Forward—The Watchword All Along the Line

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I have had a long and varied experience in the Socialist newspaper world both in the fect of war on business have left many of you stranded financially, and that it is not an opportune time to reorganize our finances and add new capital to the business. Never-thelees in me to the work of making and add new capital to the business. Never-thelees in me to the work of making will of the Social-Democratic party.

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theless, if we are to do anything we will have to have any hallucinations that I can work to tackle the job regardless of general financial conditions prevailing. It is a financial any miracles. I do, however, believe that I have resigned the editorship and will re-

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But our honor demands that laid down. long, And now they must drink of the blood of the

From city and hamlet, from mansion and Come out, boys! Come out, boys! Come out and be shot!"

Walter Guy Doty, in Life.

The Allied Army of Unemployed is besieg-sg the shop gates of the nation. Nearly all of the wounded in the fustrial war in this country have been hit.

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AS MOST PEOPLE SEE THINGS.

The Parable of The Hunter

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release that be: "We have need of or me means are depleted. Come, fill them has are depleted. Come has a fill the fill them has a fill them has are depleted. This fill them has a fill fill them has a fill the man has a fill the man has a fill them has a fill the man has a fill them has a fill

War Will End When Socialists Win

The following is a partial report of a speech recently delivered before thousands of people in "Cooper Union," the largest hall in New York city. The Socialists of New York state have a full ticket in the field, and are putting up a splendid educational campaign. The congressional elections take place the first week in November. The U. S. Socialist party when the transfer of Corporational confidence with the state of the congressional electrons take place the first week in November. The U. S. Socialist party

to pay my humble regards to Bouck White. I would a hundred times rather be Bouck White in jail than Rockefeller in his eastle. Bouck White asked a minister of Mammon a polite question and got six months." ious blood. They don't believe in fighting; to pay they own the country; they leave the sphting would in jail

We Need Free Bodies And Free Minds

Slavery includes all other crimes. It is the product of the kidnapper, the pirate, thief, murderer and hypocrite. It degrades late a rag and rascality a robe; when the loving, the tender, eat a crust, while the infamous sit

bor and corrupts leisure.

With the idea that labor is the basis of progress goes the truth that labor must be free The laborer must be a free man.

I would like to see this world, at least, so that a man could die and not fret that ne had left his wife and children a prey to the greed, the avariee or the cruelties of man is dishonest who lives upon the unpaid labors of others, no matter if he occupies a time.

Slavery includes all other crimes. It is the where they who do the most have the least. labor and free thought, chainless hands and the product of the kidnapper, the pirate, There is something wrong when he lexing wears fetterless brains. Free labor will give us truth.

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wild men—of free mothers.

The rights of men and women should be a perequal and sacred marriage should be a perety said by kindness, every family should be a republie every fireside a democracy—Robert In ersoll.

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Here a draggled figure rose under the feet of the combata lamely away.

"And who are you?" asked Mars with a disposition to a tom of the matter.

"Don't speak to me—I'm of figure made answer, somewhat

Have You Noticed It?

That all the European belligerents forced into the war against their wills

That general supply of the common has outflanked general demand

That the great German theologians seeking to make England responsible for war, and vice versa.

That according to headline strategy emy is first crushed, then he is corporated surrounded, then his line of retreat is then his advance is definitely checked.

give the members of the working elast credit for intelligence. Can you imagine why workers the last election? That the General Conference of the dist church changed the name of the perance and moral reform" department to that conference must have been to that conference must have been socialist papers the past four years.

That there is already great misery That there is already great intery and want and more coming, in every town and city in Canada. Starvation, want and unend toymeat in the midst of plenty and untold expectity to produce more? Why does this condition pre-

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d a quarter prisoners. This is capitalism.

If one man kills another in peace, he is a arisminal and hung. Yet hundreds of thous-ands are being killed in Europe, and this is called patriotism. Why should one man be a eriminal and another man be a patriet for-killing a fellow man?

Seas may purple with blood and flame Clives Philips-Wooley, who wrote those words, has gone to his death in one of the British ships sunk by the Germans. The fighter is necessary in a world run by greed. In a same world he would be of no more use than is a hangman in a country which has abolished capital punishment.

Archbishop Messmer, of Milwaukee, in a published letter, says he is praying for the annihilation of the Allies in the present war. Thirteen Anglican bishops in England recently announced they are praying for the success of the Allies. So there you are, What a queer noise the Almighty must be listening to these days. Seriously now, aren't these prayers outright blasphemy?

