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Papers, 1878-1912**

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**Subject Files**

Box 1

**Biography of Thomas J. Morgan. Anarchists, 1886 – Haymarket Riot and Trials**

Documents, notes, and clippings, 1878-circa 1912 and undated

Folder 1a. Notes, Items 1-5, circa 1894-1906 and undated

1. Mimeograph of biographical outline of Morgan, 1856-1895, regarding his activities in labor movement, undated.

2. Mimeograph of resolution declaring that Socialist Party will be controlled by whole membership, circa 1906. See folder 23a for manuscript notes of resolution.
3. Notes, in reply to a committee, briefly reviewing activities in defense of the convicted anarchists (Haymarket Riot, 1893) and Thomas J. Morgan's association with Amnesty Association, circa 1894.
4. Manuscript notes citing Supreme Court holdings in anarchist case, Interstate Commerce (Debs case), chronological list of events in Debs case, circa 1894. Cites and quotes other cases concerning labor, corporations, property.
5. Morgan's typewritten autobiographical outline focuses on activities as socialist, labor leader and lawyer, circa 1896.

Folders 1b-1c. Clippings and documents, 1878-circa 1912 and undated

No annotations. Most clippings relate to the anarchist trial following the Haymarket Riot and subsequently organized Amnesty Association. Other items include political circulars, platforms and resolutions of the United Labor Party, and clippings on convict labor, women's strike for eight hour day, Trades Assembly meetings, fear of anarchism at forthcoming Columbian Exposition.

Folder 1b. Clippings and documents, 1878-1886 and undated

Folder 1c. Clippings and documents, 1887-circa 1912 and undated

### **Charity - Charitable Institutions**

Notes and clippings, [1887]-1905 and undated

Folder 2a. Notes and clippings, Items 1-6, 1896-1900 and undated

1. Morgan's annotations on 1896 newspaper clipping concerning a Commercial Club dinner discussion of charity organizations. Morgan addresses poverty issue and relates it to labor issue.
2. Annotations on 1896 newspaper clipping about number of needy Chicago families who require charity. Morgan notes additional statistics of unemployed, poor and cites Mrs. (Florence) Kelly.
3. Manuscript notes concerning 1896 newspaper article about Children's Aid Society. No clipping attached.
4. Manuscript notes concerning digest of report of stockyard district by Bureau of Charities outlining conditions related to employment, sanitation, deaths, undated.
5. Manuscript notes concerning 1896 newspaper article noting numbers of needy and amounts of food, clothing, fuel needed.
6. Newspaper clipping concerning the number receiving charity in New York City, dated 1900. Handwritten label, "Rights of Man."

Folder 2b. Clippings and flyer, [1887]-1905 and undated

No annotations. The bulk of the clippings concern conditions of the poor including Cook County Hospital conditions, Christmas dinners for the needy, hungry children, causes and cures for poverty and crime, lodging furnished by police, problems and solutions for homeless men. A few articles concern meetings of the American Federation of Labor and a police raid of the painter's union. Flyer, distributed by Bureau of Charities, discusses the aid provided to families in distress in the Stock Yards District and need for additional persons to care for families.

**Corruption in Politics**

Clippings, 1887-1891 and undated

Folder 3a. Annotated clipping, Item 1, undated

1. Annotated newspaper clipping concerning the election of aldermen and dishonest Chicago city council of 1895.

Folder 3b. Clippings, 1887, 1891, and undated

No annotations. Concern Morgan's criticism of a jury commission law, jury bribing, list of patronage jobs and salaries available in Illinois state government.

**Crime and its Cure: Penal and Reformatory Institutions**

Pamphlet and clippings, 1890-1908 and undated

Folder 4a. Pamphlet, 1890

Pamphlet, 1890. Transcript of meeting of the Chicago Sunset Club, which discussed "What shall we do with our criminals?"

Folder 4b. Clippings, [circa 1893]-1908 and undated

No annotations. Concern the effect of environment on creating criminals; female offenders, crime and its causes, penal system, bill to restrict immigration, criticism of police justices.

**Currency**

Clippings, leaflet, and chart, [1887]-[1897] and undated

Folder 5a. Clippings, [1887?]-1897 and undated

No annotations. Concern political debates and speeches about the free coinage of silver, use of bogus money in an Indiana mining town, Woman's National Silver League.

Once clipping has brief manuscript comments pointing out omissions in a pro-gold standard speech.

Folder 5b. Leaflet and chart, [1896] and undated

Leaflet, [1896]. Entitled "Honest Money," discusses the gold standard and the upcoming presidential election. Provides a table illustrating

the disparity between the sworn values and true values of several Chicago properties.

Chart, undated. Represents the political and economic conditions as shown by the U.S. census of 1890.

## Education

Correspondence, documents, notes, and clippings, 1893-1910 and undated  
Folder 6a. Correspondence, documents, and notes, 1893-1901 and undated

1. Manuscript letter from Myra Jones of the executive committee of the Western Drawing Teachers' Association asking Thomas J. Morgan to speak at their annual meeting in Detroit. December 16, 1897. No reply from Morgan but follow-up letter, item 2, below.
2. Manuscript letter from Myra Jones acknowledging Morgan's acceptance of invitation to speak, December 22, 1897.
3. Manuscript notes for a speech on fads in the public schools ("special" studies such as art or music) on Reciprocity Day before the Social Economic Club, January 15, 1901.
4. Mimeograph of proposition presented to the Committee of One Hundred (organized to recommend reforms in Chicago public schools) outlining the goals and responsibilities of that committee, undated.
5. Manuscript notes outlining organization and purpose of the Public Education League, undated.
6. Manuscript notes on the history and governance of the University of Illinois, School of Medicine in Chicago, and the School of Pharmacy in Chicago along with draft of a petition to the Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois from the faculty and students of Harvey Medical College, undated.
7. Typed statement and bill proposing an act to regulate the conferring of degrees by educational institutions in Illinois, undated.
8. Typed letter to Thomas J. Morgan from Howard H. Gross of the Civic Federation of Chicago, appointing Morgan to the Committee of Elementary Education, February 15, 1900.
9. Typed plan of organization for Citizens' Education Commission of One Hundred, which studies public schools in Chicago, January 13, 1900.
10. Mimeograph of memo from Howard H. Gross announcing meeting of subcommittee on Elementary Education of the Educational Commission of One Hundred, February 21, 1900.
11. Mimeograph of memo announcing Committee of One Hundred meeting, January 9, 1900.

12. Mimeograph of letter listing standing committees of Commission of One Hundred, January 16, 1900.
13. Typed form letter announcing speakers at meeting of Citizens' Educational Commission from John McLaren and secretary Henry W. Thurston, undated.
14. Mimeograph of statement of purpose and portion of constitution of the Public Education League, undated.
15. Manuscript portion of resolution concerning education, undated.
16. Mimeograph of statement concerning decay of public school system by a member of Committee of One Hundred, undated.
17. Manuscript notes on textbook statistics, from speech (?) before Illinois Teachers Association in 1896.
18. Mimeograph of letter to Frances Dickinson, head (?) of the College of Physicians and Surgeons (probably Harvey College) and a statement appending a petition to Governor John Tanner for cooperative agreement with the University of Illinois, undated.
19. Pamphlet relating to the investigation of Chicago public schools, including resolution of Trade and Labor Assembly, events of Trade and Labor Assembly meeting, correspondence to Thomas J. Morgan and socialists' petition to the school board, 1893.
20. Pamphlet concerning special studies in public schools, 1893. Appears to be minutes of meeting of Board of Education.

Folder 6b. Clippings, 1893-1910 and undated

No annotations. Concern dispute over "fads" taught in public school system; relationship among number of people, number of schools, and number of saloons; need for additional school buildings, salary cut of drawing teachers, Horace Mann, Thomas J. Morgan's speech on the workingman and the law before the Economic Educational Club, contrasts of public school education in England and America, meaning of Labor Day, Mississippi Socialist Convention, relation of public libraries to public schools.

### **Health and Sanitation**

Document and clippings, 1887-1905 and undated

Folder 7a. Document, undated

1. Manuscript list of "adulterations," additives in food products, drugs, and fabrics, undated.

Folder 7b. Clippings, 1887-1905 and undated

No annotations. Concern sanitary regulations in construction of buildings, mortality rate among children, formation and activities of Municipal Order League of Chicago to combat filth, sale of diseased horse meat, food additives, U.S. Senate Pure Food Bill, slums.

## Labor

Correspondence, documents, and clippings, 1887-1889

Folder 8a. Correspondence and documents, 1887-1888

1. Manuscript agreement between Committee on Publishing of Chicago Trade and Labor Assembly and H. P. Hanaford for control of advertising space in *The Record*, October 8, 1888.
2. *Certificate of incorporation of Ladies Federal Labor Union*, no. 2703, December 12, 1888.
3. Manuscript letter resigning candidacy for county commissioner of United Labor Party from W. Kempke to C. Wheeler, October 26, 1887.
4. Printing contract for *The Record* between Chicago Trade and Labor Assembly and Union Job Printing Company, October 15, 1888.

Folder 8b. Clippings, periodical excerpts, and circular, 1887-1889

No annotations. Concern candidates on United Labor Party ticket, United Labor Party factions, turmoil among labor organizations, labors' investigation of County Hospital, relations between Democratic and United Labor parties, reorganization of United Labor Party to expel socialists, overcrowded streetcars, economic conferences, Thomas Morgan's thanks to Governor Altgeld for liberation of anarchists. Excerpts from the periodical *The Leader*. Circular addressed to members of the S.L.P.

Correspondence, documents, and clippings, 1890-1895 and undated

Folder 9a. Correspondence and documents, 1892-1895 and undated

1. Manuscript letter to T.J. Morgan from August Delabar of the Journeymen Bakers' and Confectioners' International Union, expressing dissatisfaction with the labor press, January 17, 1892. Mentions Gompers.
2. Mimeograph of holding of West Virginia Supreme Court (*State v. Peel Splint Coal Company*, 36 W. Va. 802, 1892) concerning constitutionality of laws and fraudulent devices used in weighing coal, undated.
3. Manuscript report of delegate to first Annual Convention of the International Machinists Union in Philadelphia, Pa., relating to events, political platform of the Union, reports of various committees, 1892.
4. Typed letter to T.J. Morgan from George E. McNeill expressing his views on the value of education and its relation to the condition of labor, March 8, 1893.
5. Mimeograph of handwritten letter from Mrs. T.J. (Elizabeth) Morgan for the Woman's Federal Labor Union to the Illinois Woman's Alliance concerning support for enforcement of state

laws limiting work hours for women and children, February 28, 1894.

