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Price Two Cents

Successful Strike.

The Haverhill unions have won as Amportant victory during the past week. A strike occurred at the factory of Chesley & Rugg's last Saturday. Over three hundred shoe workers, in fact, the entire shop's crew participated in the strike and won. The shop was unionized from top to bestom, four price lists posted in as many departments, three of which were new ones where lists had not been in force before and one was a renewal. And the strike only lasted two days and a half. The primary cause of the strike was the discharge eided to present all the lists at once uous use. secided to call out the stitchers and suffer, which was done Monday foresusters, which was done mulling for the first stall be not so violent and united and raiment and shelter and material expected as to crush the nation in its commissioner, received 453 against 607.

"Bear ye one another's burden." "Let and raiment and shelter and material expected as to crush the nation in its commissioner, received 453 against 607. the firm at once sent a representative by some that the firm did not expect the strong bear the burdens of the comforts and joys of life be suitably ruins. to Agent Donovan's office and negotia- all the cutters to go out on strike and weak." "Let him that would become provided for all. Is there anything As I have pondered on the sin and To Agent Donovan a onice and negotias they wished to protect them from the the greatest among you, become the unscriptural or unbrotherly in that? sorrow of this world, as in imagina. Signs for a settlement were opened up.

At 11 o'clook a. m. Tuesday, a settle
gaze of the union workers in the ad
servant of all," "Thou shalt love Did not the Master teach us to give tion I have heard the howl of the In the city of Lowell the question in the acceptance of the four lists by did go out. the firm. Agent Donovan at once reported the result to the shop's hands that were assembled in C. L. U. hall, enjoying themselves at dancing. Agent Donovan was received with applause and the announcement of the successful terminaton of the strike was greeted with cheers.

The shop's crew, of whom fully 800 were present, voted to return to work Wednesday morning at 7 o'clock. of the four lists now posted in the factory, one, that of the cutters, remains the same; in the other three lists there is a general advance in wages, that of the machine operators being the most.

The turn work list is a renewal with a few slight advances; the other lists are all new. The posting of the machine operators' list is of considershle importance, some of the prices paid in this department having been ridiculously low. The machine operawere not strongly organized and the manufacturers, in cutting wages, always work along the lines of the least resistance. The lists as posted will remain in force for a year and as announced above, the winning of the

strike is an important victory. Huidy Gardy parties were held by and Tuesday afternoon and they en. copy of this paper is an inthe strikers in C. L. U. hall Monday joyed themselves in much the same vitation to subscribe.

The organization, trade union or Socialist, that will send in the largest number of subscriptions for the Haverhill Social Democrat, between now and May 1 will receive as a premium a life sized crayon portrait, with frame, of John C. Chase, the first Socialist Mayor elected in the United States. The portrait is an excellent one and has been presented to us for this purpose by Mrs. Emma J. Keene, of Lynn, Mass. It is a premium worth getting and not very many subscriptions will get it. This offer is not limited to any particular city or state.

Child Labor.

The Massachusetts Bureau of Labor has just issued a remarkable report, a portion of which you might cut out and paste in your hat. "There seems within recent times to have occurred a change in the relation of wages to support," says the report. "so that more of the labor of the whole family becomes necessary to the support of the family; that in the majority of cases workingmen in the commonwealth do not support their families by their individual earnings alone. The fathers rely, or are forced to depend upon, their children for onequarter to one-third of the entire family earnings, and the children under fifteen years of age supply by their labor from one-righth to onesixth of the total family earnings."

This is nothing new to students of industrial questions, but it is remarktors have suffered during the past few able that the confession is made pub-And yet these guardians sanctity of the family, the capitalistic politicians. killed Socialist pillars of the church hasten the The material; the physical; is the my sisters do well your part to usher that the organization of the great Carey's bill in the Massachusetts Legislature to raise the age limit of child labor! What arrant hypocrites! -Cleveland Citizen.

The receipt of a sample

THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN

Established on Earth Through Socialism .--Why Good Christians Should Be Socialists.

BY WINFIELD P. PORTER.

manner that they would on a holiday church has been pointing to a time hardest should have more than enough they had agreed to keep at work. at a picnic. The Social Democrat reand place, where, after death, the to keep in them the breath of life. This was a direct violation of the porter was present at one of these faithful would find rest and peace and The present business relations poverty, would go forever. This was a direct violation of the present business relations are present business relations parties and was impressed with the joy. The time is at hand when scores among men encourage, vea compet, and the firm and it was decided to excellency of the idea of providing the of ministers of the gospel, hundreds industrial war and criminal selfand the firm and it was decided to strikers with amusement and enterof students and professors, tens and interest, which is openly and directly will for the emancipation of his year is a gain of 184 votes over the leave the snop. The turn work and tainment. The Haverhill unions are scores of thousands of people of all opposed to the spirit and teaching of slaves. Whitefield, if living today, vote cast for Debs and Harriman last scores of thousands of people of all opposed to the spirit and teaching of slaves. Whitefield, if living today, vote cast for Debs and Harriman last scores of thousands of people of all opposed to the spirit and teaching of slaves. machine operators departments were very fortunately situated, their new kinds, creeds, classes, and nationali the gospel we profess. All our pro- would undoubtedly recognize the inmen marched in a body to union and commodious headquarters being ties, are pointing to a system of unimen marched in a body to union pass for little while to own and exploit another. Shall we about to storm the fort. ment of its members, during both this Socialism, which practically stands we persist in battling with each other not recognize the crime and folly of and addressed by Agent Donovan. The and the Thayer & Maguire strikes; for the establishment of the Kingdom for the right to earn our daily bread modern industrial slavery, and hasten work, machine operating, cutting and the smoking and reading rooms and of Heaven on earth,—even that for on which so much depends work, machine operating, cutting and the dance hall were in almost continue which the Master taught his disciples Socialism is charged with being shedding of blood becomes necessary to pray, "Thy kingdom come. Thy materialistic; with being mainly con-

> thy neignbor as thysen, and who who provid dof homes whose cupboards are empty; printing was brought before Judge ering, 115 votes. For overseer of the days of every week, not in bearing the hungry should enter into the joy winter blasts sweeping through cheer. December 15, it will be remembered. the heaviest burdens of the unfor- of the Lord? And let us not be un- less garret and cellar homes whose the mayor of Lowell signed an order Clark, 58 votes. For constable, any practical way; not becoming the better and a higher way of giving hearths the fires had gone out; as I union label. But it seems now that servants of others in any true sense, than to bestow charity to those in have pictured to myself the wretched- the non-union shops have done all to us in business, for well do we throphy. tively small. Christ has enjoined His things alone, is false and ignorant. shame and woe, into impalpable dust. czar. More than once have these thew J. Tenhan, 183. Road commisearth, but it is well-known that a drowning man to the skies, or to dawning, and by its light we can un people. the hands of members of the church, him from a watery grave? If you looking forward through the corridors rich man to enter the kingdom of bate would be required to decide you sults of the workings of unalterable McKinley prosperity on last Novem- B. Wilson, 163. Auditors: Alex Jouthe speculation thereupon, and varied the better opportunity of reasoning supreme.

and steal." work as hard for their welfare as for our own. We cannot even act as if we loved them, for we are bound by an believing that our interest in their love and harmony, shall rise. industrial system, which, until recently, has scoffed at co-operation, (working with and for each other) and which has made each man dependent upon his own unaided exertions for a living, at the expense, too often. of his fellow men. Sad it is, and as true as sad, that some of those who profess to be followers of Him who had no place to lay His head, are the

spiritual welfare is on par with what we manifest in their material life? It is cheap and easy to advise a hungry man to "look unto the hills from and is proceeding merrily. Don't whence cometh help," but are we willing and are we ready to advocate the adoption of principles into the business life of the world, which will insure material justice and tend directly to banish poverty, with its attendant crime, forever from the earth?

