

*Questions for Review.*

1. Define socialism, capitalism. Why is socialism a difficult term to define? What are the different phases or aspects of socialism? Why has it become important only in recent years? What was Karl Marx's part in its development?

2. What are the chief charges made by socialists against the existing order, on the side of production? on the side of distribution? What general criticisms may be made of this indictment? What strong points of the present system are ignored? What of the weak points? Is a flawless social order possible? If not, should we be discouraged from attempting any betterment?

3. What was the Utopian socialist analysis? What is the materialist conception of history? What light does it throw on the causes of past wars, for example? Is it a sufficient explanation? Is class-struggle the main feature of modern life? Explain the labor theory of value, and the surplus value theory. Comment on each. Trace the argument summed up as the law of capitalist development. How far has this forecast been fulfilled?

4. What is the socialist programme as to the future state? Would socialists expropriate the capitalist without any compensation? How would production be organized? the work be allotted? the output be regulated? How would reward be determined? What of the family under socialism?

5. What are the chief forms taken by the socialist campaign? Where is force relied upon? Why abandoned elsewhere? What was the outcome of the Utopian socialists' model community experiments? Why is there a tendency to fatalism among Marxian socialists? What political success has socialism won? What is syndicalism? What is the strength and form of the socialist movement in the United Kingdom? the United States? Canada?

6. What is meant by "socialism on the instalment plan?" What are the tendencies said to make for socialism? How far is this true in the case of government ownership? of government regulation? of state help? What is the net result of the policies reviewed?

*Questions for Written Answer.*

1. Answer one of the Review questions.
2. Explain the difference between socialism and anarchism.
3. What appear to you to be the strongest, and what the weakest, points in socialism?
4. How far do you think the European war of 1914-following bears out Marx's theory of the part economic factors play in history?