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Col. Hartley Would Suppress Study of Political Economy In State University --- Will Vote Appropriations Only On Condition That He Dictate What Shall and What Shall = Not Be Taught:

SEATTLE STAR LANDS ON COL. HARTLEY, EVERETT REPRESENTATIVE "NARROW BETWEEN THE EYES"

Hartley, of Everett, if you ever get roundabout apology, or something, that Landes' request for a \$300,000 approthe chance. Don't miss it. You'll was intended to make its readers be- priation for buildings at the University SOCIALISTS' CLAIMS see why big, brainy, capable, intelli- lieve that Hartley is not "Narrow Begent, broad-minded men like Prof. An- tween the Eyes." gell, dean of the University of Chi- Falling back upon local patriotismcago, refuse to accept the presidency that same old excuse for any kind of Thursday afternoon. of the University of Washington, wrong or ignorance—the Tribune's

permit dictation from the narrow- state," namely, the people of Everett. for stamping out Socialism." to advise with men who have at least up because Hartley does not favor often come with Socialistic ideas to men and women with distorted mental a thimbleful of brains on how a big chucking a lot of the people's money the university, but before graduation state institution should be run.

Imagine a man like Angell kowtow- Mr. Hartley's apologist. ing and fawning before Representative Just so. If "the people of the rest least two years ago. And then watch have more subscribers?

"Please, sir, don't be angry. We grab-bag" at Olympia. discourage socialism. We don't teach it at the university.'

learn that they study the doctrines of by Colonel Honorable Hartley-oh Confucius. Also the doctrines of pro- yes, and the Tribune.

knowledge.

Cosgrove gives three rousing cheers ter much," the Tribune declares.

THE VICTIM OF 2x4 POLITI- what not to teach. CIANS.—Seattle Star.

George R. KIRKPATRICK

America's Greatest Peace

Apostle

Author of 'WAR, WHAT FOR?"

SUNDAY, FEB. 21

2:30 P. M.

ADMISSION 15c RESERVED SEATS 25c HARTLEY WEAK

After the Hon. Col. Hartley was properly bawled out by the Seattle Take a close look at Representative Star, out comes the Tribune with a

You'll see a grown-up man who is editor attempts to evade the issue by university taught Socialism?" raising the point of Seattle's jealousy Big men, like Angell, would never (?) of "the people of the rest of the Landes. "The university is an agent

"The Star is particularly wrought

Hartley and his like in the legislature, of the state" want to keep a univer- dent Landes was asked. begging, supplicating, pleading for a sity, why not transplant it to Everett, Hoover is a leading Socialist in Se have been given the university at and where the Tribune would like to last fall.

"Why do you teach socialism at the erett support a state institution locat oratory and athletics. Prof. Landes of life and society which tended to litical science known as Socialism, Can you imagine Prof. Angell reply. shrinks from such undiscriminating before he entered the university. ing in the spirit of President Landes patriotism! It will see to it that "Seattle" does not "get a hand in the

After this amusing little attempt to stir up local animosity and jealousy about Seattle's avariciousness, the Washington students study socialism. Tribune's editor comes to the point at issue, the question of supporting It may even widen your eyes to the State University on terms dictated

WHAT'S THE DIFF?

They study these things because self make the amusing pretence that lature and university faculty heads. "broaden" the minds of students that College, Connecticut Agricultural Colphine is a progressive, then Howard is taught at a university doesn't mat-

TIONAL INSTITUTION. IT IS NOW tell the professors what to teach and among our graduates. The university Well, the working-class of Everett senate?

talist-class politics in the State Uni- Dean Condon, of the law school, re- he is right to give them just what not a state law exempting all personal versity, either fire the professors or plied similarly and said Glenn Hoover, they voted for. abolish their jobs by abolishing the a recent graduate, prominent in the what the Colonel said. He made no Socialist congressional candidate, cialists. pretence about Seattle's "hand in the came to the university with that poli-

Hartley was narrow enough between pia that is carefully concealed by capitalist-class institution, under the government-that is despotism. taught all those things which labor that I never deserted her.

editorial bawl-out could be

The man who is "worth more" to I am for the people of the whole na-

duced in the Wisconsin legislature to legalize the change in name from So- The rise of prices in England is now cial-Democratic party to Socialist rousing the slaves to a point where party as authorized in a recent refer- they are demanding that government

The Socialist deputies of France a working class family has risen have decided to support a bill prohi- from about \$5.97 a week for food in biting the sale of absinthe.

TRIBUNE'S DEFENSE OF COL. AS REPORTED IN THE DAILY PRESIDENT OF UNIVERSITY OPEN LETTER TO HON. COL. SOCIALISM AND THE STATE PRESS

What Landes Said

OLYMPIA.-Replying to President of Washington, Representative Hartley, of Everett, took up the hue and cry against Socialism in the house,

"Is it true," he thundered, "that the

"No." meekly replied President

into an institution in Seattle," says they "broaden" their views and abandon that doctrine.

"How about Glenn Hoover?" Prest- all our public institutions.

SOCIALISM BASIS TILT

Lawmaker Says Washington Varsity Turns Out "Reds."

(From Portland Oregonian) OLYMPIA, Feb. 4.—The allegation

While President Henry Landes, o propriation because the U. of W. hap- the university, was being questioned, pansion rather than depth, capitalist Education is meant to broaden the pened to be located near Seattle. No, Representative Hartley, of Snohomish, class dogma rather than free and un. 16; Pacific Coast, 3; South, 1; total, mind, not to narrow it. The univer- this little diversion is the sole crea- spoke of the increasing number of So- prejudiced examination and study of 47. sity teaches, it doesn't advocate, these tion of the Tribune's editor. He had cialists among the university gradu. economic and political science and to say something to avoid the question ates and intimated that the depart. theory. To be worthy of an appropriation of matter of economy, that you introduce all logicles and intimated that the department of say something to avoid the question atts and intimated that the department of say something to avoid the question atts and intimated that the department of say something to avoid the question atts and intimated that the department of say something to avoid the question atts and intimated that the department of say something to avoid the question atts and intimated that the department of say something to avoid the question atts and intimated that the department of say something to avoid the question atts and intimated that the department of say something to avoid the question atts and intimated that the department of say something to avoid the question atts and intimated that the department of say something to avoid the question atts and intimated that the department of say something to avoid the question atts and intimated that the department of say something to avoid the question atts and intimated that the department of say something to avoid the question at say something the properties at

education tends to broaden the minds If the professors will not teach capi- of the students."