With luxurious idleness made impossible through taking advantage of others; with an abundance assured to all in return for fair and honest work, mental or physical, the incentive for coining money in question-For nearly two thousand years the last to allow that those who work the able and criminal wave would disappear, and with it nine-tenths of our present crime, and all the present

Washington lived to realize the sin justice of granting one man the power enemy's picket lines and are now will be done on earth as it is in cerned about the requirements of the will not, cannot, long endure. It Social Democratic organization are accomplish this successfully it was decided to call out the stitchers and Chesley & Rugg's cutting room were How glibly we church members is primarily interests itself, at the left us work intelligently to the end one of the selectmen, received 159 footly natural one as no activation of the selectmen.

leave our prayer meetings, our as clothing for the naked and food for as in fancy I have listened to the icv Bishop of the superior court. On poor, George E. Dawkins, 163 votes. the neaviest burdens of the united by the fact that there is a hods are empty and upon whose to have all city printing bear the Michael Buckley, 210 votes the but planning and working to get need, even that which shall supply to ness and misery so omnipresent in they could to defeat that ordinance and 146 against. ahead of some brother or sister in a all, the things which shall forever miscalled Christian lands flowing and they have succeeded in doing so business deal, secretly rejoicing at the make need impossible. It is well to with milk and honey, and felt the by bringing the matter before Judge failure of some competitor, for whom reclaim a brother who is lost, it is utter inhumanity of it all, I have Bishop. The court, of course, in perhaps we have prayed on Sunday, better to so safeguard him by condi-sometimes asked my soulwhy He who order to be in harmony with all other follows: For selectmen and overset but who carries the same time of tions that he will not go astray. holds the world within the hollow of courts, decided in a way to entirely of the poor, Charles E. Lowell, 1978 goods as ourselves, and thus a menace This latter is the higher philan. His hands, has not long since closed invalidate the use by the city of the votes; Edward L. Morrell, 289 votes; that hand with a grasp that would union label. know that competition is fierce and The charge, however, which limits have ground this wretched, sinful In Russia there is only one exar. In sessors, Michael E. Crowley, 238 the supply of purchasing comparathe influence of Socialism to material world, with all its heartlessness and the United States every judge is a votes; Clauence Sherman, 198; Mat-

majority of this world's wealth is in stretch forth a saving hand to rescue derstand how the eye of the Creator. Christ teaches that it is harder for a were the drowning man, no long de- of time, knowing the inevitable re-

faster to lay hold on those things very foundatoin of that which is men- in the day?

and for which "thieves break through blind to the importance of this un- power that shapes the destines of will now pay more for coffee nots, didate for mayor, James M. Lell, doubted fact? How can we hope that nations, will, in the days to come, teapots, teakettles, sancepans, frying- polled 178 votes—a gain over Pirie for We do not love our neighbors as those whose physical welfare we ig- unstop deaf ears, unseal blind eves; pans, dishpans, dippers, ladles, governor in September of 108 votes. ourselves, for if we did we should nore in their hour of need, will trust until, at last, full-orbed, magnificent, strainers, coal scuttles, wash boilers, The proposition to establish a municius when we speak to them of higher greatest of all great creations, the etc. A few years of McKinley pros- pal lighting plant was carried by 809 themes. Are they not justified in Commonwealth of peace and plenty,

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Skowhegan, Maine.

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crat. See page 4

March 5.-At our annual town meeting vesterday, March 4, the Socialist ticket polled 288 votes and came of chattel slavery, and provided in his near being elected. The vote this

W. G. HAPGOOD

Rockland.

The candidates supported by the

American Czarism.

Housewives, Attention.

heaven than for a camel to go through in the matter. "Save me," you laws, has seen the day when justice ber and we are glad to notify you bert, 176; M. J. Teshan, 198. the eye of a needle, and profound is would cry, "and then we will have and true brotherhood shall reign that you are getting more than your The license vote went 296 in favor share of the promised "good times." and 544 against. Will you, my brothers, and you, The latest from New York informs us steel trust has resulted in an increased which "moth and rust doth corrupt" tal and spiritual. Why are we so He, in whose hand resides the cost of kitchenware. Our good women election is most gratifying. Our canperity and the women will be obliged to 487 votes. Comrade James F. to join the great army of revolution Carey's meetings Saturday night and and progress. Let it come, ladies! Sunday afternoon were well attended The Socialists are the only ones that and helped much to roll up the successrecognize your honorable position and ful vote.

Town Elections.

At the Amesbury town election last Monday, the old board of selectmen was re-elected, including the Social Democratic candidate, Janon Spofford, who received 948 votes against 887 of last year. The other two successful candidates are Elmer E. Sanborn, 978 votes, and George H. Swett. 807 votes. For the office of the overseer of the poor, Jason Spofford received 899 votes against 829 received last year. Eimer E. Sanborn received 924 and George H. Swett 807 votes. These three having received the highest vote are elected.

The other Socialist candidates for selectmen, Miller and Maycook, received 445 and 845 votes respectively. For the office of overseer of the poor, they received 426 and 348 respectively. The Socialist candidate for school committee, Charles S. Wingate, received 871 votes. John H. Blackstock, for assessor, received 278 votes.

The license vote stands as follows: No. 784; Yes, 709

Georgetowns

The Social Democrats of Georgetown lost their overseer of the poor, George E. Dawkins, by 10 votes and on the whole received a smaller rote vote received by the Social Democratic candidates: For selectmen, John J. Mollov. 58 votes : Walter R. Pickering, 105 votes. For assessors, John For road commissioner, Samuel highest vote for this office being 247.

The license vote went 164 in fayor

Whitman.

The Socialist vote in Whitman is as Elmer A. Wright, 152 votes. For asfollowers not to lay up treasures on Is it more important to point a But the day of a new evangelism is judges overruled the will of the sioner: L. Ryder, 159 votes. Trus-Doble, 168; Willard H. Gay, 168. Park commissioner: B. V. Lothrop, Your husbands voted for the 191; Charles E. Lowell, 296; Francis

Rutland, Vt.

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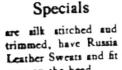
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a big crowd of royal drones.

rightly so, he was told that the board

of aldermen passed an order prohibit-

ing the city marshal from allowing

the ambulance to respond except in

emergency and accident cases. The

doctor then transferred his patient on

patient being too poor to stand the

How cheaply our capitalistic repre-

sentatives value human life. Was not

this an emergency case—a case of life

and death! The poor lad had to be

the city, should have provided for his

expense of our children's education.

And here we have a case where the

city tries to economize when a human

life is concerned. This is positively

cruel, in addition to being shameful.