6. Manuscript letter to Mrs. T.J. (Elizabeth) Morgan, president of Woman's Federal Labor Union, from H. Wede (or Wade) of Central Labor Union, expressing support of 8-hour movement, March 17, 1894.
  7. Copy of handwritten form letter from Mrs. T.J. Morgan inviting Manufacturers Association to a public meeting relating to the enforcement of the factory law, April 7, 1894.
  8. Manuscript letter from Florence Kelley to Mrs. T.J. Morgan concerning speakers for public meeting, April 10, 1894.
  9. Letter from Franklin MacVeagh to Mrs. T.J. Morgan, April 17, 1894. MacVeagh, a manufacturer, expresses support of an 8-hour factory law.
  10. Typed letter from J. E. Tilt to Mrs. T.J. Morgan, April 18, 1894. Tilt, secretary of Ill. Manufacturers Assoc., opposing 8-hour law and expressing belief that some will not be upheld by the Supreme Court.
  11. Typed letter from Eugene V. Debs to T.J. Morgan, resigning connection with Bureau of Correspondence, November 5, 1895. (See folder 46a.)
  12. Typed copy of addresses (probably by T.J. Morgan) delivered April 14, 1895, on subject of wages.
- Folder 9b. Clippings, fliers, pamphlets, and periodical excerpt, 1890-1895 and undated

No annotations. Concerning T.J. Morgan's opposition to closing Columbian Exposition on Sunday, United Labor Party ticket, request by Machinists and Machine Blacksmiths' Union of Chicago for ½ day holiday on Saturdays, division of labor into brain and manual work, American Federation of Labor Convention, Gompers AFL victory, benefits of trades unions, sweater system, police raid on Grief's Hall during anarchist meeting, financial report (pamphlet) of joint stock labor unions, pamphlet concerning formation of joint stock labor unions, aid for unemployed, address on disintegration of workingmen's families, Supreme Court holds 8-hour law unconstitutional.

Box 2

Correspondence, documents, and clippings, [1889?]-1899

Folder 10a. Correspondence and documents, 1896-1899

1. Manuscript notes in response to news articles concerning nights lodging costs for poor, 1896.
2. Manuscript notes of statistics from Factory Inspector's Report, 1899.



3. Mimeograph copy of woman's view of female laborers' circumstances, 1899. From *American Journal of Sociology*.
  4. Manuscript notes concerning state involvement in industry and labor in other countries, 1899.
  5. Letter to T.J. Morgan from Grievance Committee charging that he helped to reorganize Socialist Party National Executive Committee against Chicago resolutions, August 28, 1899.
  6. Manuscript notes concerning an application for incorporation (of Brick Company?) in 1897 and listing amount of capital stock, shareholders, and directors, circa 1899.
  7. Manuscript synopsis of New York Labor Report of 1899.
- Folder 10b. Documents, clippings, and reports, [1889?]-1899

No annotations. Concerning promotion of a Chicago Brickmaker's Trust and its effects on labor; Mrs. Hannah M. Morgan, president of Ladies' Federal Labor Union and the union's purpose; anti-tramp association in Wisconsin; article by Samuel Gompers calling for a united labor force; statement issued by Hull House concerning the tailor's strike; formation of a federal labor commission; effect of hard labor on health; American sentiment toward labor movement; suspension of publication of *The Union Workman*; women as laborers and heads of families; speeches by labor leaders including Debs; appointment of Lyman J. Gage as Secretary of Treasury; Labor Day; coal miner's strike; Socialist Labor Party's position on municipal services; power plant at Niagara Falls; child labor; Standard Oil and anti-trust issue; membership statistics of German trade union.

Also in folder: 1898 annual reports of the secretary and treasurer of the American Federation of Labor, list of organizations affiliated with AFL in 1899, 1899 convention program of AFL. Opinion of Michigan Supreme Court in case concerning boycotting a business, *Beck v. Railway Teamsters' Protective Union*, 1898.

Correspondence, documents, and clippings, 1900-1909 and undated

Folder 11a. Correspondence and documents, 1900-1909 and undated

1. Mimeo typescript comparing wage workers and slaves, 1900.
2. Manuscript note identifying items 3 and 4 below as exhibits, 1900.
3. Letter to T.J. Morgan from Robert R. LaMonte requesting credentials as a representative of the Social Democratic Party, August 25, 1900.
4. Copy of letter from T.J. Morgan to Robert LaMonte certifying LaMonte as official organizer of the Social Democratic Party, August 27, 1900.
5. Manuscript notes (from a newspaper clipping) about the cost of elections, specifically papers, printers, printing, shipping, September 30, 1900.

6. Manuscript notes of events in labor unions in breweries in 1904 and 1905, specifically related to treatment of females in bottling shops and the Social Democratic Party's refusal to buy beer in Milwaukee.
7. Manuscript in German, Wisconsin, November 9, 1903.
8. Manuscript letter to Thomas J. Morgan from Fred Brockhausen, Secretary-Treasurer of Wisconsin State Federation of Labor, asking Morgan to speak in place of (Julia) Lathrop of Hull House, December 22, 1905.
9. Manuscript speech, "How to Educate the Working Child," in response to request to speak in Wisconsin, item 8 above, undated.
10. Mimeograph of statement of complaint before Cook County court against Victor Bolko for uttering malicious words, ca. August 12, 1909.

Folder 11b. Clippings and report, 1900-1909 and undated

Most have no annotations. Concerning Columbia University president's opinion of trusts, Railway Accidents Bill, Miner's International Congress, Supreme Court opinion concerning right to determine for whom one works, railroad companies that do not allow employees to run for political office, Massachusetts Supreme Court decision on limiting work hours, T.J. Morgan's opinion on arbitration and the 1900 building strike, cooperative movement, social democratic vote in Missouri, AFL annual convention, court decisions concerning strike tactics, trade unionism; biography and photograph of Morgan (1902) in anticipation of his Labor Day speech, socialist vote in Chicago, conditions of the black worker in Georgia, workmen's compensation, financial problems of the *Chicago Daily Socialist*. Also, 1907 Report of the Committee on Convict Labor to the Illinois State Federation of Labor.

Three articles have notes attached, simply noting subject of article or what event followed. One concerns the *Chicago Daily Socialist*, Chicago's bankruptcy, and hunger in Cuba.

Correspondence, documents, and clippings, 1910-1912

Folder 12a. Correspondence and documents, 1911-1912

1. Letter to T.J. Morgan as editor of *The Provoker* from George Laudenbach of Seattle, Washington, requesting an article from *The Provoker* which explained charges of "free love" toward the National Secretary of NEC, February 5, 1911.
2. Mimeograph copy of resolution to Central Delegate Committee of the Board of Directors of the Workers Publishing Society demanding resignation of members receiving remuneration for services to the *Chicago Daily World*, June 23, 1912.

3. Weekly bulletin of National Headquarters of Socialist Party listing brief news items concerning socialist organizations/events around nation, November 16, 1912. (Other bulletins through the collection.)

Folder 12b. Clippings and newsletter, 1910-1912

No annotations. Concerning delegates of Trades Union Congress and ineffectual nature of the Congress; John Mitchell of AFL miners; socialist orator Mother Jones; list of Cleveland Unions; need for return to elementary Socialism; resolution by Building Trades Council denouncing the *Chicago Daily World* for betrayal of union men; Gompers attack on Socialists; John Mitchell and John Walker attack John L. Lewis; freedom of press in Britain; newspaper pressmen strike. Also, one issue of *The Militant*, socialist newsletter in Texas.

Document and clippings, [1892?]-1911 and undated

Folder 13a. Document, undated

1. Portion of typed paper denouncing capitalism, undated.

Folder 13b. Clippings and document, [1892?]-1897, [1908?] - 1911, and undated

No annotations. Concerning T.J. Morgan's invention of safety gate for rail passenger coaches to be used in 1893 World's Fair; New York's efforts to aid unemployed; annual convention of AFL; number of men and women employed in various trades in Chicago; Labor Day, sweatshops, child labor; landmarks in the Milwaukee labor movement; trade unionism; biographical sketch of William Liebknecht, a German labor agitator; Cuban Revolution; Samuel Gompers; newspaper strikes; plan of organization for town and ward clubs of the United Labor Party.

Also, clippings from *The Provoker* (who was T.J. Morgan) concerning the intellectual rise of the workers and a description of "the Provoker" himself, with outline of his activities with labor, Socialist Party, anarchists and includes wife's accomplishments also.

Also, copy of Illinois factory and workshop law.

Documents and clippings, [1886?]-[1905] and undated

Folder 14a. Documents, undated

1. Manuscript, series of quotations and citations concerning society, law, rights of man, right of property, right of inheritance, undated.
2. Manuscript notes for essay or speech (?) concerning industrial accidents, accident security societies and capitalists, undated.

Folder 14b. Clippings, [1886?], 1891-1897, 1903-[1905] and undated

No annotations. Concerning sweat shop conditions; poem by Mrs. T.J. Morgan (Elizabeth Chambers) "The Sweater's Lament"; state control of streetcar lines; strike at McCormick reaper factory; constitutionality

of an 8-hour work law; trade unionism in Germany; factions in United Mine Workers; Mrs. Morgan as chairman of Trades and Labor assembly committee on child labor; United Labor Party; Union Labor Party; poems about miners, rights of labor and working women; Labor Day activities; purpose of AFL.

### **Labor Miscellaneous**

Documents and clippings, 1891-1912 and undated

Folder 15a. Documents, [circa 1899]-1901 and undated

1. Mimeograph of portion of 1901 annual report of Commissioner of Labor on strikes and lockouts in U.S., Great Britain, Austria, Denmark, France, Germany.
2. Mimeograph of statistics on miners, [after 1901]. [missing as of October 2018]
3. Typed notes concerning factory acts, with citations to sources, circa 1899.
4. Typed essay or speech (?) tracing history of workers from slavery to labor unions, issue of Sunday labor, undated.
5. Manuscript notes on history of laws and attitudes of work on Sunday, undated.
6. Mimeograph of resolution by AFL to all state legislatures demanding abolition of manufacturing in tenement houses, noting spread of small pox in Chicago sweatshops, undated.

Folder 15b. Clippings, broadsides, pamphlets, and document, 1891-1912 and undated

No annotations. Concerning sweatshops, speech on eight-hour day, *Chicago Daily socialist*, minimum wage bill, speeches by Frances Willard, Chicago election campaign, coal barons, farm tenancy, laboring class statistics, relationship between Socialists and the United Labor Party, Mother Jones' effort to collect data about coal mining strikes, Chicago Paper strike, workingmen's parade, demand for T.J. Morgan's expulsion from the Socialist Party, miners' strike, effect of American competition on England's manufacturing, Socialist Labor Party ticket, Wisconsin AFL's dissatisfaction with Samuel Gompers, unemployment, factory inspection, issue of opening World's Fair on Sunday, conditions in town of Pullman.

Also, 1890 broadside charting estimated American agricultural production; AFL broadside concerning purpose and formation of Central Labor Unions; pamphlet urging trade unionism; 1895 pamphlet listing organizations affiliated with the AFL; 1894 speech by William G. Pomeroy, general organizer of AFL.

