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### National Secretary's Financial Report for Month of March, 1906.

National Headquarters, Socialist Party. Chicago, Ill., March 31, 1906.

I	RECE	PTS.		
National Dues	from	State	Comm	
Alabama			\$	5.00
Arizona				5.00
Arkansas				19.00
California				90.00
Colorado				19.00
Connecticut				46.75
Florida				5.00
Idaho				10.00
Illinois				169.50
Indiana				25.00
Iowa				25.00
Kansas				20.00
Louisiana				4.00
Maine				15.00
Massachusetts				60.00
Michigan				45.00
Minnesota				25.00
Missouri				50.00
Montana				30.00
Nebraska				5.00
New Hampshir	e			10.20
New Jersey				100.00
New York				100.00
North Dakota				10.05
Ohio				80.00
Oklahoma				60.00
Oregon				30.00
Pennsylvania				75.00
Rhode Island				5.00
South Dakota				15.50
Texas				42.35

Unorganized States. Washington, D. C. ..... 5.00 Maryland
Nevada
North Carolina 
 Tennessee
 10.60

 Members at large
 5,80

 Agitation Fund
 48.45

 Perpetual Campaign Coupons
 5.00

 Bloody Sunday Fund
 141.77

 Total Receipts ......\$2,209.78 EXPENDITURES.

Wyoming .....

Exchange ... \$
General expense ... Express and freight .... Postage ..... Telegrams and telephone ..... Wages— J. Mahlon Barnes .....\$107.85 W. W. Rihl ...... 72.00 Chas, Drees ..... 72.00 E. L. Baldwin ..... 52.00 M. Flaherty ..... 44.00 Extra Help ...... 15.50 Printing Bulletin on account ... Printing literature and supplies 125.00 Speakers— Jas. H. Brower ......\$35.00 Geo. H. Geebel 50.00
A. M. Lewis 50.00
Guy E. Miller 25.00
Teofilo Petriella 30.00
John W. Slayton 70.00 M. W. Wilkins ...... 15,00 National Executive Committee Meeting— Robert Bandlow . . . . . \$34.00 

 Chas, H. Kerr
 6.00

 Wm. Mailly
 26.50

 A. M. Simons
 6.00

 Chas, G. Towner
 35.50

 A. W. Wall
 35.50

 John M. Work ..... 35.30 Rent, February ..... 90.00 Party buttons ...... Ledgers, State Com. ..... 15.00 Lighting
Press clippings
Wrapping and mimeo. paper

Expenditures for month .... 2,242.23 Balance on hand, April 1, 1906.\$ 68.71 Fraternally submitted, J. MAHLON BARNES, National Secretary.

Total expenditures ......\$2,242.23

SUMMARY. Balance on hand, March 1, 1906. 101.16 Receipts for month ..... 2,209.78

406.97

## Report of the Action of the National Committee on Referendums

## MOTIONS 2, 3 AND 4

National Headquarters, Socialist Party. Chicago, Ill., April 11, 1906.

"I move that the National Secretary be instructed to have the resignation of Joseph M. Patterson as Commissioner of Public Works of Chicago, printed in leaflet form, and that same be sold to state committees and locals at cost."

By National Committeeman Zimmerman of West Virginia,

"I move that the National Secretary be and hereby is empowered to pay a sum not to exceed one hundred dollars each month as follows:

1. The articles to be clearly Socialist

entitled to consideration.

6. Payments to be made at the rate of \$1.00 for each article, and for the first hundred articles each month, meeting these requirements, but no Comrade shall be paid for more than six articles in any one month.

7. The National Executive Committee shall be the judges and see that these rules are complied with.''

### Motion No. 2.

VOTING YES.

California—Edmiston.
California—L, M. Lewis.
Colorado—Woodside
Indiana—Reynolds. Iowa—Work, Illinois—Stedman, Illinois—Simons. Massachusetts-Carey. Minnesota—Peach, Montana—McHugh Nebraska-Blackford New Hampshire—Little. New Jersey—Ufert. New York—Lee. North Dakota—Lampman. Ohio-Bandlow. Oklahoma—Bentley. Pennsylvania—Schwartz. Texas—Mills.
Vermont—Sullivan.
Wyoming—Hastings.
Total—21.

### VOTING NO.

Arkansas-Lowry. Connecticut-Krieger. Florida—Healey. Illinois—Berlyn. Idaho—Rigg. Indiana—Kelley. Kentucky-Miller. Maine-Fox. Michigan—Menton. Missouri—Hoehn, Missouri—Behrens. New Jersey—Reilly. New York—Jackson. Ohio—Prevey. Rhode Island—Floyd. Washington-Kennedy. Total-16.

### NOT VOTING.

Alabama—LaRue. Arizona—Barnette. Iowa-Gifford. Louisiana-Putnam Massachusetts—Wentworth, Minnesota—Holman, New York—Hillquit. Oklahoma—Hagel Pennsylvania—Adams. South Dakota—Cochran. Washington-Lund. West Virginia-Zimmerman. Wisconsin—Berger.
Wisconsin—Thompson.
Wisconsin—Heath.
Total—16.

Motion carried.