Once again has a capitalist judge

proven by his decision that working-

men can expect no benefits whatsoever

from the present organization of so-

ciety. This latest news comes from

Lowell. In that city an ordinance

was passed providing that all city

printing shall be done by houses em-

ploying union men only and entitled

talist judge, Bishop by name, has

which practically knocks out the ordi-

As Socialists we are not at all sur-

Bishop. If we were, it would simply

We need not accuse the court of dis-

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talist judge?

transfer to the hospital!

among men.

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What is Slavery?

Tis to work and have such pay As just keeps life from day to day, In your limbs, as in a cell, For the tyrant's use to dwell.

Tis to be a slave in soul And to hold strong control Over your own will, but be All that others make of ye.

So that ye for them are made, Loom and plow and sword and spade, With or without your own will, bent To their defence and nourishment.

Tis to see your children weak With their mothers pine and peak, When the winter's winds are blesk-They are dying whilst I speak.

"Tis to hunger for such dies As the rich man in his riot to the fat dogs that lie Surfeiting beneath his eye;

And at length, when you complain, With a murmur weak and vain. "Tis to see the tyrant crew Ride over your wives and you.

Men of labor, heirs of glory. Heroes of unwritten story, Burslings of one mighty mother, Hopes of her and one another. Rise like lions after slumber In unvanquishable number; Shake your chains to earth like dew Which, in sleep, has fallen on you! Te are many, they are few.

Speaking of the Philippine islands, the Saturday Evening Oriterion says: These islands will yet become a source of wealth to our people." Is this our Christian motive for "civilising" the Filippinos?

Gaston Deschamps, the Parisian show how tittle we profited by past journalist now lecturing at Harvard, mys that women are a fee to Socialn, but this statement will find some decided contradictions among local Socialists who recognize the woman' branch as one of their most effective agencies. -The Gazette.

That's right! The women ARE the best workers for Socialism.

Millionaires are plentiful in Berlin They have a clear conscience that as well as in the large American what they are saying or doing is right sities. The Kaiser's capitol counts and proper. These gentlemen are among its inhabitants not one less logical from their standpoint. They than 1836 millionaires. What a pros- reason from the standpoint of the perous country Germany must be! "welfare of society," which to them The millions of Social Democrats in is embodied in the welfare of those that country are irrational to con- who oppress labor. They measure stantly carry on a lively and energetic the prosperity of society by the prosagitation against wage-slavery in the perity of the ruling class. face of so much evidence of "prosperity." It is really a pity that these protect the working class, no matter the political machinery in the mecrazy Socialists have not learned by how honest the judges may be (and tropolis. this time that the richer the rich sometimes they are not even honest.) grow, the more "prosperous" are the The justice required by the workers

The Wilmington (Del.) News, in line with many other capitalistic sheets, cannot very well stoameh the biting criticism of Mark Twain, the great American humorist. It has the following to say of him:

Mark Twain will no doubt dishave a different ethic from what we take in attempting to pose as a critic have a different ethic from what we follow the seriously, and his best friends are whole of society will then be considered. the world and he should not ered. And the state will not rest amuse the world and he si

Compare this with what we have product of his labor. dicted in former issues will be the me of Twain's genuine humor. Poor Mark Twain! He is. indeed, seing his best "friends."

(An interesting and instructive series of papers specially prepared for the Haverhill Social Democrat.)

BY L. BOUDIANOFF BOUDIN.

ment in France: the relations of the views on the situation. Unfortunatedifferent factions of the Socialist ly, the somewhat indefinite language party there to each other; the part of the resolution lent itself to intertaken by the Socialists in the Dreyfus pretation. We shall yet revert to the affair; the ministry of Millerand and resolution of the Congress, and have the consequent relations of the Socialists to the present government of Waldeck-Russesu-all this is of enormous the proletariat the world over. The London, March 5.-Sir Michael Hicks-Beach read a message form the king asking parliament to make suitable provision for the honorable support and maintenance of the duke and duchess of Cornwall and York, the duchess of Fife, the Princess Victoria and Prince Charles of Denmark, the queen, in the event of her surviving him, and the duchess of York, in the event of her surviving her husband. known Socialists as Kantsky. Bern- practical situation? Why should the English people support this royal crowd of parasites? Don't you think this a funny world when men and women are paid for doing nothing useful? Royalty! This word now adds no credit whatsoever to one's character. It sounds preposterous to hear of a fat and lazy king asking support from the state fo These dukes, duchesses and prin cesses ought to go to work and have a taste of a toiler's life. Then, perhaps, they would be more fit to live Dr. F. W. Anthony, of this city. applied for the use of the city ambulance to convey a patient dangerously ill with pneumonia to the hospital. The request was refused by the city marshal. And when the doctor demanded the use of the ambulance, and

their opinion on the subject. after the matter had been before the diction, we here in the United States "A 'good' slave is just like a 'good' International Congress, the discussion will probably be confronted with the dog. could no longer be confined within its question in its practical aspect, before "But perhaps you wonder why I bea parcet delivery wagon, at his own expense, the family of the young proper limits, namely, the expression the purely scientific question will add gin to talk of slaves. Has not slavery of their own views by those par-much to the aireay disturbed waters been abolished? ticipating in the debate. It became of our own Socialist current. It is "No, it has not, only the forms of

Congress, and in such a way as to have it coincide with one's own occasion to show that the infliteness of the language was an unavoid-

alle incident of the attempt to lay interest to the collective movement of But there it was. The circum-French situation is, therefore, the stances attending the adoption of the from the very latest census, although. one absorbing topic of discussion in resolutionwere naturally made the subthe periodical Socialist literature of ject of comment in order to throw light the world. In Germany alone, in the on the opinion of the Congress as to the must of necessity be as yet very country to which Socialists of all particular situation in France. The countries were wont to look for resultant of all this is, that we have authoritative expressions of opinion now before us not only the F-ench on all important questions affecting situation and the problems raised by the international movement of Social- it to inquire into, but also the adism, there have appeared recently ditional question. What does the genwithin a brief space of time numerous eral rule of conduct laid down by the articles on the course of the French International Congress for the Socialists, including elaborate state guidance of the international move-

vast mass of literature follows closely academic interest to Socialists outside let of 80 pages (Pocket Library ediupon the heels of the International of France is evident to the least obtion) are certainly interesting and Socialist Congress held in Paris last servant. Although not identical with important in their way. We are infall, and is due to the disappointing the discussions in the so-called clined to believe that such pamphlets manner in which the Congress ac- "Bernstein question," which has enquitted itself of the task of solving grossed the attention of thinking So- Socialism, i. e., in creating Socialist the knotty problem created by Mille- cialists of all countries during the sentiment, among a particular kind of rand's joining the Waldeck-Russeau last three years, it is certainly cor- people. It is written in a popular minitary. Whether with or without relative with it. And it is not the style and is instructive. The followgood reason, many had expected that least significant that the old "Bern- ing quotation is taken from the bookthe International Congress would not stein" contingent in Germany is let: only lay down a general rule of con- found almost wholly on one side in "It is not an accident that the duct for Socialists to observe in the the present discussion. Both are the children of the working people are befuture, but that it would proceed to result of the same evolution in the ing taught to be 'good.' What does sit in judgment upon the particular forces of our present society and the 'good' mean? conduct of the different French fac- struggle of the proletariat to successtions and individuals, above all on fully lead society out of the sterile If we break the shell of an egg that the conduct of Millerand. They were wilderness into which it was brought has begun to hatch we call it 'bad,' disappointed; and all those who by the latest development of capital- because it is of no use to us; but if we waited for the Congress to speak, ism. It is due to the particular politi- had let it alone it might have grown now, that the Congress had spoken in cal conditions of those countries that into a 'good' chicken. so unsatisafetory a manner, hurried, the question presented itself in a "A good dog is one that does as In the nature of things, however, in France. If we may venture a pre-desires of its owner.

