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The sudden closing of the City Jail through the exposures by the
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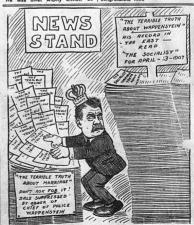
DERS FROM ME THEN I WOULD BETTER GET OTHERS WHO WILL

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OUR DAILY

Fowler at Labor Temple



Lest We Forget

"THE FEDERATION DID IT"

By Tom Sladden

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Of all the enemies of the Working Class today, the most despicable, the lowest, most contemptible and hypocritical of them all, are those who, alieging themselves to be teachers of morality and right-counses, yet are always found on the safe sleft; ready to betray the workers for the assurance of a continuation of their \$4,000 or \$3,000 days bribs and willing to plunge the assessing's dagger of theological hatred into the naked back of the weak and defenselses who have manhood and wormanioned enough to openly and budding with the priest, the rable, the whole or tester, feating nest of them, the foreign of the priest, the rable, it whole or tester, feating nest of them, the deposition of the control of the priest, the rable, it whole or tester, feating nest of them, the deposition of the control of the priest, the rable, it whole or tester, feating nest of them, the deposition of the control of the priest, the rable, it whole or the tester of the priest, the rable, it whole or tester, feating nest of them, the deposition of the priest, the rable, it whole or tester, feating nest of them, the deposition of the priest, the rable, it whole or the tester of the priest, the priest, the rable, it whole or the tester of the priest, the priest, the rable, it whole or the tester of the priest, the priest, the rable, the whole of the priest of the priest, the priest whole and the priest, hypocritics, for ye devour videous' belong the sub-priest, hypocritics, for ye devour videous' because and for g precious make long prayer.

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case has been the unimiteer resources of the states, the resurtry of a criminal hims Owner-Association, and every newspaper and
credice prescher (and that takes in nearly all of them) in the United
A certain Rabbi in Pertaind, whose a time is a mispenser, states
that Hayweod should see that the organit tile; over which he presides be likewise cleared.
Cleared of what?
Nobody but some cheap chariatan, some panderer to the well
wishes and approbation of a dollar-worshipping lot of crooks, but
what knows that the Western Federation and every other labor
organization in the United States stand for law and order.

But the Rabbit dees not hill own words convict him of earlyrespect, for they put themselves outside the law, and should be
treated as vicious and criminal conspirators.

How is he going to treat vicious conspirators outside the law?
Does this braying, preying, or praying jackass advocate mob violence?
I thought he was an advocate of law and order. No Western Federationman has been charged with any crime in Baker City, and I take it all
are innocent until convicted, it would be as asen to charge the Jewish
Church with conspiracy if a piece of match had been found in Baker
City as to charge the Western Ederation was a success to the control of the concity as a charge the Western Ederation was the control of the same of the control of the contime ten places have been blown up by dynamits in the city of
Chicage, and in every case it is known that not working men but
capitalists are doing the work?

A man who hastens before the public with opinions which tend
to inflame the minds of that public, is himself a dangerous criminal
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doen M. F. of M. members, and it were found out afterward that
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weaker and assist in the contest of Pres Speech on the streets. The only change is in the datenational Cott. 15, to State Extra Street of the State Extra Street of the State Extra State Secretary Kiruger wittes Down with the Bastile."

Those who will be on hand Oct. 8 are requested to write to Richard State Secretary Anti-Fusion Club, Box 1673, Section 13, Wash. or 10 July Carlot State Street on the State State State State State Secretary Anti-Fusion Club, Box 1673, Section 13, Wash. or 10 July Carlot State S

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MILLS EXPLAINS

Legalities, illegalities, technicali-ies and formalities make up his 5000 words of defense.

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But with all his dodfuk he does not manage to deay that he supported Ernest Hall when he was a Labor Party candidate and recommended Socialists to support him when the Canadian Socialist Farty was deadly opposed to the Labor Party for which Hall stood.

Mills says, read my speech. But this speech as published by Mills, is not ALL Mills said on that occasion. He says he was ignorant. But in the middle of that meeting, he was interrupted with questions and objections fully informing him that Ernest Hall and the Labor Party were not Socialists. No. The whole affair was a Fusion affair. Mills knew it at the time and knows it now. He believes in such Fusion, or "getting together," as he calls it.

