ANNOUNCEMENT. The Kicker is authorized to announce Geo. E. Jacobs as the Republican candidate for assessor of Scott county at the November election, 1912.

The Kicker is authorized to announce the candidacy of Albert Illmo, landed two and B. S. Curd. Ringo as the Democratic nominee Morley, J. H. Branam, Vanduser, for constable of Sylvania town- Sol Diebold, New Hamburg, and ship at the November election.

The Kicker is authorized to an- each. nounce O. J. Dannenmueller as the Republican candidate for treasurer of Scott county at the November election, 1912.

SOCIALIST TICKET.

For President-EUGENE V. DEBS. For Vice-President-

EMIL SEIDEL

For Goyernor-W. A. WARD. Lleutennaut-Harry

RICHARD HOTHAM.

PHILLIP WARNER. For Secretary of State-E. T. PEHRENS.

For State Treasurer-W. W. M'ALLISTER.

For Attorney-General-WALTER S. BUNDY

For R R Commissioner ---F. P. O'HARE

For Judge Supreme Court No. 1-JULIAN A. FOX.

For Judge Supreme Court No 2-JULIAN LAUGHLIN. JERE MURPHY.

For St. Louis Court of Appen s-SHERIDAN CARLISLE.

For Congress-A. F. BUMPAS.

For State Senator-(No Nomination For Representative-

LEE MASSEY For Sheriff-

E. J. SLINKARD. For Assessor-

E. L. GRAMMER.

For County Treasurer-ALFRED POBST. For Surveyor-

(No Nomination). For Public Administrator-A. A. EVANS.

For Coroner-ALEX HENDERSON. For County Judge, 1st Dist -

(No Nomination). For County Judge, 2nd Dist --

W. B. GRICE. For Probate Judge-

(No nomination) Justice-Morley township-

JOHN F. LITTLE. Constable-Morley township-JOHN GIBBS.

For Constable Kelso twp-R. N. PATE.

For Constable Sylvania two-S. H. HAMPTON.

TO BLODGETT READERS. Joe Mackley has agreed to act raise the rent. "Begora," said lonesome as agent for the Kicker at Blod- Pat, "I wisht ye would. I can't." gett and receive subscriptions for iently through him

TO ILLMO PATRONS. People of Illmo and vicinity can ent at Morehouse. subscribe or renew for the Kicker through either Casper Miller or Kicker says that a single taxer

E. L. Grammer. NOTICE TO TEACHERS.

We will not hold the Scott coun county this year are requested to ped more than 100 declared for neighborhood. State teachers' Association at ance at said association will be Republican candidate for proseaccepted as your professional cuting attorney, were in Benton last week. Joe considers Woodwork in part. Two days pay will Wednesday. Also W. H. Tanner. be allowed the teachers for at-Chas. Harris, Co. Supt.

THE DIVIDE UP. to his landlord a third or more of to perfect a county organization what he produces, that aint dividing up-oh, no !

That is RENT. pace when the farmer's wife brings sidewalk-ents worth of eggs to town was here last week visiting relarets in exchange 25 cents tives.

In the not shoddy merchandise, that pers appears ding up-oh, no ! chusetts girl Verence is PROFIT. ard in her stoma farmer goes to the and reading the difows \$100 and, three

"interest" has been A Chicago mini not enough hus will abolish rent. in- chard that will bear next season. and that old rad profit. But the aver- One mile south of Redman's the name of ther don't want that-for Switch. Handy to the school and spinsterhood t have nobody to use up church. For quick sale will take name of its is for him. And it would \$40.50 per acre. Some are ask-

enough to be 'ove" and "agin religion" the way of the 'n himself and family. ber had a property inter-

hard time c s—the same as a valuable se. But the master has no such interest in his wage-slave. Therefore he turns him out to starve when there is no profit in working

where they live, vote the Socialist ty Mutual Association will be held ticket-and agitate.

swell the Kicker circulation.