Simons (Ill.)-"I would suggest that Chicago, Ill., April 11, 1906.
To the National Committee,
Socialist Party.
Comrades:—Herewith is submitted report of Referendum No. 2, Motions No. 2 and 3:

By National Committeeman Schwartz of Pennsylvania.

Motion No. 2.

Simons (Ill.)—"I would suggest that only that portion be printed that is of general interest—that the opening paragraphs dealing with details of Chicago municipal administration connected with his former office be omitted."

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Berlyn (Ill.)—"I vote no on Motion 2, for the following reasons: that the subject matter has had full publicity both in the capitalistic and Socialistic press. In itself it is not of a character to educate or interest the working class.

o educate or interest the working class in the struggles between labor and capital. It would be useless. Leaflets emanating from National office should have some permanent value. I hope that Comrade Patterson will write some-

thing that would be good for general propaganda."

Menton (Mich.)—"I vote no on Motion 2, Referendum 2, as I cannot see where the resignation of Patterson to where the resignation of Patterson to Mayor Dunn would make good propaganda matter, it is not clear enough, and further, I do not believe to slob over anyone who may come from the capitalistic ranks into our movement."

Mills (Texas)—"I believe a generous distribution of Patterson's letter will do good among a certain class of folks our regular propaganda does not always

articles.

2. They shall exceed 500 words, except in the large dailies or periodicals where transient writers are limited to a less number, then that limitation shall determine the length of the article.

3. They must appear in non-Socialist papers or periodicals and be signed by the Comrade or under a nom de plume.

4. The articles may be, but need not be entirely, original.

5. The Comrade must send a marked copy of the paper containing the article to the National Secretary, together with a statement from the secretary of the local of which he is a member, certifying that he is in good standing and is entitled to consideration.

6. Payments to be made at the rate of

Arkansas—Lowry.
California—Edmiston.
California—L. M. Lewis.
Colorado—Woodside. Connecticut-Krieger. Illinois—Stedman.
Illinois—Stedman.
Illinois—Simons.
Illinois—Berlyn.
Idaho—Rigg.
Indiana—Reynolds.
Indiana—Kelley.
Iowa—Work. Kentucky—Miller, Maine—Fox. Massachusetts—Wentworth. Michigan—Menton. Minnesota—Peach. Missouri—Hoehn. Missouri—Behrens. Montana—McHugh. Nebraska—Blackford. New Hampshire-Little. New Jersey—Ufert. New Jersey—Reilly. New York—Lee. New York-Hillquit. New York-Jackson. North Dakota-Lampman, Ohio—Prevey. Pennsylvania—Schwartz. Rhode Island—Floyd. Vermont-Sullivan. Washington-Kennedy. Wyoming—Hastings. Total—35.

### NOT VOTING.

Alabama—LaRue. Arizona—Barnette. Iowa—Gifford. Louisiana-Putnam. Minnesota—Holman, Oklahoma—Bentley, Oklahoma—Hagel. Pennsylvania-Adams, South Dakota-Cochran. Washington-Lund. Wisconsin—Berger. Wisconsin—Thompson. Wisconsin—Heath. Total-13. Motion defeated.

Lowry (Ark.)-"I cannot vote for motion as worded. I doubt the wisdom motion as worded. I doubt the wisdom of offering a reward of one dollar for this work. The proposition to use the columns of the daily press and the magazines is a good one, but leave off the reward. I am instructed to vote no."

Krieger (Conn.)—"Record me as voting no on Motion No. 3. I recognize the

press as the greatest educational force of the age, and we should do all in our power to get Socialist articles published therein, but I believe that it can and should be done without dollars."

Ufert (N. J.)—"I cannot agree that \$1.00 is a sufficient reward for the

writer. Furthermore the National Ex-ecutive would be burdened with a great amount of work if this were carried out,

and the expense would reach \$200 or National Dues from State Committees: even more. Lastly it seems doubtful that all writers would elect to have the National Executive Committee be the bureau of censorship for their articles and for this reason the most able arti-

cles would probably never be submit-Bentley (Okla.)-"I wish to be recorded as not voting on Referendum No. 2, Motion 3. It's too good an idea to sit

down on, and yet I can't vote to pay out money in that way."

Schwartz (Pa.)—'Please record me as voting No on Motion No. 3. My reasons are that there are a number of Comrades now writing Socialist articles which are published in non-Socialist papers without any remuneration from the party. I believe the hundred dol-lars could be used to better advantage, besides Socialists ought not to be looking for any prizes, but for the co-opera-tive commonwealth."

### Chicago, Ill., April 25, 1906. Comrades:

Herewith is submitted a report of your action on Referendum No. 3, Motion No. 4, the text of which appears elsewhere. VOTING YES.

Arizona—Barnette. Connecticut—Krieger. Indiana—Reynolds. Indiana—Kelley. Kansas—Brewer. Montana—McHugh New Hampshire-Little. Ohio-Prevey. Oregon-Holt. Pennsylvania-Schwartz. Texas—Mills. Vermont—Sullivan. Total—12.

