street and the high officialdom, and to such winning and dining supreme court justices are not all strangers. On the other hand, the Gompers prosecution has already had a big effect. It has horrified many labor men to cut loose from the old parties, and to lose faith in that non-sensical formula or "reward your friends, punish your enemies." There is no punishment so effective for the master class as the loss of labor newspaper readers in Wisconsin and votes for the master class parties.

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Very much like a united front is the attack of the plunder-bund on Milwaukee. The Associated Press, syndicate of syndicates, valiant servant of the powers that frown, supplies the humming wires with the vitriol that disgorges. Every city from the Atlantic to the Pacific, from the Great Lakes to the gulf, has to some extent been affected by this news agency with the anti-Milwaukee virus. The object of this attack is to give the Socialists in every village, town and city a crushing blow by falsely misrepresenting a Socialist administration to be a detriment instead of a benefit. At the same time, the local hirelings spill forth an endless stream of vilification and tainted news. Every trick is resorted to, every prejudice and bigotry is appealed to. But forces have their counter forces and slowly yet surely and encouragingly come up behind the hills and down through the valleys small brigades of grimy men, bound to plant one of the greatest newspaper batteries that the working class has ever dreamed of to hurl dismay and defeat into all the leeches of the land. So we have all the way from Arizona to New York, and from Alabama to Washington, men and women, unions and party locals stretching forth a helping hand to their brothers in the trenches in Milwaukee. Writes Otto Koenigsberger, state secretary of the Socialist party of Con-

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neticut: "I take this opportunity to assure you that the entire membership in the state is ready to heed the call from Milwaukee, and I will be greatly surprised if the responses from this state to your appeal will not compare favorably with those from other states. We are running a monthly paper in Connecticut and in a small measure can realize the conditions you are up against in Wisconsin. Do not hesitate to command me whenever there is anything I may be able to do for the Wisconsin comrades." The party membership in Milwaukee has to show its mettle. The party membership in Milwaukee WILL show its mettle. Writes one in the ranks, "To help hasten the dawn of the day, when the toilers of this city of ours shall no longer be compelled to patronize a pack of dirty, lying newspapers, owned and controlled by money interests, twenty class-conscious employees of the Milwaukee company have formed themselves into a club, known as the Daily club. Each member paying 25 cents a week, the club will be able to buy one bond every other week until each member owns a bond. We trust our brothers in other factories will do likewise." This is a note that will ring in your ears. When you get into your place of work Monday, at once start the ball rolling. Every shop and factory should and must have a daily club. The greater the

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the bond sale of \$1,600. This amount was mostly subscribed for in single bonds by individual comrades and sympathizers. Two unions in Milwaukee joined the lists, the Clothing Cutters and Trimmers' No. 195, and the Upholsterers' No. 29, the former with ten bonds, the latter with five. Thirteen branches of the Workmen's Sick and Death Benefit Fund subscribed for sixteen bonds. Their numbers are 61, 225, 295, 36, 216, 288, 248, 106, 158, 172, 17, 160 and 154. The Socialist party locals that subscribed for bonds are: Racine, Wis., one bond; Evansville, Ind., one bond; Branch 16, Milwaukee, Wis., two bonds; Women's Socialist Union, Santa Ana, Cal., one bond; Ashabula, O., one bond; Denning, N. M., one bond; German branch Philadelphia, Pa., one bond; St. Louis, Mo., two bonds; Jerome, Ariz., one bond; Dallas, Ore., one bond; Camden N. J., one bond; Toledo, O., one bond; Weblake, Wis., one bond; Fifth ward, Seattle, Wash., two bonds; State Committee, S. P. of R. T., two bonds; Twentieth ward, S. P. Rochester, N. Y., one bond; Bohemian branch, Milwaukee, Wis., two bonds, and Ignacio, Cal., one bond.

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Old Age Pensions

W. J. Ghent, in The Independent. LONG with the increasing demand for workmen's compensation for industrial accidents comes the demand for old-age pensions. It would seem—would it not—that if we can pay pensions to men who, as soldiers, have destroyed lives, we might also pay pensions to men who, as toilers, have protected and sustained lives.

Canada and Great Britain followed with other measures. In 1910 France revised its former pension schemes and enacted a comprehensive law, and somewhat similar laws are now under consideration by both Sweden and Norway. No American State has so far established a general system of old-age pensions.

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Prime Minister of Greece a Socialist

FROM correspondence in Labour Leader: A great sensation was caused yesterday all over Greece by the utterance of the Greek prime minister in the national assembly. It was rumored that Mr. Venizelos had declared himself a Socialist, and that the national assembly had expressed a willingness to abolish private property.

keep in power." "Then you do not think the prime minister will do any good for the working class?" "What, then, is your view of affairs?" "I find the situation rather amusing and also gratifying." "It is amusing because since public opinion is now tinged with an anti-plutocratic spirit, a prime minister, even if an arch-capitalist, would find it advisable to express a sort of sympathy with Socialism.

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"I suppose you refer to the abolition of private property," he replied with a smile of amusement rather than of satisfaction. "Just so. You can deny no longer that Mr. Venizelos is a Socialist?" "Academic Socialism. I do not think I have ever denied it. But what of that? Mr. Venizelos himself denied it when he was speaking at Larissa before the election." But his yesterday's speech in the house, as reported in the papers, shows that he is in favor of the abolition of private ownership. Such a sentiment expressed by a prime minister who serves a capitalistic system cannot be aught but academical.

Germany's act embodies the third type. Insurance is compulsory for all wage-earners and for certain salaried persons receiving less than \$500 yearly. The workman, the employer and the state all contribute to the fund. The pension begins when the workman reaches seventy years. It is pitifully small; in 1907 it averaged only \$40.41. The new French law is, in the main, modeled on the German system, though the pensions are much larger.