SOCIALIST SPEAKING. W. L. Garver, candidate for gov-ernor of Missouri four years ago, will speak in Scott county at Oran, Saturday, Oct. 26, 2 p.m. Wylle, Saturday, Oct. 26, 7 p.m. Illmo, Sunday, Oct. 27, Edna, Monday, Oct. 28, 7 p.m. Morley, Tuesday, Oct. 29, 7 p. m. Blodget, Wed. Oct. 30, 7 p. m. Lusk's, Thurs. Oct. 31, 7 p. m. Rootwad, Friday, Nov. 1, 7 p. m. Sikeston, Saturday, Nov. 2, at

2 p. m. and 7 p. m. Earlie Slinkard, Co. Sec.

THE SUBS Among the hustlers Casper Miller, of Illmo, leads the procession with four subs. Ed. Grammer, of G W. Minter of Cross Plains, one

Fornfelt - Albert Dunger. Morley.—H. H. Daugherty, Wm. Curnell, Mrs. Mollie Miller. Illmo.-John Carlson, W. M. Ir-

vin. Chas. Morrell, Roy Waddell, Benton.-R. B. Wade, Chas. Kee-

Oran-Joe Melderhoff. Walter, Albert Rockett. Commerce.-West Cambons

Perkins.—Louis Gauss. Pichistratt—al. P. Pajitas. Angu—F. P. Sapitas Es lle Brown, Carriers der La

HERE AND TONDER are entirely useless and perform brother, Joe and family. Anna Gould who, by inheritance, is one of the principal stock-holders of the Missouri Pacific railroad, kins last week.

Miss Paula S (amily of Martin Brucker at Perkins) sick, is better. Albert Ende people support her and her counts. enora Westrich stood sponsors.

will vote for four years more of it day.

this fall. He is a veteran of the civil war. New Hamburg, will begin invoic- has rented for five years. was when the constable called to at Commerce Saturday.

poll tax swindle. Vote for it. he didn't care much about meat Casper Roth of near Illmo was except on Friday. here Monday advertising the an-nual meeting of the farmers in-Mrs. Rosina Hahn that was damsurance society at Kelso. Satur-day. Nov. 2. He reported that George Glaus and family spent Prof. Lindoerfer, a former teach- one day last week at Caney with er, would take charge of the Lu- Mr. and Mrs. John Bischer. theran school next math. Up to this time Rev. Hilperth has been Sundayed with the family of teaching the Lutheran school, but Frank Enderle near Oran.

arguments in their campaign and Sunday with his brother. Alagainst the single tax. Having bert, near Kelso. nothing at all to offer the tenant raise his rent. The tenant can traction Tony? answer as Pat did when his land-lord informed him that he woul! Saturday and a young lady is so lord informed him that he would

Mrs. S. C. Sparks, a former resthe Kicker. Parties wishing to re- ident of this county who, for the new or subser be can do so conven- past few years has been making the neighborhood Sunday. her home at Monroe, La., was a Subscribe for the only Kicker. visitor in Benton Saturday-the is much better. guest of Mrs. W. A. Miller. Her husband is employed for the pres- here on his farm Monday.

A letter from Sikeston to the attempted to speak there Monday evening was stopped by the Marconcludes: There were men to hear him ty teachers' association this year, who were against the single tax, hall Monday night. The teachers teaching in scott but when the speaker was stop-

W. C. Bowman, Republican can-Cape Girardeau. Mo., October 24, didate for county judge from the 25 and 26, 1912. Your attend- first district and Ralph Bailey.

John F. Little, the Socialist cantendance. Thanking one and all didate for justice of the peace of for your service. Yours truly, Morley township, was here Saturday. John says he thinks he will be elected.

The Progressive Republicans of When the tenant farmer delivers the county met here Wednesday J. H. Branam of Vanduser was in Bento Wednesday on his way to the Cape.

Mrs. Louis Gangle, of Perkins, S .P. Rollins and S. P. Gravett

of near Diehlstadt were here Mon-

Circuit court begins Monday.

BUSINESS LOCALS. that this is the pays back \$102.

Story has been printiding up—oh. no!

Story has been printiding up—oh. no!