VOTING NO. Arkansas—Lowry. Alabama—LaRue. Alabama—Lakue,
California—Lewis, L. M.
Colorado—Woodside,
Kentucky—Miller.
Maine—Fox.
Minnesota—Holman.
Missouri—Hoehn.
New York—Lee,
New York—Hillquit.
New York—Jackson New York-Jackson. Ohio—Bandlow. Ililnois—Stedman. Ililnois—Berlyn. Idaho—Rigg. Iowa—Work. Iowa—Gifford. Missouri-Behrens. New Jersey—Ufert. New Jersey—Reilly. Rhode Island-Floyd. Wisconsin-Heath.

Wyoming—Hastings. Total—25. NOT VOTING. California-Edminston. Florida-Healey. Illinois-Simons. Louisiana—Putnam.
Massachusetts—Wentworth.
Massachusetts—Carey. Michigan—Menton. Minnesota—Peach. North Dakota-Lampman. Oklahoma—Bentley. Oklahoma—Hagel. Pennsylvania—Adams. South Dakota—Cochran. Washington—Lund. Washington—Kennedy. West Virginia-Zimmerman. Wisconsin—Thompson. Total—17. Motion defeated.

Comment.

LaRue (Ala.)—''I vote no on Motion
No. 4, for the reasons, 1st, I think it impracticable, and will bring no material results. 2nd, As it is presented to the National Committee, it is not a motion, but merely a suggestion, entirely proper for transmission to the party; but not in proper form to be voted upon. I think it an argument or a preachment.

rather than a motion."

Berlyn (Ill.)—"I vote no on Motion
4, for the following reasons. I am intera, for the following reasons. I am interested in striving to secure the safety of Comrades Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone, and believe that this can best be accomplished by enlisting all the elements of organized laber to pay strict attention to the affairs of the trial, and to contribute such sums as the limited whility of warenesses. ability of wageworkers permit them. I do not believe that a lot of hot air, gush and De Leonistic denunciation of the trades union movement in general will assist in bringing about that which is so much needed in this affair, a united

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### National Secretary's Financial Report for Month of April, 1906.

National Headquarters, Socialist Party. Chicago, Ill., April 30, 1906.

### RECEIPTS.

Alabama	5.00
Arizona	10.00
Arkansas	15.00
California	30.00
Colorado	20.00
Florida	15.00
Idaho	32.00
Illinois	111.00
Indiana	45.00
Iowa	25.00
Kansas	30.00
Louisiana	11.00
Maine	10.00
Massachusetts	77.00
Michigan	50.00
Minnesota	50.00
Missouri	35.00
Montana	10.00
Nebraska	5.00
New York	100.00
Ohio	60.00
Oklahoma	40.00
Oregon	35.00
Pennsylvania	75.00
Rhode Island	7.00
South Dakota	12.00
Texas	26.45
Utah	
Washington	47.00
West Virginia	2.50

Utah	10.00
Washington	47.00
West Virginia	2.50
Wisconsin	114.00
Wyoming	10.00
	1,124.95
Unorganized States.	
Washington, D. C	6.00
Georgia	5.00
Maryland	1.00
Nevada	11.20
New Mexico	1.30
North Carolina	2,60
South Carolina	4.10
Tennessee	15,50
Members at large	1.00
Total for Dues	1,172.65
Supplies	70.75
Literature	77.80
Buttons	75.36
W. F. Miners' Defense Fund	1,915.75
Agitation Fund	
San Francisco Relief Fund	171.85
Bloody Sunday Fund	23.25
Miscellaneous	3,92
Total receipts	3.822.33
EXPENDITURES.	
Exchange	9.97
General expense	8.20
Express and freight	0.20

Exchange	9.97
General expense	8.20
Express and freight	11.47
Postage	156.30
Telegrams and telephone	16.82
Wages—	
J. Mahlon Barnes \$105.00	
W. W. Rihl 90.00	
Chas. Drees 90.00	
E. L. Baldwin 65.00	
M. Flaherty 55.00	
F. H. Slick 90.00	
Extra Help 6.00	
	501.00
Printing Bulletin on account	127.00
Printing literature and supplies	100.00
Literature	67.40
Office equipment	1.50
Speakers-	
Jas. H. Brower \$ 20.00	
Jas. F. Carey 36.00	
E E Carr 20.00	

E. E. Carr	20.00	
John Collins	15.00	
Sol. Fieldman		
Geo. H. Goebel		
Ben Hanford		
Wm. Mailly		
Guy E. Miller		
Teofilo Petriella		
John W. Slayton		
M. W. Wilkins		
		550.00
Nation Exec. Committee	e—	
		27.00
A. H. Floaten		37.00
Pont March		90.00

Nation Exec. Committee-	
A. H. Floaten	. 37.00
Rent. March	
Lighting	
Electro Plates	
Carbon Paper	
Rent of Typewriter	
Bloody Sunday Fund	. 23.25
San Francisco Relief Fund	. 171.85
W. F. Miners' Defense Fund .	. 1,915.75
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## Total expenditures ......\$3,839.26

Balance of Receipts	n hand, for mon	April th	1, 1906.\$	3,822.33

			\$3,891.04
P dituese		month	
Expenditures	IOL	month	0.000.20

Balance on hand May 1, 1906.\$ 51.78 Fraternally submitted,

J. MAHLON BARNES, National Secretary.

### PARTY OFFICIAL BULLETIN SOCIALIST

front of all the elements of organized labor. I most emphatically vote no on the part of the resolution which strives to make the function of the Socialist to make the function of the Socialist Party to propagate industrial unionism, and I cannot understand why the National Secretary permits this resolution to go to a referendum of the National Committee, which is in antagonism of the trades union resolution adopted at the convention of 1904, and endorsed by the membership of the party."

