

WOMEN CANDIDATES CONSIDER MUNICIPAL CARE OF THE POOR IN ITS ECONOMIC ASPECTS

Miss Mathews Tells of Things Being Done by the Hylan Department of Charities and Extols Them—Miss Boswell Declares There Is Demagogy in Tammany's Claims of Being the Poor Man's Friend.

By Helen Varick Boswell.

THE building of a political mirage around the city's poor—this has been revealed as one of the principal achievements of the Hylan-Hearst-Murphy combination. Tammany long ago adopted the plan of patting the poor affectionately on the shoulder, all the while it continued to profit at the expense of the poor. It is the poor who always pay the heaviest tax for carelessness and corruption in government. It is the poor who often pay the most when they think they are paying the least. They often almost pay the price of the right of living. High taxation comes out of their rent bills. Proper food, because of exorbitant prices, cannot be purchased with their meagre household funds. Even the public schools fail the poor. The children at school as well as at home are forced to live in miserable surroundings.

Can any City Administration take credit for a few hundred thousand quarts of milk for undernourished children, and for providing several thousand tons of coal and several hundred cords of wood for needy families, when it wastes millions of dollars that might have saved the poor from much of this need? It may be true, as the Hearst-Hylan-Murphy combination boasts, that it has helped to provide milk and coal and wood, but wouldn't the amount spent for these prove a pitiful sum in comparison with the amount that has been lost to the city through incompetency and fraud?

The Mayor of New York cannot lower rents. He cannot regulate prices. But he can greatly improve living conditions by holding graft in check and protecting the city from extortion.

Who is better off because of the Hylan Administration? The appointees of Hylan, whose graft the Administration has failed or refused to see. But the average citizen, no. It may be doubted if there is anybody who is not the worse off because of the Hylan Administration, except Hylan's appointees and their friends.

By cutting off of transfers and the cancelling of various operating lease traction fares average much higher than they did four years ago. Gas rates have increased. Electric light rates have increased and telephone rates have increased. New York City under the Hylan Administration has completely lost control of its public utilities. The present Mayor has talked much about traction interests, gas interests and electric light interests, but he has done nothing.

The men with whom I am associated on the ticket are men who through good management of the city affairs and through prevention of extortion will shield and protect the poor without flinching it in their faces. They will be friends of the poor in the true sense, not in the demagogic sense.

MISS OGDEN A BRIDE TO-DAY.

Miss Adelaide Routh Ogden, daughter of Mrs. John Routh Ogden of this city will be married to Auguste Philippe von Hemert this afternoon in Calvary Church. On account of the recent death of the bride's father there will be no reception. Mr. von Hemert is the son of Philippe von Hemert of Paris and is living with his sister at their country place at Davenport Neck, New Rochelle.

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