More About the People's Realty Co. Brisbane hall is now very nearly completed. Although it may be a month or so before it is entirely finished, it is fairly well rented out even now. Had it been possible to start a daily at this time, as we contemplated when plans for our building were made a year and one-half ago, all available space would now have been rented.

Are We Ahead of the Game? By John M. Work. (Written for The Herald.) SOME of our alleged friends are fond of saying that Socialism is all right in theory, but the times are not ripe for it.

The fact is, that so far as the evolution of the industries is concerned the times are completely ripe for Socialism. The minds of the people are the only unripe feature of the situation. The industries have developed to the point where the old hand tools have been replaced by the great modern machines.

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Capitalist Thugs Assault Candidate

Another Frightful Chapter of Awful Conditions Existing in 'The Russia' of Pennsylvania—Cossacks Beat Socialist Candidate and Kill His Brother

(Special to The Herald.)
Irwin, Pa., May 16.—Another awful chapter has been added to the already long list of capitalist outrages that have been perpetrated in Westmoreland county of Pennsylvania—the Russia of our greatest industrial commonwealth.

But they waited in vain for a settlement. The arrogant capitalist mine owners said THERE WAS NOTHING TO ARBITRATE. Nothing to arbitrate when thousands of men were on strike because the company was violating the mining laws? Nothing to arbitrate, when men, women and children were starving? Nothing to arbitrate, when three hundred and forty-nine babies were born to mothers last winter in an atmosphere in the tents and shacks, where it was impossible to keep the temperature at any time longer than an hour above 45 degrees and where the temperature the greater part of the time was below the freezing point? NO WONDER THAT ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY OF THESE LITTLE VICTIMS DIED AND THAT THAT MORTALITY AMONG THE MOTHERS WAS EQUALLY APPALLING!

Crime to Vote Right
And when these men on strike attempted to vote last fall and did vote the Socialist ticket—many of them, as the returns from Westmoreland county shows—they were attacked by the hired thugs of the coal company and many of them were injured so badly that they will never be able to work again.

Strike-Breakers at Work
It was true that the mines were being operated. The company was getting out coal and the Pennsylvania railroad was hauling it to market. But it was not true that thousands of men were not still on strike and in order to demonstrate the truth of the strike situation the strikers determined to make a demonstration May Day and the first of this month seven thousand of them left their tents and shacks and marched to Irwin.

Who Are the Murderers?
In passing, it is pertinent to ask, WHO ARE THE MURDERERS OF THESE VICTIMS OF OUR SAVAGE INDUSTRIAL CONDITIONS? It is also pertinent to say right here that the financial report of the Westmoreland Coal company—the company which denied these workers a right to a decent living, and who imported strike breakers to take their jobs and hired thousands of armed thugs to try to create a riot so that they might have an excuse to murder them—showed that its authorized capital was \$5,000,000 and THAT THE DIVIDEND THAT IT HAD DECLARED JUST PRIOR TO THE STRIKE WAS 25 PER CENT. And at that more than half the stock was watered. In fact, it is said by many that the actual capital invested did not exceed \$1,500,000.

Waiting for a Riot
Ever since the great May Day demonstration the Coal company has been waiting for an opportunity to deal the strikers a blow and there have been frequent threats since that day that "Ruffner was the fellow they are after and that they were bound to get him."

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By A. W. Mance
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Recent Herald Callers.—Wm. Krause, Cresco, Ia.; Louis Harvey, Oklahoma City, Okla.; Mrs. W. M. Waters, Richland Center, Wis.; John Biemvahl, Samuel Fisher, Waukegan, Ill.; R. T. Schuttler, Oshkosh, Wis.; George I. Duman, Duluth, Minn.

The Labor Publishing company of St. Louis, has been sued for \$10,000 by a foreman of the Union Electric Light and Power company. By a foreman in charge of a crew of strike-breakers! Why the Union Electric Light and Power company hides behind one of the foremen is not known.

"Raivaja," a Finnish Socialist paper published at 451 Main street, Fitchburg, Mass., formerly issued tri-weekly, since May 1 has been changed into a daily paper. The same company issues "Sakenia," the only Finnish monthly magazine in America.

"Our labor troubles are few in number in Milwaukee, and the reason for this is, first: We have an educated working class; second, the employing class has learned that it pays to play fair. The mayor of our city is not part of his duty to try and settle labor troubles."

Elections
The election held in Oakland, Cal. (second ballot) the Socialist candidate received 9,532, being beat by only 2,200 in a poll of 21,338.

Resolutions, adopted by Local Belle Plaine of the Socialist Party of Iowa
WHEREAS, The Associated Press and other capitalistic publications are continuously lying and misrepresenting the facts in regard to the Socialist administration of Milwaukee, and

WHEREAS, Said administration is proving beyond a doubt to be the best that the people have ever had in that city, and

WHEREAS, In all labor troubles the capitalist press is ever ready to assist big business by trampling the workingmen's rights under their feet and as these publications have proved to be weapons in the hand of the capitalist against the working class. Therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the Socialists of Local Belle Plaine of the Socialist Party of Iowa, condemn the capitalist press and ask the workers of the world to co-operate with us by ceasing to patronize these publications, and support only such of the press that upholds the workingmen and are battling in the interests of the working class. And be it further

RESOLVED, That as far as possible we will

What I Saw in Washington
By Mrs. Victor L. Berger
This article gives some of the impressions of life and events at the national capital as told to a Herald staff representative. Mrs. Berger was in Washington during the first three weeks of the special session. She did not accompany her husband on his trips through the Washington slums.

When you arrive in Washington, you are impressed first of all by the spacious, magnificent union railway station where you arrive. It is not only convenient with respect to the comfort of all travelers. It is rich and luxurious. It is generally regarded as the most superb railway building of the kind in the United States.

