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January Is "Pay Up" Month

SQUARE UP!

January is SQUARE UP month in the Socialist Party. Look at your dues book at once. Owe any dues for last year? And if you do—SQUARE UP!

And don't only SQUARE UP. Pay two, three or four months in advance. Do this and keep on doing it and you won't be behind in your dues again. For verily we say unto you, it is better to pay ahead than to be behind.

Of all people a Socialist should NEVER be behind. Socialists are an advance guard. That is, those Socialists are who never forget that it takes dues to make the party grow. So again we say January is the month in which every Socialist will

SQUARE UP!

"Start the New Year Right"

February Will Be "Get Subscriptions" Month. We'll Have a Job For You To Do. Look For It

WARNING!

YOU ARE A SUBSCRIBER to the OHIO SOCIALIST. THE QUESTION IS, DO YOU DESIRE TO REMAIN A SUBSCRIBER? AND IF YOU DO, IF YOU WANT TO GET THIS PAPER THIS COMING YEAR, THEN YOU'LL HAVE TO RENEW YOUR SUBSCRIPTION AT ONCE.

WE ARE NOW ISSUING THE OHIO SOCIALIST TWICE A MONTH.

WE INTEND ISSUING THE OHIO SOCIALIST AS A WEEKLY, BEGINNING VERY SOON. WE EXPECT TO MAKE THE OHIO SOCIALIST A MIGHTY GOOD WEEKLY. WE EXPECT TO INCREASE THE SUBSCRIPTION LIST OF THE OHIO SOCIALIST BY THOUSANDS UPON THOUSANDS. BEFORE THE STATE, CONGRESSIONAL AND COUNTY CAMPAIGNS ROLL AROUND, WE HOPE TO MAKE THIS PAPER SO POWERFUL THAT IT WILL PLAY A BIG PART IN THE VICTORIES.

YOU CAN HELP BY RENEWING YOUR SUBSCRIPTION AT ONCE. THE NEW SUBSCRIPTION PRICE IS 50c FOR THE YEAR. AND FOR THIS FIFTY CENTS YOU WILL GET THE BEST WEEKLY SOCIALIST PAPER THAT OHIO HAS EVER PRODUCED. THIS VERY MINUTE TAKE PAPER AND PENCIL AND SEND IN YOUR SUBSCRIPTION, FOR THIS MAY BE YOUR LAST

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REYNOLDS COMES Loaded With Socialism



Comrade Reynolds has earned for himself an enviable reputation in every state which he has toured. As a teacher of Marxian Socialism he has few peers and as a director of Socialist Study Classes he is known nation-wide. Recently he edited "Truth," published at Duluth, Minn., which paper, during his editorship, was recognized by all active Socialists as the most original and educational weekly in the country. Every local in Ohio should call for a Reynolds date, for here is a comrade who knows enough about Socialism to be

able to teach every one of our party members more about it. Comrade Reynolds is a "wake 'em up" speaker, every meeting he addresses is made interesting and lively by him, and your local will be a much better local after his visit. Terms are \$5.00 advertising matter will be supplied by the state office consisting of posters and postal cards. A Reynolds date very seldom costs a local anything for Reynolds has the knack of making his meetings financial as well as educational successes. And if the local wishes, Reynolds

BARNARD READY FOR OHIO DATES

Wm. F. Barnard, whose lectures at the Cleveland Socialist Forum have been a feature of Socialist activity the past two years, is now ready to accept speaking engagements from locals desiring his services. Address the state office.

(This notice appeared in the October Ohio Socialist, but as this issue of the paper did not reach the locals, many comrades failed to get the information that Comrade Barnard was available for dates.)

LUCKY 13 FOR HAMILTON

Hamilton's campaign for new members did not end with its municipal campaign. It believes with the state office, that the campaign for more members and better educated membership should be a never-ending campaign.

We are therefore glad to announce that 13 new members joined Local Hamilton in December. Did your local do as well? Or half as well? Did your local admit any members in December?

Many times a person feels like faltering, surrounded by so many Henry Dubbs, the Ohio Socialist arrives filled with new hope and energy. I am then spurred on and again resolve to work until we win. Geo. W. Markert.

will give instructions as to how to conduct a Study Class after his lecture.

Locals that have not yet applied for a Reynolds date are requested to lose no time in doing so. The longer you wait the more you lose. Free posters and postal cards.

Reynolds dates, so far as arranged follow: Wauseon, Jan. 5; Montpelier, Jan. 6; Edgerton, Jan. 7th; Toledo, Jan. 8; Sandusky, Jan. 9; Fremont, Jan. 10; Lorain, Jan. 11; Elyria, Jan. 12; Cleveland, Jan. 13; Ravenna, Jan. 14; open, Jan. 15; Toronto, Jan. 16; East Liverpool, Jan. 17; Derwent, Jan. 18; Opperman, Jan. 19; Columbus, Jan. 20; Piqua, Jan. 21; Dayton, Jan. 22; Hamilton, Jan. 23; Cincinnati, Jan. 24; Norwood, Jan. 25; Portsmouth, Jan. 26 and 27; Dunkinsville, Jan. 28; Winchester, Jan. 29; Williamsburgh, Jan. 30; Cincinnati, Jan. 31.

Comrades at these places are asked to attend the Reynolds meeting. Not only this, but they are also requested to help give Reynolds large audiences by bringing their friends to the meeting.

ORGANIZE OR FAIL

By J. E. Snyder

For a number of years there has been a little group of Socialists who have advocated that we need a big propaganda of organization as extensively and intensively applied as to the subject of Socialism itself.

To go out and get people to join the Socialist Party who have no knowledge of the party, or its affairs, traditions or purposes and then go off and leave the party to the tender mercies of this group of raw recruits, is about as wise as to organize a school of children and then go off and leave them without a teacher.

We need a group of organizers trained. Young men in the movement should get down to business and learn how to organize. They should devote as carefully as possible as many hours a day to this study as they would in taking a civil engineering course by correspondence. Then they should take the road for a couple of years and rub elbows with the national movement.

Organization implies that we are seeking power politically. If we are, we must realize that we are going up against a mighty powerful machine and to combat its influences and powers we must go well prepared.

We need precinct organization, local organization, district organization, county organization, state organization, national organization and international organization.

We have all this in literature. It has been well worked out and if our Socialists throughout the world would take hold of the question of organization seriously and study hard I am sure that we would hoon with the ma-

chinery we now have, build a formidable organization.

We notice that the National organization is getting the idea started that we need more and better organization. We hope that they will get the ideas of organization out to the Comrades of the locals and that this subject can be made as interesting as Socialism itself. By analogy I am convinced that it can be made as interesting as any other subject.

We should have a Socialist primer for the young folks, showing the organization and development of society into the organized state. "Let's organize," but first let's know what organization is.

If I were to advocate the establishment of Socialism next week you would say I was crazy, but it's just as crazy to try to organize to win elections next week.

SUPREME COURT UPHOLDS DRAFT LAW

A special message just received from Washington gives the information that the U. S. Supreme Court has declared the conscription law constitutional. Unless an appeal is granted on minor technicalities, Chas. Baker, C. E. Ruthenberg and A. Wagenknecht will have taken up their residence in the Canton workhouse by the time this paper reaches our subscribers.

The Socialist party of Washington and Kentucky are now issuing combination dues books and constitutions similar to those in use in this state.

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