the town is gradually becoming de-

Policemen With Swords. year, lodgers for the first time being called to the fact that it was proposed to the first time being to arm the mounted police of the city terest is "Social Defense vs. Class entitled to vote. The Progressives are with swords, and the delegates discussed at some length the causes Italian Socialist and criminologist. cause they have come to an arrange—which could have led to this innovament with the Labor and Socialist tion, among the ideas being one that little poem on "The Joy of Work" Parties and in all probability there it was intended to arm the police in that will please all who read it. The will be no three-cornered contests. In this way so that they might be ready departments also are especially several constituencies the Progressives this way so that they might be ready strong. Prof. E. Untermann takes candidates, which indicates the hold the first outward and visible sign of which he will edit hereafter. The the working-class electors have upon the growth of militarism in our story by Caroline H. Pemberton, enoffer opposition to the proposal.

Trades Unionism in South Wales.

of such a dispute is simply astound- Federation now has 114.139 members the Haverhill boys.—Missouri Social- ter of the Parisian movement, hither-

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BERSFORD'S DERRINGER. Pocketbook of Statistics. Compiled by Thomas Bersford, Tagebiatt Publishing Society, 117 Turk street, San Francisco, Calif. Price 15 cents.

Bersford's Derringer should be in the hands of all active Socialists and radical thinkers. The third edition of the booklet, revised and up-to-date. has just come out. It is full of interesting statistics and reading matter and contains information on most social questions that arise in the minds of thinking people. Some of the figures are taken by Comrade Bersford it must be confessed, definite figures from this source, the 1900 census, meagre. The booklet consists of 76 pages and is printed very neatly.

THE FOLLY OF BEING "GOOD." By Charels H. Kerr, 56 Fifth avenue, Chicago. Price 5 cents.

It is very doubtful if booklets of ments and arguments from such well- ment resolve itself, when tested by a this nature might be classed properly as Socialist literature. The several stein, Vollmar and Luxemburg. This That the question is of more than questions touched upon in this book-

very armed revolution.

"We call a newly laid egg 'good'

to make up for lost time, to express more abstract and scientific form in its owner wishes, and shows no Germany, and assumed practical shape strong desires to interfere with the

master owned the body of the slave and could whip him if he would not work. Now the masters own the

only reply very vaguely, but their by Herman Whittaker, a California a tetter describing conditions in the At the last meeting of the Edin- "New South" that reminds one of the future, while another was, this was charge of the foreign department, midst. As the Council could see no titled "A Charity Girl," begins in use for the swords and did not regard this issue. This is a remarkable them as ornaments it was decided too novel of intense interest, not made up of long-winded speeches, but a story that will help make Socialists because it tells the truth about the social classes that are living together in

> The Queen Article. The Haverhill Social Democrat's henceforward placed in the hands of

-A Tragic Story.

BY FREDERICK ENGELS.

On the 28th of January, 1871, Paris struggle against the foreign invasion starved out capitulated but with came clearly and emphatically to the honors hitherto unheard of in milihonors hitherto unheard of in mili-tary history. The forts were sur-oognized representatives of workmen, rendered, the line fortifications disting its decisions naturally bore a distingarmed, the weapons of the line, and tively proletarian character. They of the Guard Mobile, were handed either decreed reforms which the Reover to the Germans, and the men publican bourgeoisie had omitted is themselves regarded as prisoners of carry out from cowardice, but which war. But the National Guard re- formed a necessary foundation for the tained its weapons and cannon, and free action of the working class, as, only entered into a truce with the for instance, the carrying out of the conquerors. The latter did not ven principle that religion as far as the ture upon a triupmhal entry into State is concerned, is purely a private Paris. Only a small portion of Paris, matter: or they were the expressions for the most part consist ng of public of resolutions directly in the interest parks, did they attempt to occupy, of the working classes, and in a few and even this only for a few days. cases, even penetrating deeply inte And during the whole time they who the life tissue of the old order of sohad kept Paris in a state of siege for ciety. But all this in a besieged city 181 days found themselves in their could not be carried beyond the first turn surrounded by armed artisan stages of realization. And from the workmen who carefully watched lest beginning of May onwards the stragany Prussian should overstep the nar- gle against the ever increasing musees row limits of the quarter reserved for of the army of the Versaillese Governthe foreign conqueror. Such respect ment claimed our exclusive attention the artisan workmen extorted from and energy. that army before which all the armies On the,7th of April the Versailless of the Empire successively had laid had seized the bridge over the Seine down their weapons, and the Prussian at Neuilly on the west side of Parist

Junkers who had come thither in on the other hand, on the 11th they order to take revenge on the hotbed of were beaten back with much loss by revolution were compelled to stand General Eudes in an attack they made and against their own will salute this on the south side. Paris was continnally bombarded by the very people During the war the Parisian who had stigmatized the bombardworkmen had confined themselves to ment of the same city by the Prussians demanding the energetic continuance as a sacreligious outrage. These very of the struggle But now, the capitu- people went on their knees to the lation of Paris having secured peace, Prussian Government to implore the Thiers, the new head of the Govern- speedy return of the French military ment, could not belp seeing that the prisoners taken at Sedan and Mets, rule of the propertied classes—of the who were to reconquer Paris for great landlords and capitalists-was them. The gradual arrival of these in continual danger so long as the troops gave a distinct superiority to Parisian workmen retained their the Versaillese from the beginning of arms. His first work accordingly was, May onwards. This showed itself the attempt to disarm them. On the even as early as the 23rd of April 18th of March he sent some troops of when Thiers broke off the negotiations the line with the order to steal the with the Commune respecting the artillery belonging to the National latter's offer to exchange the Arch-Guard, which had been manufactured bishop of Paris and a number of other and paid for by public subscription priests retained in Paris as hostages, during the siege of Paris. The at- against the single Blancai, who has tempt miscarried. Paris armed her- been twice elected into the Commune, self as one man to resistance, and war but who remained a prisoner at Clairwas declared between Paris and the vanx. It was shown still more in the French Government sitting at Ver- altered language of Thiers; hitherte sailles. On March the 26th, the Paris hesitating and ambiguous, he now very alluring to interpret the gentherefore none too soon for us to look slavery have been changed. Once the Commune was elected, and proclaimed suddenly became insulting, threatenon the 28th. The Central Committee ing, and brutal. On the south side of the National Guard, which had the Versaillese took on the 3rd of hitherto carried on the Government. May, the redoubt of Moulin Sequet; quarrymen who have been famed for land, the tools and the machines that abdicated its functions into the hands on the 9th, the fort of lasy reduced to the strict performance of religious the slaves must use in order to carn a duties, for their sobriety and for their living, and each slave must look Commune abolished the conscription the 14th, that of Vanves. On the west love of music. They have been dili- around and find a master who will let and the standing army, and all milits side they gradually advanced, seising gent servants and hare piled up un- him use tools; or he will starve. This to the couter for the masters thant he old to which all citizens capable of bear- to the outer line of fortifications up bave also added not a little to the comfort of mankind at large, for their industry has been the supplying of comfort of mankind at large, for their comfort of mankind at large, for the comfort of mankind at large, for the comfort of mankind at large, for the comfort of mankind at large, fo paid to be appointed to future quar- certain points, in entering the city. ters; and returned gratis all pledges The Prussians, who occupied the of necessitous persons in the public northern and eastern forts, allowed The March number of the Internaerted.