In this last issue of his paper, he

as he calls it.
In this last issue of his paper, he
lands "Labor Parties" and even
claims Tom Gohnson's victories in
Cleveland as "innelated victories for
the working class." Mills metissed
in Victoria just what he really believes in, but has not the courage to
maintain in Washington, where he
knows Socialists do not believe in
such "anything-to-win" tactics.

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In his savage attack on Titus, Mills has no sori of regard for the truth.

For instance, he says Kingsley at Titus had correspondence about this regard to the truth of the trush and correspondence about this regard to the trush and the trush and the trush of trush of the trush of the

ments.

He hides the main issue in a missof words and then introduces false statements without stint.

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I am very glad that: The Socialist:
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has opened the columns to a discussion of this nature, for I believe that it will be the social state of the social state of the party owned paper.
As I am no apring chickes in the Socialist movement I am not unaware of the usual argument against the party owned press and can remember the time when I suyself held up "The People," the official organ of the S. L. F., as an awful warning, and exponsible the dangers of corrupt cliques, powerful officials, etc. My mental attude on this question than the control of the party owned press but am great of a party owned press but am pleased to add that I am state secre-

and invosphout the state.

In a present the state of the

ork ahead.

view of the above what can we
if the Socialist who is afraid to
be of a party paper? Let us take
granted that the designing offrelique, or a body of well meanust misguided enthustasts, desire

SOCIALIST EXPERT WANTED

Three policemen are watching the crowd, specially detailed to watch that crowd of a hundred mea. It is on Washington street, Seattle, Monday night, Sept. 23, 5 m...

The same night Osborne was arrested a block or two away for speaking five gentle seatences, to another crowd of a hundred.

But the police ware information

crowd of a hundred.

But the police were informed Osborne was a Socialist and must not one with the policy of the may be a Socialist. or he may be a Theosophist. Who shall tell?

The regular patroiman thinks he knows. To the question. "Is that speaker a Socialist." The patroiman says "No." To the next question, "What is he, then," he replies, "I don't know."

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Revolutionary Socialism and Reform Socialism

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CHAPTER V. " FOURTH PRINCIPLE OF REVOLUTIONARY SOCIALISM

AND IS NOW A POLICE FORCE MAINTAINED BY THE

ontradicted all prevalent ideas, held only 300 years ag that the sun revolved around the earth. 2 Just as the fact that the human race has existed on the earth for at least one hundred thousand years, establishe by science beyond a doubt during the last 50 years, cor tradicts the old fashioned but still prevalent idea that ma

ot science.

Read the scientific works named at the beginning fingher III, especially in Morgan's "Ancient Society" a Engels "Origin of the State," and you will find amproof of the Revolutionary Fact stated above as our Four Principle.

CIVILIZATION AND THE STATE

And the Fact about government is that it is no older than civilization, and that, like civilization itself, it is conditioned on the existence of economic classes.

The baronial governments of the "Middle Ages" in Europe and of the Feedal era in any ration, are obviously class institutions. The lords and laides, the knights of chivalry and the prelates of the church were plainly a Workless Class exercising authority over the Working Class of serfs and retainers.

nt in the next.

Civilization itself is only a passing phase of human his

ry. There have been various phases of civilization. The

lave age of civilization has passed. The Serf age of civ

fization is goon. The Wage Age of Civilization is passing

the Stream of Social life flows on, ever making new his

18TH CENTURY IDEAS.

The truth is, nearly all the present popular ideas of government are derived from the 18th Century, and the 18th Century of France at that. Rousseau, as unscientific as a savage, breathing dreams and Utoplan, is the true father of most of the prevalent notions about the origin of the 18th.

of the State.

Poetleal rhapsodies in praise of man's "original state of nature" and imaginary pictures of ten thousand Robinson Crusoes associating themselves to establish a government of the people," are now seen to be only child-the conceits. History was not made that way.

History has been a war of economic classes and the ruling class of any age has uppelled itself by an army, by surpling class of any age has uppelled itself by an army, by the property and the class that hold it. The third is, to protect Property and the class that hold it.