Real cause of the war in a nut shell.—To-day, all Europe has gone to war to establish national supremacy in certain markets. I hardly dare hope that either this or the following statements will go unchallenged; still my-study convinces me, at least, that they are true. That is, England has control of certain markets today; Germany wants them and has been a trifle too successful—for Great Britain's comfort—in takine them.—George H. Cushing, in the Technical World.

If the countries had bent their energies in providing airy homes, plentiful food and good carments for all the people, there would have seen no war. But the people were hived in dums, forced to work long hours for little say, and the wealth they produced was taken by the master class. The master class of each sation then east jealous eyes upon the wealth ward from that jealousy war arose. No sane mind and gentle heart but will be filled with us indefinite sadiess at the folly of our pre-

The Government's Duty

By Alfred Russel Wallace.

If we review with care the long train of social evils which have grown up during the mineteenth century, we shall find that every one of them, however diverse in their sature and results, is due to the same general cause, which may be defined or stated in a variety of different ways.

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fective Socialist propaganda pamphlet on the American continent today. No one who starts to read the first paragraph will lay it down until he mishes reading it. Then his greatest delight will be to see that his wife, shopmates and neighbors read it. It is illustrated with many humorous cuts, and laughs the capitalists out of court.

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Have you contributed to the Hearst pa-

Can you cope with the Socialist agitators and other progressive thinkers ?—Life.

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Since the latter part of August Cotton's Weekly has only been published once every two weeks, and will only appear every two weeks until further notice. Evidently many subscribers are unaware of this, for many letters are arriving complaining that the naper is only being received every other week. We will return to weekly publication as soon as the income justifies doing so. Perhaps you have heard of the doctrine of economic determinism. We at this office are learning about it. Send in a few subs. Remember four for a dollar. We need the money.

SCIENTIFIC SOCIALISM

1. The Socialist parties of the principal industrial nations have millions of adherents.

2. The labor unions have secured a position of power in the industrial life and can discorganize it to such an extent that a social regorts of the government on mining, as reports of the government on mining, as reports of the government on mining, as reports of the department of agriculture.

What, then, are the facts concerning the working class, in the aggregate, and on a series of millions of unemployed.

4. A great world war will carry all industrial nations to the verne of bankrupety. This train nations to the verne of bankrupety. This is shape of millions to the verne of bankrupety. This is interest in the consideration in the alleged collapse of capitalism, then a grandle limits, of direct action as a constructive force is aff and end. For if social development leads really to a grand climits of direct action as a constructive force is aff and end. For if social development leads really to a grandle limits of direct action as a constructive force is aff and end. For if social development leads really to a grandle limits of direct action as a constructive force is aff and end. For if social development leads really to a grandle limits of direct action as a constructive force is aff and end. For if social development leads really to a grandle limits of direct action as a method of abolishing class rule, then the Socialist nurty can not realize its aim of legislative and don's structive action and the solution of the social question is in the hands of the amarchises.

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THIS IS IT.

The article on the front page of this paper, entitled the "Parable of the Hunter" is the opening chapter from Oscar Ameringer's farmous Socialist propaganda pamphlet, entitled: "Socialism, what it is, and how to Get it." It is, without exception, the most effective Socialist propaganda pamphlet on the American continent today. No one who starts to read the first paragraph will lay it down until he finishes and an extent that a second reports of the government on the first paragraph will lay it down until he finishes and can be first paragraph will lay it down until he finishes and can dissert the succession of the second finishes and can dissert the succession of the second finishes and can dissert the succession of the second finishes and can dissert the succession of the second finishes and can dissert the succession of the second finishes and can dissert the succession of the second finishes and can dissert the succession of the second finishes and can dissert the succession of the second finishes and can dissert the succession of the second finishes and can dissert the succession of the second finishes and can dissert the succession of the second finishes and can dissert the succession of the second finishes and can dissert the succession of the second finishes and can dissert the succession of the second finishes and can dissert the succession of the second finishes and can dissert the succession of the second finishes and can dissert the succession of the second finishes as a second finishes and can dissert the succession of the second finishes as a second finishes the second finishes as a second fini

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The D.E.C. carry a full supply of party books and other supplies, the latest edition being a combination ledger, with receipts and expenditures, membership ledger good for 480 members, commercial ledger and stamp account record. Also a minute book, nicely bound in cloth with red corners, at \$1. \$2 for the set. The ledger is a most necessary book in every local to keep accounts straight. Order from the secretary D.E.C., Berlin.