When I asked how and why such a station was erected at Washington, though there are other cities which have a far larger passenger traffic, I was informed that the federal government had appropriated sufficient millions of dollars to pay for one-half the cost of construction.

The Capitol Building Central
From all points in Washington the white dome of the capitol building looms up as though everything else were intended to center about the capitol. No matter what one's feelings may be as to how democracy and the best American traditions are regarded by those in action under the capitol dome, the first impression is that you are viewing a place that has unusual dignity and beauty. The white house, too has its appeal. It is with many strange and mingled emotions that one who is acquainted with modern conditions, yet who also is familiar with American history, looks on some of the famous Washington places.

The Old Greets the New
We are surprised at the cordial reception so constantly accorded Mr. Berger. When the members of congress took their seats, as their names were called off, occasional applause greeted the announcement of names. And when the name of Mr. Berger was heartily applauded, we knew that it had its connection with the entrance of a new movement, something with a challenge, something yet untried.

They Are Puzzled
We received a number of invitations

to dinner, some from the most extreme conservatives. They were very kind and thoughtful. But it was clear that they are just a little puzzled. They are looking very sharply at the political sky. And the leading subject always was Socialism. They want to know all the earmarks and characteristics of this rising power.

What kind of Socialism did we discuss? Well, Mr. Berger describes Socialism to Washington people in just about the same way as he has described and explained Socialism in the Social-Democratic Herald to Milwaukee people. He talks like one of his editorials.

Congress in Action
There is keen rivalry between the Democrats and Republicans in the house. Each side is eager to get the best of the other. Yet it is only a rivalry. It is not a deep opposition based on principles.

Listening to the tariff debates, I thought it remarkable that so many representatives should speak out so clearly and acknowledge that they are in congress to legislate for the special interests of their own districts instead of for the benefit of the whole country. Lumber and coal and lead, woolen mills, cotton mills and steel mills, each of them had a voice. Each of these special interests was well represented. But it was rarely and only as a side issue that the interests of the whole people were the basis of arguments.

In the packs of Washington there is a noticeably large number of white children attended by colored nurses. Contrasting with these are numbers of smartly gowned women who lavish care and attention upon dogs, which they lead for daily exercise across park promenades.

Milwaukee is quite plain and democratic when compared with the glitter and luxury of the national capital.

clubbed into insensibility, or put to flight by flying bullets.

Public Roads Closed
Frank Ruffner, aged 32 and married, an avowed friend of the miners and his brother, Comrade John Ruffner, the Socialist candidate for sheriff, had been invited to lead the procession of the band of 100 marching strikers and at Luxor post office the men collected and began their march to Greensburg, which is about seven miles from here. The shortest route to Greensburg is along a country road past the property of the Westmoreland Coal company. The men had marched past the property May Day, despite the illegal injunction and they naturally were of the opinion that they would not be molested when THEY ATTEMPTED TO MARCH ALONG THE SAME PUBLIC ROAD. Remember that it was a PUBLIC ROAD. But the armed thugs and the mounted constabulary had evidently had their orders to prevent these peaceable workers from marching along a PUBLIC ROAD. These cowardly armed thugs and mounted soldiers made no attempt to stop the peaceful march of THOUSANDS on May 1, but when an unarmed ONE HUNDRED attempted to exercise their constitutional rights, they were told by the Pennsylvania cossacks and the hired constables of the coal company that they would not be permitted to walk on the PUBLIC ROAD. The Ruffners were surprised at this unexpected and unlawful interference and after a brief conference the delegation decided they would ignore the order of the capitalist representatives and make the peaceful use of the public road as was their constitutional right.

So the march of these peaceful and orderly men was ordered and with the Ruffners at the head the little band started. Then what happened. A bullet from the gang of armed ruffians plowed through Frank Ruffner's shirt front and with a scream of pain he fell to the ground writhing in agony with a piece of lead in his abdomen. Comrade John Ruffner, at the sight of his mortally wounded brother, sprang toward the assailant and then followed indiscriminate shooting and the mounted armed cossacks and the armed thugs on foot attacked the unarmed strikers, who were weakened physically anyhow from a years' semistarvation. The battle was an unequal one and soon Comrade John Ruffner was rendered unconscious. His skull is fractured. Strikers, named Kugar, Cosbo, Wadker, Hays, Davis, Hencock, Spahn and Patrick, were also seriously injured. George Patrick may die.

And the foregoing took place in free America.

But if John Ruffner recovers from

his fractured skull he will be the next sheriff in Westmoreland county and then peace will be restored.

The miners say they will answer the bullets of May 9 with ballots on next election day.

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It Looks Like Johnston

Washington, May 17.—From present indications it looks as if the next president of the International Association of Machinists will be William H. Johnston, now president of District No. 44 composed of all machinists in the employ of the United States government.

Johnston, who is a progressive unionist, has a lead of 95 nominations from local unions over James O'Connell, the present incumbent. The returns, now completed, show 228 local nominations for Johnston, 133 for O'Connell, 13 for blanks and 6 scattering.

Never in the history of the Machinists' union, at least not since O'Connell became president about eighteen years ago, have there been so many nominations for a candidate running for the first time.

News of Organized Labor

Conducted by Walter S. Fisher
Address all Communications to Room 206 Brisbane Hall
Machinists and Building Trades Still on Strike at Breweries

Another week has passed with no material change in the strike situation of the machinists at the various breweries in this city. All attempts at a settlement by the machinists' committee, assisted by the committee of the Federated Trades Council, have failed, and at the present time there are no immediate prospects of a settlement.

Boston, Mass.—Twenty-five girls employed in the Chase & Baker Piano works of this city, are out on strike to try and enforce their demand for fifty-six instead of sixty hours per week and the same pay, and as a result the factory is seriously handicapped.