For Sale.—A 40-acre farm. All good fences and cross fences, good 3-room house, barn, 40x60 feet, outbuildings, cellar and an or-

ing \$80 for land not as good. James A. Smith, Benton, Mo Rfd For Sale -- A 40-acre farm one and a quarter miles north of Com-The half-siste black slave and saw to merca. All cleared, good box house is to appear as was well housed, fed and the peerage h In sickness he got the hard time cleared are as a valuable of the same a

For Sale.-A 2-year-old filley cheap. John Wilhelm, New Ham-

ANNUAL MEETING! If you want to swat the plutes annual meeting of the Scott Counat Kelso, Mo., on the first Saturday in November 1912, at one Get busy right now and help to o'clock, p. m. Casper Roth Secretary. Magazine.

FROM NEW HAMBURG. Sunday night, while Joe Dirn-berger had the very best of com-pany at Schererville, his horse de-cided to go home. Joe heard the departing horse and buggy and

sent a phone message to the fami-ly of Mrs. John Urhahn to flag J. V. Vessels, Blodgett. the rig that was coming that way in a hurry. The boys went Mrs. Maggie White, Tulu, Kr. out with a fence rail and a red lantern and gave the danger sig-

nal, but the horse evklently concluded that the greatest danger was in Joe getting hold of him and kept on going.

Otto Diebold and Frank Glastetter, two of our good looking near Chaffee Sunday. young men, went to the Cape and had their shaddows snatched Sun- children, Mr. and Mrs. John En-

for damage. Mesdames John Stike and Nick Legrand were at Oran last week. Wend. Kilhafner, wife and sis-ter, Miss Paulina, of Chaffee, Jess Mrs. F. Brenek Logal and Miss Clara Legrand of

Kelso, were here Sunday. Frank Pobst, formerly a New

a a double erichastion at the of Anton Blattel.

Charles Schoen of Charleston spent a few days with his mother

no useful function to society. Why Mr. and Mrs. Andy Schoon, of and sister of them, should society support them? Ellis, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank here Sunday.

has been in France for many years | A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. -first marrying one no-count and | Leo Bucher and was christened on then anothed. The American work Monday. Joe Urhahn and Miss El-

And they despise the work people | Leo Pfefferkorn and W. B. Grice that feed and clothe them. But the Socialist nomicee for county | urday night to remind Mrs.Schlosthe work people want it so-and judge, drove over from Oran Sun-

Stopped at the home of Alphons Max Brennelssen, a victim of the Schwartz last week a bouncing ple had their own enjoyments. law, who was one of those Kelso baby girl. Both parents are dofarmers who had falled to pay his poll tax, was in Benton Saturday.

The store of Scherer & Co. at

77 years old, and was held up for ing next Tuesday. A new firm 50 cents to satisfy the demands of will then take charge. "justice," and contributed fifty | Martin Glastetter and son Mike the first he knew of the new law Glaus and Ewald Schindler were

served the papers on him. The Louis Westrich says it is getsingle tax will put the lid on the ting cold enough to butcher, but tend school.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Dirnberger he is attending the synod at Al- Sol Hahn and-well, we wont

tenburg this week and there is tell this time-attended church here Sunday. The plutes are using some hot Edw. Schwartz spent Saturday

Anton L. Hahn was a visitor farmer they tell him they will at Kelso Sunday. What's the at-

Jake Urhahn made a good trade

with Oran horse traders last week L. Driskell from Oran was in

Mrs .Louis Hahn, who was sick Albert Rockett of Oran was up Mrs. Ulrich Glaus took very sick

suddenly Sunday night. Mike Glaus and Chas. Diebold were at Oran Monday. Phil Harnes has a position at

Chaifee as bar-tender. There was a dance at Hahn's

Hogs continue to die in this

FROM ORAN

Joe Bowman, Democratic nominee for repsentative, heard Woodrow Wilson speak in St. Louis row a wonderful man. He can talk on the tariff without crack-

ing a smile. W. L. Garver, the Socialist nominee for governor four years ago. of all. will speak here on the streets at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. October 26. If you want "straight goods." be on hand. W. B. Grice, Socialist nominee

for county judge from this district, went to Risco Monday to take charge of a store there for Peter Dirnberger. What always has been always will be" yawps the Cave Man as

he shuts his eyes to the air ship flying over his head and grope for the ox cart. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen of Burfordville were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pobst Sunday.