the eyes to teach something at Olym- LINCOLN AND DEMOCRACY

President Landes' flattening-out pro- When the white man governs him-

fessors agree to teach what profit- if she shall, be it my proudest plume, passed. mongers want taught, and to leave un- not that I was the last to desert, but

skinners disapprove of as members of If there is anything which it is the most important branches of the whole duty of the whole people to never in- city inspection service, as the city and Farmer Dobbs took eggs to town, Thanks, Hartley, awfully. You're trust to any hands but their own, that individuals are paying out hundreds and to keep them all from freezin' so much more convincing than any thing is the preservation and perpe- of dollars because of defective plumb- He tucked the basket snugly roun'

society than his comrades think he is tion doing just as they please in all The British war department has individual doing just as he chooses in ried before they sail for the front. A bill is to be prepared and intro- all matters which concern nobody else.

> action be taken. The Citizen, of London, shows that the average budget of July, to \$7.86 in January.

ADMITS INSTITUTION IS NOT FREE

Is "Agent for Stamping Out Socialism'

ARE ACKNOWLEDGED

docile, hypnotized, and capitalist class. been charged with teaching Socialism, High school students, said Landes, conscious wage slave and professional vision, has long been the unchallenged claim of Socialists-of all who understand the capitalist-class character of

We Socialists have insisted upon it that no true education would be given building appropriation that should where Mr. Hartley has real estate, attle, and was candidate for congress in our public educational institutions so long as they were under the control At the University of Washington, of the master-class, exploiters of labor. Why should a "statesman" from Ev- Hoover was a leader in debate and We contended that only those views and as information regarding the poed in Seattle? The Tribune's editor replied that Hoover was a Socialist strengthen the position of the bosses which is now engrossing the minds as a privileged class would be per. of the thinking people throughout the mitted expression in our schools and world, I would most respectfully call colleges; that our schools and colleges to your attention that, among others, were being used constantly to teach the following universities and colleges capitalist-class politics, and to dope in America, that have or did have, the minds of student, with master. November, 1912, Socialist chapters: class philosophy, religion, ethics, and omitting the names of the professors sociological principles.

Now comes the president of the tion: that Socialism is taught in the University of Washington and openly versity of Washington caused a tilt admits that the costly miseducational Yale, Brown, Williams, Amherst, Wesin the appropriation committee to- institution at Seattle is there as "an leyan, Clark Springfield Training The Honorable Colonel did not him- night between members of the legis. agent to stamp out Socialism;" to so School, Massachusetts Agricultural their mental processes will have ex. lege.

voted for Hartley and his class-con- And as nine-tenths of the litigation

"study" of political economy. That's I. W. W. troubles in Seattle, and later can't go it too strong to suit us So-home, from execution by judgment of

Prove it to them!

UNION WAGES NOW

Since Commissioner Salter went in- But I may be intruding on your cess at the university. Everett's self, that is self-government; but when to office he has been trying to induce valuable time, and will close with the "Honorable" taught, right out in the he governs himself and also governs the council to pay the plumbing in- statement that the above is written in open, that the State University is a another man, that is more than self- spector union wages. At the legisla- a friendly spirit, and hope you will active session Tuesday, by a vote of two cept it as such. I have the honor to domination of BUSINESS, and that its Many free countries have lost their to one, an ordinance raising the salary remain, most respectfully, funds will be shut off unless its pro- liberty, and ours may lose hers; but from \$100 to \$120 per month was

> Mr. Clay voting for the ordinance. Plumbing inspection is one of the ITS HOT STUFF, YOU KNOW tuation of their own liberties and in- ing work that has passed city inspec- With an old Appeal to Reason. tion in the past.

will be permitted to go off and work matters which concern the whole na- abandoned its policy of celebacy in by himself and pay himself his full tion; for those of each part doing just the army, and is openly encouraging But when the grocer took them outvalue in his own eyes—out of his own as they choose in all matters which marriages. Young nen are given concern no other part; and for each leave of absence in order to get mar-

HARTLEY OF SNOHOMISH COUNTY

Vancouver, Wash., Feb. 5, 1915. Hartley of Snohomish County.

should be abolished.

Merely by way of suggestion, I would most respectfully suggest that an importation of a few of the indicted officials and political corruptionists of "political science," of the old party kind; it's surely a winner when it

Kind sir, for your special guidance, and teachers in these institutions as unworthy perhaps of your considera-

New England 10, namely, Harvard,

Middle Atlantic, 17; Middle West,

A WAY TO ECONOMY

ate, is a socialist, then John C. Hig- at issue, so he thought he'd put over been charged with teaching Socialism, funds for running expenses, declares a bill to reduce the pay of all legislations and actual travel. our gallant representative of capital tors to \$3 per diem and actual travel- and that is the unavoidable function teach it. There are hundreds of wide-"To do that would make the uni. at Olympia, the Colonel Hartley, the ing expenses. And as a further view of any university department. A awake rebel teachers waiting to be versity the laughing stock of the coun- State University must teach that the in the interest of economy and the reevery time Taft's name is mentioned. But the Colonel doesn't agree with try," President Landes replied. "We truths of Socialist philosophy and polities and the colonel doesn't agree with try," President Landes replied. "We truths of Socialist philosophy and polities are truthed as a truth of the resident try," President Landes replied. "We truths of Socialist philosophy and polities are truthed as a truth of the resident try," President Landes replied. "We t don't teach Socialism. As a matter of tical science are untruths: the institu-LEGISLATURE, AND THE UNIVERThe Colonel will give no money to fact there are more graduates of high vicarious intermeddling can paint ent on them and are bound hand and SITY OF WASHINGTON WILL HAVE the State University unless he, as a schools that come to the university as ing and devoted to capitalist class tion of that worthless appendage of your ancient lies under spectrum anal foot by their masters. So come to state government known as the lysis.

> scious rule of our biggest school, and in the courts is about property, why property, and the actual home, resiall kinds; provided, however, that such property shall be subject to lein for state, county and municipal taxes and improvements, interest not to ex-PAID CITY PLUMBER ceed, say 4 per cent, on appraised

Yours for Socialism, H. D. BURROWS.