San Antonio, Tex.—The Bridge and Structural Iron workers of this city have succeeded in negotiating a new wage scale, whereby the men have been granted an increase in wages of 50 cents per day.

Indianapolis, Ind.—The Electrical Workers' unions have signed a new contract with the employers which provides for an advance in wages of 2 1/2 cents per hour.

Edwardsville, Ill.—The differences existing between the miners and the Edwardsville Coal company, which have been in dispute since last July, have been settled.

Wisconsin State Federation of Labor
Milwaukee, May 13, 1911.
Wisconsin State Federation of Labor, Executive Board session.

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The Social-Democratic Publishing company requested endorsement of an appeal to labor unions urging the purchase of stocks in a Milwaukee labor daily paper.

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UNFAIR—WAS IT? The United States Supreme Court has construed the Sherman Anti-Trust Law as including LABOR UNIONS. Complying with the terms of the decision, the "Unfair List" heretofore appearing here has been removed. IT'S UP TO YOU!

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Rewarding "Friends" Bro. J. Luther Langson, the fighting secretary-treasurer of the Oklahoma Federation of Labor, said in his speech at the great Auditorium meeting in Oklahoma City, just before last week's election, told why he finally dropped the capitalist parties. He said: "I am sick of rewarding friend and punishing enemies. Labor must have a party of its own."

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**STATE OF WISCONSIN, MILWAUKEE County, Court—In Probate.**

In the Matter of the Estate of Sophie Jura, deceased.

Let it be remembered that the time from the date hereof until and including the first Tuesday of Dec. A. D. 1924, be and the same is hereby set aside as the time within which all creditors of the said Sophie Jura, deceased, shall present their claims for examination and adjustment.

It is further ordered, that all claims for necessary funeral expenses, for the expenses of the last sickness of the decedent and for debts having a preference under the laws of the United States which are presented within sixty days hereafter be examined and adjusted by said Court, at the Court House in the County of Milwaukee, in said County, at the special term thereof appointed to be held on the first Tuesday of Aug. 1924, and all such creditors are hereby notified thereof.

It is further ordered, that all other claims and demands of all persons against the said Sophie Jura, deceased, be examined and adjusted before the Court, at the Court House in the County of Milwaukee, in said County, at the regular term thereof appointed to be held on the first Tuesday of Feb. 1925, and all creditors are hereby notified thereof.

It is further ordered, that notice of the time and place at which said claims and demands are to be presented as aforesaid, and of the time above limited for said creditors to present their claims and demands, be given by publishing a copy of this order and notice in the Social-Democratic Herald, a newspaper published in the County of Milwaukee, the first publication to be within fifteen days from the date hereof, and in each of two consecutive weeks, once in each week, in the County of Milwaukee, and in each of two consecutive weeks, once in each week, in the County of Milwaukee, the first publication to be within fifteen days from the date hereof.

Dated this 10th day of May, 1924.

By the Court: JOHN C. KAREL, County Judge.

## Now for a Municipal Light Plant

To the Socialist administration falls the agreeable duty of building Milwaukee's long delayed (delayed by corporation chicanery) municipal light plant. And agreeable is the word, all right.

The corporation interests used the courts to get a long delay — which means longer time to make profits out of the city treasury.

The city had purchased a site for the light plant on the south side, but had paid for it out of a bond issue that the interests—through Neacy—got the courts to declare illegally issued, due to a trifling technicality.

**Bond Issue Validated**

The city was powerless to do anything until a bill could be passed at Madison to validate the bond issue. The bill has been passed and is law, and now the building of the city's electric light plant will go forward—unless some scamp with rocks again is able to make use of the courts to the city's injury.

The new law permits the city to ratify the bond issue and the purchase of the site. This was done at Monday night's council meeting by the Socialists. They introduced an ordinance for the purpose, and it will take the regular two weeks' course. The city will then have the \$70,000 and the site, and can push the building of a plant and the other details. Hooray, at last!

**Bravo! City Attorney's Office!**

The unprecedented success of the Milwaukee city attorney's office before the supreme court is a cause for comment among the lawyers of Milwaukee and the state. Even supreme court justices have remarked upon the talent shown by the present administration of that department.

For to date they have WON SEVEN cases before the supreme court and only lost three.

Even one of the cases lost was a moral victory for the contention of the city. It was the Neacy suit over damages from track elevation—that "public-spirited" citizen Neacy again, who is forever putting the community to expense defending badgering lawsuits! The city attorney's office made the contention that in such cases damages could not be assessed against the city in excess of the bene-



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## Wisconsin State Organization

E. H. Thomas, Brisbane Hall, 528 Chestnut St., Milwaukee, Wis., state secretary, to whom news and other matters of this department should be sent.

**Sheboygan County.**—For many years Sheboygan county has been only second to Milwaukee county in its Socialist vote. The good comrades of this county intend to keep up this splendid record. They are organizing the county with good will. A meeting of the Sheboygan county central committee was held on May 5. Twenty-five new members were accepted, and many more have been reported (nine from Sheboygan alone) since this meeting. Two new delegates were seated as members to the county central committee. A card index system of the polling list will be kept by the central committee. Everything will be done systematically and in first-class shape. Plymouth has been reorganized and Sheboygan county is certainly making a good record.

**Hollandale.**—This small, but enthusiastic branch took up its last meeting the subject of subscribing for

## Milwaukee Co. Organization

Address all communications to E. T. Melms, County Organizer, Brisbane Hall, 528 Chestnut St., Milwaukee.

Hereafter the meetings of the County Central Committee, S.-D. P., will be held every second and fourth Wednesday of the month, at Brisbane hall, Sixth and Chestnut streets, at 8 p. m.