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You are a criminal.

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You cannot escape your guilt.

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The Unfinished Dream

By Sidney Merton.

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subst subst swindling; it never forgives the spreading a new gospel.—Prederick Harrison.

Here is Your Mirror

By John M. Work.

When you visit an insane asylum and see the wretched, hopeless, gibbering reatures there you can truthfully say to yourself, "This is part of my work."

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In the war up to the present no material gain has been made by either side pointing to its conclusion. It would appear to be addraw with the balance lying on the side of whichever party succeeds financially to stand the strain and raise additional armies to outweigh the other.

All phenomena including social institution

By Sidney Merton.

I had fallen asleep in a garden where had been erected some beautiful marble statues and allegorical groups. My mind dwelt first upon one, then upon the other, and all that I had read about them.

There was Peace, War, Victory, Mercy, Motherbood, Trade, Commerce, Art, Literature and Labor. Around the bases of these, figures were grouped, according to the subject to which they belonged, and after a while the huge statue of War stepped from her pedestal and drew forth her sword, and without warning made an attack upon Trade and Commerce. Labor protested loudly, but was silenced by the masses that supported the huge column of the aggressor. Thereely the war faged between them, and after a time I noticed, that the rest of the statuary took is diseas according to their own ideas, and some of them looked to be in a very sorry condition.

The editor will post a copy of 'Facts' to each subscriber who sends in what he thinks the title of the statue should be. In the same communication he asks that each surgestion should be accompanied with the name of a new sub, and the title which he thinks should be most appropriate will' receive a special prize, which will be appreciated by the winner. winner

LABOR WINS IN AUSTRALIA

With some 60,000 postal voters vet to be heard from, the Labor party of Australia received more than 1,000,000 votes at the election just held.

As the Labor party has adopted a Socialist of the control of the contro

As the Labor party has adopted a Socialist platform in nearly every state, this million is an indication of the tremendous strength of Socialist sentiment in the antipodes.

This total is obtained by adding the votes obtained for the leading Labor candidate in each state. The total number of votes received by the "fusion" candidates amount to only 732:000, giving Labor a clear majority of over 300,000 votes in the Australian commonwealth.

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The elections of Sept. 5 resulted in a magnificent vistory for the Labor movement. Thought the final figures are not yet available, it appears that the new house of representatives will be comprised as follows: STATE OF PARTIES.

LABOR INDEPENDENT

On War Poems

Age is the most pitiable thing in the world for the average man and woman, under capitalism.

It matters not how industrious one may have been, or how saving, age finds the work er in almost all instances utterly without means. There is a lessening of the natural forces, and with that, under capitalism, comes an inability to get work. Children are gone, infirmities approach, and the fature means want and horror, existence without life, sojournment in a world where one has no longer a place.

Age is the most pitiable thing in the world what does it cost the government—I mean us—to train, equip, an' ave 'im killed?

Assumin' that sum cost more than of raise a youth until he has attained a fightin' age?

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life, sojournment in a world where one has no longer a place.

Yet how beautiful age might be except for the robbery to which the toiler has been subjected in all ages and of which he is now a more pitiable victim than ever before! If he had not been robbed, he would have abundance to enable him to live his declining years in peace and security—to travel—to enjoy life. With the system of robbery at an end, he would know his children were safe, and his age would be free of care. When bedily allments came, it would mean that experience would be of value to the world, and the old-man and woman would develop into advisors and the ripest and sweetest members of society. This world is not now a safe place in which the aged may finish honorable careers. Let us stop the robbery of the worker so that age may get its just treatment.—Appeal to the robber of the solution.

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Our Office Boy's Comments

which, if true, had better not been published. In the stress of the conflict Colorado people took issue and became partished in the stress of the conflict. They may have said things which only increased the intensity of the, struggle, and done things which they would not have done had they taken time for sober, second thought.

If the News, in the heat of the conflict, printed reports that came to it over the wires which proved to be only rumors, and in that way inadvertently injured the State, this paper acknowledges and deeply regrets such mistakes and will seek earnestly to rectify them.