'Are these eggs fresh?" asked grocer

"Why sure," the farmer boasted, Aias! the eggs were roasted. W. C. B. RANDOLPH.

Omar, Wash

The House Committee on Roads and Bridges in the Washington State Legislature have recommended a bill to repeal the eight-hour law on all public works. Some committeemen exclaimed that laziness was the reason for the I. W. W. and reiterated the opinion that any man who was willing to work always had a job

UNIVERSITY

By BRUCE ROGERS.

for stamping out Socialism is taken capitalist county superintendents. seriously, that institution will be very

the United States, and elsewhere, is number of Socialists among the uni- to the science of sociology as do the right now in this state to carry scores designed and conducted with the ex- versity graduates of the State Uni- doctrines of evolution to the science of small towns and rural districts. press end in view of manufacturing versity, and intimate that the depart- of biology or any other department of Would that I had some power to more or less efficient and wholly ment of political science, which has scientific research. In the larger arouse Socialists to action in this matscientific sense Socialism enters any ter, and right here allow me to suggest university when its laboratories are that you elect only party members. installed and the only way they may Others will not stand fire. This is be made agencies for stamping out no place for a weakling. I talked to any science would be to remove the certain Socialist directors last spring departments of inquiry. In which who seemed to be timid about doing event they would cease to be univer- business with a Socialist teacher for imported, to instruct our youth in ties in any genuine sense and be fear the county superintendent would come mere monasteries. Even then not like it or, as they expressed it, they would fail of the results desired "They wanted to preserve harmony in because genuine schools would ap- the district."

> clastic and destructive of mildewed serene sense of harmony a particle to dogmas. The more renowned the uni- see Socialist teachers fired and their versity the more pronounced is this certificates revoked. tendency. It should be known here But aside from this point of simple that the faculties of Harvard and all justice to the teacher, many are no leading universities furnish many doubt asking "what is to be gained as names upon the roster of the Inter- to educational propaganda?" Collegiate Socialist society. No tory I say "much." Very, very much. political science. All that he did was the school. to throw the subject of political econ- This bigotry in religion, this jingo omy open to all the light that might patriotism, this hero worship, this dis-In conclusion, I would suggest, as a be afforded upon it. I know person-torting the philosophy of history

this thing back than you can turn has shrivelled up our souls, and dried back the tides. There is no way "to up our manhood. Our fathers could stamp out Socialism" short of blight. not have been made into such cringing Go it, Colonel, sock it to them! You dence, and real estate comprising such its brightening light in a well of ig. teacher. Loosen his tongue that he norance as happened to Hindu civili- may teach the truth. zation when its priests and rulers told the people that to advance further would be to offend the gods. And this you cannot do. If this legislature fails to build a university worthy of a name beside the best it will but make strike off their heads till ye have way for a Socialist legislature that made a great slaughter among them,

> to learn Socialism, don't send them to verse 4. school. Don't educate them.

THE COMING SCHOOL ELECTION

If the statement made by Acting liar with the bitter persecution we So-To Representative the "Hon." Mr. President Landes before the legisla- cialist teachers have endured at the ture that the university is an agency hands of capitalist school boards and

Now if you have one drop of red blood in you get out March 6 and do Socialism bears the same relation your duty. We have strength enough

Say, what do you know about that? Universities are essentially icono- But it did not seem to disturb their

hostility can remove them from their, More than by any other means during chairs. Their standing as educators the transition period from capital and is so high that to do so would be to to Socialism. The pinhead who first break down the usefulness of the in- thought there was going to be some stitutions. It would be like taking the short-cut, easy road to Socialism has services of Mr. Charles P. Steinmetz long ago been disillusioned. We now from the General Electric company, see that it is going to be a long pull, The writer entered the University of and a hard pull. The foundations for Texas a democrat. I learned the rudi- the co-operative commonwealth are ments of Socialism from the present now being laid in tears and blood. secretary of agriculture, Dr. David The one mightiest weapon within the Houston, then occupying the chair of reach of the working class today is

their help. Strike the blow March 6 Gentlemen, you can no more keep and free these teachers. Capitalism

J. C. McKEE.

INSTRUCTION FOR TURKS

and of the rest make first the fet-Moral: If you do not wish children ters."-The Koran, Sura xivii.,

"We asked for bread and they gave George Ledebour has withdrawn us bullets." Twenty strikers were from the executive committee of the shot down in Cataret, N. J., recently Socialist faction in the German Reich- because they refused to work for the tag. His reasons are to be given \$1.60 a day to which their wages had been reduced.

MARK BARTLETT

of Chicago, will deliver a lecture in the Socialist Hall, 1612 California Street

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Tacoma, Wash., Feb. 6th, 1915.

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AND NOTES

CARL ULONSKA, Secy-Treas.

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WASHINGTON SOCIALIST A BRILLIANT SUCCESS

No one doubted from the beginning splendid article in the issue of Februof the plans for it that the basket ary 4th, entitled "Disarmament Bunk." social commemorating the fourth and It expresses to a "T" my views. niversary of the Washington Social- I have for some time been thinking ist, would be a success; but now that along the same lines but have been it is all over every one is agreed that too busy to write it up. I shall yet do it far surpassed the expectations of it, however, and shall send you a copy

any one, both socially and financially. of my opus when it is born.