The Town of Lake branches No. 1 and 2, S.-D. P., have arranged for their second annual picnic, to be held Sunday, June 11, at Fernwood grove. In order to reach this grove, take South Milwaukee car, and ride two blocks south of the city limits. Music will be furnished by Haehlen's orchestra. Admission 10 cents. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

The Coming Nation club, S.-D. P., has arranged for their annual May ball, at the South Side Kindergarten hall, Saturday evening, May 20, at which it invites its many friends to be present. The Coming Nation club is one of the most progressive clubs in the city of Milwaukee, and has just recently taken several hundred

members of the Socialist Singing Societies of Chicago will attend the concert. The profits of this concert will be turned over to the Social-Democratic Publishing Company for bonds for our daily paper. We therefore urge each and every comrade and sympathizer to be sure to make no other preparations for this day, and attend this concert without fail. Make it your business to attend and see that your friends come also.

The Eleventh Ward branch, S.-D. P., has arranged for a monster basketball picnic. Same will be held at Scheffner's grove, Sunday, July 9, 1924. Admission, \$1 per family, including free refreshments.

The East Side Socialist Women's club has arranged for a prize card tournament, to be held Tuesday afternoon, May 23, at Jung's hall, 603 Third street, at 2:30. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

The Russian branch, S.-D. P., of Milwaukee, has arranged for an entertainment and ball, to be held Saturday evening, May 27, at the Freie Gemeinde hall, 264 Fourth street. Admission, 25 cents. Ladies, accompanied by gents, free.

The South Side Young People's Socialist league will give an informal May ball Thursday evening, May 25, at Korsch's hall, southeast corner of Ninth and Greenfield avenues. Everybody cordially invited.

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Whole train loads of Milwaukee merchants and manufacturers went over to Madison one day last winter. They went over to block the child labor bills. Year after year the Social-Democrats have introduced bills to curb child labor. But the money power has always blocked the bills. Do you know that even an eight hour bill put in by the Social-Democrats has been knocked out every time. Don't you think that eight hours a day is plenty enough for a boy or girl under fifteen to work? But the child labor employer says, "No!" And month after month, year after year, his big brutal hand presses down and grinds and stifles the young, growing boys and girls. Do you wonder there are so many criminals, vagabonds, paupers, loafers and misfits? In the factory known as The National Enameling and Stamping company, run by Mr. Bill Kleckhefer, in Milwaukee, there was a short time ago, according to state labor reports, one hundred and sixty-three children under fifteen years of age at work under authorized permits.

Nothing but more Social-Democrats in the legislature will give the boys and girls a chance.

### May Greeting!

By S. N. Franklin (Written for The Herald.)

With the coming of the month of May every Social-Democrat feels the coming of a great workmen's day. When May comes every Socialist, by nature an optimist, becomes more optimistic yet. May! One need not be a poet to sing your praise; all he has to be is a Socialist.

May! Nature's truest bid! No one welcomes you any more heartily than do we. You may bring flowers for some, sunshine for others, but for us you bring the most precious of your treasures—hope! For as sure as the long dreary winter vanishes with your appearing, so sure will Socialism come, to bring the workman's salvation.

Through the wild, senseless noise of the capitalist discord we can distinctly perceive the tuneful approach of the workman's May. We perceive it with all our senses, with our whole intellect.

And let the capitalistic winter storms sing its mournful song! Let it try to break up the wretched home of the workman! Let the capitalistic ice-cold wind try to blow out the fire from the workman's heart! Let it try!

For May, one need not be a bard to perceive the tuneful peal of your warning thunder. All he has to be is a Socialist.

### Monsieur le Baron

(Written for The Herald.)

Neither brilliant nor original is he Estournelle de Constant.

Phrase monging is his greatest talent. According to him Socialism is the result of militarism, and the world at large is still suffering from the effect of the Franco-Prussian war.

As to the first statement, we admit that militarism is of great assistance in demonstrating the injustice and stupidity of the present day system of society.

As to the second statement, it is but fair to say that the only men who clearly foretold the effects of the Franco-Prussian war were the despised Socialists of both countries.

Bebel and Liebknecht, at that time the only Social-Democratic representatives in the North German parliament, were branded as being traitors to their country for saying then, what is now admitted by everybody as being the truth.

However, let us say to Monsieur le Baron, if Germany would have been whipped, and if the just ambition of her people, namely, to be united, had been foiled in that terrible year 1870-71, he, le Baron, would not now gear around bemoaning the effects of that war.

He would, or possibly he would have to worship the fatherless Napoleon No. 3, the saviour of the respectably corrupt exploiting class of La France. This noble creature of the French clergy hid his soldiers to rape women on the streets of Paris in order to provoke riots. These brave ones then had occasion to shoot down innocent women, children and working men, and lo Napoleon No. 3 posed as the only man capable to protect so cietly against the greedy proletariat.

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**A Thrifty Court Reporter---Overcharges Apparent**

"You've tried to remove me once before, judge, and remember you did not succeed. Remember, if you wish to remove me you must prefer charges." These words, hurled by Chief Deputy Clerk of Courts Wieber at Judge Orren T. Williams, in public, in the office of the clerk of courts, Wednesday morning, are the latest developments in the case of Mr. Wieber's calling into question certain bills presented by a certain court reporter.

The origin of the trouble dates back several months. Early in February Mr. Joseph M. Carney, reporter in Judge Turner's court, presented a bill of \$20 to the clerk for extra services rendered by one of his assistants for two days' attendance upon an outside judge. Mr. Wieber declined to endorse the bill, stating that the reporter receives his regular salary and he had no proofs of two judges holding court at the same time on the two days in question. And further, that the bill was made out to Mr. McGill, Mr. Carney's assistant, and therefore he would have to cash the same. Mr. Carney left and later Mr. McGill came. After being catechised as to what services the bill represented, he stated he did not feel justified in claiming the amount, and he left. A few days later, however, he again appeared and stated he had talked it over with Mr. Carney and that they had decided on drawing the money.

