

## The Bede-Seidel Debate on "Socialism" a Notable Event



FEW features of the Chautauqua here will cause more widespread interest than the debate on "Socialism" between Hon. J. Adam Bede, who was for eight years Republican congressman from Minnesota, and Hon. Emil Seidel, recently Socialist mayor of Milwaukee. Both Socialists and anti-Socialists will want to hear this debate. It has been placed on the evening program in order that everybody will be able to be there.

Hon. J. Adam Bede is one of the best speakers on the Chautauqua platform today. During the time that he occupied a seat in our national legislative halls he was known as "the humorist of the house," so witty were his sayings and so excellent his humor. Often in the midst of the ordinary work of congress, when there were many empty seats and general listlessness, Bede would rise to speak. Immediately the empty seats would fill and the feeling change to one of intense interest. In presidential campaigns Bede has made speaking tours on which he has been given the biggest city dates by the Republican national committee.

Hon. Emil Seidel acquired his earnestness and conscientious spirit at the pattern maker's bench. He was born in Pennsylvania, but left with his parents for Milwaukee at the age of five. At the age of twenty-two he went abroad to perfect himself in his trade of carving and designing. For six years he lived in Berlin, working by day and attending trade school at night. In 1884 he helped to organize the Woodcarvers. He later joined the Milwaukee Association of Pattern Makers. In 1892 his ballot was one of a total of two Socialist votes in his precinct. In 1910 he was elected mayor of Milwaukee on the Socialist ticket and is today regarded as one of the leading Socialists of the United States.

### NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

The undersigned, administratrix, with will annexed, of the estate of William Mersman, deceased, hereby gives notice that by virtue of an order of the Adams circuit court, of Adams County, Indiana, she will at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., on the

10th Day of July, 1913, at the east door of the court house in the City of Decatur, Adams County, Indiana, and from day to day thereafter until sold, offer at public auction all the real estate described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing in the center of Second street in the City of Decatur, in Adams County, Indiana, at a point one hundred and twenty-six (126) feet north of the southwest corner of outlot number seventy-seven (77) in Jessie Niblick, administrator de bonis non of the estate of John Reynolds, deceased, subdivision of outlot number thirty-eight (38) in the town (now city) of Decatur, thence running north eighty (80) degrees east, two hundred and thirteen (213) feet to the St. Mary's river, thence again commencing at the first starting point, thence north in the center of said Second street sixty-six (66) feet, thence north eighty (80) degrees east parallel with the first line one hundred and fifty-five (155) feet to the said St. Mary's river, thence south along said river to the place where said first line terminated, being a part of outlots numbered seventy-six (76) and seventy-seven (77), in said Niblick's subdivision of said outlot number thirty-eight (38).

Said sale will be made subject to the approval of the said court, for not less than the two-thirds of the full appraised value of said real estate and upon the following terms and conditions:

At least one-third of the purchase money cash in hand, the balance in two equal installments, payable in not to exceed nine and eighteen months, evidenced by notes of the purchaser, bearing six per cent interest from date, waiving relief, providing attorney's fees and secured by mortgage on the real estate sold and personal surety to the satisfaction of the administratrix. Purchaser may have the privilege of paying all cash if he so desires.

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC LETTING.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners of Adams County, Indiana, will receive bids for the construction of a macadamized road in Washington township, in said county, known as the George Zinnman Macadam Road, up and until 10 o'clock a. m. on

Tuesday, July 8, 1913,

at the regular meeting of said Board of Commissioners, held in the City of Decatur, Adams County, Indiana, sealed bids will be received for the construction of said road in accordance with the plans, specifications and report of the viewers and engineer, which are now on file in the Auditor's office of said County, said road to be built of crushed stone alone.

A bond must accompany each bid in twice the amount of the bid filed, conditioned for the faithful performance of said work, and that the bidder, if awarded the contract will enter into contract therefor and complete the same according to such contract and in accordance with the bid filed.

All bids shall be made so as to give the amount for which said road will be constructed for cash, payable on estimates to be made by the Engineer in charge, not to exceed eighty per cent of any one estimate, out of the funds to be hereinafter raised by the sale of bonds as required by law.