Documents, notes, and clippings, [1878]-1909 and undated

Folder 16a. Documents, notes, and pamphlet, 1891-1909 and undated

1. Manuscript notes concerning working contracts for building construction, undated. Notes apparently taken from case law, as cases are cited.
2. Manuscript notes concerning Carriage and Wagon Workers Union including number of establishments and workers involved in arbitration, number of workers in each trade, names and addresses of firms employing the union members and number employed; statistics computing average wages, cost of living, etc. and conclusions drawn from these figures; issues of arbitration and history of short hour movement; tabulated reports of Carriage and Wagon Workers Union, 1903.
3. Hectograph of constitution of the Woman's Federal Labor Union, undated.
4. Manuscript notes by "the Provoker" (T.J. Morgan) naming national or state officials of Socialist Party who have been involved in stock gambling, undated.
5. Manuscript notes concerning stock scheme involving Aaron L. Voorhees, J.M. Borns (?), undated.
6. Manuscript essay or speech (?) describing federal and state judicial systems, interest of wage workers in judicial elections: "Judicial Elections. What They Are. The Workers Interest in the Selection of Judges," June 1909.
7. Manuscript notes, "Robbing the Worker," undated. (Notes percentage of wealth held by farmers, workingmen, and capitalists from circa 1850-1897.)
8. Manuscript note concerning mass meeting to debate eight hour law, undated.
9. Manuscript notes for speech (?) concerning Labor Day, undated.
10. Pamphlet, 1891. *Investigation into the Sweating System as Applied to the Manufacture of Wearing Apparel* by the Chicago Trade and Labor Assembly. Enumerates places visited and the working conditions. Mrs. Thomas J. Morgan, member of investigating committee, apparently owned this pamphlet.

Folder 16b. Clippings, [1878]-1899 and undated

No annotations. Concerning relationship of unions to socialists, Mrs. T.J. Morgan and the investigation of sweat shops, striking coal miners, raid by police of suspected anarchist meeting, food for needy, issue of opening World's Fair on Sunday, Labor Day events, poetry about labor, article by T.J. Morgan about oppression of workers, old age pensions, labor leaders' differing views of national political platforms.

One annotated clipping: Plan of organization of United Labor Party with notes concerning eligibility for holding office, undated.

Box 3

Clippings, [1887?]-circa 1890s and undated

Folder 17. Clippings, [1887?]-circa 1890s and undated

No annotations. Concerning adoption of Jury-Commission law to give workers representation in county grand and petite juries; factions within and ticket of United Labor Party; state labor representatives; Labor Day Parade; accusations against AFL president Samuel Gompers; miner's strike; need for farm laborers; an issue of *The Next Step*, a socialist party newsletter.

**Miscellaneous**

Notes and clippings, [1890]-1907 and undated

Folder 18a. Notes, 1904-1907 and undated

1. Manuscript notes, "Open Court April 1897" lists statistics about Chicago including number paved streets, street lights, miles of sewer, population, number of manufacturing establishments, number of employed people, number and variety of businesses and churches, deaths from disease, number arrests, homicides, burglaries, houses of ill fame, firemen and equipment.
2. Manuscript notes of extracts from the letters of Dr. Harvey A. Robbins, "The Second Reign of Terror," taken from a newspaper, March 10, 1904.
3. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand, probably for speech at Good Samaritan Lodge, November 14, 1907. Using Good Samaritan Parable, describes process of heterodox becoming orthodox.
4. Manuscript notes outlining history of use of gold and silver standards, undated.

Folder 18b. Clippings, [1890]-[1899] and undated

No annotations. Concerning dedication of Chicago Public Library, housing shortage, text of speech by Altgeld during his campaign for mayor of Chicago, opening World's Fair on Sunday, text of Clarence Darrow's opinion on free silver issue.

Clippings, 1887-1902 and undated

Folder 19. Clippings, 1887-1902 and undated

No annotations. Concerning Chicago city election, estimated corn crop yield, statistics concerning Chicago street railways, material and moral progress of blacks in the free south, text of speech at a Lincoln banquet, growth of railroads in U.S., history of Vikings, summer movement of tramps, use of machines to relieve labor, Cuban issue.

Also, list of persons willing to serve as proxies at meeting of stockholders in World's Exposition. T.J. Morgan included.

## Politics in General

Clippings, 1879-1912 and undated

Folder 20. Clippings, 1879-1912 and undated

No annotations. Regarding Chicago city election returns, mayoral candidates, Governor Altgeld's views relating to influence of eastern U.S. on politics, Presidential candidate William Jennings Bryant, Clarence Darrow's desertion of the Democratic Party, German sentiment toward immigration restrictions, attempt to control legal right to confer degrees, explanation of municipal courts bill, article by T.J. Morgan (1905) on several recent political events; Roosevelt's platform; municipal court bill abolishing Chicago's justice courts, Henry D. Lloyd's and Clarence Darrow's views of the demise of the Populist movement, debate over recognition of Cuban independence.

## Socialism Miscellaneous

Documents, notes, and clippings, 1878-1894 and undated

Folder 21a. Documents, notes, and circular, undated

1. Manuscript minutes of meetings of Radical Labor Party including the Executive Committee, the Political Assembly, convention (committee) which was concerned with nominating candidates for alderman of wards and listed nominees by ward; clippings listing delegates to the nominating convention of the Radical Labor Party and the Party's platform, list of those nominated, and Radical Labor tickets for 24 wards, undated.
2. Manuscript notes in Morgan's and accusing officials of Socialist Party of unfairly trying one of their members accused of slander and libel, undated.
3. Manuscript notes explaining the illegal charter of the party, presumably the Socialist Party, undated.
4. Manuscript notes taken from articles published in *The Baltimore Sun* contrasting prosperity celebrated on Thanksgiving and the actual annual wage of labor, undated. (Fragment.)
5. Mimeograph of paper with manuscript editorial changes in Morgan's hand, "Professional Office Holders in the Socialist Party," accusing long-term and permanent office holders of becoming a conservative and reactionary class, undated.
6. Mimeograph of paper with editorial changes, apparently portion of a eulogy, undated.
7. Mimeograph of circular letter from A.L. Voorhees, organizer and president of Co-Industrial Co., appealing for justice, apparently after being swindled by fellow Socialists, undated. (See Folder 24a, Item 9 and Folder 33a, Item 17.)
8. Typed draft(s) of statements relating to events in establishment and subsequent management (1904-1907) of *The Daily Socialist* and T.J.

Morgan's involvement in same, submitted to Grievance Committee of Socialist Party, undated.

9. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand on subject of government, including cited quotations, ending with a narrative about socialism, undated.
10. Mimeograph of typed notes on Z.S. Holbrook's *The American Republic and the Debs Insurrection*, undated.

Folder 21b. Clippings, 1878-1894 and undated

Concerning history of the Paris Commune of 1871, municipal and state indebtedness in the United States, social statistics, biographical sketch and photograph of Mrs. Elizabeth J. Morgan in which some speculation is made concerning the reason for the Morgans' conversion to Socialism, mass meeting of miners, military law, formation of a brickmaker's trust, excerpts from an autobiographical and socialist speech by T.J. Morgan, description of meeting of German Social Democratic Party, excerpts from Florence Kelley's report of children in the glass blowers trade, Socialist Labor Party Platform.

Documents, notes, and clippings, [1892]-[1904] and undated

Folder 22a. Documents and notes, undated

1. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand concerning events of the Socialist Democratic Party Convention and issue of selection of candidates for President and Socialist Unity, undated.
2. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand concerning county government responsibilities, undated.
3. Manuscript, "Schilling vs. Morgan," written by George A. Schilling, editor of *Arbeiterzeitung*, and translated by Martin Lashery (?) enumerating accusations made against Schilling by T.J. Morgan at the time of the street-car strike, answering each charge, and calling Morgan the "high priest of Socialism," undated.
4. Manuscript notes by the Provoker (T.J. Morgan) commenting on the history of propaganda in revolutionary thought, the relationship between master-class and wage slaves, undated.
5. Manuscript notes citing Socialist vote by city and county from 1900-1901, undated.
6. Manuscript notes (not in T.J. Morgan's hand) concerning country's inexhaustible mineral resources, amount of wool and cotton manufacture, undated.
7. Typed draft of resolutions calling for cooperation between organized labor and Socialist Party, undated. (Fragment.)
8. Mimeograph of motion to establish a committee to organize campaign work in the 14th ward, undated.



9. Mimeograph of explanation of Brennan's (?) experiences as laborer and member of the Socialist Labor Party, who was subsequently suspended from the party for one year, undated.

Folder 22b. Clippings, [1892]-[1904] and undated.

No annotations. Concerning T.J. Morgan's invention of safety gate for passenger trains at World's Fair, accusing Morgan of making money by prosecuting labor, Socialist George Sloan's view of the relationship between capital and labor, nature of revolutions, national debt, relationship between Socialist Party and organized labor, series of articles about socialism in France, Socialist Party convention, text of Eugene V. Deb's speech accepting nomination for President.

Documents, notes, and clippings, 1907-1912 and undated

Folder 23a. Documents and notes, [circa 1907]-1912 and undated

1. Manuscript resolution in Morgan's hand forbidding membership or election to office in the Socialist Party to anyone whose means of existence depends on the existence of the socialist movement, undated. Also enumerates incidents in which this state of affairs has undermined the power of the Socialist Party. (See mimeograph typescript, Item 2 in Folder 1, Box 1, apparently a revised form of this resolution.)
2. Mimeograph of typed statement of the National Executive Committee of the Socialist Party outlining and denouncing events leading to a fraudulent resolution to remove a campaign manager in Texas, 1912.
3. Manuscript motion by Morgan to obtain facts concerning financial records of *The Daily Socialist* from its Board of Directors, circa 1907.
4. Typed notes "Hindmann, Socialism in England" defining socialism and explaining its failure in England, undated.
5. Mimeograph of speech with editorial changes by Morgan, probably a speech concerning the ambitions of union labor, undated.
6. Typed mimeograph of motion by T.J. Morgan demanding that the Board of Members of *The Daily Socialist* publish a report of their financial condition, [after December 1, 1910]. (See also Folder 21a.)
7. Manuscript notes outlining actions taken in management of newspaper, *The Weekly Socialist*, circa 1907. (See also Folder 21a.)
8. Typed list of names, addresses of secretaries of branches (of the Socialist Party?) in Cook County, undated. Some branches are numbered, others are names of towns, still others are ethnic groups.
9. Typed resolution calling for enforcement of compulsory education law, undated.

10. Series of manuscript notes concerning process of nominating candidates to party ticket, publishing party literature, issuing call for Primary, resolution adopted at mass meeting to support party organization and press (namely *Chicago Socialist*), events occurring within Socialist Party Committees, undated.

Folder 23b. Clippings, 1907-[1912] and undated

No annotations. Concerning summary of 1907 annual report of *Milwaukee Social-Democrat Herald*, platform of Social-Democratic Party of Wisconsin, relationship between Socialism and Democracy, report of representation of state socialist parties on National Committee circa 1906, events of the AFL convention, table of number of socialist votes by state 1900-1904, question of "faddism" or special studies in schools, results of county election, biographical sketch of T.J. Morgan relating to his study of law and socialist viewpoint, photograph of T.J. Morgan.

