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NOW IT'S MR. GHENT

The Worker, New York, contains an article on the Socialist party vote and a comparison which shows the losses which that vote has suffered.

Various causes for last year's loss have been suggested. Two causes will doubtless be conceded by every one. The first of these lies in the fact that no general dissatisfaction with the candidates of either of the parties caused a protest vote to be thrown to the Socialists, as happened in 1904.

A REACTIONARY 'SCHEME'

It is, of course, quite unnecessary for us to print anything additional to what has already appeared with the object of showing the simple and impossible ideas of a working class organization that prevail among the reactionaries.

tion were not for the fact that they were in fear of losing their position. Here we have industrial unionism reduced not only to an absurdity, but used as a menace to working class interests.

THE LAST NOTICE

Last week's paper contained a notice to old subscribers who had not renewed their subscriptions to THE BULLETIN. As we are anxious that all of them should understand the import of that notice it is again printed for their benefit.

Developments in Seattle

SEATTLE, Wash., May 10.—It will probably be of some interest to the membership generally to hear a few words as to the new development and progress in the I. W. W. movement in this city.

Word reaches us from Nome, Alaska

Word reaches us from Nome, Alaska, where the Longshoremen are organized in the I. W. W., that the Longshoremen have not been idle during the winter.

The Propaganda in San Francisco

The Industrial Workers held a mass meeting in Dolores Hall on Sunday, May 5th. Fellow Worker J. J. Eitor in the opening address showed the impotency of craft unionism and clearly proved how the workers defeat themselves when they are on strike.

Fierce Conditions in Frisco

San Francisco is at present the scene of fierce industrial strife. Blood has flowed, and death has taken place, as the result of the importation of hired thugs.

Tactics Adopted at Portland

PORTLAND, April 30.—The eyes of the whole country have been centered on this city for some weeks because of the tremendous commotion created in an industrial center of this size by the Industrial Workers of the World.

The Strike at Tacoma

The latest report sent to this office from Tacoma, Wash., is that the smelter company refuses to take back three men who are considered special, obnoxious.

and making out cards, and above all, about three "class struggle" meetings were held per day. The cigar stand was removed from the hall because of the need of room, and the restaurant has been closed down for the summer months.

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WORKING CLASS ECONOMICS Conducted by James P. Thompson

Lesson V The Equivalent Form of Value. Q. We have seen that commodity A (the linen), by expressing its value in the use value of a commodity different in kind (the coat), at the same time impresses upon the latter a specific form of value, namely—what?

THE GOLDFIELD CONSPIRACY

The Journal of Finance, mouthpiece of gamblers and speculators in "mining properties," and published at Chicago, recently contained in its Goldfield (Nevada) correspondence, the following illuminating statement, after narrating the incidents that led up to the killing of Silvia by Preston in self-defense.

him, into seeing, in the expression of value, merely a quantitative relation; the truth being that, when a commodity acts as equivalent, no quantitative determination of its value is expressed. Q. What is the first peculiarity that strikes us, in considering the form of the equivalent? A. "It is this: Use-value becomes the form of manifestation, the phenomenal form of its opposite, value."