The program was well rendered and What do you think of the editorial was enthusiastically applauded from in the last week's Seattle Herald, in beginning to end. The birthday cake which the editor makes fun of a occupied a conspicuous place on the speech made by a capitalist lecturer. platform and was viewed with much because that lecturer stated that lanterest and curiosity during the pro- bor power is a commodity? That edigram. It was both fitting and proper torial is on a par with the front page that comrade Crosby, the genial ad- you published from the first issue of vertising manager, should be guardian the "Commonwealth," and shows that this unique memento of a paper's the writer has not grown in four birthday, as well as master of cere- years,

Also he was the official decorator, a future more bright than the past and please do not doubt our word four years have been, I am yours for when we say that he is some artist. working class supremacy in a speedy There is a rumor afloat that he was revolution, once a baker's apprentice. Anyhow, he did full justice to Mrs. Bruhl's masterpiece. From now on and for-

No. 1. How Crosby ever succeeded in get- news from Nevada, published in this ting so much on one cake will for al- issue, "I am more than pleased with ways be a mystery. When he held it the work of the Washington Socialup in order that the audience might ist." Thanks, brother, and we're dethe better behold the sublimity of it, termined to do better yet, as time we found ourselves gazing upon the goes on. You watch! following: Map of North and South America, Europe, Africa and the At- "OFFICE" TAKE THE CAKE latic Ocean, across which was extended two good-sized hands and the Here comes along the Crescent Mfg. following inscription: "Workers of Co.'s representative with a delicious Washington Unite. You have nothing cake "for the editor." Like everything the assembly.

to lose but your chains, and you have else, we just "edited" the cake and 2. No compromise, no political tradspersed with fancy flourishes, the sign raise the dough in Everett, it'll not be ing class. of the true artist. You may ask any any fault of the company's baking 3. No jack-in-the-box speaking on plainly decipherable at the farthest dodging done. part of the hall. Nothing small and

skimpy about Crosby's work. Then forty-two tickets were sold, after which all of this grandeur was divided into forty-two component parts, two of which held the membership buttons that entitled the drawers each to a year's subscription to the paper. The fates decided in favor of copies of the campaign financial Peter Husby and Chris Solie

Then the baskets were auctioned sue, a mastake was made in printing amid much laughter, and it is safe to and the am unt received as indivisay that no paper in the history of the dual contributions and collections ocialist movement ever nati a joiner should he on and happier crowd to celebrate the ing the total campaign receipts the event of its entering upon a new year same as published, \$449.59. Comrades of activity. The receipts were \$26.30, please note this. which will be used to put on a list of Keep the Members in Good Standing Henry Dubbs. Does one of them live next door to you? Then send in his in use there is no plausible excuse for Washington Socialist: name and we will send him a cure for a Socialist to be out of the party, Dear Editor: As I have not seen voted for at the first election. that he will never again be able to out on account of unemployment and a few items. look the capitalist system in the face like causes. Locals should see to it Since we had our 'Gene with us, own. of the birthday party of the Washing- per cent of the amount of regular dues some place, soon. ton Socialist, February 7, 1915.

EVERETT Y. P. S. L. NOTES

Three new members were admitted ast Friday. Every one get one next

Sunset 1835 off next Friday at the social. That dues we pay but the life, the energy, the largest churches here, the 27th a vote of 838 for and 120 against. was only a preliminary we had last the courage and inspiration we add to this month, would be the biggest Jerome K. Jerome, the famous German Social-Democratic party has week. Nobody was hurt.

last week. Rose, nobody knows. your friends that they don't know any-

your feet wet Bill Myers. Myrtle Anderson says she don't like the county, kissing games. The trouble is that she don't get kissed by the right fel- strength they lack will." This is just organization ahead to a point where and Roslyn, Kittitas county.

Don't forget the big social on Lincoln's birthday. Bring your friends sermon is enled. along and get them acquainted.

Harrison is determined to sing, but that should not deter you from coming. the field. But wishes to warn all Scandinavian specialties, new goods is his turn to sing.

Comrades Mr. and Mrs. Lusier will ive selections on the guitar and banjo.

Dr. Foote's Plain Home Talk, a cyclopedia of popular medical and social service, \$2.00 at Hill's Book

cialist for ten weeks will cost you \$1. Let us send you a bundle so that you can build up the Socialist movement Bargreen's Golden Drip Coffee, Im. in your locality. Get your local inter-

THE NEVADA LEGISLATURE

By JOSEPH T. HAZARD. The 1915 session of the Nevada legslature opened on Monday, January 18, with comrades Martin J. Scanlan, state senator, and C. A. Steele, state I wish to congratulate you on your representative, in attendance.

> In these years when the growing strength of the Socialist party is proven by an ever increasing number of elected servants of the working class, it is our pleasant duty to review their plans and prospects for service in the great class struggle. My visit to the Nevada legislature in the opening week gives me the chance to send to the comrades of Washington a message of hope and cheer.

On my entrance into the assembly chamber, my attention was drawn at once to two men, young, strong, alert working earnestly. Before them the desk was piled high with reference books, notes, drafted bills-and a bundle of copies of the American So-Wishing the Washington Socialist

All about them were the other members of the assembly, carelessly wasting moments for which the state of Nevada was paying a wage of \$10 a day, or gathered in little groups, lobbying, wire-pulling, fixing those little interests which engage the attention of the non-Socialist members of all ever her skill in the art of cakemaking Comrade "Joe" Hazard, one of the legislatures will be firmly established in Local numerous editors of the old "Com-

On no other desk in the room was monwealth," says. in submitting the there a single book, reference or other-

Upon introducing myself as a former editor of the "Commonwealth." I was given the glad hand and all the information I could wish, to let the comrades of Washington know of the work in Nevada.

These are a few of the working rules of comrades Scanlan and Steele: 1. Conference and united action in all the affairs of both the senate and

a world to gain. Washington Social- passed it around the office, and they ing, no mixing in the affairs of the ist, 1911-1915." All of this was inter- all said, "Well, if that fellow can't state which do not concern the work-

one that was present if this was not powder," and then there was some fast unimportant motions, and no joining in debate without previous, organized, scientific knowledge. SNOHOMISH COUNTY NEWS

4. Hard work, eternal vigilance in the preparation and presentation of working class legislation—and a bitter fight against all action against the working class.

After twice correcting the proof 5. Absolute loyal obedience to the Socialist party of Nevada, of the United States and of the world.

In the Nevada legislature we have two class-conscious workers, whose public acts will be a power in their sphere of work for the coming revolu-- instead of \$85.00 make

NEWS FROM VANCOUVER

Vancouver, Wash., Feb. 8, 1915.

after 11 o'clock before the party finthe organization because they are in sion on the public as to Socialism. weekly just started by the Socialists of has passed an ordinance that makes ally broke up. Then we all wended arrears with dues on account of "hard If we could keep the gait we have Local Centralia, Wash. our way home. Thus endeth the story times." Each local is entitled to 10 been going since then we would get

bought in exempt stamps. These upon application and locals should local; and we have lots to hope for whatever part thereof that might be their house to house distribution. Don't allow some active rebel to drop like comrade Hatch, Warnum, Peyton, the unemployed. behind in dues because if he once and Burrows rear their heads and One hundred thousand miles of rail- this month, was sentenced to serve The use of exemption stamps should ganization around Vancouver.