Stedman (III.)—"I vote no for the reason that the funds subscribed might be only three or four thousand dollars.

be only three or four thousand dollars at the outside and that would be an evidence of apparent weakness from the capitalistic standpoint; five or ten thousand is large to us; it is not a freckle from the capitalist point of view.'

Gifford (Iowa)—"Had the terms "Industrial Unionism" been omitted from

this motion, I would have voted yes. I consider the motion is vague and in-definite, and therefore vote no."

Wentworth (Mass.)—"It does not seem to me that this is really drawn in form of a motion. It is a suggestion that 'every Socialist and union laborer be asked, etc.' Who is to do the asking? I am in hearty sympathy with Comrade Bentley's intent; but believe such motions should be definitely and coherently drawn before they are sub-mitted to National Committeemen for their votes."

Holman (Minn.)-"The purpose and intent of this motion is excellent, and I am in hearty sympathy with it, and while personally a believer in industrial while personally a believer in industrial unionism, I do not consider it the province of the Socialist Party to take sides with any section of the labor movement. It would appear as a practical endorsement of the I. W. W. as against the A. F. of L., and a violation of the resolutions passed at the last national convention. This position should not be in any way construed as antagonistic to the I. W. W. The party has declared for the separation of the political and industrial wings of the labor movement, and to instruct our nalabor movement, and to instruct our national officers to spread the cause of

industrial unionism, is in violation of industrial unionism, is in violation of the expressed will of the party, otherwise it is extremely commendable."

Behrens (Mo.)—'I vote no on Referendum No. 3, Motion No. 4, for the reason that in my judgment, said motion contains a 'stinger' wherein it relates to the spread of industrial unionism, placed there perhaps unwittingly by the placed there perhaps unwittingly by the mover. Millions for the defense of our comrade, the Western Federation of Miners' officials, and the spread of So-cialism, but not a red cent for dividing the working class in the economic field."

Reilly (N. J.)-"I am voting no on Motion No. 4, in accordance with instructions received from the State Committee of New Jersey. Personally I favor the motion, and would vote yes, if I were not bound by these instruc-

Ufert (N. J.)—"My knowledge of the Socialist movement in the United States makes the motion ridiculous in my eyes. Had the mover omitted the statement of any sum, I would gladly vote yes. As it is, the party would issue a call for millions and have paltry thousands in return. Just so it was in 1904 when some enthusiastic Comrades predicted votes by the millions and were sorely disappointed, when four hundred thousand were announced as the re-sult. If we had a method of reaching all of the 400,000 voters who were with us on election day, the motion would seem feasible. I am ready to favor a motion for funds that will bring about the result desired."

Hillquit (N. Y.)—"In voting no on Motion No. 4, Referendum No. 3, I do not wish to be understood as disapproving of the entirely laudable sentiment which prompted Comrade Bentley to make it. I vote in the negative for the reason that I do not believe in the mode of procedure suggested by the motion. A threat to open the floodgates of Socialism and industrial unionism upon the wesern capitalists in the event of an unjust conviction of Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone, is to my mind, somewhat deficient in sobriety." Jackson (N. Y.)—"I vote no because

I believe the Socialist movement to be one of intelligent political action, not of money. With intelligence, all the of money. With intelligence, all the wealth of the country is ours; without it all the money in the world can only make bait for graft. Besides, too much clamoring for contributions keeps any

movement back."

Lee (N. Y.)—"The motion is superfluous, inasmuch as we are already making agitation very effectively and also raising money for the defense fund for them, it would tend to defeat its own purpose by the extravagance of its expression. We know that we could not raise \$2,500,000, nor \$25,000, by any such appeal. To apeal for millions and get thousands makes us ridiculous, to make a sober and practical appeal as we have done, and get hundreds, as we are doing, is more effective as well as more dignified. Let us do more work and less big talking."

Holt (Oregon)-"I am voting yes on Motion No. 4, I think the results should have been better if Comrade Bentley had said from one to twenty-five dollars."

Heath (Wis.)-"Here is a motion made doubtless in good faith and with good intent that is after al! in bad taste and calculated to incite feeling. It is an attempt to commit our party to a certain fight that is going on in the trade union movement and with which our party should have nothing to do. The Western outrage stirs the blood, of course, but it should not be made use of, even innocently, to draw forth im-pulsive action that will break down a wise party tradition. One form of un-ionism or another had nothing to do with the Moyer-Haywood affair."

Fraternally submitted, J. MAHLON BARNES. National Secretary.