Correspondence, documents, notes, and clippings, 1874-1911 and undated

Folder 24a. Correspondence, documents, notes, pamphlet, circulars, and report, 1874-1911 and undated

1. Mimeograph of invitation from Adolf G. Vogeler, secretary, Chicago Public School Association to societies interested in public education requesting delegate to organizational meeting of same association, May 30, 1899.
2. Manuscript notes by Morgan concerning "stock gambling game" occurring within Socialist Party, undated.
3. Manuscript notes by Morgan citing bulletins in which events concerning National Executive Committee of Socialist Party appear, circa 1909.
4. Manuscript notes by Morgan concerning facts of case concerning warehouse law together with opinion and holding of Illinois Supreme Court, undated.
5. Manuscript notes by Morgan (with page citations to?) on the subject of rights, undated.
6. Manuscript notes by Morgan (fragment) concerning charges against T.J. Morgan for treason by Grievance Committee and T.J. Morgan's resolution at Socialist Party convention in New York, 1899.
7. Pamphlet, *Eugene V. Debs* by Walter Hurt, testimonial to Debs, undated. Note on front cover, "for review," and certain passages marked.
8. Typed form letter from B. Berlyn, president of Board of Directors of the Workers Publishing Society soliciting money for *Daily Socialist*, undated.

9. Mimeograph of circular by A.L. Voorhees, organizer and manager of Co-Industrial Projectoscope Co., outlining the aim prospects and organization of this motion picture company, undated. (See Folder 21a, Item 7 and Folder 33a, Item 17.)
10. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand, outlining Socialist Party events and activities, 1874-1906.
11. Manuscript by Morgan, partial record of McDermut money received as reported in a bulletin, 1905-1911.
12. Manuscript report of financial standing of locals of district 11 of Socialist Trade and Labor Alliance with National Executive Committee, 1898. Includes name of union, month and year joined, amount of debt (presumably owed to Executive Committee). Not in Morgan's hand.
13. Typed statement and resolution by T.J. Morgan submitted to Board of Directors of *Daily Socialist* concerning the anti-Socialist activities of the Board members and requesting financial report, undated.
14. Mimeograph of list of rules in common law concerning injuries and risks on the job, compares deaths during Spanish American War with number of workers killed in the same period, undated. Also, notes in Morgan's hand concerning relationship of worker and law.
15. Circular inviting machinists to join Machinist and Machine Blacksmith's Union, circa 1880.

Folder 24b. Clippings, 1899-1911 and undated

No annotations. Concerning proposed municipal court bill, financial troubles of *Daily Socialist*, T.J. Morgan's attack on fellow Socialists, Socialist organization in Europe, Governor Altgeld's pardon of anarchists, Labor Day activities, speech by T.J. Morgan concerning political activism in Socialist labor parties, disagreement among leaders of Socialist Labor Party, Socialist victories in elections around the country, Charles H. Machett (Socialist presidential candidate), T.J. Morgan's efforts to secure nomination for governor of Illinois, article by T.J. Morgan concerning inauguration of Roosevelt, opinions of workers concerning consequence of electing a Socialist Assessor, Socialist Party platforms presented at their convention, T.J. Morgan's speech at the University of Chicago, debate challenge from Socialist Labor Party to Democrat and Republican candidates, establishment of Woman's Committee in Socialist Party, poem for workingmen, revision of Chicago city charter.

Document, 1911

Folder 25. Document, 1911

1. Manuscript rebuttal statement in Morgan's hand, read before Grievance Committee of the Socialist Party at a trial resulting from

Morgan's publication of *The Provoker*, in which he exposed corrupt officers in Socialist Party, 1911. Morgan defends himself against charge of intent to injure the cause of Socialism and treason to the principles of the party. 118 pages.

Box 4

Correspondence, documents, notes, and clippings, [1886]-1911 and undated

Folder 26a. Correspondence, documents, and notes, 1911, and undated

1. Manuscript by T.J. Morgan about the Socialist Party speech before the Hebrew Trades in which T.J. Morgan describes his reasons for emigrating, undated.
2. Manuscript in Morgan's hand, rough draft of proposition for forming (and application for membership in) the Socialist Educational Association, undated. (Fragment.)
3. Manuscript notes by Morgan explaining disruption within the Socialist Party and the emergence of three separate parties in 1899, undated. (Pages missing.)
4. Manuscript rough draft in Morgan's hand, concerning the destruction of the Chicago Socialist movement by men with individualistic power, accuses by Parsons and Spies, undated. (Fragment.)
5. Manuscript outline in Morgan's hand of events and activities in England (circa 1839-1898), Germany, Italy, and U.S. related to the reorganization of labor and the Socialist movement, undated.
6. Mimeograph of paper summarizing 1895 report of immigration by a U.S. Treasury Commission, then statement of opinion of the writer (Morgan?) on the issue of immigration, undated.
7. Manuscript letter to Editor of *Daily Socialist* from John Simpson, protesting the Socialist Party's Grievance Committee's recommendation to expel Morgan and expressing belief that the majority of the Party will vote against expulsion, December 11, 1911. (One page missing).
8. Manuscript draft of essay, "Struggle for Law," in Morgan's hand, extolling the value of law and right and asserting that power of the law lies in feelings, principles, and action, undated.
9. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand, "Digest of the attitude of Socialism toward Trade Unionism," asserting that union strikes and boycotts are useful but impotent without socialist principles, undated.
10. Manuscript by Morgan, "Introduction to Lecture on Rights of Man," concerning socialism as the highest product of social consciousness, quoting Adam Smith and Blackstone (?), undated.

Folder 26b. Correspondence, documents, notes, annotated clippings, and broadsides, 1893, and undated

11. Typed mimeographed form letter from G.T. Fraenkel, Secretary of the Cook County Central Committee of the Socialist Party, requesting attendance at mass meeting to settle the *Daily Socialist* controversy, undated.
12. Typed mimeographed letter from Charles L. Breckon, Secretary of the Board of Directors of Workers' Publishing Society to G.T. Fraenkel, notifying him of decisions made concerning stock in the *Daily Socialist*, undated.
13. Manuscript entitled "Matthew Arnold on Equality," not in T.J. Morgan's hand, undated.
14. Copy of typed letter to Governor John P. Altgeld from members of Chicago Trades and Labor Assembly expressing appreciation for pardon of Oscar Neebe, Michael Schwab, and Samuel Fielding, July 1893.
15. Manuscript note by Morgan concerning presenting of platform by campaign committee, undated.
16. Typed mimeographed essay (?) written by Oliver Schimer (?) concerning the position of "anglo-saxon sisterhood" in justice and freedom, undated.
17. Mimeograph of essay edited in Morgan's hand, about the transformation of the Capitalist state into the Socialist state, undated.
18. Manuscript by Morgan, "Law of Master and Servant/ Address to Jury-Dangaard Case" is text of closing remarks in a trial concerning injury on the job, also includes list of things to do in preparation for the case, undated.
19. Annotated newspaper clippings, undated. Morgan has substituted "Socialist Party" and issues to brief article about politics. (Fragment.)
20. Broadside concerning cause and cure for militarism, undated. Notes written on reverse list positions on other issues.
21. Broadside chart of International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers showing that "resistance brings results," undated.

Folder 26c. Clippings, [1886]-1897 and undated.

No annotations. Concerning socialist movement in Europe, Labor Day activities, the Socialist Party press, election returns, freedom for Cuba.

Correspondence, documents, notes, and clippings, 1887-1904 and undated

Folder 27a. Correspondence, documents, notes, and pamphlets, 1904 and undated

1. Manuscript Morgan's lecture, "The Labor Question: from the standpoint of a Socialist," undated.

2. Manuscript in Morgan's hand, outline of historically significant events from 1820-1896, undated.
  3. Manuscript notes by Morgan concerning the management of the *Daily Socialist*, undated.
  4. Manuscript notes by Morgan concerning relationship between public and corporation, undated.
  5. Manuscript discussion of Morgan's relationship with Seymour Stedman, lists facts concerning a dispute in primary election, in Morgan's hand, undated.
  6. Typed list of excerpts written by *the Provoker*, inferring dishonesty of various members of the Socialist Party, undated.
  7. Mimeograph of typed notes about Karl Marx's theories and the International Workingman's Association, undated.
  8. Manuscript text of speech by Morgan about Karl Marx, undated.
  9. Typed form letter to officers and members of the civic federation from Ralph Rosely (?), secretary, concerning prominent citizens, who presumably don't pay their taxes, undated.
  10. Manuscript statement to members of Socialist Party concerning reactions to the publication of criticism of Party officials, undated. (Related to Morgan's trial for expulsion from the Socialist Party.)
  11. Manuscript Illinois Socialist Labor Party Ticket, undated.
  12. Pamphlet, Socialist Party of America, "How to Organize Locals," undated.
  13. Pamphlet, the Socialist Party, "How to Arrange Socialist Meetings," undated.
  14. Pamphlet, National Committee of the Socialist Party, "Socialist Methods," explains the organization of the Socialist Party in the U.S. and lists votes cast for socialism in other countries, 1904.
  15. Pamphlet, Papin, Peter, "The Question of Harmonious Co-operation between Capital, Intelligence, and Labor in Productive Industries," undated.
- Folder 27b. Clippings, 1887-1901 and undated

No annotations. Concerning conservatism in churches; red flag as symbol of socialism, silver standard issue, application of anti-trust laws to labor unions, speech by T.J. Morgan, restrictive immigration law, resolutions supporting socialism, Lincoln's views on the Supreme Court, right of eminent domain, useless capitalist class, article "The Issue" by Eugene V. Debs which is a campaign speech about the issue of "Capitalism," Paul Grottkau and Frank Hirth (communists arrested for inciting a riot), labor riots in Germany, article written in German.

Correspondence, documents, notes, and clippings, 1896-1908 and undated  
Folder 28a. Correspondence, documents, notes, and report, 1900 and undated

1. Manuscript notes by Morgan, "Synopsis of History of Paris Commune 1871," undated. Lists number of people in various trades and professions as members.
2. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand, regarding number of state employees and amount of salaries, probably taken from *Chicago Tribune*, undated.
3. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand concerning his testimony regarding *Daily Socialist* before Executive Committee and a subsequent rebuttal of Stedman's evidence, undated. (These are Morgan's rebuttal of Stedman's evidence. The dispute centered around Socialist Party control of the paper.)
4. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand regarding election of campaign manager for Socialist Party, quoting members' opinions of nomination of J. Mahlon (?) Barnes and enumerating other business conducted by the executive committee, undated.
5. Manuscript statement by Morgan listing disruptive factions in Socialist Party, undated.
6. Manuscript report to the Cook Count central committee on newspaper's *Weekly Socialist*, editorial business and relation to the party organization, undated.
7. Manuscript in Morgan's hand, preamble to the declaration of principles of the Union of Machinists of America, undated.
8. Manuscript statement by Morgan at his trial referring to denunciatory statements made by other Socialist Party members against him, undated.
9. Typed statement by Morgan repeating remarks made against him at a Socialist Party meeting, undated.
10. Typescripts of excerpts from legal brief which concern interpretation of the U.S. Constitution and Declaration of Independence, undated. Case cited, 1887.
11. Mimeograph of typescript, synopsis of destructive influence of material interests and anarchists on the Socialist Party from 1877-1906, undated.
12. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand enumerating tenets, origin, advance of socialism, undated.
13. Manuscript notes by Morgan regarding responsibility for care of destitute, undated.
14. Typescript letter to Theodore Debs (brother of Eugene V.) from secretary (unnamed) of National Campaign Committee of Social

Democratic Party requesting recognition of that organization's existence, August 17, 1900.