Speaking about girls. We need NOT be made a charity matter but It looks as though the Kirkpatrick to be brought under their control. a business proposition and after all is meeting that will be held at the Conthe movement that counts most of all. thing we ever pulled off here. We British author and playwright, de- adopted the following resolution: Comrade W. W. Smith, well known have the co-operation of the church, clares, "This war is turning us all "The executive committee considers it to Washington Socialists, expects to and everything points to a great suc- into Socialists." A study class has been started by move to Monroe. The comrades up cess. Our committee are all hustlers, The Lyceum course is expected to sure of a great success. Now, com- tion price is 24c a year. Don't let it occur again. They don't start during the first part of March. rades, we know times are awful hard Half a dozen new locals were or-Don't let it occur again. They don't let it occur again. They of going home by themselves. Get up, do so at the next meeting and to relax on our work. So let us unite month of January: Granger, Yakima five for twenty weeks will cost you enroll among the hustling locals of as one; let us work together as we county; Home Acres, Snohomish; Fri- \$1.00 Send for a bundle. Hugo has said: "People do not lack make one gigantic effort to push our brook, Whatcom county; Ellensburg what a lot of us need-enough back- it never was before.

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By WATTS.

A study class has been started by there will be fortunate in getting as and with comrade Sulak, whom we all House, Box 1733, Spokane, have startlive a worker as comrade Smith and feel so much indebted to for our suc- ed a weekly bulletin of Socialist news of the International Socialist league, cess of the meeting of comrade Debs, and views. The paper is named the especially by the Socialist parties in as secretary of the committee, we feel Spokane Socialist and the subscrip- bellingerent countries."

have never worked before, and let us day Harbor, San Juan county; Clear-

There will be a special issue of the Myers Studio has no canvassers in A full line of staple grocerles and get your local to order a bundle. Every local should get up a concert or banquet for that date.

The city of Providence, R. I., is releving the unemployed situation by employing men for two or three days week for the-what the city offials think princely—sum of \$1.50 a

The postoffice department made a ruling against the "Little old Appeal" ecently regarding the mailing of a special issue. The Appeal was put out just a little by it but the "army" got busy with the result that over a million copies of that issue has been sent out and orders are still going in for

Socialists of Ridgeley, W. Va., have Great strides are being made by the elected five of the seven candidates Socialist movement in Washington.

his Dubbness. We will make him so neither is there any reason why the anything from this part of the state Indianapolis Socialists have or cash business of his office for January disgusted with his lot as a wage slave active workers of a local should drop for some time, I will try to give you ganized a Labor Lyceum league as a was greater than for any month durstart toward erecting a home of their ing the past year and a half. The

A real boxing match will be pulled said it is not the small amount of gregational church, which is one of this year's convention has carried by sentence.

Thursday, March 18, is the 44th an-

niversary of the "Paris Commune." Washington Socialist for that day so

The state secretary reports that the office is now on a cash basis. without uttering swear-words. It was that active members are not lost to there has been a different impres-

any person who places advertising George W. Downing, Socialist mem- matter or circulars in private mail ber of the California legislature, has boxes liable to a fine of \$50. This Comrade Katterfeld was with us introduced an emergency bill into the has been passed with the express purstamps are ssued free to any local last night and put new life into our legislature appropriating \$1,000,000 or pose of getting after the Socialists in make use of them when advisable, now. When we see our old war horses necessary to give immediate work to Patrick Quinlan, who is scheduled

to speak in this state at the end of drops behind he often gets discour- champ their bits we know there will road are under the control of two seven years in the penitentiary for aged and drops out. So keep him in. be something doing in the way of or- groups of banking houses in this country. Sixty thousand more are about Workers' strike. The case was appealed and has been lost so it looks The state referendum to postpone as though he will have to serve the The executive committee of the

desirable that every opportunity Comrades James Grant and A. E. should be taken to initiate common

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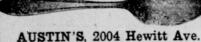
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Now, I want to know if they can set their own price and get my lots or if they have to pay my price? . Have they any right to take the building off? Can I get rent for the time they have been on the lots.

A. One thing is sure, they can not set their own price. As to the land on which the mill company have built its shed, the company will have to pay your price. As to the spur track. which was presumably built by the railway company, if the railway company doesn't want to pay your price, it can condemn the right-of-way and pay you what the court and jury deem a reasonable price. You can make the mill company pay rent for the time the shed has been on your land. The company has no right to take the building off, legally.

SIX SENATORS UNITE TO URGE DEATH PENALTY

of life and property at Olympia, one against war. 'trembling with feeling," introduced a Boner.

"I am not much in favor of renew- power. moved, and so are those who join me interests other wars originate

every week." Walla, was not permitted to embar- rent, interest and profits. rass the senator "trembling with feeling." The further fact that murders are committed in Chicago and New York, with the gallows and electric chair still operative, for less than \$40 per victim was also tremblingly ig-

having goods and chattels in taxable blind to see. quantities, it is doing absolutely nothrisk and infamy.

property and the concentration of pow- and the savings of labor are gone. er in the hands of the proprietary "The curse of the poor is intemper former connections with society, as a glasses of beer of the worker and terests of a mere fraction of the com- champagne of the exploiter. munity.—Loria, Economic Founda- "The poor suffer because of their tions of Society, p 125.

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WAR FOR PEACE

By GEORGE R. KIRKPATRICK Author of "War-What For?"

cialist party is the first regiment in herself at some household duty. The the silent and bloodless war for peace girl left her machine to explain. armed with information and discusmite; armed with the printing press York. This," indicating the young and the ballot, instead of the gatling girl, "is my sister. My husband has gun and the bullet. The Socialist no work, neither can my sister find party is boldly warning the WORKING any. The old woman has no home, CLASS of the world against war- and she"-poining to the mother-URGING THE WORKERS to RE- "her husband is in prison, so I took FUSE TO GO TO WAR.

cases-are between jealous groups of not know-it is hard!" the parasitic ruling class in their swinish international scramble for ter- about the philanthropy of ritory, markets and profits. In these we are tolerably familia

insulted with stingy petty pensions, evicted from the floor below. while distinguished high salaried where the cannon roar) are fattened on pensions of thousands per year.

of warning into the brains of the that they deserve commendation. working class in all parts of the world.