J. A. Richards, principal of the Wylle School, was in Oran Saturday on his way to Sikeston. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reynolds of Marble Hill visited Mr. and Mrs. pretty busy these days. Rufus Moore Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Allen of Clarkton are visiting the family of W. H. Crites Charley Finley went to Poplar Bluff Monday with nine car loads

Editor Yager of the Sunbeam was at Sikeston Friday. Rev. Limbaugh, of Perkins, moved here Friday.

AN UNRELIABLE DOG

"Come right in, Sambo," the farmer called out. "He won't hurt you. You know a barking dog never bites." "Sure, boss, Ah knows dat," re plied the cautious colored man, but Ah don't know how soon he's to stop barkin'."-Success

MARRIAGE LICENSE Frank Steimle New Hamburg. Miss Bertha Gosche "

E. J. Williams, Essex Allie Brown, New Madrid, Theo. Bollinger, Benton. Miss Rosile Logel, Kelso.

FROM KELSO Albert Enderle, Albert Hahn and Albert and Paule Dumey and the Misses Lula Unerstall, Lula Dum-

Mr. and Mrs. H. Welter and day. It is reported that the ma- derle and children and Mr. and chine was so damaged that the Mrs. Ben Enderle spent Sunday shadow snatcher threatens to sue with the family of John Seyer. Theo. Bollinger, of Benton and Miss Rosa Logel of Kelso were

married at the Kelso Catholic Mrs. F. Breneke and children and Miss Mary Enderlespent Sun- working class. day with the family of Wm. Uner-

some 19th birthday so they son spent Sunday with the family

Mr. and Mrs. Isone Ross spent Saturday and Sanday at the Cape labor-saving machines and im- workers will have the power to inspection of works ups. factories Philip Blattel was here Sunday proved methods of industry which make all laws and control all in- and mines. BELIE AND YONDER Will Difference and family of after a few months travel in the Stock and bond holders, as such. Chaffee, spent Sunday with his northwest.

> Miss Paula Seyer, who has been Albert Enderle, is home from

his St. Louis visit.

FROM RANDLES. Neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schlosser Satser of her 37th birthday anniversary. The young folks danced until mid-night while the older peo-

David StCin is clearing for Leo Schlitt and Leo is having a nice little cottage built which David Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kern and

Mr. and Mrs. Adny Schoen of New Hamburg visited at Martin Bruckcents to their lawyer. He says were at Chaffee Friday and Aug er's Saturday and Sunday.

the first he knew of the new law Glaus and Ewald Schindler were Mr. and Mrs. Emil Bollinger

took their daughter, Miss Leona, ito Oran Sunday where she will atof America are being forced under Miss Annie Heisserer of Kelso

is here spending the week with her cousin. Miss Annie Halter. Miss Lulu Becklund is staying at Joe Bradshaw's and Miss Nellie McCloud at Jake Kleihart's. The year-old baby of Mr and

Mrs. Bob Comer died and was burled in the Perkins cemetery. Mrs. Louis Kilhafner and Mrs. Leo Halter, of Chaffee ,were here

Saturday. Matida Schaefer of Kelso visited loe Schlosser's family Saturday. Mrs. Chas. Dopp of Bell City visited her parents here last week.

Miss Pearl Smith of Bernie is the school teacher at Perkins. FROM ILLMO W. P. Newberry, who was suddenly stricken with bleeding at the lungs last weed, died Friday.

Carmel. Ill., for burial. The Republicans had a speaker here from Indiana last week and form parties remain the faithful people of all economic groups, as a large crowd had gathered, but when they discovered that he was ures designed to secure to the of popular government. Thus the

Moose many of them left. I Miller of St. Louis and D. I. already enjoyed by the wage Bloom of this place have bought the Brenneiser farm north of town and willl farm by proxy. Rev. G. J. Starkey has been appointed to fill the Methodist pel-

pit here. Laborers are at work doul'etracking the Cotton Belt from exaction of further tribute. The here to Jonesboro, Ark.

Illmo Socialists have taken un have a lecture and show here soon

FROM DIEHLSTADT.