The Board of Commissioners reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

T. H. BALTZELL,

Auditor, Adams County, Indiana.

ANNA MERSMAN.  
Administratrix.

5-12-19-26

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners of Adams County, Indiana, will receive bids for the construction of a macadamized road in Washington township, in said county, known as the Willis L. Magner Macadam Road, up and until 10 o'clock a. m. on

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The successful bidder will be required to furnish, pay and make up whatever amount that be necessary to sell the bonds for said improvement.

5-12-19

### APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR.

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of John P. Baker, late of Adams County, deceased. The estate is probably solvent.

WILLIAM C. BAKER,  
Administrator.

May 30, 1913,  
Peterson & Moran, Attys. 5-12-19

### APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTOR.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed executor of the estate of Ernest Jacob Bleemker, late of Adams County, deceased. The estate is probably solvent.

HENRY H. BLOEMKER,  
Executor.

May 31, 1913. 5-12-19

### PETITION FOR MACADAM ROAD.

State of Indiana, County of Adams, ss: Before the Board of Commissioners of the County of Adams, July Term, 1913.

We, the undersigned, each and all of whom are resident adult freeholders and voters of Root township, in Adams County, Indiana, respectfully petition your honorable body and ask that you construct and complete a free macadamized stone road in said township over and upon the public highway situated upon the following route, to-wit:

Commencing at the end of the terminus of the Joseph Steigmeyer Macadam Road, which is at a point about 40 rods east of the northwest corner of the southwest quarter of section twenty-eight (28), township twenty-eight north, range fourteen (14) east, in Adams County, Indiana, running thence in a northwesterly direction following the public highway crossing the northwest quarter of section twenty-eight (28), aforesaid, and the northeast quarter of section twenty-nine (29), thence crossing section twenty (20), and the northeast quarter of section (19), all in township twenty-eight (28) north, range fourteen (14) east, and terminating about 80 rods east of the northeast corner of the northwest quarter of section (19) aforesaid at the point where the proposed improvement intersects with the Macadam Road extending west on the northern boundary of said section nineteen (19) aforesaid.

Your petitioners aver and say that the improvement prayed for is less than three miles in length, connects both ends with a free macadam road in said township and that a United States rural mail route passes over said highway herein sought to be improved.

Your petitioners further aver and say that the highway herein sought to be improved is a public highway, already established and in use and is one of the public highways of said Root Township, and that the same will be of public utility and benefit.

Your petitioners ask that said public highway above described be drained and graded and that broken stone be placed upon the grade and that upon such broken stone there be placed stone screenings.

Your petitioners further ask that said highway above described be improved to the width of forty feet, and that said highway above described be graded to width of twenty-four feet, and that broken stone be placed thereon to a width of ten feet at the sides thereof and to a depth of ten inches in the center thereof, and that crushed stone screenings be placed thereon to a depth of four inches upon such broken stone, that said improvement be made a double track and that the name of the same be "The John A. Fuhrman Macadam Road."

That said improvement be made and constructed and that said bonds be issued and said tax be levied upon the taxable property of said township in accordance with the acts of the legislature of the State of Indiana passed in the year 1905, beginning on page 550, and as amended in the acts of 1907, and as also amended in the acts of 1909, now in force, provided for the extension of free gravel or macadam roads and all other and any amendments thereto.

We further ask the board to take all the necessary steps required by law to have said improvement constructed and made as petitioned herein and that the same be constructed without submitting the question of building the same to an election of the voters of said Root township and that the board construct the same under the laws of the State of Indiana, providing for the extension of free gravel or macadam roads, by township taxation.

