

BISHOP SPALDING ON SOCIAL REFORM

Declares That In the Future the Useful Man Alone Will Be Respected.

SOCIALISM AS A PANACEA.

It Has, He Says, More Than Superficial Philosophy, But Suffers For Lack of Brains.

That the greatest weakness of socialism is its lack of brains is the conclusion of Bishop F. S. Spalding of the Episcopal church, who spoke last night upon this subject before a large congregation. The lecture was the concluding one of a series on social reform, and in summing up the case for the co-operative commonwealth Bishop Spalding declared that socialism was a thing not to be scoffed at, to be considered superficial, or to be laughed at.

Must Add Brains. To those of you who believe in it I will say that the greatest weakness of your cause in America is its lack of brains. Socialism is misrepresented and often allowed to be allied with ganache, though such is most untrue. In this country, I say again, there is not the brains behind the movement that are found in the countries of Europe and you must see that they are added.

Tree Methods. On the question of how to bring the co-operative commonwealth about Bishop Spalding declared that the Socialists had three methods—by confiscation, by purchase by the state, and by taxing out of existence.

What Causes Headache. From October to May, colds are the most frequent cause of headache. LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE removes cause. E. W. Grove on box 25c.

COUNCILMEN HEAR PROTEST.

Telephone Companies and License Committee Meet.

At a meeting of the license committee of the city council held last night, arguments were heard and on the matter of telephone license payment, which is opposed by the local telephone companies. Representing the Bell company were D. S. Murray, president, and G. Y. Wallace, Jr., attorney, while H. A. Harvey, president, and Waldemar Van Cott, attorney, appeared for the Independent company.

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Fanchon the Lobster

A most sublime lobster, was Fanchon. Not a human lobster, mark you, but a real, crustacean lobster. He was beautiful, and he would gesticulate wildly when pinched. Right justly he played his part, and, when he grew pink with ruin, did he not drag down to destruction with him his ravisher?

It is a story by George Randolph Chester, in this week's issue of THE SATURDAY EVENING POST. You can whiff the atmosphere of the little French cafe, you can hear the sputtering of Pierre, the chef; and afterward, whenever you see a clever lobster, you will say to yourself, "Fanchon."

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lien of license money. Those taking part in the discussion were Mr. Murray, Mr. Wallace, Mr. Van Cott and members of the committee, the company representing those claiming they had lost money on their investments right along.

Offers are rejected. Mr. Murray offered to furnish the city 50 free phones and \$1,000 in toll service in lieu of license, but this was not accepted.

Councilman Black suggested that the Bell people pay \$2,000 and furnish 50 free phones and remit all police tolls, while he wished the Independent company to pay \$1,500, with the other conditions.

Mr. Stewart was in favor of collecting the license money and cutting down the number of phones to about 10 for the city's use. City Attorney Dinwiny advised the postponement of any action until the supreme court had decided a case bearing upon the subject, known as the Christensen case, a decision upon which is expected in about two weeks. At his suggestion the matter was postponed until after the election should be rendered, and the meeting adjourned.

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YEAGER LANDS KUBICUENY.

About two weeks ago, Policeman Yeager was chasing an alleged burglar and fell into a cesspool. The burglar escaped. Last night he arrested Gos Kubicueny, a Greek laborer, aged 26 years, on the charge of burglary and Yeager declares he is the man who chased when the accident happened. He says the Greek broke into a place at 531 West Second South street and stole some watches. When searched a watch and several other articles were found on the Greek, said by the police to have been stolen.

UNIVERSITY ACTIVITIES.

The University of Utah will give a banquet to the Dramatic club and debaters inter-collegiate and class champions at the Alta club next Tuesday evening. The Dramatic association gives its play "You Never Can Tell," at the Salt Lake Theater tonight, Saturday night and Saturday matinee which makes one more performance than in any previous year.

Arbor Day plans at the University of Utah are in the hands of a committee consisting of Profs. Ebaugh, Benning and Allen. The plans are much like those of former years, each class planting trees in their respective groves and cleaning up around all of the groves.

ROYAL ARCANUM AT BANQUET.

The Salt Lake Council of the Royal Arcanum gave a banquet last evening, at the Heron hotel, with 60 guests present. Rev. Short of the First Methodist church was toastmaster. Among the speakers were John Q. Critchlow, Dean Brewster, Judge W. H. King, and others. G. D. Long played a cornet solo. Miss Editha, a violin number, and the Hawaiian Troubadours sang while the company were eating.

LABORER HAD A GUN.

Patrolman Betz last night arrested a laborer named A. T. Bourk on the charge of exhibiting a deadly weapon. It is claimed that Bourk had some trouble with a bartender named Fred Burton. It is said that he drew a revolver and threatened to kill the bartender. The arrest was made at Third South and West Temple streets.

HALL DISAPPEARS.

Charles F. Hall, the man who cut his throat with a razor in the hope of avoiding arrest for petit larceny, has disappeared. He was arraigned before Judge Diehl Tuesday morning and the case was set for yesterday. He failed to show up and a bench warrant was issued for his arrest.