A pie supper will be given Friday night at Misfeldt school for the ourpose of increasing the library. The teacher, Miss Lillie railroad restrictions and regula-Sanders, requests the attendance

School attendance here is not as ed upon such legislation, have large-scale industries. good as usual owing to smallpox proved to be utterly futile and and whooping cough. However, in ridiculous. nearby rural districts the attendance is gradually increasing. Mrs. R. C. Williamson and little ened by any Republican or Demoneice, Ada Wade, left Sunday for

a visit to Humbolt. Tenn. Mr. and Mrs. J. Green of Sandywoods now occupy the residence vacated by Rev. Warren. At the recent conference Rev.

Warren was transferred to the Poplar Bluff circuit. Peas are being harvested and corn gathering is well under way. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Eldson, last week, a daughter.

Uncle Tip Bagwell, who has been dangerously ill is better. Drs. Smith and Wallace are kept

FROM HUNTER Our school is progressing nicely with Miss Bertha Grice teacher. Mrs. Fields, who has been sick for some time is no better.

Mrs. R. A. Jett is visiting her brother. A. P. Carter. Billy Skidmore is building a new

Porter Wilson and Miss Base Cartwright Arnold Mercer and Miss Mamie Skidmore took a trip to Benton Sunday. The birthday party at Cephas Niswanger Thursday night was well attended.

FROM HOOTER

Subscribe for the only Kicker.

FROM COMMERCE

Charleston were here Sunday. J. A. Morrow moved his family

here last week from Gibson. Chas. Blackledge was here from Fornfelt Sunday. R. E. Reynolds was at Morley

Sunday. Tillman Anderson is home on a

FROM CROOKED CREEK The Misses Lura Daily and Net-tie Marshall visited at Benton Sunday returning Monday.

Arthur Pell and daughter of Every one invited.

Subscribe for the only Kicker. Rev. C. M. Weaver who has been spending a few days in John ston City, Ill., returned home Mon

Little Fred Bretzel died Sunday of typhold and was buried at Ill-mo Monday. Subscribe for the only Kicker.

FROM CHANEY Several people of our district, were across the river Sunday and

found many nuts.
Subscribe for the only Kicker.
Miss Irtle Hawkins visited homenear Commerce Saturday and Sun

day.
Miss Anna Carroll is visiting her brother Frank. Miss Zella Fowler is in school again.

Little Holace Mayberry is sick. Subscribe for the only Kicker.

NATIONAL SOCIALIST PLATFORM.

The Socialist party of the Unit- | terms dictated by the owners.

al equipment of the nation had passed into the absolute control of right or wrong passed into the absolute control of right or wrong class, which into the working class dies, was here Saturday. Frank looks natural, but if he don't get married pretty soon he will be as hid off as an old Mald.

Lost week Wednesday was Miss Raymonda. Mederholfs. 16th large male, Mrs. Joe Blattel and Mrs. Joe Blattel and Mrs. Joe Blattel and Mrs. Joe Blattel and male for the absolute control of a plutocracy which exacts an antient the absolute control of a plutocracy which exacts an antient the absolute control of a plutocracy which exacts an antient the absolute control of a plutocracy which exacts an antient the absolute control of a plutocracy which exacts an antient the absolute control of any order of society—
The working class, which instead the working class, which insulates all those who are forced to any organized resistance, it stretthes and Mrs. A. Fullenwider and daughter, Mrs. A. Fullenwider and January Full Research Mrs. A. Fullenwider and January

cheapen the cost of, production, dustry in their own interest. the share of the producers grows Otto Dieboid and Ed. Schwartz ever less, and the price of all the pression of economic and class in- of age. and sister of New Hamburg were necessities of life steadily increase teresis. All other parties than the The boasted prosperity of this na- Socialist party represent one or zations of industries in federal tion is for the owning class alone. another group of the ruling capital than the rest it means only greater talist class. Their political contact the benefit of convicts and their hardship and misery. The high cost of living is felt in every home rivalries between competing cap-Millions of wage-workers have italist groups. However they reseen the purchasing power of sult, these conflicts have no issue their wages decrease until life has of real value to the workers. become a desperate battle for

mere existence. Multitudes of unemployed walk the streets of our cities or trudge from state to state awaiting the will of the masters to move the