15. Manuscript draft of letter in Morgan's hand of letter described above, item 14.
  16. Manuscript note by Morgan submitting above mentioned letter (items 14 and 15) to Theodore Debs as an exhibit, presumably in Morgan's expulsion trial, undated.
- Folder 28b. Correspondence, documents, note, pamphlet, and broadside, 1900 and undated
17. Mimeograph of typescript, no autograph, of letter to Thomas J. Morgan from Theodore Debs, National Secretary-Treasurer of Social Democratic Party of America, August 20, 1900, in reply to T.J. Morgan's letter of August 17, 1900 (see above items 14 and 15) denying that he inhibits the advance of socialism.
  18. Manuscript drafts of speech on panics by Morgan listing propounded causes and personal experience in Panic of 1873, undated.
  19. Manuscript draft of letter in Morgan's hand to the C.C.C.C. (Cook County Central Committee) of the Socialist Party outlining events of his 28 months of work on the Executive Committee, including issue of control of *Daily Socialist*, undated.
  20. Manuscript in Morgan's hand, "Report on County Records made December 3, 1908 by Rubenstein," enumerating facts concerning Worker's Publishing Society, including names of stockholders and directors, handling of stock, undated.
  21. Manuscript article by Morgan to be published by the Chicago Cooperative Society relating information about the society, undated.
  22. Manuscript essay by Morgan regarding cooperative societies in various countries, information from 1901 Bulletin of the Department of Labor, undated.
  23. Manuscript draft of speech in Morgan's hand, "The Progress of the Workers," before the Illinois Institute of Accountants regarding advancement toward equality of workers and masters, undated.
  24. Manuscript speech to Illinois Institute of Accountants, the revised version of draft described above, item 23.
  25. Mimeograph of typescript, first page only, Morgan's statement of his acts, motives, and the events occurring in the *Daily Socialist* controversy, undated.
  26. Portion of pamphlet, a lecture by Rev. John Clifford, "The Effect of Socialism on Personal Character," undated.
  27. Broadside, "An Equal Chance," essay regarding inequality of opportunity, undated.



Folder 28c. Clippings, 1896-1908 and undated

No annotations. Regarding resolutions adopted by London International Socialist and Trade Union concerning variety of topics, membership in New York Metropolitan Club; history and programs of Hull House, text of speech by Altgeld to John R. Tanner, election returns; grain production statistics, Socialist Labor Party convention and ticket, cost of support of various nations' armed forces, AFL convention proceedings.

Correspondence, documents, notes, photographs, and clippings, [1896]-1911 and undated

Folder 29a. Documents, notes, pamphlet, photograph, and bulletin, [circa 1900]-1906 and undated

1. Photograph of Mother Jones, undated.
2. Mimeograph of typescript "Why I am a Socialist," by T.J. Morgan, describing his early experiences in America, joining first American section of Socialists, undated.
3. Manuscript notes by T.J. Morgan defending his published references to Berger and Gompers, the National Executive Committee's support of fusionists and submitting exhibits in support of his statements, undated. (Expulsion trial.)
4. Mimeograph of typescripts of November 4, 1911, *National Weekly Bulletin* (of Socialist Party), which Morgan submitted as exhibits to support his published testimony in his "trial" and referred to in Manuscript notes, item 3, above, undated.
5. Manuscript in Morgan's hand, "In Reply to Sissman" comments in rebuttal to Sissman's accusations that Morgan worked against the Socialist Party, undated.
6. Pamphlet, "Socialists in French Municipalities," translated from official reports of mayors in various French cities regarding the activities of socialists, after 1900, undated.
7. Manuscript notes by Morgan, perhaps for a speech at Hull House, regarding garment workers' strike, listing number of male and female garment workers and their minimum wages, undated.
8. Manuscript resolution in Morgan's hand calling for Socialist Party convention to join the Socialist Labor Party and Social Democratic Party in endorsing Eugene V. Debs and Job (?) Harimann (sp?) as presidential candidates, undated.
9. Manuscript text of speech in Morgan's hand enumerating principles of socialism and distinguishing between Socialist Party and all other political parties, 1906.
10. Manuscript (not in Morgan's hand) naming individuals who frequently changed their political party affiliation, undated.

11. Mimeograph of typescript of history of labor and unions with citations to sources identified, circa 1900.
  12. Manuscript "Constitution of the state organization of the Socialist Party of Illinois," not in Morgan's hand, undated.
  13. Manuscript fragments not in Morgan's hand, listing actions regarding labor, legislation and education (probably not supported by the Socialist Party), undated.
- Folder 29b. Documents, correspondence, notes, broadsides, and bulletin, 1901-1909 and undated
14. Manuscript notes by Morgan for testimony at his trial, regarding surplus income received by Socialist Party member, Simons, undated.
  15. Broadside, resolution declaring that all workers in all countries will not work on May 1, undated.
  16. Broadside, undated. Solicitation by Committee on Public Baths of the Chicago Trade and Labor Assembly (Mrs. T.J. Morgan on committee) of support for free public baths. Signed by James H. Gilbut, a supporter.
  17. Broadside, undated. "Instructions to Inspectors and Challengers, Social-Democratic Party." Instructions for poll inspectors, state of Wisconsin, undated. (Circa 1908.)
  18. Broadside issued by nonpartisan Judicial Campaign Committee listing judges on Republic ticket that are supported by majority of citizens, undated.
  19. Mimeograph of typescript, biographical outline of Morgan's activities relating to labor, 1856-1895, undated. Same item in box 1, folder 1, item 1.
  20. Mimeograph of typescript, with editorial changes in Morgan's hand, regarding Sunday laws and relation of worker to day of rest, undated.
  21. Mimeograph of typescript of minutes of meeting of Cook County Campaign Committee of Socialist Party, September 9 and 15, 1909.
  22. Manuscript statement by T.J. Morgan to the 7<sup>th</sup> Ward branch of the Socialist Party relating to his activities in Cook County Central Committee of the Socialist Party and problems surrounding establishment of primary districts, undated. (After 1904.)
  23. Portion of published weekly "Lucifer, the Lightbearer" relating to socialism and anarchism, references made to speech by T.J. Morgan, undated.
  24. Photograph, Participants of Socialist Unity Convention, Indianapolis, Indiana, 1901. T.J. Morgan present.
  25. Postcard addressed to T.J. Morgan from A. Kuzuik (?). Postcard is photo of Friedrich Engels, 1906.

## Folder 29c. Clippings, [1896]-1911 and undated

No annotations. Regarding nominees for non-partisan judicial ticket, bill passed by Illinois legislature which benefited gas trust, resignation of and charges against J. Mahlon Barnes (National Secretary, Socialist Party), arguments for annexation of Hawaii, pamphlet of Socialist Party of California concerning relationship between Socialist Party and labor unions, three Social-Democratic Party publications, conditions for obtaining citizenship, Clarence Darrow's nomination for Congress, trusts, silver standard, Women's National Silver League, National Socialist Convention, text of speeches to Patrick Henry and Eugene V. Debs, suicides and murders traced to poverty, J. Mahlon Barnes' position on labor and political issues, socialist administration in cities.

## Box 5

Correspondence, documents, notes, and clippings, 1892-1909 and undated

Folder 30a. Correspondence, documents, notes, pamphlet, and broadside, 1909 and undated

1. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand for speech in Milwaukee regarding education, August 28, 1909.
2. Manuscript text of speech in Morgan's hand using labor statistics to persuade audience to become Socialist, circa 1909.
3. Postcard to T.J. Morgan from E.J.M. criticizing T.J. Morgan for belittling Comrade Mills in the *Provoker*, 1909.
4. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand regarding "historic points in law relating to women," undated.
5. Manuscript notes by Morgan regarding charity and responsibility of society to care for poor, children, aged, undated.
6. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand, "exhibit 13" seeking to prove Seymour Sedman's work against Socialist Party unity, undated.
7. Manuscript testimony submitted by Morgan describing his actions in exposing the "Labor Party Conspiracy in the *Provoker*, 1909-1910, undated.
8. Typescript, "Morey's Outlines of the Roman Property Law," series of notes on history of right of ownership, undated.
9. Mimeograph of typescript resolution by AF of L pledging support of eight hour day for women and children, undated.
10. Manuscript resolution in Morgan's hand concerning appointments of Board of Commissioners and election judges from the United Labor Party, undated.
11. Mimeograph of constitution of the Woman's Federal Labor Union, no. 2703, undated.

12. Mimeograph of typescript, edited in Morgan's hand, concerning the meaning of strikes and a living wage, undated.
13. Manuscript in Morgan's hand, "Socialism in the Socialist Party" regarding failure of socialist principles within socialist movement by people who maintain individualism, undated. (Fragment.)
14. Manuscript list by Morgan regarding "socialism in thought" or principles, undated.
15. Manuscript by Morgan, "The Irish in the Socialist Movement - Tommy Ryan," describing Ryan's activities in the organization of the socialist movement and the 5<sup>th</sup> Ward Irish Guards, commenting on the destructive effect of anarchist movement on socialism, undated.
16. Typescript essay (article or speech?) regarding law and its relation to individuals' rights and necessities, undated.
17. Typescript circular letter from Ralph Easley, secretary of Civic Federation, regarding results of a report by State Bureau of Statistics, undated.
18. Typescript copy of letter addressed to officers and members of the Ill. State Federation of Labor warning against association with the capitalistic Union League Club at a convention and supporting liberty for Cuba. Manuscript note written by T.J. Morgan on above remarking that a Mr. Adair may use the letter as he wishes, undated.
19. Manuscript list, by Elizabeth Morgan as chairman of arrangements of names of speakers, undated.
20. Typescript with additions in Elizabeth Morgan's hand announcing a mass meeting and debate on the 8-hour limit of female labor by the Workshops and Factories Act, undated.
21. Pamphlet, "Complete Congressional Election Returns" for 1894 and votes for President in 1888 and 1892, undated.
22. Broadside, "Martin's Classic," scenario illustrating worker's role in society, undated.