Respectfully submitted,

J. A. Fuhrman, Geo. W. Dutcher, G. W. Ruckman, Sam Fuhrman, Wm. Hockemeyer, Fal Hockemeyer, Jack S. Reed, Charles W. Reed, Oscar Fritzinger, W. A. Fommer, L. N. Grandstaff, Reuben Baxton, Henry Schleiferstein, William Biebold, A. J. Lewton, Julius Haugk, S. J. Spangler, John Bucher, Ernst Conrad, Henry Bauman, John Evans, Wm. Singleton, J. M. Gibson, A. R. Wolfe, C. C. Rabbitt, J. S. Lower, John Singleton Will D. Evans, L. C. Lenhart, Samuel Magley, Wm. Rodenbeck, S. H. Ziegler, Buell G. Nye, E. M. Schmitz, Joseph Steigmeyer, J. A. Cline Fred Mutschler, John Tonner, Frank Roon, Chas. E. Magley, Frederick Holle, John Schuriger, Geo. Heller, Paul Miller, R. A. Drummond, Henry Magley, James Bain, S. P. Sheets, Tise Geulins, Andrew W. Geulins, George Geulins, Henry Rodenbeck, Phil L. Schleiferstein, D. M. Rice, Samuel F.

Krill, Jonas Cline, Dwight Wilder, Charles W. Johnson, E. S. Christen, Geo. Schleiferstein.

This petition will be presented to the Board of Commissioners on

Tuesday, July 8, 1913,

at which time the taxpayers of Root Township may appear and make such objections as the law may provide for. THOS. H. BALTZELL, Auditor.

5-12-19

### NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT.

State of Indiana, County of Adams, ss: In the Adams Circuit Court, April Term, 1913.

Edward E. Smith et al. vs. Joseph B. Gibson, Lenora P. Gibson, No. 8530.

Complaint to set aside judgment.

It appearing from affidavit filed in the above entitled cause, that Joseph B. Gibson and Lenora P. Gibson, the above named defendants, are non-residents of the State of Indiana.

Notice is hereby given that the said Joseph G. Gibson and Lenora P. Gibson that they be and appear before the Hon. Judge of the Adams Circuit Court, on the 1st day of September, 1913, and plead by answer or demur to said complaint, or the same will be heard and determined in his absence.

Witness my name and seal of said court this 13th day of June, 1913.

FERDINAND BLEEKE, Clerk.

Amos P. Beatty, Attorney for Plaintiff.

12-17-26

### NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE.

Notice is hereby given to the creditors, heirs and legatees of Pinley Drake, deceased, to appear in the Adams Circuit Court, held at Decatur, Ind., on the 1st day of September, 1913, and show cause, if any, why the final settlement accounts with the estate of said decedent should not be approved; and said heirs are notified to them and there make proof of heirship and receive their distributive shares.

JOHN W. DRAKE,

Decatur, Ind., June 10, 1913.

J. W. Teeple, Attorney.

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### EDUCATIONAL POSITIONS.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces an examination to be held on August 20-21, 1913, in various cities throughout the United States for teacher, industrial teacher and assistant in the Philippine service.

From the eligible list thus secured

appointments will be made during the

coming spring for service in the Philippine Islands beginning with the

opening of schools next school year.

The service requires:

Women for:

Home Economics.

Men for:

Agriculture.

Manual Training.

High School Science.

Mathematics.

English.

History.

Supervisors of School Districts.

For information relative to the na

ture of the service and the examination, address

BUREAU OF INSULAR AFFAIRS,

Washington, D. C.

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HE SOLD HIS CARRIAGE.

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Ex-Sheriff Eli Meyer came in

last night and threw up both

hands, exclaiming, "please take

that want advertisement for the

sale of a carriage out of the pa

per. I sold it the next day, and

could have sold a dozen more."

It pays to advertise. If you want

to buy or sell or trade, try it.

Our classified department should

attract you. It is used by firms

big and little, by individuals, by

anybody who wants to do things.

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### NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT.

The State of Indiana, County of Adams, ss:

In the Adams Circuit Court, April Term, 1913.

Josie F. Stewart vs. James O. Stew

art. No. 8532. Complaint for divorce.

It appearing from affidavit filed in

the above entitled cause, that James

O. Stewart the above named defendant

is a non-resident of the State of Indiana.

Notice is therefore hereby given that

the same will be heard and determined

in his absence.

Witness my hand and seal this 12th

day of June, 1913.

THOMAS J. DURKIN,

Sheriff.