### ERN FEDERATION OF MINERS DEFENSE FUND DURING

APRIL.	
cal Marshfield Ore	2.60
cal Chula Vista Cal	6.00
cal Marshfield, Ore	0.00
Benefit Fund. Branch 155	
Brooklyn, N. Y.	5.00
cai Marietta. O.	2.00
cal Hallsburg, Texas	1.00
odge No. 52, I. A. of M. Bank-	
ville, Pa. orkmen's Sick & Death Benefit Fund, Branch 117 and Lucal Springfield III Ger	5.00
orkmen's Sick & Death Ben-	
efit Fund, Branch 117 and	
man Branch	10.00
eal Union No. 890, U. M. W.	
of A., Soddy, Tenn	25.00
cal Asheville, N. C	4.60
cal Shelley, Minn.  cal Shelley, Minn.  cal Shelley, Minn.  cal Wuskegon, Mich.  cal Muskegon, Mich.  cal No. 1302, Carpenters &	6.60
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and Muskagen Mich	1.20
gel No 1209 Corporters 6	2.50
Joiners of America, Spadra,	
Ark Or America, Spaula,	5.00
beiter Kranken & Sterbe	0.00
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geles, Wash	2.50
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Wash	2.50
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Vash.	.50
cal New Kensington, Pa	7.00
eal Coyato, Utah eal Cointon, Iowa	2.50
nal Daimy One	3.75
al Clinton Town	4.25
vre Mont	2.25
al Calumet Mich	3.00 8.35
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vre, Mont.  cal Calumet, Mich.  H. Martin, for Hudson Co.,  N. J.  cal Rock Island, Ill.  cal Pawtucket, R. I.  ktucket, R. L. Central Trades	6,65
cal Rock Island, Ill	20.00
cal Pawtucket, R. I.	5.00
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Wash.
Moyer-Haywood Protest Conference Local New York Soc. boken, N. J. ...... 15.00 \$1,915,75 Previously acknowledged .....

CONTRIBUTIONS IN RESPONSE TO "BLOODY SUNDAY" PROCLA-MATION DURING APRIL

\$2,322.72

\$2,125.40

Progressive Rolled Cigarette-Makers' Union, New York..\$ Bohemian Branch No. 8, Local Cleveland, O. ...... Local Natchez, Wash. .. Previously acknowledge .... 2,102.15

CONTRIBUTIONS TO AGITATION FUND DURING THE MONTH OF APRIL

Bristol Co., Mass., . Socialist Clubs ...... \$ 10.00 Chas. M. Cohen, Washington, 

CONTRIBUTIONS TO SAN FRAN-CISCO RELIEF FUND, FROM

APRIL 21 TO APRIL 30, INC. E. J. Rohrer, Nevada, Idaho . . . \$ 5.00 W. O. Purvis, Benton Harbor, Mich. Local Cook Co., Ill., additional R. S. Price, Houston, Ill. 46.00 6.25 3.00 Local Rockford, Ill. Bohemian Executive Committee, Cleveland, O. ........ Local Cook Co., Ill., additional. Local Cook Co., Ill., additional. 32.60

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	Arkansas	76	302	195	497	400	400	24.15	• .75	23.40	22	5	67.09	49.15	17.94	25
	California	•														
5.00	Colorado		141	223	364	380	210		30.40	27.40	14	8	60.70		.95	
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	Idaho	11	90	74	164	72	77	17.85		9.45	13	4	46.65		17.93	10
5.00	Illinois															
	Indiana		600	500		25				5.00			92.30		64.12	
	Iowa		216	207	423	425	289	61.60	4.97	52.27	30	21	491.11	375.45	201.79	
	Kansas		152	125	177	124	105	9.80	1.25	4.30			19.30	21.90		
10.00	Kentucky															
	Louisiana		43		174	80	50						5.00	4.57	.43	
25.00	Maine	5	122	99	209	132	137	15.22	3.12	13.40	27	13	36.44	48.02	119.14	
4.60	Massachusetts.															
6.60	Michigan		382	272	625	433	683	21.25	1.65	14.95	52	25	41.49		149.94	
17.90	Minnesota		616	278	936	960	833	91.75	61.23	96.35	56	17	610.55	579.23	318.65	
1.20	Missouri	3	17	19	36	1,000	1,836						95.25	83.58		00
2.50	Montana															
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### J. MAHLON BARNES, National Secretary, 269 Dearborn St., Chicago, Ill

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J. Mahlon Barnes. 269 Dearborn St., Chicago, Ill. San Francisco totally destroyed, five hundred Comrades destitute. Relief utterly inadequate. Do what you can to

help. Money needed. H. C. TUCK." Letter from Comrade Mailly Dated at Indianapolis, April 20th. "I have just seen the report in the

Chicago papers of Comrade Tuck's appeal to you for aid for suffering Comrades in San Francisco disaster, and feel that something should be done at once. I therefore submit the following National Executive Committee motion:

"That the National Secretary, if sufficient funds be available, wire \$100 to Comrade Tuck for purposes needed. That the National Secretary take the vote of the National Executive Committee by wire, so that he acts with due authorify in the matter, and so that such aid as the National Party can render can be given immediately."

The affirmative votes of a majority of the National Executive Committee on the above motion, from namely Floaten, Kerr, Mailly and Simons, are at hand, and the following telegram has been

"Chicago, Ill., April 21, 1906. H. C. Tuck, 405 8th St., Oakland, Cal. Draw on First National Bank of Oakland for \$100.