Folder 30b. Clippings, 1892-1899 and undated

No annotations. Regarding reform in Chicago city council, People's party delegates, qualifications for suffrage, socialist movement in Texas, Illinois Primary law, amount of land owned by aliens, Armour boycott, Socialist vote, women's desire for titles, amount dues paid to support socialist newspapers, the *Provoker* and the Socialist Party, election of judges, text of speech on Socialism by former Governor Altgeld, page proofs of article about Socialism by T.J. Morgan, Socialism in France, description of ball at Waldorf, T.J. Morgan's transformation from laborer to lawyer, resolution by Morgan

concerning public ownership, article by Thomas W. Lawson concerning system under which American workers are exploited.

Documents, notes, and clippings, 1896-1912 and undated

Folder 31a. Documents, and notes, 1907 and undated

1. Manuscript of speech (?) in Morgan's hand at convention whose purpose it was to promote art instruction in common schools, undated.
2. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand, concerning "what education should be," undated.
3. Manuscript resolution in Morgan's hand for Chicago Socialists on Labor Day declaring support of public ownership of property and separate Socialist political party, undated.
4. Manuscript notes by T.J. Morgan, "Digest of Baker's Digest of Decisions of Bakers Annotations of U.S. Constitution," undated.
5. Manuscript notes by T.J. Morgan taken from court's instructions to jury in *Spies v. The People* 122 Ill. 85 (Haymarket Riot), undated.
6. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand, "Extracts from Proof Sheets of History of Chicago Chapter on Socialism and Anarchism," undated. Lists events 1850-1907.
7. Manuscript notes by Morgan, reply to questions regarding establishment of *Daily Socialist* paper in Chicago and part of original manuscript (probably written by Rubenstein) and printed statement in *Weekly Socialist* describing vote to establish a daily, amount of capital stock, undated. (After 1906.)
8. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand taken from Cooley's and Blackstone's interpretations of U.S. Constitution regarding subjects of society, law, and government, undated
9. Manuscript annotation by T.J. Morgan of article in *Colliers Weekly* (not included) regarding wages, accidents of miners, cost of coal, undated.
10. Manuscript in Morgan's hand regarding the financial affairs of the *Daily Socialist*, events relative to control of the newspaper, circa 1907. (Fragment.)
11. Manuscript notes and tally sheet by T.J. Morgan related to number of Socialist Party locals in each state, circa 1912.

Folder 31b. Documents, pamphlet, and broadsides, 1896-1912 and undated

12. Mimeograph of typescript of newsletter or circular of National Socialist Campaign Committee relating to actions by the committee, campaign contributions, speakers, literature, and supplies, July 20, 1912.

13. Mimeograph of typescript edited in Morgan's hand, listing elective offices in Illinois, terms of office and time of elections and cites sources of information, undated.
14. Manuscript speech or essay in Morgan's hand, "The Proletarians Purgatory," undated.
15. Mimeograph of typescript with additions and changes in Morgan's hand, letter addressed to members of the Socialist Party and concerns the individualism that had grown within the party, undated.
16. Mimeograph of typescript of minutes of meeting of Cook County Campaign Committee, September 9, 1910, September 12, 1910, and June 30, 1909.
17. Broadside, "Why Socialists Pay Dues" issued by National Headquarters of Socialist Party, undated.
18. Broadside, "Why Socialism Grows," undated.
19. Pamphlet, *Socialism*, by William School McClure, published by National Executive Committee of Socialist Labor Party, 1896.
20. Portion of publication, "Land as Public Property," undated.
21. Fragments of publication, *Commonwealth*, regarding natural talent, undated.
22. Broadside request from Kunath Medicine Manufacturing Company for socialists who will sell medicines, undated.
23. Broadside copy of restraining order against group of people who were interfering with the operation of a corporation's business, 1903.

Folder 31c. Clippings, [1897]-1900 and undated

No annotations. Political cartoons, speech by William J. Bryan, description of artist-socialist William Morris, dissolution of railmaker's association, essay on wage slavery, fraud in sugar importation, views for and against Socialism, poem by James Whitcomb Riley written for Eugene V. Debs, cost of war, speech by T.J. Morgan on Socialism, national platform of Social Democratic Party.

Documents, notes, and clippings, 1892-1911 and undated

Folder 32a. Documents, notes, pamphlets, and broadside, 1900-1911 and undated

1. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand concerning charges made against Barnes by Mother Jones, undated.
2. Mimeograph of typed report by Auditing Committee to Executive Committee of Socialist Party of U.S., signed by R.H. Howe, May 11, 1908.

3. Manuscript statement by Morgan swearing that he has served as attorney for the Socialist Labor and Socialist Parties for 15 years (1895-1910) without pay, 1911.
  4. Manuscript manuscript in Morgan's hand outlining numerous threats and efforts by Berlyn to undermine Morgan, undated.
  5. Manuscript entitled "Stedman," in rebuttal of remarks against a report of the Executive Committee, undated.
  6. Manuscript rough draft of charter of local organization of the National Brick Makers Alliance, undated.
  7. Manuscript testimony by Morgan in rebuttal of evidence offered by Stedman regarding the charter and stock of the Worker's Publishing Society, 1911. (Expulsion trial.)
  8. Manuscript bibliography in Morgan's hand related to rhetoric, oratory, prize essays, leading legal cases, undated.
  9. Mimeograph of typescript extracting others' views concerning law of selection, struggle for existence, undated.
  10. Mimeograph of typescript and attached newspaper clippings, entitled "Vital Statistics," enumerates overcrowded living conditions, death/suicide rates, physique of poor in major cities in England, United States and Europe, circa 1901.
  11. Manuscript notes and attached newspaper clipping, entitled "Vital Statistics," in which Morgan lists facts concerning death rate, living conditions, disease, physique of working classes, undated. (See item 10, above.)
  12. Manuscript notes (probably not in Morgan's hand) regarding guidelines for formation of a district council of several adjacent local unions, undated.
  13. Manuscript testimony (?) in Morgan's hand relating to four controversies in the Socialist Party organization in which he played a major role, undated.
  14. Pamphlet, "How to Work for Socialism," by Walter Thomas Mills, 1900. (Related items in Folder 27a.)
  15. Pamphlet, "The New Movement in Ireland," address by Horace Plunkett, M.P., 1898.
  16. Broadside resolution concerning strikes and boycotts and supporting trade-unions, undated.
- Folder 32b. Clippings, 1892-1896 and undated

No annotations. T.J. Morgan's investigation of Chicago slums, Socialism as partial remedy to labor unrest, French view of American working class, political reform in Britain, T.J. Morgan's speech against closing Columbian Exposition on Sunday, movement against Morgan to form an anti-Socialist labor party, Morgan's report of proceedings

of AF of L Denver convention, report of parade of miners in Denver and speeches following, including one by Mother Jones, speech by T.J. Morgan at meeting of Christian Citizenship League.

Correspondence, documents, notes, and clippings, 1881-1909 and undated

Folder 33a. Correspondence, documents, and notes, 1909 and undated

1. Manuscript by Morgan relating to producing evidence in support of facts he published, undated. (Fragment.)
2. Two copies of letter from Secretary of Texas Socialist Party announcing availability of a speaker, September 4, 1909.
3. Manuscript article or speech in Morgan's hand on subject of Socialism, relationship between master and servant, undated.
4. Manuscript rebuttal in Morgan's of Stedman's testimony relating to Socialist Party vote in Cook County, 1911. In Morgan's hand.
5. Manuscript by Morgan listing points in a program related to public employment, undated. (See item 9 below.)
6. Manuscript (not in T.J. Morgan's hand) description of T.J. Morgan's expose of Socialist Party comrades in the *Provoker*, undated.
7. Manuscript notes by Morgan, "Workman and the law," excerpts defining various rights and legal concepts, undated.
8. Manuscript notes by Morgan about human vivisection, undated. Includes process of spinal taps, cancer surgery, and experiments in London, Stockholm.
9. Manuscript in Morgan's hand listing points in Program of "The Right to Life and the Right to Work," an extension of item (5) above.
10. Manuscript notes by Morgan relating to Youngstown, Ohio, Socialist press's condemnation of Socialist Party parasites, undated.
11. Manuscript notes by Morgan describing his reaction to Bergen's election, undated.
12. Mimeograph of typescript edited in Morgan's hand entitled "Looking Backwards," describes changes in society leading to his acceptance of Socialism and the establishment of a local Socialist Party Headquarters, undated.

Folder 33b. Correspondence, documents, notes, clippings, and pamphlet, 1909 and undated

13. Mimeograph of typescript edited in T.J. Morgan's hand, a speech for Labor Day tracing history of working people up through trade-unionism, undated.
14. Mimeograph of typescript of article or speech by T.J. Morgan, entitled "On Equality," undated.



15. Manuscript article in Morgan's hand entitled "The Facts About the *Daily Socialist*," listing names of members connected with the *Daily* and the events of the "takeover" of the Socialist Party's newspapers, undated.
16. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand with attached newspaper clippings, February 14, 1909. "Lecture at Danville, Illinois, February 14, 1909 on Lincoln and Wrights Injunction, under auspices of Trades Council." Notes extension of slavery, Dred Scott decision, Lincoln's view of slavery issue, and current conditions of the laboring class.
17. Mimeograph of typed letter to comrades from J. Mahlon Barnes soliciting investment in a moving picture business that will promote Socialism, undated. (See folder 21a, item 7 and folder 24a, item 9.)
18. Pamphlet describing the Adrem Company, a moving picture company, undated. (See item 17 above and newspaper clipping below.)
19. Blank application from membership in the Socialist Party, undated.
20. Annotated newspaper clipping, undated. Regarding John Burns and Victor Berger, candidates for political office.

Folder 33c. Clippings, 1881-[1905] and undated

No annotations. Regarding British casualties in South Africa in 1900, new moving picture theater, platform of 1881 Socialist Party, T.J. Morgan's speech on socialism, issue of whether women should work, injunctions against workingmen, Morgan's speech in Missouri, appeal for support of prisoners by Society of the Refugees of the Commune, John D. Rockefeller's statement on trusts, speakers on socialism, election results, municipal pawn shops, Morgan's articles in the *Provoker* lambasting members of the Socialist Party.

Box 6

Documents and clippings, 1888 and undated

Folder 34a. Documents, 1888 and undated

1. Manuscript in Morgan's hand declaring beliefs of the Social Democratic Party as assembled in convention, undated.
2. Manuscript by Morgan, another, lengthier version of item 1 above, undated.
3. Mimeograph of typescript explanation from *Provoker* (T.J. Morgan) to subscribers from suspension of the publication, efforts to silence and sue T.J. Morgan, Morgan's exposure of Socialist Party members, describes his trial resulting in expulsion from the Socialist Party, undated.