The March number of the Internapiete). The same day the foreigners the territory in the north of the city, firmed in their functions, since it was closed to them, and thence to inaugut would be diments to give a definite naving been permanently enlarged to declared "the flag of the Commune is rate a formidable attack over a long answer. The men themselves can that extent. The opening article is the 1st of April it was decided that be covered by the terms of the truce, even now not definitely fixed. The

writer for the magazines but who has

moderates this year have decided to drop their name and come out as ConThey feel that they have been treated sorvetive candidates pure and simple their name and simple their name and simple the resistance in the western parts of cislist publications. He discusses france (\$1900) a year. On the follow-Servative candidates pure and simple. They feel that they have been treated cislist publications. He discusses france (\$1200) a year. On the follow-like felons instead of free men, Petty "Weissmannism in its Relation to ing day was declared the separation of the city, tyranny has established espienage of socialism and shows that the such a character that the men have triumph of Weissmann's ideas in such a character that the men have triumph of Weissmann's ideas in picked up their tools saving. "We do hiology, which is now an accepted picked up their tools saving. "We do nicely, which is now an accepted not complain of this, that, or the fact, means that the fundamental purposes, as also the transformation working-class parts of the city. After not complain of this, that, or the fact, means that the rundamental of all ecclesiastical wealth into national of all ecclesiastical wealth into national an eight days' struggle, the last described by the control of all ecclesiastical wealth into national and eight days' struggle, the last described by the control of all ecclesiastical wealth into national and eight days' struggle, the last described by the control of all ecclesiastical wealth into national and eight days' struggle, the last described by the control of all ecclesiastical wealth into national and eight days' struggle, the last described by the control of all ecclesiastical wealth into national and eight days' struggle, the last described by the control of all ecclesiastical wealth into national and eight days' struggle, the last described by the control of all ecclesiastical wealth into national and eight days' struggle, the last described by the control of all ecclesiastical wealth into national and elementary and other in particular, but life is simply principles of Socialism receive an adultional property. As a consequence of fenders of the Commune succubmed unbearable here and we are going to Beigium, the secretary of the League this, on the 8th of April all religious on the heights of Belleville and nit.

It seems a pity that so important an of Socialist Municipal Councilors, itself things are strongly for the League symbols, dogmas, prayers—in short, Menilmontant. And now the murder It seems a pity that so important an industry, affecting the well-being directly and indirectly of many thou. Of Socialist Municipal Councilors, industry, affecting the well-being directly and indirectly of many thou. Of Socialism Councilors, industry, affecting the well-being directly and indirectly of many thou. Of Socialism Councilors, industry, affecting the well-being directly and indirectly of many thou. Of Socialism Councilors, industry, affecting the well-being directly and indirectly of many thou. rectly and indirectly of many thousal on Municipal Socialism."

ordered to be banished from the through in ever-increasing proportions sands of human beings, should be so "Marxist" attempts to justify his sands of human beings, should be so markist attempts to justify his shoots, an order which was carried controlled as bring the whole concern former position against the attacks controlled as bring the whole concern to a standatill. Cannot the State intervene in the interests of the whole some very interesting arguments to some very interesting arguments to sustain his contentions. "Mother the 187th battalion of the National hundreds with the Mitrailleucees: Jones," who is just now leading the Guard, and publicly burnt, amid loud "the wall of the Federals" in Pere la fight of the Scranton silk workers, has Commune ordered the column on the massacre took place, remains today a Place Vendome, which had been con-dumb but eloquent witness of what structed by Napoleon I. after the war frenzy of crime the governing classes cause a new element has come in this called to the fact that it was proposed very system.

Inquisition or the early English factory of 1809 out of captured cannon, to be are capable as soon as the projectariat called to the fact that it was proposed very system.

Another article of invanity and international jealousy. Then came the arrest en masse, as This was accomplished on the 16th of the slaughter of all was seen to be im-May. On the 6th of April the Com- possible, the shooting down of arbimune made an order for a statistical trarily selected prisoners as victims, account of all factories and workshops and the transference of the remainder which were not at work, and for the into great camps. where they awaited elaboration of plans for their utiliza- being dragged before the court-martial. tion by and for account of the work- The Prussian troops, which had their men hitherto engaged in them, who camp to the north-east of Paris, rewere to be formed into co-operative ceived the order to allow no fugitive societies for the purpose, and, further, to pass. Nevertheless, the officers for the amalgamation of these soci- often were blind to this when their eties into one great co-operative or- soldiers obeyed the call of humanity ganization. On the 20th they rather than that of their chief in comabolished the night work of bakers, mand. Especially does the Saxon as also the register-office for procur- Army Corps deserve the credit of ing employment, which, since the having acted very humanely and of Second Empire, had been the having let many through whose

> Comrade Sarah B. Boudin, of New Socialism, emphasized the urgent necessity for women to take their place alongside of men in the great struggle to thrust into the background by the for labor's emancipation.

> mosopoly of certain scoundrels ap- character as combatants for the Com-

pointed by the police, exploiters of mune was obvious.

the worst kind. The matter was

eral rule of conduct laid down by the into this matter. transferred to the hospital. His family was destitute. And who, if not

At the last meeting of the city council some Republican gentlemen were so eager to increase the police BY JOHN PENNY. force of Haverhill, so desirous to give easy jobs to a few more lazy men that (General Secretary of the Independent Labor Party.) they were willing to do this at the

Election in London.

Both Progressive and Moderate Parties are rather late in the day with (change? will naturally be asked, and eighty pages instead of sixty-four, their arrangements for the London Common Council election which takes place on Saturday, March 2nd, and in Moderates this year have decided to of labor have become intolerable. not hitherto contributed much to So-This determination has elicited from tyranny has established espienage of Socialism" and shows that the John Burns, M. P., the saying that "it is their intention to mix up a spirited to use of the union label. But a capiforeign policy with main drainage," a pleasant remark which will not be handed down a decision last Monday without its effect on the fortunes of the election. The Prorgessives are running upon a programme of a distinctly Collectivist nature. Municipal prised at the decision of Judge Houses, trams, dock, water, light, steamboats, etc., loom very large, and the taxation of ground values will be experience. What other decision a prominent item. Strange to say, could we have expected from a capithe Conservatives have practically adopted the same programme, slightly watered down, showing how far Sohonesty. Judge Bishop may possibly cialism is recognized as an important be a conscientions and honorable genfactor in municipal affairs in London. tleman. For that matter, most of the Both sides are very uneasy as to what capitalist judges, writers, preachers, and instructors are probably honest. talking the more boldly, probably beare running as Progressive and Labor The "justice" of our courts cannot

The Penrhyn Dispute.