Police Force to maintain "Law and Order, rotect Property and the class that held it. This is an entirely new view of Govern State. But it is the scientific view and the

lass.

The Capitalist Class is entrenched in the Svery one knows. It is a Millionaire's Club,

The Capitalist Class, by its intellectual servicessional politicisms and fawyers, controls the

professional politicians and lawyers, controls the House of Representatives. If these two legitative bodies, representing strately the Representatives. If these two legitative bodies, representing strately the Representatives of the Representative to Representative the Wage Class, the Supreme Court, holding, life Capitalist Class in which the Wage Class have no voice. The Wage Class cannot break away from the Iron Law of Wages, which allows them only a mere living, because courts, legislatures, "army, sheriffs, armed with the terrible modern 'machine run," all constituting a Polite Force in the hands of Capital to compel Labor to go on creating wealth for the Capitalistic Class to enjoy.

The American government in this 20th century is thus seen to be exactly what government always was, an instru-

If there are but two great Social Classes in the United States, as shown in our last chapter, namely, the Capitalis Class and the Wage Class, then how is it we find two political cal parties, Republican and Democratic, both representing the Capitalist Class, with wage workers divided between

stitlet.

To to the American Civil War, the Democratic Party for the Southern Slave-bolding Class, the Republican stood for the Northern Capitalist Class. Wage Slawas more profitable than Chattel Slavery, modern allst production more profite of Property than the primitive processes of slave production which had introduced into our Southern States. The modern nettive process drove out the ancient process, as materials.

roductive process drove out the ancient process, hingry drives out hand labor. Since the war, the Republican Party has stood intly, and hence victoriously, for the rapidity de-zapitalist Class. The Democratic Party has stood, less consistently, for the weaker, elements of the C

A tremendous attempt is now being made by the Mi Class to save themselves from extinction by the great talist Class. The Anti-Trust war is on. Every year sees the little manufacturers dying by thousand, surrendering their position as capitalists and ferly accepting their fate as members of the profetagi-How is has all happened, they don't know. They see the Trust has expropriated them, deprived them of tyroperty, put them out of the class that gets wealth with creating it.

The United States is now face to face with the durughe of this modern Herceles, the Capitalist Glass

is divided against itself. It is being strangled by its own child, concentrated capital, or the Trust. It is weak majority, the Middle Class," is pitted against its strong minority, the Trust Class.

The pollitical lines are not yet clearly drawn. The Middle Class are found in both Republicar and Democratic parties. Mr. Roosevelt is one of this class. So is Mr. Bryan. So if Mr. Hearst, Mr. Tom Johnson, Mr. Folk, Mr. Mayor Dunne, and a host of reformers in both parties. The Middle Class are rapidly gathering themselves together shout some sort of Public Ownership hanner. Some of them, like Roosevelt, instead of Public Ownership, favor "Public Control," like the Ralirond Rate Bill passed by Concress.

Congress.

The new Democratic Party, the party of Hearst and probably Bryan, seeks to check the Trust and save the Middle Class by Public Ownership of the Trust. Let these titanic combinations of Capital, especially those which control the Transportation facilities of the country, the "Public Utilities," be removed from competition with us and monopolistic control over us, by being transferred to the hands of the State, is the Middle Class cry.

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THE WORKING CLASS NOT IN IT.

It will be a ropal battle for the possession of Governmental Power. The Revolutionarity Socialist alone understands what it all means. He knows, whatever the issue of this battle among capitalists, the Wage Workers as a class will have no part in the Government.

The Wage System, under which the worker gets a bare living and somebody else gets all the rest of this product, will go on just the same under Public Ownership as under Trust Ownership. The restored Middle Class, if it wins, even femmeatic will available.

We have now briefly outlined three great revolutionary facts of modern Socialism. If one accepts the scientific method, be can deep non-see these facts. In truth no one can deny a fact. If he does, he puts himself outside the circle of rational beings.
We do not say these three are all the facts of Socialism. They are simply those which seem most significant to the present writer.
No conclusions have yet been drawn from these established facts-screept incidentially. It will be the aim of the following bookly to draw some such conclusions under the title, "Tactics of Revolutionary Socialism."