So the bill was paid. Mr. Wieber's suspicions, however, being aroused, set to work investigating. He found that in many cases bills had been paid for attendance on two judges on the same day without the records showing that two courts had been in session on the same days. Furthermore, that on April 16, 1910, the same reporter drew \$254.50, and also on February 12, 1910, \$44.75, to which he appeared not to be entitled, although Judge Turner had O. K.'d the bills.

Mr. Wieber, therefore, felt in duty bound to communicate with Judge Turner, calling attention to the apparent questionable doings of his reporter. These court reporters, by the way, are appointed by the various judges and are responsible to them. It appears that Judge Turner declined to have anything to do with the matter and apparently did not accept the information in the spirit in which it was given.

So the matters rested until just prior to the passage of the court reporter bill in Madison, The Daily News, in seeking for arguments in favor of the bill, in looking over court reporter accounts in the clerk of courts' office, stumbled upon the private papers and memoranda made by Mr. Wieber while engaged in his investigations some time before. Some of these The News published without his knowledge or consent, however.

The article in The News was somewhat vaguely written, a cast reflection on circuit court judges in general, which is greatly to be regretted. Naturally the judges took offense and the meeting called Friday probably was called to investigate The News matter. Nothing definite, however, could be learned as to what took place owing to the reticence of the parties present. Clerk of Courts Young, feeling that the meeting was of a confidential nature, refused to make any statement.

It seems, however, that certain personal papers of Mr. Wieber were held back, among them a letter which Mr. Wieber again obtained possession of, claiming it to be his personal property.

Wednesday morning Mr. McGill called, accompanied by Judge Williams, and requested the letter. Mr. Wieber declined, stating he would turn it over only under due legal process, as it was his personal property. Furthermore stating that Judge Turner had the original.

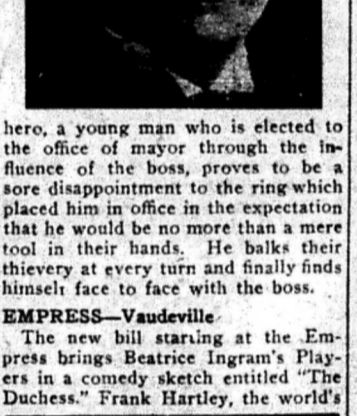
In the ensuing altercation Mr. Wieber tore the letter to fragments and freed his mind by the words above quoted.

The matter, however, is not yet settled and further developments may be looked for.

**At the Theaters Next Week**

**DAVIDSON**—"The Man of the Hour" "The Man of the Hour" will be presented by the Davidson stock company next week, beginning Monday evening. This is a drama of graft and grafters, with a strong love story interwoven into the sordid warp and woof of politics. The play was written by George Broadhurst at a time when the public conscience was being awakened to the alarming prevalence of corruption in American cities. The new Hough-Adams musical comedy "The Heart-Breakers" will be produced for the first time. In this new production, it is said, that Hough and Adams have outdone themselves, although they have many of the most notable successes of the last six years to their credit. Those who knew the former productions by these two will know what to expect in "The Heart-Breakers." Sallie Fisher, who made such a success of "A Stubborn Cinderella," will be the prima donna. George Damerel, who has played in "The Merry Widow," will be leading man.

**MAJESTIC**—Vaudeville Joseph Hart's Bathing Girls, one of the biggest and most varied and novel acts in vaudeville, is coming to the Majestic the week beginning May 22, to headline a bill of unusual excellence. This act, which, in thirty minutes, presents six varied and effective



here, a young man who is elected to the office of mayor through the influence of the boss, proves to be a sore disappointment to the ring which placed him in office in the expectation that he would be no more than a mere tool in their hands. He balks their thievish at every turn and finally finds himself face to face with the boss.



greatest youthful juggler, appears on the program as the added feature. The balance of the program promises an unusual variety of summer vaudeville at the coolest theater in the city.

**ALHAMBRA**—"The Heart-Breaker" Mort H. Singer's annual premiere at the Alhambra will occur this season on Sunday night, May 21, when



Bierquelle, 375 Chestnut Street. A new feature has been introduced for the current week in the Japanese

scenes, features Glenwood White and Josephine Poor. It never has been seen in Milwaukee. Mr. Hart has just returned from Europe, where he picked up several novelties unknown in this country, and which are incorporated in the act. Mrs. Gardner Crane is coming, in her own farce, "The Little Sunbeam," which eastern critics say is the funniest thing on the vaudeville stage.

**CRYSTAL**—Vaudeville One of the biggest vaudeville surprises this city ever witnessed is said to be the act of Palmer & Lewis, who headline next week's bill at the Crystal. This big scenic sensation is in three scenes and goes by the title of "Footlight Flashes." The opening of the act carries one behind the footlights of a theater, where the manager has difficulty in inducing his actors to appear for the evening performance. At last all consent but the leading lady, whose role is assumed by the soubrette whose ambition is about to be realized. Miss Lewis presents one of the greatest novelties of the season in her dazzling sensational oriental dance. The dramatic sketch known as "The Threshold," in which Walter Law & Co. will be seen, is said to be one of the most dramatic and tragic offerings now before the public.

**Notice**

**Farmers—Stable Owners—Removal and Disposal of Manure**

It is found that many farmers and truck gardeners will undertake to remove manure from stables throughout the year provided they can arrange with the stable owner to come regularly and to always find the manure there for them.

Many stable owners have manure which has to be removed regularly.