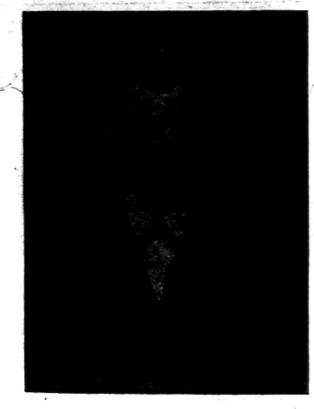
conflicts with the foundation of capitalist justice, which is protection to Attempts are being made, I am inthe propertied class. In order to formed to re-open these great quarcarry out real justice for the workingries, but so far without any tangible men we must have workingmen as success, and Bethesda, one of the judges and as legislators. We must establish a Socialist State in order to have the state legally protect the interests of those who are today propertiless and homeless. We will then has secured full freedom and the full towns and districts.

ing. Here have lived generations of and the funds exceed \$100,000.

one of the people's needs. And now other masters, or die. the quarries are empty, the sound of pick and spade is heard no longer, and

community?

In no place in the country has Trade most peaceful and harmonious towns Unionism made such rapid progress in the United Kingdom presents an as in this district, and South Wales is extraordinary spectacle in that the generally pointed to now as an exgreat bulk of its population is quietly ample of what can be done when the article on the death of the Queen has the mayoralities of the twenty taking its departure to seek liveli- men are determined. This is a great been quoted by nearly all the radical arrondissements of Paris. On the hood elsewhere. The depopulation of change from the situation prior to the a district such as this, owing to abi- great coal strike of three years ago at say it was the best we have seen on of pawnshops as being incompatible week. On Sunday afternoon she ada district such as this, owing to abigreat coal strike of three years ago at
tray and unbearable rules of working which time South Wales was one of
in the quarries, is greatly to be rethe worst organized places in Great gretted because it means that overgrowding is taking place in other and they made up their minds to be prepared for all emergencies in the cislist he will find that it is properly ecution of Louis XVI. That Bethesda should be the scene future. The South Wales Miners' credited to the bright paper issued by In these measures, the class charac-



JASON SPOFFORD,

Social Democrat, Re-elected Selectman in Amesbury by Increased Vote.

A TRAGEDY

Two ragged little boys stood together upon the corner of Twenty-third "Too bad, his own fault." office building. These facts are foreign to the story, but many persons upon introduction are very curious segarding antecedents, so I mention them for the delectation of such. Chimmie was about 11 years old, but very small and wan for his age. The dust of the streets and the world had pettled upon his thin nervous face and obliterated all traces of coloring; eyes, though, were very bright. Billie was taller, and had a diasgreeable habit of bluffing Chimmie when he wanted anything; for instance, some one bought a paper—gave Billie a "nick"—Billie had no change—he would run to where Chimmie was standing and shout: "Chimmie gimme de loan of four cents a few minnits. "Gee, Billie, I haint' see dat much in a year." 'Aw, g'wan, lend me de four, er I'll crack ye one." He really would not, you know, but then he was taller and Chimmie must have the fact impressed upon him.

Of a sudden, the boys made a simultaneous rush for the gutter. Some man passing had thrown away the butt of a cigarette, and cigarettes being a rare luxury in the daily life of the gamins, both were covetous of the prize. Billie, being the taller, captured the butt. Chimmie, though bliss of smoking a cigarette stump, did not make a very sturdy fight.
Bill's oft-repeated bluff having had
its effect. With what an air of superiority Billie smoked that snipe! If you could have seen him!-he tucked his papers under his arm, stuck his thumbs under his tattered suspenders (a vest to him was a superfluity) and street. his fortunate pard. "Gee, am I in it! Well, I guess, people'll tink I'm Vanwhich contained little confidence, he his appetite only whetted for more. laughed, some ignored the ragged in-quisitor and some said, "No, get away." At last one young man, the fire of whose cigarette was nearly burning his downy mustache, said "Sure chase it," and flipped the remnant into the street. It struck just behind a car moving west and bounded between the next tracks. Both boys made a dive for it, Billie got it, and jumped across the tracks

Chimmie. The heavily laden car struck him on the shoulder, and throwing him heavily to the street. N LOW LIFE passed over his poor little back. One shriek-that was all. They had to lift the car to remove the tattered and torn little body. Women with tears in their eyes walked away; men said, street and Broadway crying their hospital ambulance rattled and evening papers. They had both sold clanged to the scene, Billie reached on the same corner for over a year out a grimy hand streaked with tears evidently believing in common with and said: "Here Chimmie, you take edder heads, that competition is the soul of trade. Chimmie's "mudder" took in washing. Billie's "ole and the attendant had to gently pry his hand open to remove the cigarette stump which cost him his life. Chimmie's "mudder" did no washing for a week, and for the same length of time Billie was without a "pard." At the end of the week a freckled, red-headed Arab stood on Chimmie's corner and sold his extras are well known First, the primi- sal and marvelous mechanical applito Chimmie's patrons. So wags the world.—Philadelphia Times.

Local Labor Notes.

At the meeting of C. L. U. last Sunday the principal matter under consideration was the trouble existing between the Laborers' union and Cox, the coal dealer. This is the case He where a strike was ordered by the union because Cox was paving less than union prices and some of the men refused to go out and were accordingly expelled from the union and placed on the unfair list. The Central Labor Union, after considering the matter, appointed a committee to try to make a satisfactory settlement of

Cigarmakers' Union secured the signaenxious to indulge in the questionable ture of Mr. Benjamin, the proprietor of Benjamin's restaurant, to the list agreeing to sell only union label The domain of the conscious art care for her child or in the chain of for better wages.

strutted up and down the curb with ploy of Mr. McCarthy, and he, as well the air of a Buckingham. Poor little ploy of Mr. McCarthy, and he, as well as the saloon, still remains on the Union's unfair list.

derbilk wit me perfecto." It hurt the membership of the local unions, Chimmie's pride, but in a weak voice particularly is this so in the Machine There is an astonishing increase in Operators' Union, No. 1. and the said: "Say, Billie, you know me, Stitchers' Union, the largest increase some on, give us a puff." "No, not on being in the former. This indicates Do ver tink I'm a million- that they realize that their only imaire? Dese real Turkish don't grow mediate relief depends upon supporten every curb, guess nit, dey roost ing and receiving the support of the high." Chimmie said nothing. Soon unions. But for their final emancips. Billie finished the short stump, and, tion, and this applies to all kinds of accosted every passer by who was them except through the triumph of smoking, with the remark: "Say, Socialism and we recommend that all the working people study the principal study the p working people, we see no hope for ples of the Social Democratic Party.

By a vote of 29 to 76 the house rejected the order of James Carey, of Haverhill, for an investigation of the feasibility of requiring the metro- force of space and matter, under value; in the second extension of the politan water board to furnish ice to whose laws are manifested the im- industrial organism, the manufactur the metropolitan district at cost. The press and the impact creative design order was defended at length by Carey just in time to escape an east-bound Not so fortunate was little and MacCartney, of Rockland.