wheels of industry. The farmers in every state are plundered by the increasing pri-ces exacted for tools and machinery, and by extortionate rent, freight rates and storage charges Capitalist concentration is mercilessly crushing the class of small business men and driving its members into the ranks of the propertyless wage-workers. The overwhelming majority of the people

a yoke of bondage by this soulless industrial despotism. It is this capitalist system that omic organizations and their poliis responsible for the increasing tical power. By the intelligent burden of armaments, the poverty

flicts mankind. class is exposed to poisonous conditions, to frightful and needless preciates the full significance of perils in life and limb; is walled class organization and urges the proceeds of these taxes to be emaround with court decisions, in- wage earners, the useful farmers junctions and unjust laws, and is and all other useful workers everpreyed upon incessantly for the where to organize for economic benefit of the controlling oligar- and political action, and we chy of wealth. Under it also the pledge ourselves to support the children of the working class are toilers of the fields as well as

toil and darkened lives. In the face of these evils, so struggle for economic justice. manifest that all thoughtful obhumane and just treatment as is earners of all other civilized nations have been smothered in committee without debate, and laws dustrial democracy. ostensibly designed to bring relief to the farmers and general consumers are juggled and transformed into instruments for the growing unrest under oppression the Rip-Saw proposition and will to the enactment of a variety of cate and pledge ourselves and our regulative measure, none of which has limited in any appreciable degree the power of plutoc-racy, and some of which have been perverted into means for increasing their power. Anti-trust laws, tions, with the prosecutions, indictments and investigations bas-

Nor has this plutocracy been seriously restrained or even threatcratic executive. It has continued to grow in power and insolence a- the present extortionate cost of

and Taft. In addition to this legislative oil wells, forests and water powjuggling and this executive connivance, the courts of America have sanctioned and strengthened the hold of this plutocracy as the for the use and benefit of the peo-Dred Scott and other decisions ple: strengthened the slave power be-

fore the civil war. We declare, therefore, that the longer sufferance of these conditions is impossible, and we purpose to end them all. We declare these to be the product of the present system in which industry is carried on for private greed instead of for the welfare of society. We declare, furthermore, that for these evils there will be and can be no remedy and no substancial relief except thru Socialism, under which industry will be carried on for the common good, and every worker receive the full practicable the appropriation by social value of the wealth he cre-

Society is divided into warring groups and classes, based upon material interests. Fundamentally, this struggle is a conflict between the two main classes, one other, the working class, must use works to be engaged directly by these means of production on the the government under a work-

ed States declares that the capitalist class, tho few in the capitalist system has outgrown its historical function and has beginned and has beginned by the owners.

The capitalist class, tho few in and at not less than the prevailable ingunion wages. The government—legislative, execument also to establish employcome utterly incapable of meeting tive and judicial. This class owns ment bureaus; to lend money to the problems confronting society. We denounce this outgrown system as incompetent and corrupt, and the source of unspeakable of learning—the schools and collemisery and suffering to the whole ges-and even religious and mor- power as will lessen the wide-Under this system the industri- prestige which established custom caused by the misrule of the capial equipment of the nation has gives to any order of society- talist class.

forests and the water powers of this class is unable to enforce its a rest period of man less than a every state in the union. . will. Given such class solidarity day and a suff in even week. In spite of the multiplication of and effective organization, the 3. By securities a more officially

All political parties are the ex- ment of children under 16 years

Whether the Democrats or Republicans win politically, it is the | . 7. By abolishing the profit syscapitalist class that is victorious tem in government works and

terests of the workers. Its defeats workers. have been their defeats and its victories their victories. It is a party founded on the science and laws of social development. It proposes that, since all social necessities today are socially produced, the means of their production and distribution shall be socially owned and democratically managed.