REPUBLICAN SENTIMENT.

Ex-Gov. Wells says that while in Chicago recently, and in fact, elsewhere in the east, he found the Republican sentiment all Taft. It seems to be the general opinion that the doughy judge will receive the Republican nomination at the coming national convention to be held in Chicago this summer. Gov. Wells was told in Chicago that local interests were very little affected by the recent panic—very much less than in New York. They were the last to go into the clearing house certificate business and the first to quit it.

SAYS GIRL MADE NO CONFESSION

Defense in Bruce Case Declares She Signed Blank Piece Of Paper.

POISON WAS PUT IN PIE.

Wife and Daughter of Victim Are Now Facing Trial on Charge Of Murder.

(Special to the "News.")

Evanston, Wyo., April 9.—The trial of Miss Annie Bruce, charged jointly with her mother, Annie Bruce, with the murder of James Bruce, father and husband of the two defendants, respectively, is now being tried before a jury, the choosing of which was completed yesterday.

The question that is uppermost in the minds of the public is whether or not the young girl is trying to save her mother at her own jeopardy. The prosecution has in its possession an alleged confession made by Miss Annie Bruce, signed Aug. 17, 1907, in which she stands self-accusing of poisoning in a pie which was purposely put in with other edibles for her father's lunch.

The defense contends that the confession is not genuine, having been, the attorneys say, written on paper signed in blank by the girl, who knew nothing of what would be attributed to her. The first witness for the state was Lawrence Bruce, a brother of the defendant. He was present when his father was taken ill, and was told by his sister to save the unsalted portion of the pie for examination. The boy's mother, however, on arriving at the scene, ordered the pastry to be thrown into the creek.

THE CONFESSION.

The alleged confessor of Annie Bruce is as follows: "Aug. 17, 1907.—I, Annie Bruce, of Smoot, Uinta county, Wyo., make the following statement of my own free will and accord, without any promise of reward from any one, and without compulsion or threat of any kind, but simply to relieve my conscience of the guilt upon my soul.

"On the 20th day of March, A. D. 1907, I made five pies. While I was in the act of making the pies a feeling or a wish came over me to kill some one, and this feeling I could not resist, so I went to the store and procured a bottle of poison, which I knew was there. I took the bottle of poison out of the lower box, which was full, and to do so I removed the upper box. After I secured the poison I put the upper box on the lower box, and went into the kitchen, and while no one was looking I emptied the bottle of poison into the pie. The poison was strychnine. I put the poison into the last pie I made. In the morning my mother and myself were preparing pa's lunch, and ma said to me, 'Annie, fetch me a pie from the cupboard.' I brought the pie which I had poisoned. I knew it was poisoned, and this pie was afterward sent by ma to the ranch. It was the pie that killed my pa. After pa died I felt awfully sorry. I hawled and cried a great deal. I yet feel awfully sorry that I put the poison in the pie that killed pa. I make this statement in the presence of D. G. Thomas, county and prosecuting attorney; Jonathan Jones, sheriff, and William Dehoney, deputy sheriff.

"Signed by ANNIE BRUCE. In the presence of D. G. Thomas, Jonathan Jones and W. C. Dehoney."

DECREASE IN COLLECTIONS.

A decrease of over \$2,300 in county license collections is shown by the quarterly report of the county license collector made public yesterday. In comparison with the figures of last year for the same period. Following are the figures for the two years, as given in the report:

Table with 3 columns: License Type, 1907, 1908. Includes Kind of License, Butchers, Merchants, Liquor, and Totals.

ADDS MANY NEW MEMBERS.

Commercial Club Building Fund Grows With Enlarged Personnel. By the election of 22 new members into the Commercial club yesterday afternoon, the club's policy of becoming large enough to handle its big building proposition without outside help is getting nearer to completion.

WORK TO BEGIN AT ONCE.

The contract for connecting the intercepting sewer with the gravity sewer has been signed by the Campbell Building company and the work is to be begun as soon as the contract is approved by the city council. The connection will be made with 4,800 feet of wood stave pipe, and the price of the work is placed at \$16,000.

DIDN'T KNOW

That Coffee Was Causing Her Trouble. So common is the use of coffee as a beverage, many do not know that it is the cause of many obscure ailments which are often attributed to other things.

"I am 40 years old and all my life, up to a year and a half ago, I had been a coffee drinker. About ten years ago, I had dyspepsia so bad that after drinking coffee I drank would sour on my stomach and I could not retain it.

"I had severe headaches and heart weakness made me feel sometimes as though I were about to die. After drinking a cup or two of hot coffee, not knowing it was harmful, my heart would go like a clock without a pendulum. At other times it would almost stop. I was so nervous I did not like to be alone.

"If I took a walk for exercise, as soon as I was out of sight of the house I felt as if I was sinking and this would frighten me terribly. My life was utterly refuse to support me, and the pity of it all was, I did not know that coffee was causing the trouble.