Indeed, even the best informed and most distinguished ENEMIES of the Socialist party in all the world admit that the Socialists are persistently and Last Monday six doughty preservers effectively warning the working class

But the great war is the CLASS bill to restore capital punishment for war, the CLASS STRUGGLE-the war the crime of murder. The six solons between the capitalist employer class -nay, Drakos-framed the bill Sun- and the wage-earning working classday evening after reading some head- between the exploiting class who OWN ines in the "Seattle Crimes," telling the INDUSTRIAL FOUNDATIONS of of the murder of Angelo Bianchi, of society and live on profits, and the Bayne, King county. The senators exploited class who productively USE joining with the Hon. Sharpstein in the INDUSTRIAL FOUNDATIONS of the introduction of the bill were society and live on ages the indus-Palmer, McGuire, Nichols, Phipps and trial war, in which the employers struggle to force up the price of labor

ing questions which are disposed of THIS IS THE FUNDAMENTAL by one legislature after a full dis- WAR, the SOURCE of war, the war cussion," said Senator Sharpstein on without an end-while capitalism the floor of the senate, "but I am lasts. In this war of clashing CLASS

in presenting this bill, to do so by And in this struggle rises the Sothe great frequency with which there cialist party-the political organizaappear in the papers of this state, tion of the working class, with which since the legislature of 1913 abolished the working class is cunningly (inthe death penalty for murder, head-telligently) seizing the political powlines like these in the Seattle Times ers of society, and thus legally getof yesterday which I hold in my hands, ting into legal position for strategic so that we may get back to the times SELF-DEFENSE-to: legally CONwhen things like this do not happen TROL the industrial foundations of society for the benefit of all who are The fact that "things like this" hap- willing to work—to give to all who are pen no more frequently now than dur- willing to work EQUALITY OF OPing "the times" when men were slow- PORTUNITY TO WORK, and to give y strangled to death by bungling to every worker the value of his aphangmen, in cold blood, at Walla plied labor power, undiminished by

IT'S POVERTY THAT AILS THE POOR

"The curse of the poor is their povnored by these sagacious (?) Drakos. erty" is a favorite expression of Ber-Incidentally, let it be remarked that nard Shaw's, and he has good biblical while this reactionary senate is tremb- authority for his text. It is one of the lingly solicitous of the life of any one truths that is hardest for the wilfully

"The curse of the poor is their iming to remove the evil conditions providence," the banker writes upon which make murder for \$40 worth the a card to be displayed in the street cars. Then he orders another automobile, and tries to make the white But with the institution of private lights burn red until the bank breaks

class, the state suddenly severed its ance" cries the fanatic, counting the whole, and came to represent the in- shutting his eyes to the bottles of

laziness," lolls the fat preacher of platitudes as he sinks back into his

But it is not because the poor are but because they are poor that they suffer. They are poor not because of the pennies they fail to save from the pittance they get, but because of the dollars they do not get from the plenty they produce.

Wealth does not come from the industrious. It is the workers in every land who are poor.

Poverty is the father and mother of crime and misery and degradation in every form. Yet the only movement that dares to strike at poverty is Socialism.--Milwaukee Leader.

THE PHILANTHROPY OF THE

Recently a reporter was sent into tenement district to secure some photographs. In one of the three-The Socialist party is the vanguard

sion instead of ignorance and dyna- good for a girl to be alone in New her and the children. I work for all Wars, modern wars-in almost ALL now. But when my baby comes-I do

There has been a great deal printed the rich: with the wars the workers cut their own throats names of various hospitals, colleges, ignorantly shouting "Patriotism!" libraries, which have been given to and wade in their own blood (ignor- their fellowmen by the possessors antly shouting "Patriotism!"), while of great wealth. But we hear very litthe crafty capitalist class, at home, tle of the philanthropy which involves safe and far from the firing line, clap self-sacrifice-of the mother who in their soft hands together, wink know- addition to the care of her growing ingly and cunningly shout "Patrio- family assumes that of the neighbor who is ill; of the girl who shares her In war the worker's blood is spilt, one party dress with a fellow-worker; the worker's tears are despised, the of the man who time and again worker's children are orphaned, the "lends" his hard-earned savings to worker's wives are widowed, the some brother who needs assistance; worker's lives are robbed to pay war of the tenement family, not knowing taxes and war bonds and war bond in- whence the next month's rent is to terest, the worker's health is blasted, come, who yet welcomes to its roof the workers become hobbling cripples and table the family which has been

And they do not require newspaper judges (whose lives are never risked paragraphs to urge them to well-doing -these philanthropists. They open their hearts and purses at every ap-In war the workers have nothing to peal. They give themselves simply gain and all to lose. The workers are because they are so near to the pulse learning these things well, very well. of life that they respond involuntarily, The Socialists are striking these facts without reason, and they have no idea

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There the master scrimps his haggard seamstress of her daily bread, There a single sordid attic holds the living and the dead; There the smouldering fire of fever creeps across the rotted floor, And the crowded couch of incest in the warrens of the poor.

—Alfred Tennyson.

SAYS DIRECTORS CUT CHROME PAY shot into a mass of unarmed strikers

Amos Pinchot Tells Commission of Absentee Directors in Jersey Case

The Liebig and Williams & Clark trial Relations Commission. plants at Roosevelt are subsidiaries of the American Agricultural Chemical company, an enormous corporation in-One of them, A. B. Hepburn, is a di-

ed the local superintendent, whom I erty of the company, 100 gunmen were sent for and sworn in as deputy sheriffs.