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Wealth: Three Periods of Production.

The work before us is to investigate a lovely girl. the present methods of wealth produc-

crime that runs through it, all the knowledge and in power.

nomic wealth-three epochs in the and social wealth. development of the industrial organism; and although the primal elements of wealth, man's design, energy and force related to nature's economic wealth is familiar to us all. this third division in the evolution of world of creation must be intellectually separated from the world of

numan advancement knowledge and the instruments of modern industry at his command one of plowing the vast expanse of a westmatter from manifesting its primal whole. qualities, nor set away a law of mo-

tion, natural substances and natural forces may be placed at zero in the world of formation. We shall not then study physics but economics, (although economics is pure physics); we shall leave the study of energy and and order, knowing that man cannot addition to being a use value, a for one moment exist without the full orbed swing of original deisign, which impressed upon radiant energy, etheric wealth, in addition to being a use

substance is precipitated and con-value, is a commodity. densed into dense substance and sent changing relations of the units of back again through structure, under wealh that is to say the movements the law of levitation, to the source of the use-values within weiety (the from whence it came. To be sure, in the world of indus- new names to bespeak the changing try, human design is precipitated into conditious that register the industrial form by the design of labor power advance applied to natural resources, which is the same process as that by which in our capitalist society, a commodi nature works and it is this great fact, ty, which next claims our attention

which is so simple in its primal manifestations, that enables the complex action in the world of industry to be reduced to order. We shall enter the world of industry and commerce, our every day world, which is under the domain of man's design. The industrial world is builded consciously and unconsciously by man's effort as by forces and substances gratuitously furnished by nature herself. We have before us the clear field of tangible wealth and it is within its borderland that we shall fix our firm attention. that we may not be led off to consider

the wealth of color displayed in the

gorgeous sheen of a Serrento sunset,

or to the admiration of the wealth of the curly auburn hair on the head of

Economic wealth presents to us a We desire to know the laws to vast accumulation of useful things, which we are subject and to learn the the most of which are modern, some extent of our power in directing the of which are moderately old and a few industrial forces now developed and pieces of which are known to have developing by the labor of the race, been made and used by peoples of the We wish to know how the accumula- greatest antiquity From this day tions of capital take place, how profits down to the remotest past the chain this knowledge we seek freedom from the chain of knowledge unbroken. the restraints of poverty. We seek the One generation after another, as they

supports. One must do this if he sustains human life, but it is not so property of society. He also perwould know what the orderly pro-clear that as men has over the stage ceived the futility of the single tax ignifies.

that one and all leave the works of capitals
Upon examination one finds that the brain and hand, be they great or masses. from the earliest dawn of the race to small, to mingle for the most part, extensions into the world of eco- the general fund of social knowledge pion of the doctrine, and his voice

human life is sustained, we could not answer the question Nobody knows material energies and forces, have who first used a stick as a lever to lift never altered the relationship between a burden; nobody knows who first man and man, the methods of produc- builded a fire to cook food and to tion are sharply distinct one from overcome the natural atmosphere. the other in each division of the three And should von ask the question extensions. These three extensions nearer home, who invented the colostive world of wealth, in the days of ance upon which is founded the inphilosophers and court followers, to- that each and every added improvegether with manual workers, were ment has its roots deep down through slaves, who served their cultured or the industrial organism. The latter of barbaric masters as the dramatic all persons of all time, is tooked and scenes of life were shifted by the interlocked; it forms the ground floor barter of those wretched but pictorial upn which rests the social organism. days. Second, the period of manu- The labor of society is a unit, from facture, in which the free artisan, the hunting and fishing of the naked owing his own tools, builded the free savage to the diplomacy of the Enthe third extension in the world of from the effort of a fatigued secrety woman to feed her poodle dog to the

The interdependence of mankind principle is inhabited by man and by events weich set up the operation of

With modern on the structure of man, the individual, and of mankind, the Social Organism, depends the degree, high may harness electric force to the task or low (from a given standpoint), of intelligence may seek to perfect the rn prarie as easily as Cincinnatus ad- relationships, (which is only another justed the yoke upon his oxen to way of saying, may seek to perfect the plough four acrees in the quiet of his structure) with supreme confidence rustic home. In the world of forms- that intelligence of a still higher ortion (the human world) man relates der will result from the elevated huhis designs to the designs manifested man relations. A conscious person by nature; man adds the forms of his may thus aid himself and those who handiwork to the handiwork of the are unconscious as individuals; and creative power. Therefore it is that, conscious persons unitedly may aid

cannot change one atom of the body politic to elevate the organic from manifesting its primal whole. Wealth supports human life. Wealth is the vast aggregation of useful objects to be found in a giver society which have been appropriated by man and which have been formed by man in contra-distinction to the objects of nature. In primitive society the unit of wealth was simply a use ing period, the unit of wealth was, in product, and in the third extension the industrial organism, the unit of forces taking form) that require the

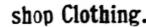
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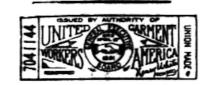
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Galveston, Texas, in 1887. During the first six months of his ministry he was connected with the cathedral in Galveston. In the early part of the following year he was assigned to the pastorate of St. Patrick's church, Houston, and later on he was assigned Texas. In 1890 he returned to his native State, and assumed temporary charge of the Catholic congregation in Lexington. His next pastorate was Cynthiana, Ky., where he labored for four years. In the summer of 1895 he was appointed pastor of St. Anthony's church, Bellevue, Ky., and he still holds this position. The poverty of the masses, which increases with the march of civilization, had early made deep impression on his mind, and in 1896 he began to study economics, but unfortunately for his purpose, he perused the works of the old school, which attributed the economic ills of the age to the inevitable law of competitou. His perplexity was partially relieved by reading "Merrie England." However, about this time he began to Through the service of of wealth is unbroken. Likewise is peruse the works of Henry George, and he then thought the single tax was the panacea for the evils of univer-al use of wealth for all the climb the spiral of life's destiny, suc- modern society. Pursuing his studies ceed to all the inheritances of the past in Bocialism, he began to see that the To attain this knowledge one must and each in turn leaves to the coming arguments advanced by Henry George take from the world of wealth all the generations its own records written in for the common ownership of land sentiment which clusters about it, all the solid substances of material applied with grave force to all the sentiment which clusters about it, and the solid state correct portrayals of the power which controls it, all the wealth which are correct portrayals of means of production; that all the the clevation of man's attainment in wealth in the world and the progress of the ages were products of social leisure it affords, all the sciences it Everybody knows that human labor factors, and therefore the common gress in the phenomena of wealth of life beyond the ken of human vision movement to heal the wounds which capitalism had inflicted on the toiling Becoming thoroughly acfrom the earliest dawn of the race to small, to mingle for the most part, quainted with the ablest exponents of the present time there have been three without name and without fame, with Socialism, he became an ardent chamhas thrilled many vast audiences, who have stood amazed at the bold denun-Should you ask who discovered the have stood amazed at the bold denun-principles of science and art by which ciations he has hurled aganist the oppressors of mankind -From "Bevond the Black Ocean. See review

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There has been no settlement as yet of the trouble existing between the Bartenders' Union and Daniel McCarthy, who runs a saloon on River street. The man over whom the trouble occurred is still in the employ of Mr. McCarthy, and he, as well as the saloon, still remains on the Union's angain list. political economy showered on them to prove they were driving the trade out of the country

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At the State House it is considered of great importance, from a legal standpoint, that a party in order to have a legal standing, must have a fall State committee, one from each of the 40 Senatorial districts, after the present year. We have now 85 or-And in favor of the remaining districts we have voters enough to hold cancuses, if contiguous districts could do a little missionary work and ferret them out, and through the State committee cancuses could be called in such places; provided, of course, true and reliable Socialists could be found to take charge of the caucuses. All political committees are requested to see that cancuses are held, if for no other purpose than to elect representatives to a Senatorial convention for the election of the State committe for

As our party Branches and Locals have mostly recovered from financial embarrassments incident to the last alection, now is the best time for propaganda. The Secretary is ready to the best of his ability to respond to all calls of the party.