4. Manuscript minutes of meeting of Chicago Political Assembly (of United Labor Party then of the Radical Labor Party), January 28, 1888; February 11, 18, and 25, 1888; October 4, 1888. (Apparently not Morgan's handwriting.) Include adoption of resolution denouncing the United Labor Party. T.J. Morgan on committee for application for charter of newly named Radical Labor Party of Cook County and was secretary at one point. Lists members names and addresses.
5. Manuscript draft of communication by Morgan to Central Committee Local Cook County Socialist Party relating to land scheme in Florida with later note appended concerning evidence in *Daily Socialist* trial, undated
6. Minutes of executive committee, presumably of Chicago Political Assembly, undated. (See item 4 above.) (Not in Morgan's hand.)
7. Manuscript draft of letter to members of 7W B.S.P. (7th Ward Branch Socialist Party) describing conflicts within the Central Committee and his involvement in them. Endorsement, undated. "Synopsis of history of fight in Executive and Central Committee beginning with Mills Lecture proposition and ending with issue of statement on *Daily* and its repudiation (?) by packed Central Committee."

Folder 34b. Clippings, undated

No annotations. Regarding Socialist Labor Party ticket (T.J. Morgan for Mayor of Chicago), political cartoons, safety gate invested by Morgan, election returns, Socialist mass-meeting speeches after election, poverty, Socialist Party platforms and ticket.

Documents, correspondence, notes, and clippings, 1893-1909 and undated

Folder 35a. Documents, correspondence, and notes, 1900 and undated

1. Typed resolution of United Socialist Convention, ratifying nomination of candidates and the unification of the Socialist Labor Party and the Social Democratic Party, 1900.
2. Typed memo naming representatives to state convention of Social Democratic Party, August 25, 1900. Signed by Irene Stedman.
3. Signed mimeographed letter to Thomas J. Morgan asking him to try to prevent improper use of the name Socialist Labor Party, September 20, 1900. Signed by J.B. Smiley.
4. Papers of the state convention of the Socialists of Illinois, including minutes, resolutions, and reports, August 26, 1900. Minutes written by William H. Wise. Resolutions concern actions that should be taken by the state convention. Report of committee recommending name for unified socialist party is signed by Philip S. Brown, Fern Svoboda (?), and James Wright. Resolution to continue unity after national campaign is over. Blank nominating paper.

5. Manuscript portion of statement in Morgan's hand describing his expulsion from the Socialist Party December 10, 1911, and naming the members who are part of the branch's "officialdom," undated.
  6. Manuscript notes by Morgan comparing governance of a lodge with that of a city, undated.
  7. Manuscript statement in Morgan's hand, "Who's Who and What's What in the Socialist Movement," describing his expulsion then the veto of his expulsion from the Socialist Party, attributing events to abuse of official power and application of "economic determinism" in the Party, undated.
  8. Manuscript in Morgan's hand tracing history of Socialist movement in Chicago, undated. Mentions influence of "Economic Determinism."
  9. Manuscript by T.J. Morgan discussing socialist newspapers and the power exercised by their officials and editors, and events concerning various newspapers, undated. "The Vorbaten."
  10. Manuscript by T.J. Morgan describing socialism as an inevitable historical necessity, undated.
  11. Portion of manuscript in Morgan's hand stating that the master class had placed their workers in labor and Socialist organizations and controlled the press - describes as influence of economic determinism, undated.
  12. Manuscript notes by T.J. Morgan citing case law discussed in *Central Law Journal* regarding, for the most part, city ordinances and freedom of speech, undated.
  13. Portion of manuscript in Morgan's hand, probably a speech, explaining the role of art in the working class and in the public schools, undated.
  14. Manuscript of speech by Morgan about holidays, undated.
- Folder 35b. Documents, correspondence, and notes, 1906-1908 and undated
15. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand, facts and comments from journals and newspapers regarding workers, food additives, undated. (After 1899.)
  16. Manuscript notes by Morgan, "Is course of study suited to public need," citing laws relating to public education, undated.
  17. Manuscript not in Morgan's hand, lists "man-made laws" and "God-made" counterparts, to illustrate that Capitalism is contrary to God's laws, undated.
  18. Typescript citing a number of speakers on the subjects of wage-workers, masters, and slaves, undated.

19. Manuscript telegram from John C. Harding to Thomas J. Morgan asking Morgan to obtain Delabar's assistance to elect Burtt over Gompers, undated.
20. Manuscript notes on equality taken from several sources, undated.
21. Mimeograph of typescript proposing a Socialist Educational Association to foster Socialist propaganda, undated.
22. Manuscript draft of letter in Morgan's hand to "Comrade Heath," relating an incident in 1893 in which Morgan prevents Gompers' defeat, 1907.
23. Typescript of petitions of the Socialist Party of Chicago requesting city and state referendums on public policy questions, 1906.
24. Manuscript in Morgan's hand suggesting replacements of certain articles and sections of a printed report of the Socialist Party Cook County Central Committee to the Executive Committee, undated.
25. Typescript copy of audit report on *Daily Socialist* to Executive Committee of Local Cook County Socialist Party, 1908.
26. Typescript letter to Thomas J. Morgan from attorney Frederick Mains providing an opinion on a proposed bond issue by the Daily Socialist Corporation, November 21, 1908.
27. Form letter from Board of Directs of the Chicago Daily Socialist to stockholders urging purchase of bonds to pay debts, undated.
28. Manuscript statement to C.C.C.C. (Cook County Central Committee) listing amount of columns furnished per edition of *Chicago Socialist* by the editor, contributory staff, state, and nation. 1906.

Folder 35c. Pamphlets, 1895-1907 and undated.

- (1) "After Capitalism What?," 1900.
- (2) "Practical Effect of Advances in Tax Law," 1899.
- (3) "Collectivism: A speech delivered by Jules Guesde to the French Chamber of Deputies," 1895.
- (4) Pamphlet of advertisements of local businesses in Chicago (including Morgan's), 1907.
- (5) "Catalogue of Socialist Campaign Supplies," undated.
- (6) "The Turn of the Tide" - announces issue of bonds for *Daily Socialist*, undated.

Folder 35d. Clippings, 1893-1909 and undated

No annotations. Regarding activities of national campaign committees, bonds sold for *Daily Socialist*, assets and liabilities of *Daily Socialist*, American investment and labor in Japan and China, profit in town of Pullman, activities of legislative committee to investigate sweating system (Mrs. Morgan a member), Morgan's criticism of the University of Chicago, protest against U.S.-Russian extradition treaty,

description of Morgan and his speech on Socialism, nomination of Eugene V. Debs for President.

Correspondence, documents, notes, and clippings, 1887-1911 and undated.

Folder 36a. Correspondence, documents, notes, annotated clipping, pamphlet, and broadside, 1887-1911 and undated

1. Manuscript in Morgan's hand, "The Irish in the Socialist Movement - Billy Creach," an account of Billy Creach's contribution to the movement, namely singing propaganda, undated. (After 1908.)
2. Manuscript in Morgan's hand, "The Irish in the Socialist Movement - John McAuliff," an account of his oratory and contributions to Socialist movement, undated.
3. Manuscript by Morgan outlining the history of crafts guilds and trade unionism, undated.
4. Notarized affidavit of Grant Depew listing Barney Berlyn's attempts to discredit Thomas J. Morgan, September 1, 1911. Notary: Julius Rubenstein. Witnesses: Thomas J. Morgan, Harry Brace, and G.T. Fraenckel.
5. Typescript statement addressed to members of the Socialist Party and edited in Morgan's hand, describing the behavior of Socialist Party officials, undated
6. Manuscript notes by Morgan relating Socialism and health, undated.
7. Newspaper clipping regarding election of national committeemen of Socialist Party and brief manuscript notes concerning fixing the ballot, undated.
8. Manuscript letter to T.J. Morgan from George North Taylor regarding vote for executive committee of Socialist Party and enclosing a letter from Gaylord, January 10, 1910. (See item 9, below.)
9. Circular letter from Winfield R. Gaylord requesting support of certain candidates for National Executive Committee, December 29, 1909.
10. Typed letter to T.J. Morgan from Victor L. Berger listing nominees for National Executive Committee for whom Wisconsin National Committeemen will vote (T.J. Morgan among them), January 10, 1909.
11. Manuscript fragment by Morgan, note of exhibit of report, 1900.
12. Pamphlet outlining proposed constitution and platform of a proposed party uniting the Socialist Labor Party and the Social Democratic Party, undated.
13. Typescript form letter from R.W. Boddinhouse soliciting support for anti-trust movement, undated.

14. Manuscript in Morgan's hand, draft of resolution declaring that strikes and boycotts are useless as long as participants support principle of private property, undated.
  15. Manuscript notes written by Morgan about history of slavery, undated.
  16. Manuscript statistics in Morgan's hand comparing wealth of poor, middle, and wealthy families, undated.
  17. Typescript copy of evidence introduced against T.J. Morgan in case brought against him by the 7th Ward Branch of the Socialist Party of Cook County, undated. Quotes Morgan's *Provoker*.
  18. Manuscript notes comparing working class health and wealth to that of wealthier classes, labeled "lecture on government," undated (circa 1903). Includes newspaper clipping about the disease consumption.
  19. Manuscript in Morgan's hand, "Draft of Address at Danville," undated. Discusses Lincoln.
  20. Broadside advertising private baths, 1887.
- Folder 36b. Clippings, [1897]-[1909] and undated

No annotations. Regarding strikes and lockout, labor and machinery, richest people in the world, sketches of women in state legislatures, Socialist Party platform, advertisement for Morgan's "chart lecture."

Correspondence, documents, notes, and clippings, 1896, 1910, and undated

Folder 37a. Correspondence, documents, and notes, 1910 and undated

1. Manuscript draft of statement in Morgan's hand calling for investigation of (Maylon?) Barnes' control of national office of Socialist Party, undated.
2. Manuscript article, probably for *The Provoker*, about Rev. Stitt Wilson, who was fired for preaching Socialism, 1910.
3. Manuscript in Morgan's hand concerning his public denunciation of prominent Socialist Party members in *The Provoker*, undated. Apparently notes from another source.
4. Manuscript statistics concerning unemployment, undated. (After 1896.)
5. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand, "Brewers Journal Official Report," about activities of William Trautman, national secretary of I.W.W., undated. (After 1905.)
6. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand, "Trautman in St. Louis," describing Trautman's activities relating to Socialist Party, undated. (Events of 1905-1906.)
7. Manuscript notes by Morgan outlining events concerning Socialist Party, I.W.W., and Trautman, undated. (After 1906.)

8. Manuscript by Morgan, draft of report to Cook County Socialist Party Grievance Committee accusing William E. Trautman of working to injure the party, undated.

9. Manuscript list by Morgan of questions, presumably to ask Trautman or witness for Trautman, undated.

Folder 37b. Correspondence, documents, and notes, 1910 and undated

10. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand enumerating Trautman's activities against Socialist Party in Milwaukee, undated.

11. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand listing contents of files concerning Trautman case and notes on Trautman's slander, undated.

12. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand listing files of information concerning Trautman by subject area, undated.