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OUR MISINFORMATION BUREAU

Inheritance Tax Twaddle

theory of political ecenomy and a believer in straight revolutionary tactics, more than it is worth. Secondly, it civilization. is not needed. The few Socialist papers that have space for outside contributions seldom or never use more than one or two articles out of fifteen to twenty sent out. Many of our party papers set up only a few columns of local "stuff," and fill in the American Association of Unemwith worthless "boiler-plate" material. The few articles that are used from the "Socialist Party Press Service" could just as well have been omitted, posed of either by ignoring it, as was and some of them ought to have been the practice until recent years inAmomitted. Were this "service" devoted erica ,or by attributing it to mere to the compilation of crisp, party news laziness and inefficiency. We are beitems, the expenditure would be both ginning to realize that the causes of curtailed and justified. But no, com- unemployment are not so much indirade Engdahl must needs send out a vidual, and due to the shiftlessness of bunch of long-winded articles of doubtful value, with now and then-once in our present method of industrial ora great while-something of real educational value. We say, "cut it out." Save those wasted dollars and that time and energy to devote to something that is necessary to our party ple in the United States are constantprogress.

MISLEADING ARTICLES

We particularly object to the "serv- UNEMPLOYMENT ice" rendered by comrade Carl D. Thompson, supposed to be devoting

gard as "twaddle" is comrade Thomp- must at least be uncomfortable for son's article (his fifteenth!) just "re- the deserted families. But there is a leased." It deals with our party plat- limit to human endurance, and when

Savs comrade Thompson:

they are entitled to any share of it- bitter gibe, "God knows." the more clearly it is an unearned in- A curve showing the steadily in-

A FALSE IMPLICATION

with the creation or even the accumu- teen thousand in 1914.

party dabbles with middle-class issues versely to the rise in productive pow- ed to publish and have their readers and reforms, the less clearly is it seen er. As it is now, the more the worker sign and send to the above mentioned and understood that all incomes exproduces the less he has, and the aggregation of time-serving politicians. cepting wages or fees paid for actual sooner he is out of a job. Capitalism To quote a paragraph: service rendered are unearned in is fast breaking up the home!

(or principle) cannot hold good when party platform has the provision that were the servants of the masses and reversed, or stated conversely, it is money may be left to heirs only as follow not the tools of big business." wrong and misleading as originally lows:

and wrongness in this question. As rect heirs not to exceed \$50,000, colthe original accumulator of surplus lateral heirs not to exceed \$25,000. All wealth, if it was obtained by rent, in- the remainder of the deceased's estate terest, or profits,-as distinguished to become the property of the state." from pay for service rendered society | Commenting on this working-class -did not earn it, but obtained it by (?) issue, Thompson says: exploitation of labor in some form, "Here is a proposal to take all of plus than remoteness of kinship? Once and all above \$25,000 to collateral deprived (robbed) of the product of heirs. our labor through the wage system, it | "At first thought this may seem exshould make absolutely no difference treme. But really what widow needs to us, as Socialists, as to whether or more than \$100,000? What son or tives in the national office know, as not the state subsequently robs the daughter could not struggle along on they say they do, that they who comholder, or inheritor, of a greater or \$50,000? And is it at all likely that pose the "honorable body" in Washless portion of his unearned booty, or either have contributed more than that ington are not "servants of the

The Socialist party should keep the herit?"

Here's another example of bourge- need short of a "full course on So them to solve this unemployed prob- office to "put every congressman on luxury in a nation which had reached Kirkpatrcik, when he last visited and eloquence as George R. Kirkois equity, being fair, just, and sweet- cialism."

EVERYBODY KNOWS THIS

Workers Voted For It

Unemployment always serious has this year become acute and alarming. Not less than 3,000,000 and possibly as many as 5,000,000 people are unemployed at the present time.

This situation is rapidly assuming the proportions of an immense social

Every great city in the land is overrun with the unemployed. Local authorities are either unwilling or unable to cope with the situation.

Added to the personal loss and suffering of those who cannot find work is the immense social loss which cannot be less than \$1,000,000,000 a year, As an adherent of the Marxian from failure to keep these millions at

Homes are imperiled. Women and the editor of this paper feels impelled children are left to inevitable destituto voice a protest against some of the tion and want, while millions of men stuff sent out by our National office and women, baffled by the incorrigible through the "Socialist Party Press conditions, lose hope and courage. Service." And, while we're at it, let Thousands sink inevitably into the it be of record that we believe the ranks of the dependent, defective and whole "service" should be immediate- delinquent classes, that are an everly suspended. First of all, it costs increasing burden and menace to our

NOT AN INDIVIDUAL PROBLEM

NEW YORK .- In discussing unemployment, Dr. Andrews, secretary of ployment, says:

"The time is past when the problem of unemployment could be dis-'won't works,' as social inherent in

It is estimated that 10,000,000 peoly on the verge of poverty.

AND DESERTION

his time and talents to a National In- It is an observed fact that wife deformation Bureau. If he isn't more sertions have been distressingly numcareful, we shall soon have to label erous in the industrial centers. The his department, as represented by our reason is, of course, plain. Men, being "Party Press Service," the Misinfor- unable to support their families, have abandoned them. It is not a pleasant An example in point of what we re- fact to contemplate, and the actuality form plank on the inheritance tax. a man willing to work is rendered unable through no fault of his own to "Burdens of taxation should be ap- supply the necessities of those dependportioned according to the ability of ent on him it is not wonderful that he (or at least a percentage of him of tax on the inheritance should in- breaks down. But society and the crease as the distance of the relation law are there to straighten matters inheriting increases. And the reason out, and the two foolish old parties is obvious. The more distant the re- think that they vindicate justice by lation the less they have to do with imposing imprisonment for wife deserthe creation or even accumulation of tion. What is the man to do? Taft the wealth; and therefore the less but echoed the voice of society in his

creasing productivity of the machine per worker, and a curve of annual We submit that the implied admis- number of divorces granted the wife sion in the above words emphasized for "desertion," would almost exactly wrongs of the workers, showing how (by us), is this: the NEARER the rela- correspond, rising steadily from two they are shot down like dogs on the join in any petition to our political tion the more thay have had to do thousand per annum in 1867 to six- least pretext, and how millions of enemies, "the tools of big business"

the more they are entitled to a share methods of wealth production a bless- the bosses, at any price, the national of it—the less clearly it is an unearn- ing to society as a whole, through col- office of our party turns loose a long lective ownership of the means of pro- "Memorial to the President and Con-That's it. The more the Socialist duction, divorces would decrease in gress," which Socialist papers are ask-