And that ought to be proof, final, complete, everlasting, that the working class cannot depend upon the capitalist press, even upon the so-called radical capitalist press, even upon the so-called radical capitalist press, even upon the capitalist press, even

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For Tobacco

Arthur Krouse is a locomotive fireman who had been using tobacco since he was a boy. About two years ago he began to have spells of ilinesa. His memory was getting very bed and his eyes bothered him a great deal. He had tried in vain to conquer the habit ustil he got a cental book and tried in vain to conquer the habit ustil he got a cental book and tried in vain to conquer the habit ustil he got a cental book and obtain it absolutely free by writing to Edward J. Woods, 274 C. Station E. New York City, it tells how the habit of smoking, chewing or sunf taking cas be conquered easily and gently in three days.

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"Napoleon was a great gambler, whose game was empires, whose stakes were thrones, whose table earth, whose dice were human bens."—Byron.

"War is the statesman's game, the neight of ablight the lawyer's just

priest's delight, the lawyer's jest, the hired assassin's trade."-Shelley. I AM AN INNOCENT:

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"Do you love God?" I asked the
Innocent. "I do not know," said the
Innocent. "Is God a person?" "Yes;
three Persons in one," I said.
"Good," replied the Innocent; "I
love every person I know, so when I
know God I'll love him too."—Bolton
Hall Hall.

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COBALT NOTES.

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By Wm. DuReu.

On Oct. 17th Comrade Grace Silver arrived in Cobalt and addressed a meeting of the Socialist local. On the following day. Sunday, Oct. 18, she addressed a mass meeting at the Orpheum theatre, which was a great success, many leaving the meeting with the wool removed from their eyes. The only interruption during the evening came from Mr. Trudel, the mayor of Cobalt, who came into the theatre in a queer condition. No doubt he wanted to advertise the fact that we are living in a dry town.

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About the first of November C. M. O'Brien of Alberta is coming north again for a visit. We believe the fime is ripe to spread the seeds of discontent among the workers. We have a large army of unemployed here at present, in fact three weeks ago 458 men and women marched the streets of Cobalt, and demanded of the mayor that he do something for them.

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Since that time some of the mines have started to work again, and the mine operators are showing their patriotism in giving the slaves work on the condition that they turn in their union cards to the mine office.

The workers can well learn a lesson in solidarity from the master class. We see the capitalists, great and small, rallying to the support of their crumbling system in this, the greatest crisis of the ages, while the workers, on the other hand, grovel on their knees to a master for the right to live.

When the workers awaken to the fact that the day has gone by for begging, and start to demand, that day will see the emancipation of our class.

TORONTO NOTES By J. M. Conner.

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The new Earlscourt local 88 held its second meeting at Little's hall on Saturday, Oct. 17. Controller James Simpson gave an address on the work of a Socialist representative in the city council. There were about 150 persons present, who listened very attentively to the address and at the close two more comrades enrolled under the red banner of Socialism.

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on Sunday, Oct. 18 we finished up our open air propaganda for the season with a rousing open air meeting at 3 p.m., when J. M. Arthur Conner presided. Controller Simpson, and Comrades Bambridge, Birks and Armstrong addressed this huge gathering of about 700 people. The collection amounted to \$4.20. The watchword of the new local is: "Earlscourt must be won-for Socialiam." Let the other locals hustle, or they will be left behind.

Local 71, Dovercourt, is starting its winter campaign. We have been having a series of special nights lately, and at the last one Comrade Conner delivered his lecture on Robert Burns and social democracy. An effort is being made to bring our membership to the 100 mark before the year closes up. Secretary McGowan declares that this local is also in; a good position financially, and that no other local in Canada can beat it for enthusiasm. We are now preparing for the municipal campaign. Look for the report from this local in the future in Cotton's.

SIMPSON FIGHTS MUTILATION OF MINIMUM WAGE LAW.

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The Toronto City Council chamber was the scene of some brilliant fire-works at the meeting of the council Oct. 18. The occasion for the demonstration was the attempt of Alderman Cameron to put through a motion permitting the hiring of men on city relief work for 18 cents an hour instead of the 25 cents an hour which the city bylaw calls for. The Cameron motion was strenuously opposed by Controller James Simpson, through whose efforts the minimum posed by Controller James Simpson, through whose efforts the minimum wage law calling for 25 cents an hour for all city employes was enacted.

The Cameron motion to permit of the hiring of men for 18 cents per hour was vigorously supported by Alderman Sam McBride, F. S. Spence and others. In support of his motion, Alderman Cameron said that payment at the \$15-rate for relief work in Toronto would make the city a great "drawing card," and large numbers of unemployed would flock into the city from all parts of the province.

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Alderman F. S. Spence claimed that "the man who advocated the payment of \$2.50 per day on relief work becomes an immigration agent, and takes benefits away from the very people he wants to benefit."

