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Local Chicago has lost an honored and valuable worker in the death of Comrade Laura Willard Taft, the wife of Comrade Marcus H. Taft.

Don't forget the Party meeting Wednesday, June 9th, at Labor Bureau, 915 1/2 Market Street.

No, gentle reader, despite striking similarities, Jesus was not a Socialist; neither was Judas Iscariot, President of the Building Trades' Council.

A couple of years ago, during the Trans-Mississippi Congress and Exposition the Government issued stamps with a picture of a bonanza farm upon them.

The Building Trades Council may feel proud of those contemptible fakirs, P. H. McCarthy, Saunders, Chester, Tremaine, et al., who have sought to secure for themselves favor with the bosses by discouraging the strike of the Cooks' Union.

In his address to the employees of the Union Iron Works last Saturday, President McKinley added one more item of evidence to the proof that he is the right man in the right place.

It is about time that you recover somewhat from your past half-year of lethargy. Very shortly the municipal campaign will open and the local will need all the workers and propagandists it can get.

party meetings held the first Wednesday evening of the month. Get subscribers to ADVANCE. Ask your friends to join the Social Democratic Party.

The United States Steel Trust will insure its own property, regularly setting aside an insurance fund thus: So far as this action of the Steel Trust takes commissions from the solicitors it is but part of the well-known economy of trusts in dispensing with unnecessary middlemen.

MON PANACHE.

In the last act of Cyrano de Bergerac the valiant soldier, in his dying delirium, fights the invisible foes "Lies, hypocrisy, and compromise."

The Social Democratic party, like Cyrano, has principles to fight for, shams and pretensions to unmask, lies, hypocrisies and compromises to overcome.

ulled, I have kept mine honor." Let every comrade remember that in his keeping is the cause. Let no one hesitate by inconsiderate or selfish action to besmirch the glorious career which seems to await the party.

DELMAS ON DEMOCRACY.

The League of the Iroquois, otherwise known as "the old squaws of the Democratic party," went to Benicia last Sunday for the purpose of celebrating the fifth anniversary of the Democratic party in this State.

"Never, sir, did the nation stand in greater need than now of the salutary doctrines of Jefferson. By contraction and monopoly which now threatens to subvert our institutions, to destroy individual liberty, and transform our government into a mere sordid oligarchy."

Well, we can afford to sit back and have a quiet laugh at this modern Joshua who will command the sun and moon to stand still and motionless in the sky—men—who will seize the wheels of progress now whirling rapidly onward, impelled by the mighty forces of the universe, and stop and turn them back.

Poor Democracy! Poor Democracy! Poor Mrs. Jefferson! See how they sweeping back the sea with principles of contraction and monopoly.

If this be so it is evident that labor must look to another than the Democratic party for an organization to further its own class interests. The interests of labor are to get the greatest amount of wealth with the least expenditure of energy; to able men may obtain employment, to have as much liberty as association permits.

IN THE Industrial Arena

By JOS J. NOEL

A poet of the good old days remarked early in his career, "Consistency, thou art a jewel"; and, in strange as it may seem, it had no reference to the action of a labor leader.

With the glad tidings of great joy, in a very warm reception accorded the memorial itself. The committee was met by a butler or door-keeper, named Cortelyou.

Meanwhile the memorial—well, this is not the story of a memorial; it is the story of a delegation. It passed into history (the delegation) well contented with itself, though a trifling inconsistency (the memorial) passed into the waste basket of history.

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GAMBRINUS PILSENER PORTLAND, OREGON Best in the Universe In Kegs and Bottles. California Schuetzen Park. ADAM BREHM, Prop.

Open Letter to Local San Francisco. San Jose, Cal., May 16, 1901. Section San Francisco, S. D. P.— Dear Comrades: I noticed in the ADVANCE of May 14th, two propositions submitted to you by your Municipal Program Committee...

STATE EXECUTIVE. Met Saturday, May 18th, at Comrade J. George Smith's office. The secretary reported receipts as follows: J. X. Slevetzki, \$1.00; local San Diego, \$1.00; local San Diego, \$1.00; local San Diego, \$1.00...

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During the second week of Comrade Scott Anderson's trip towards the South he will speak at Watsonville, May 24th and 25th; Salinas, May 26th and 27th; San Gabriel, May 28th and 29th; San Luis Obispo, May 30th and 31st; Arroyo Grande, June 1st.

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BREWERS' LOCAL NO. 7. Brewers' Union Local No. 7 donated \$100 to Cooks and Waiters and \$150 to strike fund of Labor Council. Will give further assistance if required.

BOTTLEERS' LOCAL NO. 102. Bottlers Union donated \$50 to Cooks and Waiters and per capita required by Labor Council for strike fund. The campaign of the Bottlers' Union for the eight-hour work-day has been brought to a satisfactory conclusion on the Pacific coast.

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As a member of your organization I have a right to demand change. If I were the only woman in the Social Democratic Party in the State of California, or even in the whole United States, I would none the less have a right to demand that, in any effort that the party may make to secure an economic advantage for the workingman, it should place side by side with him the workingwoman.

CITY CENTRAL COMMITTEE. A communication from San Jose was read. The Auditing Committee is to be notified to audit the books of ADVANCE, and report at party meeting. A motion to abandon Sunday night meetings after the 1st of the month was carried.

The following Breweries have signed the eight-hour agreement with the Brewery Workers: SAN FRANCISCO: Enterpris Brewery Co., Redwood Brewing Co., etc.

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INTEMPERANCE AND POVERTY. This pamphlet on the temperance question should be put in the hands of every cold-water advocate at once. The true cause of poverty and intemperance is explained in a most satisfactory manner.

GERMANY. The teaching of Polish has been prohibited in the secondary schools in the province of Posen. The Socialists at Madgeburg wished to have a procession through the streets of that town on May Day, but the police have prohibited this demonstration because they state that public order would be endangered.

Bottlers' Union Bulletin (Published Weekly) Bottling Establishments on the Pacific Coast that work only 8 hours per day and employ only union men.

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Comrade Chas. H. Vail, National Organizer of the S. D. P., writes us from Medford, Oklahoma: "We are having fine meetings in the Territory. The movement is well under way here." The attorney-general of Connecticut has declared that eight-hour laws are unconstitutional in that state.

The Social Democrats at Spring Valley, Ill., last year elected an alderman from James Beattie's ward. This year they decided to make it two, which they succeeded in doing, and now there are two Social Democratic aldermen in the council. Comrade H. C. Perry received 206 votes for mayor, just doubling the vote of Comrade Beattie a year ago.

AMERICAN BREWERY, BOTTLING DEPARTMENT PORTLAND ORE. Henry Wein and B. Sweeney, Portland Oregon. ANTONIA ORE. John Kopp, Bottling Department. VANOUVER, WASH. Star Brewery. Seattle Brewing and Malting Co., Seattle, Wash. COLUMBIA, WASH. Seattle Brewing Co., Seattle, Wash. OLYMPIA, WASH. Seattle Brewing Co., Seattle, Wash. PACIFIC BREWING CO., Bellingham, Wash. PORTLAND, ORE. Seattle Brewing Co., Seattle, Wash. VANOUVER, WASH. Seattle Brewing Co., Seattle, Wash. OLYMPIA, WASH. Seattle Brewing Co., Seattle, Wash. PACIFIC BREWING CO., Bellingham, Wash.