J. MAHLON BARNES, National Secretary."

RESOLUTIONS. Resolutions by Local Los Angeles, Cal.
At a regular meeting held March 29th,
Local Los Angeles initiated a referendum to instruct the National Executive \$ 171.85 Committee to provide for and maintain

to be used in defending the working class against the persecutions and tyr-anny of the capitalistic class.

Resolutions by Local Emporia, Kansas. To the National Committee of the So-

cialist Party.

Whereas, The membership of the party is beginning to recognize the expensiveness of publishing and distributing the "Official Bulletin," and

Whereas, Several locals have introduced resolutions calling for referen dums with a view to remedying this condition, and

Whereas, Referendums are cumber-some and expensive and detract from the main issue and should not be resorted to when what would appear to be the wishes of the majority can be arrived at by some other method; there-

fore be it

Resolved, That the "Official Bulletin" still be printed as heretofore, but that it be distributed in the following manner:

(1) Two copies for each local secre tary and each secretary of local branches, one copy each for every state secretary and National Committeeman and Socialist Party paper, and two copies for National Headquarters.

(2) The National Executive Commit tee to determine a fixed price by which additional copies may be secured.

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a "National Defense Fund," such fund retaries will file and preserve one copy for reference and the other shall be placed in reading room of local or branch headquarters, for use of member-ship; and be it further

Resolved, That the National Committee be called upon to adopt the above rules governing the publishing and distributing of the Official Bulletin.

Adopted in regular meeting of Local Emporia, Kansas, April 14, 1906. M. F. STRANBERCK,

HERBERT SPENCER, Chairman. Secretary.

Resolutions, Approved by Executive Committee, Socialist Party, Cook County.

Passed by the German Central Committee, Socialist Party of Cook County, Illinois, at its regular meeting, April

Whereas, The Socialist Party has the mission to make the working class selfreliant and to organize the same into a political party on a class-conscious ba-Whereas. The emancipation of the

working-class can only be accomplished by a thorough and conscientious cam-paign of education and independent political activity; therefore be it

Resolved, To brand as false and destructive all attempt to artificially pre-

vent the working class to join the Socialist Party in order to capture the political power of government by peaceful means, and be it further resolved to denounce the Chicagoer Arbeiter Zeitung, which incessantly in its columns preaches against political activity of the working class in the Socialist Party, but advocates the general strike and a

direct action; also
Resolved, To send a copy of these resolutions to the Socialist Press and to the National Secretary of the Socialist Party. By order of the Committee, M. SZTRAKA, Secretary.

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### NATIONAL NOTES.

The Socialists of Cook County, Ill., were successful in their legal assault upon the obnoxious primary law passed the late Legislature of Illinois. One of the features of the law required the payment of fees with nominating pe-titions, and required twenty instead of ten per cent, of the total vote to be cast by a party to insure legal standing. Immediately upon the decision being rendered favorable to the Socialists, a special session of the Legislature has been called.

The Socialists of Racine, Wis., elected four Aldermen to the City Council. This is a gain of one over last year.

The Socialists of Red Lodge, Mont., elected the Mayor, Police Magistrate and two Aldermen. The Democrats and Republicans had combined on a fusion ticket.

The vote at Livingston, Mont., for Aldermen was as follows: First Ward-Republican, 98; Democrat, 68; Socialists, 64. Second Ward-Socialists, 16. This is the business men's ward. Third Ward—Socialists, 55; Democrats, 50; Republicans, 42. The Socialist vote is 25 per cent. of the total vote cast. Last year it was 18 per cent. Reports at hand from Montana indicate that the Socialist vote has increased at all points where a municipal contest was made.

The vote of the Social Democratic party in Milwaukee for Mayor was 16,837. This is an increase of about 1,000 over the vote for Mayor in 1904. The Socialist Labor party vote for Mayor was 116. As a result of the election twelve Socialists will occupy seats in the City Council, a gain of three over last year. Four Supervisors and two Justices of the Peace were

Durant, Indian Territory, in the first municipal election, out of a total vote of 579 shows a record of 138 Socialist

Blair, Neb., 66 Socialist votes against 40 in 1905.

It was reported that an unattached organization was trying to control the Socialist primaries in Omaha, Neb., and nominated a ticket in opposition to the party nominees. This attempt was un-successful and the entire ticket proposed by Local Omaha was nominated at the primaries.

Mystic, Ia.—For Mayor, F. T. Roms-burg, Socialist, 298 votes; Republican candidate, 220 votes; for Treasurer, W. candidate, 220 votes; for Treasurer, W. B. Bedinger, Socialist, elected by 36 majority; First Ward, to fill vacancy, N. H. Barnes, Socialist, elected by 20 majority; First Ward, full term, Joseph Baker, Socialist, elected by 16 majority; Third Ward, E. G. Street, Socialist, elected by 70 majority. The Republicans elected the City Assessor by a majority of 8, and the Second Ward Councilmen by a majority of 11. The Republicans and Democrats were combined against the Socialists. bined against the Socialists.

A. L. Smith, 1004 North Rocheblave street, New Orleans, La., has been elected a member of the National Committe for Louisiana.

W. A. Stulce, member of Local Soddy, Tenn., has been expelled from the party for taking part in the Democratic convention and accepting an appointment as Deputy Sheriff.