"Reading in the papers that many persons were relieved of such ailments by leaving off coffee and drinking Postum, I got my husband to bring home a package. We made it according to directions and I liked the first cup. Its rich creamy flavor was delicious.

"I have been using Postum about 18 months and to my great joy, digestion is good, my nerves and heart are all right, and I feel like a new woman once more, thanks to Postum.

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E. M. HAND'S SNAKES.

E. M. Hand, a mining engineer from the northwest, and a much traveled man, is registered at the Knutsford. He has the skin of a boa constrictor 25 feet long, which he shot in the Celebes islands south of Borneo, where he was in the employ of the Dutch government. Mr. Hand shot the huge snake through the backbone and with the assistance of natives, lassoed the head with bamboo, and strangled it. On cutting the boa open, the partially digested carcasses of two pigs were found in the lower box, and were found in it, weighing respectively 156 and 72 pounds. Mr. Hand also killed a boa constrictor 28 feet long, in whose stomach was found the recently swallowed body of a 12-year-old native child who was thought to have been eaten by alligators. The remains of the little girl were restored to her grieving parents. Mr. Hand says after one of these great serpents has swallowed its prey, it hides for two or three months to digest it. They destroy a great many native lives.

SEWERS AND SIDEWALKS.

The engineering committee will recommend to the city council Monday night that a sewer extension be built on Ninth East street between Belmont avenue and Ninth South streets, to connect with the main sewer being built on Ninth South. It was also decided to recommend that the recorder advertise notices of intention and the city engineer to establish a grade on North Main street, between First North and Fourth North streets, where it is proposed to create a new sidewalk extension.

TANGLED ON PAVING.

"Americans" Trying to Figure Out How Contract Should Read. The contract for paving First South street will not be given out until Mayor Bransford has had time to thoroughly consider the same. Mr. Bransford has been in consultation with City Atty. Dinwiny in regard to the matter, and the city attorney is of the opinion that some sort of an amendment should be adopted for the protection of the interests of the city before the contract is let.

According to the provisions of the contract, residents along the street may choose California or Utah asphalt, as they may desire, to be put down in front of their premises for any one block, but it is feared that under the present form, a single property owner might be able to block the entire proposition by objecting to the particular kind of paving selected by his neighbors, and for this reason an additional clause in the contract is considered necessary.

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AMUSEMENTS.

Theater—The long awaited performance by the University of Utah Dramatic club occurs tonight in a production of Bernard Shaw's "You Never Can Tell." Miss Babcock has been laboring for months on this particular presentation and those friends of the club who have attended rehearsals think that it will surpass all the previous records, high as they were.

The advance sale is now going on at the theater for the production of "The District Leader," which will be seen at the theater Monday night.

Orpheum—Tonight is "society night," and the popularity of the bill is sure to bring a big attendance.

Grand—The Lorch company is giving the last performances of "A Child of the Regiment" at this house. The advance inquiries indicate that tomorrow's matinee will be an enormous one.

Lyric—"The Jolly Musketeers" is winding up the week at this house to be followed by "A Night in Morocco" Monday.

BAD SLAUGHTERHOUSE.

Complaint Filed Against Raddon & Williams and Warant is Issued.

This morning the county attorney filed a complaint in Justice of the Peace Dana T. Smith's court against the firm of Raddon & Williams, charging them with maintaining a slaughterhouse in an unsanitary condition. The place is situated at Twelfth South and Sixth West street and it is charged that the firm has neglected to keep it in a proper sanitary condition. A warrant of arrest was issued and placed in the hands of a deputy sheriff for service.

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BEFORE JUDGE DIEHL.

T. F. Clark and Fred Howat, two men arrested several days ago on the charge of burglary in the second degree, were arraigned this morning before Judge Diehl and pleaded not guilty. They will have a preliminary hearing on the 16th.

The case of grand larceny against a woman of the town known as Grace Gilmore, was dismissed this morning on motion of the prosecution.

JUDGE GOWANS TO SPEAK.

Will Address Y. M. C. A. Members Tonight on Juvenile Court Work.

The Forensic club having been a



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SOME OF UNCLE SAM'S "UNDESIRABLE CITIZENS."



The cut shows a phase of life very common in Manila. Mendicancy is regarded as an honorable calling in that city, and the principal streets in the better parts of the town are lined with beggars of all ages, all of them professional and well up in their business.

successful social feature of the Y. M. C. A. during the past season will adjourn this evening until next October. The members are looking forward to the final banquet to be given in honor of the club this evening commencing at 8 o'clock.

The program will include the following: Mr. Chas. Black, violin solo; Mr. A. Q. Adamson, humorous reading; Mr. Ernest A. Hoare, "The Forensic News;" M. G. W. Pennington, piano selection; Mr. O. R. Sterling, short talk. President Frank A. Bullington will be toastmaster. After the program, which will take place directly after the banquet the meeting will be turned over to Judge Gowans who will talk on juvenile court work.

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