

**SOCIALISTS
DISCUSSING
METHODS**

Chicago, May 2—The morning session of the Socialist National Convention was devoted to discussion as to the method of adopting the proposed platform, by clause or as a whole. It was suspected that a "Rider" might be inserted.

**LOST HIS
MONEY THEN
SUICIDED**

Portland, Ogn: May 2—H. W. Gowell, one of the widest known advertising specialists on the Pacific coast, for years advertising man of various large eastern department stores, suicided this morning by means of gas.

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JAPANESE WIN SUNDAY BATTLE

**ESCAPED
ANIMALS
RECAPTURED**

Truckee, Cal., May 2—All the animals that escaped from the Norris and Rowe circus train near summit yesterday have been recaptured. The tiger was taken after a long chase. It was thought for a while that it would be necessary to kill the beast, but the circus hands succeeded in driving him into a cage.

**REVERSED
BY SUPREME
COURT**

Ohio Judge Erred in Chinese Cases

Washington, May 2—The Supreme Court today decided that Judge Wing, of the northern district of Ohio, was in error when, after ordering the discharge of a number of Chinese ordered deported by the commissioner, he refused to allow a bill of exceptions to be filed by the United States district attorney.

Cost of Bad Roads.
At a good roads convention recently Joseph H. Brigham, first assistant secretary of agriculture, spoke in favor of national aid from the farmers' standpoint, which would be secured by educating the people up to demanding it at the hands of congress. Of the cost of bad roads he said: "I regret the tax that is imposed upon all our citizens by bad roads as the most onerous and useless of taxes, and the way to get rid of that tax is to make better roads. That will cost money, but it will pay. We cannot afford with the other improvements that are being made in this country of ours to continue longer to drag our bodies through the undisturbed mud we find at certain seasons of the year in these great, rich agricultural states."

conclusions must be masculine, judging from the way women jump at them.

Unanswered.
Harry's mother had found it necessary to punish him by whipping him thoroughly. His shrieks brought the ready tears to his mother's eyes, and she informed him that it hurt her just as much as it did him.

"Well," he managed to say, "what's the use of making us both feel bad then?"

Fitting.
"I beg your pardon, doctor," said the boat master after the dinner was over, "for introducing you inadvertently as 'professor.'"

"That's all right," replied the principal speaker of the occasion. "The title fits me better than 'doctor' does. I profess to be a doctor, but I get mighty 'tittle practice.'"

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**RUSSIANS ARE
BADLY WHIPPED**

**Troops Retreat in Much
Disorder**

**LEAVING ARMS AND
AMMUNITION BEHIND**

**Town of Antung Burned by Retreating
Russians—Valuable Plans Sold by
Traitor—Warship Ashore**

Yalu Victory Complete
London, May 2—The Central News Secul correspondent wires that the Japanese victory on the Yalu Sunday was most complete, the Russian lines being thrown into confusion and retiring in a disorderly manner.

Kuroki's Report
London, May 2—Japanese Minister Hayashi this morning issued a later report, by General Kuroki, regarding the Yalu fight. It is dated Kinlung Cheng, Manchuria, northeast of Antung, and reads "We advanced on May 1st along three roads, driving the enemy before us. At eight p. m., we captured the line from Antung Sien to Linsheuko. The Imperial guards surrounded the enemy on three sides, and after severe fighting, we captured the guns, besides the horses and carriages. The General Reserve corps, advancing along the Liaon Yang road, saw the enemy fleeing towards Fenghuang Cheng.

The booty captured includes a large quantity of arms and ammunitions. A captured officer says the commanders of both army divisions were mounted."

Burping of Antung Confirmed

London, May 2—The Japanese minister today issued a report from the

captain of the gunboat Maya, which acted in conjunction with the land forces of the Japanese in Sunday's attack on the Russian line on the Yalu river. It confirmed in a degree the report that the Russians had burned Antung.

"A detachment comprising Maya, Uji and some torpedo boats ascended the Yalu and bombarded the enemy, silencing the enemy's artillery fire after thirty minutes severe engagement. All returned to Yong Ampho. No casualties.

"Our armed launches reached the Antung the same morning and repulsed the enemy's infantry artillery after thirty minutes of sharp fighting.

"Fire was seen rising from the town, and a native said the enemy fled after setting the place on fire."

Battleship Ore Aground

St. Petersburg, May 2—The new Battleship Ore ran aground on a sand bank in Neva, and it is feared there will be difficulty in refloating her.

Traitors at Work

St. Petersburg, May 2—It is rumored that the Russian plans of mobilization have been sold through Warsaw treasury officials. New plans accordingly have been laid.

**BEAUTIFUL
WEATHER
FOR FAIR**

St. Louis, May 2—Beautiful weather continues, and the throngs on the Fair ground increase in size today. The state buildings of Pennsylvania, Michigan and Ohio, were dedicated today.

**TYNER AND
HARRISON
ON TRIAL**

Washington, May 2—James Tyner and Harrison Barrett were placed on trial today in the postoffice cases. Tyner was assistant postmaster general of the postoffice department and Barrett was his law clerk.

Delegates Delayed by Strike

Los Angeles, May 2—First Methodist conference delegates, who are coming on special, will not arrive until late Monday, being delayed by the strike.

**SANTA FE STRIKE IS CALLED
Fight Will be Long and Bitter—Labor Situation in Other Lines**

Washington, May 2—A general strike of machinists on the Santa Fe system has been ordered by President O'Connell, of the International Association, taking effect at nine o'clock western time, this morning. This will effect six thousand members, and may result in bringing out boiler makers, Blacksmiths and core workers in sympathy.

Washington, May 2—Forecasting the probable extent of the strike, O'Connell said that fifteen thousand men will be affected. The Allied Metal Workers are expected to quit work. There is no prospect that the transportation department will be crippled at present. Third Vice President Kendrick has expressed a determination to fight the strike to a finish.

Topeka Kans May 2—Eight hundred employes in the Santa Fe shops here were locked out this morning when they reported for work. A high fence encloses the plant. The men were taken greatly by surprise.

Chicago, May 2—Vice president Wilson of the mechanics says that a tactical policy on the part of the company would have averted the strike, which will now be a long and bitter one. He believes that the affiliated unions will take a hand.

**FIERCE HAIL
STORM AT
FORT WORTH**

Fort Worth, Tex. May 2—The worst hail storm that has occurred swept this and adjoining counties last evening, the crops and fruit being ruined. Balls five inches in diameter crashed through the roofs of houses and trees were uprooted. No lives are reported lost, although much stock was killed.

Grigsby's Resignation

Washington, May 2—The resignation of Melven Grigsby, United States Attorney for the Nome district of Alaska has been accepted by the president. There is intimation as to his successor. Attorney General Knox a year ago recommended Grigsby's dismissal for leaving his post without permission.

Plans for Capitol Extension

Washington, May 2—A joint commission by the Senate and the House at a meeting today decided to adopt the Walter plans of a 65 foot extension to the east front of the capitol.

The Knew the Reason.
At the dinner table one evening some one remarked that a certain lady had a thin, falsetto voice. Little Maleie was acquainted with the person referred to, and she cried out abruptly: "Oh, I know why! Because she's got a false set of teeth!"

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All So Coy.
While no one would openly work for such a doubtful prize. Some one must be vice president. Some one must suffer. And when it comes down to the throes To pick a candidate. Those who would coyly give consent Would fill a good-sized state.