Alderman MeBride in supporting the motion, among other things got off the following truism: "The great trouble with the workingmen is that their tastes are six months ahead of their salaries."

Now wouldn't that bob your cork? What hope would there be for workingmen if their tastes were not ahead of the miserable pittance competition for jobs compels them to work for?

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thercus to the board of control to be thoroughly threshed out. It is to be hoped that the Socialists and labor unions of Toronto will see to it that this reactionary motion is defeated. Every working man in Toronto should rally to Simpson's support, and see that Alderman Cameron's motion is defeated.

BRANTFORD ALIVE.

We are small in numbers, having only recently organized, but every member is a live wire, and we can prove it. On Oct. 7th we held a propaganda

ensued, the result of which needs no comment.
But the most couraging part of it all was the object lesson of what stick-to-it-iv-ness will do, even in hard times, and we recommend other locals to try a large application.
Yours for the greatest cause that ever occupied the mind of man—Brantford Local No. 100, E. A. R., Secretary. ecretary

BRANDON, NOTICE !

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The Socialists of Brandon, Man., have taken up new headquarters in the Crystal Block, Room No. 1, Rosser avenue, where classes will be held for the study of economics and social science. Classes commenced on Sunday evening, Oct. 11th, at eight o clock. An invitation is extended to all to attend.

GRACE SILVER MEETINGS.

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The following is a condensed report of the meetings addressed by Grace Silver under the auspices of the Socialist locals of the Socialist locals of the Socialist locals of the Socialist meetings for the future. Any local desirous of securing a date for Miss Silver should communicate at once with H. Martin, Berlin,

MEETINGS REPORTED.

Windsor, Sept. 30. Good street meeting.

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ng; great financial success.
Berlin, Oct. 3. Large open air neeting, selling 125 Reviews.
Berlin, Oct. 4. Roma theatre, good Guelph, Oct. 5. Only fair meeting

wing to counter attractions.
Woodstock, Oct. 6. Good hall meeting. Brantford, Oct. 7. Good hall meet-

Brantford, Oct. 7. Good hall meeting.
Toronto, Oct. 8. Open air meeting under auspices of Earlscourt local.
Lindsay, Oct. 9. Fine hall meeting under auspices of newly formed Woman's Social-Democratic league.
Toronto, Oct. 11. Labor Temple.
Niagara Falls, Oct. 12. Hall meeting.

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Thornloe, Oct. 19.
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McCool, Oct. 21, 23, 24 and 25 to be arranged by Porcupine local.
Elk Lake, Oct. 26.
Gowganda, Oct. 27.
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Elk Lake, Oct. 29.
Giroux Lake, Oct. 30.
Cobalt, Oct. 31.
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Pembroke, Nov. 3. Ottawa, Nov. 4. Other dates to follow. Terms, \$5 a meeting

Berlin local got busy in the way that pleases the business office last week. Sent a check for twelve dol-lars to settle their burdle account. We would like a lot of news of this nature to report in our next issue. Come on now, help make good news. Henry Earl, of Pangman, Sask., who signs himself a "Pangman Red" landed a bunch of fifteen subs, and forwarded the list with \$3.50 to liquidate. Henry's vermillion is just the proper shade.

Mrs. M. A. Owen, of Fernie, B.C., sends two dollars and a list of eight. Who said women should not vote? T. D. Conger, Delburne, Alta., shows he is practicing the slogan of "Business as usual." He bumped in the other day with \$3 and a list of twelve subs.

Up to date, in the neighborhood of one hundred of Cotton's readers have taken advantage of our offer of Pearson's magazine and Cotton's Weekly both for one year for \$1.00. No Red, Radical or real Progressive can spend a plunk to better advantage. Both papers are good brain jolters.

A Socialist paper has been started in Jerusalem, printed in the lang-nage of the Hebrew prophets. Mr. Zarubabel is editor of the "Haachu-dith," meaning unity.

Many people are against what they think Socialism is merely because they do not think enough, to know what it is.

Well, the workers are now getting their full product of lead and pow-der. What are they kicking about?

When a politician tells his audience

England Queer Place Now

By Shaw Desmond, in the Milwaukee

Shaw Desimed is one of the ablest and most ctedited of English writers on current events as they affect the workers of England. He is a regular contributor to the "Milwaukee Leader." Here is his latest letter from London, dated Oct. 19. It will give the readers of Cotton's some idea of what their brothers are up against in the old sod.