The bureau of street cleaning desires to bring such parties together. Stable owners and farmers willing to make such an arrangement should notify J. J. Handley, superintendent of street cleaning, city hall. In this way farmers can secure manure in parts of the city near their farms and stable owners can have regular removal of manure.

**What They Thought**

Sentinel, Sunday, Feb. 27: "Socialists adopt a mild platform."

Journal, Monday, Feb. 28, 1910 (editorial): "There is little in the platform of the Socialist party of Milwaukee as published today that will shock conservative citizens."

"At the same time common fairness demands the admission that Milwaukee has taken a liking to much that its public officials who call themselves Socialists have done when they compare their conduct with their fellows who were elected under old party names."

Journal news item on Feb. 28, is headed, "Request is Mild."

**Important Notice—Become Citizens**

A bureau under the name of the Milwaukee Naturalization Bureau has been established for the purpose of helping all those that want to become citizens of the United States.

The office will be open at the Social Center, Fourth and Galena streets, every Sunday morning between 9 and 12 a. m., commencing May 21.

Arthur Shulkin, Secretary.

**Live Questions**

What's all this noise about? Why all this scare and hullabaloo? Be steady, Mr. Consumer. Don't get excited. There's nothing to it. The Standard Oil company will be with us many days and many moons yet.

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**Full Limit of Bureaucracy**

Postoffice Department Official Reveals Arbitrary Methods Employed in the Service.

**NATURAL RIGHTS ABRIDGED**

Second Assistant Postmaster General Stewart Declares Employees Have Been Dismissed Solely Because They Were Members of a Postal Employees' Union.

Washington—The attitude of the post-office department officials is now a matter of record with reference to the right of the employees of the postal service to organize for mutual protection. While it has been known that the department has been exceedingly active in its hostility, yet it was hardly conceived that the chief officials would assume that because an individual entered the postal service he thereby relinquished his rights as a citizen, guaranteed to him under the first amendment to the constitution of the United States.

Second Assistant Postmaster General Stewart, in testifying before the house committee on civil service reform, admitted that employees in the service had been dismissed because they were too active in promoting a union of postal clerks, notwithstanding the fact that they were highly efficient. His exact words were as follows:

"They were discharged because of their pernicious activity in promoting this new organization. The organization had headquarters in St. Paul, and I believe they were officials of the proposed union. Otherwise they were efficient men. The reason for their dismissal was their activity in the face of the plain order of the postmaster general and other department officials which they persistently violated. It was a plain case of insubordination."

Oscar F. Nelson, president of the National Federation of Postoffice Clerks, followed Mr. Stewart before the committee. He detailed to the committee the manner in which he had been dismissed from the service, the only apparent reason being that he was an official in the union organization.

Intense interest is being manifested by a large number of congressmen, who are in daily attendance at the committee hearings. A significant fact is that the National Association of Manufacturers have requested to be heard, and queries are being circulated to ascertain what interest this union busting combination has in the controversy and whether there is some combination between the department officials and this well known aggregation.

In the face of determined opposition by the postoffice department against the employees joining or forming unions, increases in membership and organization of new unions are continued. The arbitrary action of the officials has caused and is causing a cumulative restive spirit among them owing to the uncertainty existing as to what new plan of persecution may be put into operation at any time.

Several more hearings are in prospect, and it will probably be two weeks before testimony will all be in and the committee given an opportunity to take action on the bill before it.

**Vocal Music at Park Concerts**

**A Day Off for Custodians**

The free concerts at the parks of Milwaukee will be more attractive and interesting this summer than in the past, as the Social-Democratic park commissioner, Kowalski, has introduced an innovation providing that vocal music as well as instrumental shall be provided at such concerts. Eight thousand dollars have been set aside for the payment of the musicians this summer, and \$2,000 for use of vocal music and soloists, with lanterns and decorations included. This is a beginning in giving the people a pleasing variety of music, including songs by choruses and soloists.

The same commissioner introduced a resolution granting one day off a week to park custodians, who at present work seven days a week. The salary will be the same for six days as it used to be for seven. This measure will be realized as soon as the superintendent is ready with a plan to post responsible men when custodians take their days off.

The park board has decided, on motion of Commissioner Kowalski, to paint the following signs on each side of the two automobiles of the board: "City of Milwaukee, Park Board." The motion was adopted by three votes against two, and is intended to stop the use of the machines for joy riding.

**Socialist Literature**

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**Workers in American History**—James O'Neal 25c a copy.

**Socialism, Utopian and Scientific**—Fred Engels. Cloth, 50c Paper 10c

**Barbarous Mexico**—Turner. \$1.50

**God and the Social Democracy**—Kutter \$1.00

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Clancy is still stily giving out doped news about the alleged faulty fire hose. And he has one advantage—it is generally understood that the hose manufacturers do not dare to defend themselves. If they should, they would lose all chance of doing business in the large cities. The fire chiefs are banded together and no hose company would dare to invite their displeasure. What do you think of that?

The fire hose that was recently purchased by the city purchasing agent WAS BOUGHT UNDER SPECIFICATIONS FURNISHED BY CLANCY HIMSELF.

On being received, Clancy agreed to put the hose through the usual test of 300 lbs. pressure. If he did not do so, he showed OFFICIAL NEGLIGENCE.

The hose at the Middleton fire did not burst. It sprung a leak BECAUSE IT HAD BEEN PUNCTURED, whether deliberately or not, is not known. And it looks bad for Clancy and his clique, as he is known to be mad because the purchasing of the hose was taken out of his hands.

The hose was punctured—this was shown by microscopic examination. In the Clancy specifications a three years' guarantee was required. And the hose purchased was thus guaranteed for three years, and the company will replace the single section of fifty feet which some fiend tampered with.