In the face of the economic and political aggresssions of the capitalist class, the only reliance left the workers is that of their econand class-conscious use of these slums, child labor, most of the in-sanity, crime and prostitution, and much of the disease that af-ters of wage slavery, and fit them selves for the future society, Under this system the working which is to displace the capitalist doomed to ignorance, drudging those in the shops, factories and tors by premiums or royalties.

mines of the nation in their 4. Unrestricted and equal suf-In the defeat or victory of the The remains were taken to Mt. servers are appalled at them, the working class party in this new legislative representatives of the struggle for freedom lies the de-Republican, Democratic and all re- feat or triumph of the common servants of the oppressors. Meas- well as the failure or the triumph and veto power of the president. a stand-patter and not a Bull wage earners of this nation as Socialist party is the party of the present day revolution, which rect vote of the people. marks the transition from economic individualism to Socialism. from capitalist oligarchy to in-

As measures calculated to strengthen the working class in its fight for the realization of its act of congress or by a referendultimate aim, the co-operative um vote of the whole people. commonwealth, and to increase elected officers to the following

program: 1. The collective ownership and democratic management of rail- suffrage in the District of Columroads, wire and wireless telegraphs and telephones, express service, steamboat lines and all municipal government for purely other social means of transportation and communication and of all

2. The immediate acquirement by the municipalities, the states or the federal government of all grain elevators, stock yards, storage warehouses and other distributing agencies, in order to reduce

like under the administrations of living.

NeKinley Roosevelt 8. The extension of the public domain to include mines, quarries,

> (a) By scientific forestation and timber protection.
> (b) By the reclamation of arid

and swamp tracts. (c) By the storage of flood waters and the utilization of water power.

(d) By the stoppage of the pres-

ent extravigant waste of the soll

and of the products of mines and oil wells. (e) By the development of highway and waterway systems. 5. The collective ownership land wherever practicable, and in cases where such ownership 's im-

6. The collective ownership and democratic management of the banking and currency system. The immediate government relief of the unemployed by the ex-

day of not more the eight hours. al agencies. It has also the added spread misery of the workers

4. By forbidding the employ-

5. By the co-operative organi-

6. By forbidding the interstate transportation of the products of child labor, of convict labor or the awarding of contracts to co-oper-

ative groups of workers. economically.

The Socialist party is the political expression of the economic in-

8. By establishing manimum wage scale. 9. By abolishing official charl-

ty and substituting a non-contri-butory system of old-age pensions, a general system of insurance by the state of all its members against unemployment and invalidism and a system of compulsory insurance by employers of their workers, without cost to the latter, against industrial dis-

eases, accidents and death. POLITICAL DEMANDS. 1. The absolute freedom of press

speech and assemblage. 2. The adoption of a graduated income tax, the increase of the rates of the present corporation tax and the extention of inheritance taxes, graduated in propor-

ployed in the socialization of industry. 3. The abolition of the monopoly ownership of patents and the substitution of collective ownership, with direct reward to inven-

frage for men and women 5. The adoption of the initiative, referendum and recall and of proportional representation, nationally as well as locally. The abolition of the senate

7. The election of the president and the vice-president by the di-8. The abolition of the power usurped by the Supreme Court of the United States to pass upon the constitutionality of the legislation enacted by congress. Na-

9. The abolition of the present its power of resistance against restrictions upon the amendment has driven these two old parties capitalist oppression, we advo- of the constitution, so that that instrument may be made amendable by a majority of the voters in a majority of the states.

tional laws to be repealed only by

bia, with representation in congress, and a democratic form of local affairs.

10. The granting of the right of

11. The extension of democratic

government to all United States 12. The enactment of further measures for general education. and particularly for vocational education in useful pursuits. The bureau of education to be made a

department.

13. The enactment of further measures for the conservation of health. The creation of an independent bureau of health with such restrictions as will secure 4. The further conservation and full liberty for all schools of prac developement of natural resources | tice 14. The separation of the pres-

ent bureau of labor from the department of commerce and labor. and its elevation to the rank of a 15. Abolition of the federal district courts and the United States circuit courts of appeals. State courts to have jurisdiction in all cases arising between citizens

and foreign corporations. The election of all judges for short terms. 16. The immediate curbing of the power of the courts to issue

17. The free administration of justice. 18. The calling of a convention for the revision of the constitu-

ue of all lands held for speculation | tion of the United States. Such measures of relief as we may be able to force from capitalism are but a preparation of the workers to seize the whole powers of government in order that they of which, the capitalist class, owns tension of all useful public works. may thereby lay hold of the whole the means of production, and the All persons employed on such system of socialized industry and system of socialized industry and

thus come to their rightful inher-