Financial Secretary Comrade Morrill, of the Haverhill (Mass.) Club, collected \$94 in dues in ninety days. It is suggested that other clubs should adopt the idea of appointing a collector.

One Assembly district in New York on January 1st had nineteen good standing members in the organization. There were 291 Socialist votes cast in this district in November. One of the members, realizing the small percentage of members to voters in the district, took it upon himself to hunt up the voters and during January and February re-ceived fifty-five applications for membership, with one or more months' dues from each. The membership of that Assembly district at the present date is eighty-nine.

The election of Local Bisbee, Ariz where the union-wrecking and Socialist-annihilating citizens' alliance is so much in evidence, resulted as follows: Republican, 547; Democrats, 401; So-cialists, 85. The secretary reports that this is as much as could be expected, considering the fact that about 400 of the most active spirits were compelled to leave the camp during the last month. The capitalists are openly advocating the driving of the Socialists out of the country, and a workingman seen talking to any known Socialist is discharged and blacklisted.

Bigelow, Lunn & Co. presented an order for \$15 worth of literature to the National office.

The following speakers might be secured for Moyer-Haywood meetings by addressing them direct:

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Cleveland, O. Benton, W. C., 163 Randolph street, Chi-Berlyn, B., 662 East 63d street, Chicago, Ill. cago, Ill.

Bigelow, Geo. E., 980 Jackson boulevard. intmense audiences on the street and Chicago, Ill.

Brecken, Chas., 163 Randolph street,

Chicago, Ill.

Brown, John W., 64 East Fourth street, New York, N. Y., care of John C. Chase.

Carey, James F., care of Geo. G. Cutting, 699 Washington street, Boston, Mass.

Chase, John C., 64 East Fourth street, New York, N. Y. Clark, Samuel, 1305 Arch street, Phila-

delphia, Pa. Clifford, F., care of Cleveland Citizen, Cleveland, O. Caldwell, Chas. M., Brocton, Mass. Cowen, I., care of National office. Davies, E. H., 1305 Arch street, Phila-

delphia, Pa. Darrah, E., Monument avenue, Colorado Springs, Col. Floaten, A. H., care of National office.

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lington, N. J. King, Murray E., care Montana News. King, Cameron, 920 Fulton street, San Francisco, Cal.

Knowles, Freeman, Deadwood, S. D.
Lewis, Austin, 325 Montgomery street,
San Francisco, Cal.
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Wanhope, Joseph, Boise, Idaho. Wentworth, Franklin H., Indian Head road, South Hanson, Mass.

White, Dan A., 13 Crowell street, Brock-ton, Mass.
Wilkins, M. W., care of Alex. F. Irvine, drawer 45, New Haven, Conn.
Work, John M., care of National office.

The State convention of the Socialist party of Missouri will be held at Jefferson City on May 30th.

The arrest of one of our comrades in Greenville, S. C., for distributing handbills announcing the meeting of Comrade Fitts resulted in increasing the enthusiasm and the size of the audience which attended the meeting.

At the recent meeting of the International Socialist Bureau it was decided to increase the dues of most of the affiliated parties. The dues heretofore have been 800 francs for each nation represented. The change has been made with regard to the relative strengthening of the party in the several countries. dues for Germany are now 2,500 francs per annum. Those for France, England and the United States are 1,250 francs per annum.

A charter has been granted by the National office to Gallup, New Mexico. Thirteen members.

Charles L. Breckon, Secretary of Lo-cal Cook County, reports that Charles J. Geist, a printer, was expelled from the party for scabbing. He has left the city of Chicago and is presumed to be somewhere in the interior of the State of Illinois. . . .

Walter V. Holloway, 1811 Berkeleyway, Berkeley, Cal., has been elected a member of the National Committee.

In 1904 the vote of Wood County, W. Va., in which is situated the city of Parkersburg, W. Va., 47 Socialist votes were cast, while in the recent city elec-tion of Parkersburg 297 Socialist votes were cast,

The State convention of New Jersey will be held at West Hoboken on May

The Iowa State convention will be held at Des Moines on July 4th.

Comrade Sol Fieldman was arrested in Greenfield, Mass., on April 17th for speaking on the street. The next day he was fined \$5, which he refused to pay, and was sent to the county jail. At 10 n, m, he was put in prison garb and put to work at caning chairs at 1 p. m. About 4 o'clock one of the local comrades insisted upon paying the fine, and Comrade Fieldman was released. The same and the next evening he spoke to

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The Ohio Socialist State convention will be held at Columbus on May 26th

The Kansas State convention will be held at Emporia on May 11th and 12th.

Five members of Local Sioux Falls, Five members of Local Sioux Falls, South Dakota, were found guilty of supporting the Municipal League candidates, which announced as its platform purity in city politics and had for its purpose the defeat of the present city administration and to place in power another capitalistic one. The members thus offending were promptly expelled. thus offending were promptly expelled by Local Sioux Falls.

Fully 3,000 men and women were in the Moyer-Haywood parade (organized by the Allegheny County, Pa. Local) Saturday night, April 21st. Carnegie Hall was filled to suffocation, the collection amounting to \$139. Ben Hanford, of the Socialist party, and C. O. Sherman, of the I. W. W., were the speakers.