Yours fraternally, S. E. Putney, State Secretary.

Chase Elected.

Vote for Representative to National Council from Massachusetts:

Cormade Chase, of Haverhill, is therefore elected to the National Council of the Social Democratic Party of the United States. Squire E. Putney, State Secretary.

To the Socialist organizations in Massachusetts:-Send all money. etc. intended for the State committee of cretary of the State committee. the S. D. P. of Massachusetts, to Allesse take notice that the election bert G. Clifford, 47 Creighton street, s require committee's names of Boston, Mass. Comrade Clifford was sers and members, to be filed with elected to fill the place of Angus Comrade Clifford was se city or town clerks, Secretary of McDonald, resigned, who had to conwealth, and the Secretary leave the state on account of employ-

A Charge Refuted.

To the Editor :- Among the many malicious attempts to misrepresent the S. D. P. by falsely charging us with tendencies toward fusion with capitalist parties, is the often repeated statement that Comrade I. C. Smith, of the 12th Worcester District accepted a nomination from the Democratic party at the last election, while being a member and nominee of the Social Democratic Party.

The State committee of the Social The Plumbers, Carpenters and Democratic Party has thought it best Painters unions are talking of uniting to publish the following letter, copied from record book at the Secretary's office, State House, Boston. October 24, 1900

C. Smith. Rear 41 Smith street Fitchburg, Mass.

Dear Sir :- Replying to your letter of the 22nd inst. received this day. declining the nomination for the office of representative in the general court, 12th Woroester district, under the political designation of Democratic party. I beg to state that the time within which nominations may be withdrawn expired Monday, the 22nd inst. at 5 o'clock p. m. (See section 145 of chaper 548, Acts of 1898) Your name must therefore appear upon the official ballot as a candidate

designations of Democratic Social nomination paper and Democratic. Very respectfully, Wm. M. Olin, Secretary This letter epulains the entire sit nation.

for said office under the political

Karl Marx Class.

The Karl Marx Class of Boston, conducted by Comrade Martha Moore Avery, meets every Sunday afternoon Cormade Fenner, of Woroester. 81 at 8 p. m. sharu, at Homestead Hall, Comrade Leonard, of Chicopee Falls. 124 Washington street. Visitors are 22 invited.

News From Lynn.

The growth of the Social Demo-eratic movement in this city is slow held weekly on Thursday evenings. but sure; we are learning the lesson, that we as yet can only see in the dim elected: Michael Healey, Chairman; other states. All Socialists, whom I distance the mirage of the promised Martin V. Ruggles .Secretary; Edwin have met are in accord with the editorial which will be reached some day.

Nicholl, Treasurer. How? no one knows. But we hope and believe that it will come and party in this city. The mother branch emancipate mankind. The rush and (5) is under heavy expense, but with whirr of the new machines, fast dis-placing labor, sound ever in our ears; every Saturday evening, at which the procession of the gigantic trusts, some \$25 worth of presents are given as their massive chariot wheels grind weekly, we are getting along fairly the bodies of our poor, is ever before well. A monthly meeting will be held occasion of his marriage in London to our vision; but we can only look on at which members of both branches and say to the world: "We told you will legislate on other than purely women - Ex

swo hundred people. At the close of arters have been secured at 70 in that town

party in this city. The mother branch for a convention in the early summer

month and netted a nest sum. This organization has secured a Thursday half-holiday for the grocery clerks of The strike of the Lasters at Fisher's

shoe factory shows no change, al-though the shop is still picketed and the firm finds it hard to secure help, its only help thus far secured being men from Northwood, N. H. The Lynn Typographical Union is making an effort to have the union

public meeting in Town hall (so-called) on the 5th inst. and Comrade Carey was the principal speaker.

Carey was the principal speaker. Comrade Elmer F. Robinson, organi-

zer of the Lynn branch, and Comrade

Wm. H. Hitchcock, of the Lynn News, also spoke on Socialism. This

Labor Notes.

upon the books of the Clerks Interna-

tional Protective Association at its last meeting. The organization now numbers, some 800 members and made

The grocery cierks held their annual concert and ball on the 28th of last

over \$1000 at its recent fair.

Eighty new members were enrolled

46 branch holds semi-monthly meetings 74 at B. & S. W. headquarters on Essex

label on city printing, one of their members being an alderman and an other is a member of the city council. An order has been introduced to that effect, but it is rumored that the city government, not caring to go on record against labor, will have the city solicitor declare it unconstitutional

and placing a secretary in the field.

Secretary Wadleigh of L. P. U. presented a price list last week to Luddy & Currier for machine lasting and pulling which has been accepted by

James Phelan and Son's lasters have received a raise of 10 per cent increase in lasting.

Lawrence.

Comrade A L. Gillen, of Haverhill. del vered a lecture in our headquarters last Tuesday evening. He traced the industrial evolution from barbaric beginnings through the stages of feu dalism until the present era of capi talization. He proved how the present

Worcester

On Sunday evening, March 10. Rev E Bisbee will deliver a lecture on The Man with the Hoe," at Granite hall All are cordially invited

From Fitchburg.

To the Editor:-Comrade F () MacCartney, of Rockland, gave a very interesting address to a well-filled hall of Socialiists at Leominster, last Sunday, on "Socialism Inevitable." manner of speaking is easy and con-versational, easy to follow, and there was much originality in the address.

A committee of Fitchburg Socialists torial in the last number of the "Haverhill Social Democrat" calling D. Fitchburg, March 5.

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Visitor (angrily)-See here, sir. Saturday Eve., Mar. 9, You called me a pulitical jobber in your paper this morning. Editor-Yes, but that was a mis-

Visitor -Ah! You admit that? Editor-Certainly, I wrote "robber" very plainly.-Philadelphia Press.

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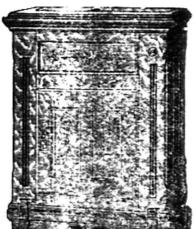
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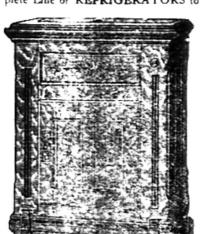
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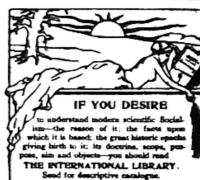
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