There are no degrees of rightness "Widows not to exceed \$100,000, di-

how can nearness of kinship establish the estate above \$100,000 for the wiany better title to said exploited sur- dow, all above \$50,000 to direct heirs,

amount to the fortunes they thus in- masses," but merely "tools of big busi-

minds of the workers on the original If the above sample of Marxian (?) to "render notable and praiseworthy robbery, and not mix up in the bourge- economics and misinformation, or mis- social and civic service?" Why not ois attempt to patch up the capitalist leading twaddle, is not enough to con- be consistent? Why not be sincere? "leaders" on party questions and tac- fants. In the mind's eye we see a picsystem so that it will be more com- vince the party members that their Why should Socialists humbly petition tics without being guilty of lese- ture of those homes on that eventful fortable, more "reasonable," "fair," money is being misspent, to say the the "tools of big business" to repre- majesty, or "treason," we would sug- morning. least, then we know not what they sent the masses? Why should we beg gest that the desire of the national The one, surrounded by comparative Those who heard George R. ening to a speaker of such ability

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WHAT WILL YOU

Petition Congress?

After setting forth the woes and lation of the wealth; and therefore Were this constant improvement in the opportunity to turn out wealth for ers which the masters do not want

"President Wilson and congress can do something to meet this (unemploy-If comrade Thompson's statement ly "reasonable." The Illinois Socialist ed) problem. They would do it if they

bers of congress are in Washington as begging. "tools of big business," why should we Reds address that "honorable body" thusly:

"In our conviction no greater problem confronts your honorable body than this; no duty is quite so imperative and important, while at the same time no greater opportunity to render notable and praiseworthy social and civic service awaits you."

WHY NOT BE SINCERE?

Now, if our honorable representa ness," why should we call upon them

dent and congress claim the jobless ment" is a bit belated. DO ABOUT IT? problem is too big for them?"

> WE'RE WILLING TO WAIT UNTIL WE CAN COMMAND

The editor of this paper declines to would-be wage slaves are denied even to please do something for the workthem to do.

do their own begging, beseeching, pe- Labor? titioning.

Well, if our revolutionary represen-bels. Let "the masses" who vote for of toil. Millions of workers are job-see the battle for industrial freedom, On the subject of war and militatives in Chicago know that the memthe "tools of big business" do the less, seeking work, and the masters and this is said in spite of a few iso- tarism, in their sociological and

> 1912, and again in 1914; they can now of those who still have jobs. get what they voted for without our help.

Not good politics?

come what may.

ISN'T THIS A LITTLE BELATED?

"The Socialist party, the political wing of the working-class movement, proposes to put every congressman on record on the question of unemployment."-From the Memorial.

lem when, as we declare, "The presi- record on the question of unemploy- maturity in its national life, glorying this city two years ago, will not patrick.

democratic rule in this country with veloped into Charles Darwin, with all His subject, "War Against

are concerned? And would it not be most remark- It spells mental liberty. The "tools of big business"—and of able if the tools of Business, either On that same eventful morning, in famous and won world-wide recoglittle business, too, for that matter- Big or Little, should "go on record" a little log cabin in Kentucky, furnish- nition as one of the best authori-

to demand anything of them; while to "The master class has seized this capitalism has so far produced. petition and beseech our enemies hour to more securely fasten the Lincoln was not a Socialist. He blight of this social menace does should be beneath our dignity as re- chains of wage slavery upon the limbs was a human being and could not fore- not east its shadow. are using them to beat down the wage lated quotations that are often used moral aspects, there is no one bet-"The masses" voted for nothing in scale and make worse the conditions to prove the contrary.

Very well then. It is better that jobless problem is too big for them, court that could give a Dred Scott found moral conviction and an imwe be good rebels than that we be So they do nothing. Which is pre-decision. He would have had an in-passioned eloquence. good politicians. Let us be sincere, cisely what the masters want them finitely greater contempt for a judi- Educated in Albion college, to do."

Well then?

LINCOLN NOT A SOCIALIST Lincoln certainly stood for free and learning. He has filled the

One hundred and six years ago, the by a frightened plutocracy. 12th of February, two mothers, separated by thousands of miles of ocean GEO. R. KIRKPATRICK and wilderness, were fondly caressing two little palpitating bundles of pos-If we may venture to differ with our sibilities in the form of human in- Famous Anti-Militarist Will Be What For?" he has attained

Is not "every congressman" already of greater things for the future of art, tual and moral treat is in store on record "on the question of unem- literature, science and feats of arms for those who attend his lecture and statesmanship. That nation was at the People's theatre, Sunday Have we not had two long years of England, and the baby eventually de- afternoon, February 21.

ing?

sent them there. Now let the masses weaken the strangle-hold of Capital on life and surrounded by the primeval this country. forest, another baby, destined by the Recent events both in Europe Every congressman is good and fates to play a leading part on the and in the United States are bring-We Socialists vote only for those plenty on record already on the un-world's stage, was fondled and suckled ing the menace of militarism very whom we may command. Not being employed problem. And the framers by a virile pioneer mother. That baby close to the home and the hearts able to command the "tools of big of the memorial know this. They as- finally developed into Abraham Lin- of the people. To working people business," we certainly have no right sert it in the following lucid English: coln, the one great statesman that it is especially vital, but there is

basic human rights that are being at subject a well-trained mind, ex-"Unemployment is a big problem. tacked by the ruling class of today. haustive knowledge of the facts, The president and congress claim the He had the utmost contempt for a wide platform experience, procial system that should abolish the Vanderbilt university and the Uniright of trial by jury in the interest versity of Chicago, he has drunk of an exploiting class.

speech, for a free press and for all chairs of history and sociology in STOOD FOR BASIC HUMAN RIGHTS those rights that are being threatened the universities of Kansas and

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in its past achievements and hopeful need to be told that a rich intellec-

results absolutely barren so far as that name implies to the human race War," is one which gives the lecfundamental working-class problems today. Who can estimate its mean turer scope on the most vital topic of the hour-anti-militarism-a subject on which he has become

no class over whom the baneful

ter equipped to speak than Geo. But Lincoln did stand for just those R. Kirkpatrick. He brings to the

> deep at the sources of information Wisconsin. For the last five vears he has been a lecturer for the New York City board of edu-TO SPEAK HERE cation. As author of the great anti-militaristic work, "War-

> > Seldom have the people of Everett had the opportunity of list-