Local Washington, D. C., desires to have the attention of the comrades directed to an article in the March number of Everybody's Magazine, wherein the Pinkerton detective, McParland, is given the certificate of good character and lauded to the skies as an exemplary citizen. Local Washington further suggests that in view of the known unsavory record of this limb of capitalism, locals and individual Socialists should write to Everybody's Magazine, pub-lished by the Ridgeway-Thayer Com-pany, Union Square, New York, N. Y., requesting them to investigate McParland's record and to publish the facts in the interest of fair play.

Resolutions in reference to the Moyer-Haywood outrage have reached the National office from several hundred locals. It is not so important that they reach here, but that every local to the last one pass resolutions and forward them to Governor Gooding of Idaho. Com-rades should see to it that every labor organization which they can reach takes similar action and that more and yet more public protest meetings be held. Every local should be listed among the contributors, whether the amount be large or small. The important issue to comrades and working men at this day in our country is to prowide for the proper defense of these comrades of ours, the victims of capitalist conspiracy and class hatred.

The outlook for the polling of a large vote at the coming Congressional elec-tions is most gratifying. The organizing of locals and enrollment of members is going forward at an unprecedented rate, as indicated by the reports of lecturers and organizers now in the field. It may destly assumed that a month's work is now being accomplished in ten days as compared with previous records. Large, enthusiastic and intensely in-terested audiences are the rule, with a manifest eagerness to study Socialism.

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### NATIONAL COMMITTEE REPEREN. DUM, MOTION NO. 4, SUB-MITTED.

National Headquarters,
Socialist Party,
Chicago, Ill., April 3, 1906.
To the National Committee,
Comrades:—Herewith is submitted
National Committee Referendum No. 3,

Motion No. 4, by National Committee-man G. F. Bentley, of O. T. & I. T.: Beferendum No. 3, Motion No. 4.

"I am going to suggest that every So-cialist and union laborer in the United States be requested to pledge from \$5.00 to \$25.00 to a fund to be used by the National officers for the spread of Socialism and industrial unionism in the United States, in case of the conviction of any of the officials of the Western Federation of Miners, upon the purchased testimony of professional thugs. Now 500,000 pledges of \$5.00 will be two and one-half millions of dollars. Really Comrades, we should make it five million for we must show the venal curs of the Mine Owners' Association that if they persist in demanding the martyrdom of these men, who were too pure to be corrupted by their gold, too fearless to cower before their brow-beating reign of terrorism, yes, men who preferred the slimy filth of the bull pen with a true heart to a traitor's seat in the banquet halls of capitalism, with

the banquet halls of capitalism, with the vulture beaked carrion crows of robbery and rapine as they feast on the prostrate body of betrayed labor. Yes, if they hang them we will flood the country with a tide of revolutionary agitation that will sweep the whole structure of piracy into the gulf of ob-

Will capitalism dare unbelt the flood-gates of Socialism for the revenge they will get by murdering two or three menf I believe not.

Let's act quick and pledge three mil-lion dollars in thirty days. We can do it, and we owe it as the next best thing that can be done for the rescue of our Comrades, now languishing in of our Comrades, now languishing in prison.

I hereby request the National Executive Committee to draw on me for \$25.00 upon conviction of either of them."

Vote will close April 24th, and votes received after that date will not be counted. Fraternally submitted,
J. MAHLON BARNES, National Secretary.

DATES FILLED BY NATIONAL LECTURERS AND ORGANIZERS DURING APRIL, 1906.

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John Collins.—April 1, 2, South Omaha, Neb.; 3-8, Omaha; 10-15, Wellfleet; 16-21, Stockville; 23, 24, Wood River; 25-27, North Platte; 29, 30, Black Hills,

Sol. Fieldman.-April 1-28, Massachu-

setts, under the direction of the State Committee; 29, 30, Woonsocket, R. I. J. L. Fitts.—April 9, 10, Seneca, S. C.; 11-13, Greenville; 14, 15, Laurens; 16, 17, Clinton; 18, 19, Ogden; 20, 21, Lancaster; 22-30, Columbia.

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Ben Hanford.—April 7, Camden, N. J.; 9, Wilmington, Del.; 10, Royersford, Pa.; 11, Pottsville; 13, Shamokin; 16, Lock Haven; 20-24, Allegheny County. Gertrude Brealan Hunt.—April 8, Benton Harbor Mich. 9 10, La Porte, Ind. ton Harbor, Mich.; 9,10, La Porte, Ind.; 11, 12, Mishawaka; 13, 14, Goshen; 15-21, Marion; 22, 23, Indianapolis; 24, 25, Kokomo; 26, 27, Peru; 28-30, Hunting-

Arthur Morrow Lewis.—April 1-3, Yuma, Ariz.; 5-18, Bisbee; 20-26, Safford; 28-30, Albuquerque, N. Mex.

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quarters at Indianapolis. quarters at Indianapolis.

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Rockwood; 20, Emery Gap; 21-23, Harriman; 24, Soddy; 25, Chattanooga; 26,
27, Tracy City; 28, Tullahoma; 29, 30,
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