Another light is thrown on Clancy methods by the fact that the hose company he favored, before the buying was taken out of his hands, was the Chicago Fire Hose company, who are not manufacturers, but simply jobbers, and sold such hose as the manufacturers furnished them. The social relations of the Milwaukee fire department's heads with the Chicago concern would make astonishing reading if it were to be published.

It is reported in the newspapers, probably given out by the sly Clancy, that the recently purchased hose will all be sent back and replaced by other hose. Is this a little fix-up to cover Clancy's tracks in case the hose inquiry gets too hot? And why all of the hose?

Only one section "burst," while all the other sections gave satisfaction at the Middleton and other fires. The whole thing gets rarer and rarer!!!

**Shots from the Trenches**  
By Oscar Rademaker

Good morning, men.

The eleventh commandment is mind your own business.

When people err it is not the fault of democracy, but of their ignorance.

Says Will to Bill: "Isn't pa wrong when he says Carnegie is going to build the library out of his own pocket?—You can only build of tricks."

Says Bill to Will: "Well, pa meant gold bricks."

When the Socialists and unions start their daily newspaper in Milwaukee, it will be the third great victory of the local comrades. Every workingman, woman and child hails its coming.

Not very long ago a youth was mortally hurt in one of our industrial plants. His dying words were, "Ma, why must I die so soon?"

Materialism misapplied will make you a pessimist. Read Jack London's "Sea Wolf."

The world is still a good place to live in, else you and I would think it worth while to improve it.

The only way city people can tell the coming of spring is by the thermometer.

The mate of the pluribus unum is the workingman—but for the great evil, divorce.

Everybody is not struck by lightning.

**Town Topics by the Town Crier**

Well, Doc Bessel cannot say the administration he has spewed at harbors resentments.

Evidently the Westminster club got all it could stomach of Ald. Carney, and it took a polite way of telling him so.

The library employes have our sympathy when such a specimen as Ald. Bogk attempts to speak for them.

Mr. Neacy says the jury lists contain about 30 per cent of Socialists. Well, that would be nearly the right proportion, roughly speaking, if it were true, but it isn't.

The claim by the Merchants and Manufacturers' association that they will bring the new compensation law into court as a friendly suit, makes one laugh. Think of the M. & M. bringing a friendly suit!

Let us have a sane Fourth. Let the celebration be in the new river park so the people may view and enjoy their own—and let us have the reading of the Declaration of Independence as one of the numbers on the program.

We would respectfully point to the first page heading in the Free Press of Friday a week ago, about the debate between City Clerk Thompson and Ald. Carney as a sample of dishonest headline writing. The Milwaukee dailies have been doing so much of this against the Socialists that they have lost all conscience.

Did it occur to you, dear reader, that those newspaper articles about opening the new Grand avenue viaduct were caused by the engineering company that is suing the county going to the newspaper offices and asking them to help it in its fight for extras? Yet that is the fact! Fine journalism!

That Deitz verdict, which so shocked Milwaukee citizens was on a par with the waylaying and shooting of Myra Deitz by armed thugs, and the conveying of her in a baggage car while in a precarious condition to the Ashland hospital. To such "official" and damnable crimes a hostile trial in a hostile territory would seem to be only a logical sequel.

Mr. Neacy's plaint about superfluous officials would look more disinterested if the kind he does not like were not those who are set to inspect industrial plants in which many citizens are employed and are injuriously affected where conditions are bad. Mr. Neacy is not disinterested. He has an axe to grind. For the Neacy plant has long borne a reputation for bad working conditions.

It comes to us that the Nation Enameling company (enamel trust) and the Fuller & Warren Co. who have been giving Milwaukee dealers a 5 per cent discount for payment within a certain period, two weeks ago, sent out notice that hereafter only 2 per cent would be allowed, the reason given for which was that higher wages were being paid in their establishments and that raw material now costs more. If higher wages are being paid the little children employed in the enameling trust's vast plant it is an interesting fact.

Deputy Clerk of Courts Wieber has this advantage over Judge Turner. Judge Turner cannot bring back the destroyed letter, but Mr. Wieber has it in his power to write the letter over again if he sees fit. The letter to Judge Turner which the deputy felt warranted in destroying contained charges, we understand, of gross and illegal charges by court reporters, some of which had been counter-signed by the judge. Probably the only result of the incident will be that

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one contest it, or not, we cannot say. The simple fact is that our juries now are not drawn in complete accordance with the law.

The aim of the law is to provide a jury commission that will be un-partisan. In order to follow out that intent the judges made it a practice to give all three parties representation in it—a thing that certain of the judges now are opposed to, we understand!

The argument for recognizing the three parties was that if all the three commissioners were Republicans or all Democrats or all Socialists, the names submitted for the juries would naturally tend to be unbalanced. The way to recognize none of the parties, to make it un-partisan, was obviously to treat all parties with equal consideration.

But in spite of the present situation Neacy now comes forward with a specious whine that there would be too many Social-Democrats on the jury if the case were tried in Milwaukee. Which is simply gammon. The jury lists are not filled with Socialists. Can it be that he is afraid to trust his own class!

**Sunday Meeting**

Mary E. Squire, known as the Oregon Cyclone, will speak 8:45 afternoon at 3, at Fraternal hall, 218 Grand avenue, on "Poverty and Its Cause." The admission will be free. She expects to start an "Humanitarian League" in Milwaukee.

Mrs. Squire has written a book that she sells at her meetings and is at work on a larger one, to be based on the life of Jack London. She has done street speaking all over the west and south.

**Typographical Union Election**

The annual election of Milwaukee Typographical union, No. 23, was held in room 720 Majestic building, Wednesday night. The officers elected are:

President—Ortel E. Thomas.  
Vice president—William J. Griffin.  
Secretary—Joseph L. Fleur.  
Recording secretary — Horace W. Hamilton.

Sergeant at arms—Fred. W. Stearns.  
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