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London, Oct. 10.—(By Mail.)—
London is a queer place these days. You never saw anything like it, except in a nightmare. The parks are full of soldiers who were, soldiers who are, and soldiers to be.
Enthusiastic youngsters, still in their teens pant backwards and forwards in their shirt sleeves, drilling for king, country, and the bare life. Warlike city clerks, pale as a sheet of paper, with chests like red-herrings, but "pride in their port, defiance in their eye" do the goosestep as to the manner born, and pant, pant, pant for the glory.

The quiet young gentleman next door, who day before yesterday looked as though butter wouldn't melt in his mouth, has blossomed into a very fierce creature indeed, stuck all over with carving knives and the trappings of war. Moustaches are sprouting, instructors are shouting, and beauty is pouting—all in homor of war, glorious war.

PATRIOTISM IS FLYING.

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Quite à lot of patriotism is flying around these days, some of it over the froth of the beer mug, but still, "potriotism." When every second street echoes to the tramp-tramp of armed men it is not to be supposed that patriotism has not come to its own. Long. men, short men, thick men, thin men—men of all sizes in khaki and peaked caps are tramping away to tne call of glory. How many of them will come back?

The crowds read the war cables—they read them, and understand as little of their real import as the men in Mars. They hear that a certain position has been taken—theers, full-throated cheers. "Down with the hated German!" "Ip with England and Russia". and hell or anything else you like. They see nothing of the bloody business—of men shot through the stomach, screaming like wounded sares, who have to be turned on the stomach, screaming like wounded sares, who have to be turned on the stomach, until they peter out their lives in a bloody trench. They hear nothing of the scream of shell, which, as one man told me, starts like the sound of an "O" made with tips which gradually contract and then learst into a hellish rain of death. They only see the glory. God help them.

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A Zeppelin flew over the tiggest city in the world yesterday. Or so they say. The news goes out that the kaiser is coming over himself with a fleet of these blinded p.z. to lay London in ruins. At Marole Arch they have a giant, ipping gun pointing skyward waiting for "the death that flieth in the sonday." The airmen go up in widening civeles every night to look for the fring death. And hope they may I.d it. "If the Germans came." "If invasion were possible," "If even for a short three months the German fleet stopped England's outside feeders?" These are the questions on men's are the questions on men's

Well, if these things happened Well, if these things happened, London would be a hell on earth. Seven or eight millions of people shut up in a hand-space. The biggest slum population in the world. The most terrible poverty. God grant these things may not be.

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In the meantime Tommy Atkins is kicking, or the Socialists are kicking for him. A generous war office allows the magnificent sum of 25 cents a day for the wife of a soldier and 4 cents for each entity in addition, an allotment of the soldier's pay of 12 cents a day for his wife and 2 cents for each child is graciously permitted. That's not exactly Rockefelleria:

That's not exactly Rockefellerian, but there are many cases where the "upholder of king and country" has been away for five weeks, responding to the aforesaid glory's call, without a red cent being given to those he has left behind. The Britisher bungler can do it when he likes.

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Take the Charity Organization society in Queen street, Manchester, as an example of how not to do it. Here ar 3.30 p.m. more than 200 women were still seeking admission, some of them having waited five hours in the sun without food.

PRAY FOR CUP OF TEA.

They sat on scaffold planks, huddling their starved babies to starvelling breasts—they sat there hour after hour praying for a cup of tea, and getting—nothing.

And it is thus a grateful country rewards the wives—and children of those who are giving their lives in the bloodstained trenches along the Meuse. The baseness of it.

The first thing the recruit is told to do is "to keep himself clean." One of these hopefuls after waiting 10 days for a bit of soap or the wherewithal to tidy himself ventured to ask how the impossible was to be accomplished. He is still waiting for a small room—feeding when and how you can—suffering "the slings and arrows of an outrageous fortune" as offered by the British war office, are not wortried about. It is hard work serving one's grateful country. If you grumble you are "unpatriotic"—if you don't you are "unpatriotic"—if you don't you are "unpatriotic"—if you don't you are "patriotic" but dirty.

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Here is one letter: "At Aldershot PATRIOTIC BUT DIRTY.

Here is one letter: "At Aldershot we are going through the mill properly. We have been here ten days, and we haven't had any towel, soap, knife and fork, clean shirt, socks or brush and comb issded to us. And they expect us to keep ourselves clean." The man who wrote that let-

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