13. Manuscript notes by Morgan enumerating facts, evidence of Trautman's activities in New York, undated.

14. Typescript (and one copy) of statistics about living and working conditions of the poor, undated.

15. Manuscript letter describing the anti-Socialist laws and the Socialist movement in Germany, unsigned, undated.

16. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand probably taken from documents in files of Cook County Central Committee of Socialist Party, regarding control of *Daily Socialist*, "Dates and Extracts from Breckons Minutes of CCCC and Executive Committee," undated.

Folder 37c. Clippings, 1896 and undated

No annotations. Regarding speech by Booker T. Washington, platform of Wisconsin Socialist Party, class consciousness.

Box 7

Documents, notes, and clippings, 1911 and undated

Folder 38a. Documents and notes, 1911 and undated

1. Manuscript (fragment) in Morgan's hand defending his criticism of comrade Mills, September 22, 1911. (Probably portion of statement for his expulsion trial. Pp. 118-124.)

2. Manuscript list in Morgan's hand, could be "prosecution's" in above trial, which Morgan noted in order to refute, November 14, 1911. (Mother Jones mentioned.)

3. Manuscript by Morgan, probably a speech, comparing individualism with collectivism, undated. (Anarchy and Socialism.)

4. Manuscript by Morgan, synopsis of events surrounding expulsion of Socialist Party members in 1904, undated. He submitted documentation of that event as exhibit in his own expulsion trial.

5. Manuscript notes by Morgan outlining events regarding controversy over control of *Daily Socialist*, undated.
  6. Manuscript notes by Morgan rebutting testimony by Stedman in *Daily Socialist* controversy, undated. (Events described are circa 1907.)
  7. Manuscript portion of constitution, possibly for Socialist Party, undated. Not in Morgan's hand.
  8. Manuscript notes by Morgan for speech regarding trusts, undated.
  9. Manuscript in Morgan's hand explaining his involvement or knowledge of Personal Rights League and the Amnesty Association, undated.
  10. Manuscript notes by Morgan offering evidence to support his contention that he did not publish criticism of party members without just cause, undated.
  11. Manuscript fragment by Morgan listing, perhaps, points he wishes to make during trial for his expulsion, undated. Similar to item 2 above.
  12. Manuscript by Morgan of his testimony in trial for his expulsion from Socialist Party, undated.
  13. Fragment of manuscript in Morgan's hand accusing someone (not identified) of deliberately injuring the Socialist Party, undated.
  14. Manuscript in Morgan's hand explaining his involvement in the Amnesty Association (which sought release of men convicted in Haymarket case), undated. Mrs. Morgan mentioned.
- Folder 38b. Documents and notes, undated
15. Manuscript in Morgan's hand explaining his involvement in the People's Party, undated.
  16. Manuscript in Morgan's hand explaining "Berger's acts in Milwaukee" related to his job as editor of Socialist newspaper and offering exhibit in support of his testimony, undated. (Probably relates to Morgan's expulsion trial.)
  17. Manuscript by Morgan offering exhibit in support of his testimony related to investigation of Berger's alleged anti-Socialist activities, undated.
  18. Manuscript by Morgan offering exhibit in support of his testimony relating to Party Officials opposition to labor, undated.
  19. Manuscript in Morgan's hand, synopsis of Breckon's charges against Morgan which relate to cancelling a primary election, undated.
  20. Fragment of manuscript by Morgan claiming his right to defend himself as matter of record in his expulsion trial, undated.



21. Manuscript in Morgan's hand, "statement of facts concerning the calling off of the Socialist primaries set for May 26, 1906," undated.
22. Manuscript by Morgan offering exhibit, which is resolution (2 copies) to prepare rules defining power of the executive committee of Cook County Socialist Party, undated.
23. Manuscript (not written by Morgan), "Report of the Committee of Five submitted to the Conference of the Progressive Societies of Chicago," declaration of principles - common property, undated.
24. Manuscript in Morgan's hand, entitled "Duncan Smith," listing Smith's actions against the Socialist Party, undated.
25. Manuscript list of names, addresses, number of shares and dollar value of the same, undated.
26. Manuscript in Morgan's hand, "draft of statement not used," regarding disruption of National Campaign by some members of Socialist Party of Cook County, undated.
27. Typescripts edited in Morgan's hand, probably a speech, regarding the law and Socialism, undated.

Folder 38c. Clippings, undated

No annotations. Concerning Socialist Labor Party platform, distribution of wealth, silver standard.

Correspondence, documents, notes, and clippings, 1907 and undated

Folder 39a. Correspondence, documents, notes, pamphlet, and broadside, 1907 and undated

1. Manuscript draft of letter from Thomas J. Morgan to editor of *Chicago Arbeiter Zeitung* responding to article published in that newspaper about Morgan's alleged malice toward Socialist Party officials, his expulsion trial, undated.
2. Manuscript statement of resolution regarding qualifications of appointment as Socialist Party representative, undated.
3. Manuscript draft of letter from Morgan to Judge Orrin N. Carter requesting favorable consideration of claim by Socialist Party for representation on Board of Election Commissioners of Cook County, undated.
4. Typescript signed by Morgan concerning industrial warfare, titled "Workers and the Law & Slugging," undated.
5. Manuscript (first page missing) statement by Morgan of circumstances regarding controversy over management of the *Daily Socialist*, September 1907.
6. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand regarding Labor Day and Socialist concern for schools, undated.
7. Manuscript notes by Morgan citing portions of Democratic platforms in 1840, 1852, and 1856, undated.

8. Mimeograph of typescript letter to E.R. Meitzen regarding proposed Socialist Progressive League, undated, unsigned.
9. Pamphlet, extracts from Senate document relating to operation of railways, undated.
10. Broadside, "Society of the Refugees of the Commune appeal in behalf of prisoners of New Caledonia and of all the victims of the Commune," undated.

Folder 39b. Clippings, undated

No annotations. Photograph of Morgan as candidate on Social Democratic Party ticket; clippings regarding Social Democratic Party ticket, Labor Day celebrations, municipal ownership of public utilities, municipal campaign, the Standard Oil trust.

### **Taxation**

Clippings, [1896]-1897

Folder 40. Clippings, [1896]-1897

No annotations. Relating to assessed valuation of property in each Illinois county, proposed license fee for bicycles and other vehicles in Chicago.

### **Trusts and Monopolies**

Correspondence and clippings, [1895?]-1909 and undated

Folder 41a. Correspondence, 1899 and undated

1. Typescript invitation from M.L. Lockwood, President American Anti-Trust League, to cooperate in National Anti-Trust movement, October 2, 1899.
2. Typescript copy of petition to mayor and alderman of Chicago requesting investigation of the brick trust, undated.

Folder 41b. Clippings, [1895?]-1909 and undated

Some labeled "trusts." Few annotations. Relating to resignation of University of Chicago professor who opposed gas trust, Henry D. Lloyd's views on trusts, Pillsbury trust, growth and investigation of trusts, pending legislation dealing with trusts, Thomas J. Morgan's speech on trusts, appeal for funds from *Daily Socialist*, candidates of Social Democratic Party.

### **Unemployed**

Notes, pamphlet, and clippings, 1893-1903 and undated

Folder 42a. Notes and pamphlet, 1893 and undated

1. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand, from Keir Hardin's speech (?) in Parliament on unemployment, undated.
2. Pamphlet, speech titled "The Disintegration of the Families of the Workingmen," August 30, 1893.

Folder 42b. Clippings, 1893-1903 and undated

No annotations. Regarding anti-war platform of Workingmen's Party, unemployment, tramps, eviction, resolution naming Christian church as enemy of humanity, newspaper course in economics.

**Woman Suffrage**

Correspondence, documents, and clippings, 1891-1912 and undated

Folder 43a. Correspondence and documents, 1891 and 1912

1. Mimeograph of typescript of statement by Eugene V. Debs, "Woman's Emancipation," declaring that Socialist support woman's suffrage, October 10, 1912.
2. Manuscript draft of letter (signed with T.J. Morgan's name but not in his handwriting) to F. Beckwith of the Cook County Equal Suffrage Society acknowledging their appreciation of his services for them, February 11, 1891.
3. Manuscript letter from F. Beckwith to T.J. Morgan thanking him for presenting petition for woman's suffrage to AF of L, January 25, 1891.
4. Mimeograph of typescript of letter outlining minutes of meeting of Woman's National Committee, November 13, 1912.

Folder 43b. Clippings, [1895]-[1902?] and undated

No annotations. Book reviews; clippings relating to fundraising efforts for equal suffrage movement, WCTU convention site, biographical sketch of Mary Wollstonecraft, article on women's accomplishments by Susan B. Anthony, Women's Labor Congress at Brussels, condition of women in England, and the "new woman."

**Socialism**

Correspondence, documents, notes, and clippings, 1878-1892 and undated

Folder 44a. Correspondence, documents, and notes, 1881-1892 and undated

1. Manuscript letter to Thomas J. Morgan (unsigned) criticizing Morgan's remarks at a recent meeting as "social despotism," April 28, 1881.
2. Manuscript letter to Richard Prendergast thanking him for offering Paul Ehmman position as justice of the peace but warning him that, as member of the United Labor Party and Socialist Movement, Ehmman would not be able to accept without others being suspicious, undated. Not signed, not in Morgan's hand.
3. Manuscript letter to "Samuel Flanders Leyden" from L. Lelly suggesting distribution of campaign literature, October 27, 1887.
4. Manuscript minutes of meetings of Political Assembly, March 3, 10; April 25; July 7; August 16, 1888. Some in Morgan's hand, as secretary. Also, receipts for payment of advertisements by

Political Assembly, dated October 3, September 18, and September 26, 1888.

5. Manuscript in Morgan's hand, "Extracts from History of Socialist Party of U.S.," undated. Notes from a variety of sources including clippings.
6. Typescript letter (addressed to Comrade, unsigned) describing the Socialist Labor Party as having a few members in control with the rest left unheard, September 24, 1889.
7. Manuscript letter to Morgan from R.W. McClaughey of the Chicago police in response to Morgan's request for information about a newspaper article accusing Morgan of being in favor of violence, February 22, 1892.
8. Manuscript draft of letter in Morgan's hand requesting information concerning the truth of a news article about him, undated. Signed R.W.
9. Manuscript draft of letter in T.J. Morgan's hand to R.W. McClaughey, Chief of Chicago Police, acknowledging his letter (see item 7 above) and reiterating his opposition to physical force, February 22, 1892.
10. Manuscript note in Morgan's hand, "Notes on Illinois Cooperation law," undated.
11. Typescript letter to Morgan from William Holmes criticizing Morgan's outspoken criticism of anarchists, January 30, 1889.

Folder 44b. Clippings, 1878-1889 and undated

No annotations. Regarding Socialist Labor Party convention, platform and ticket, Socialist resolutions and meetings, industrial statistics, Trade and Labor Assembly activities, controversy within United Labor Party over fusion issue, article by Henry George ("Unemployed Labor"), reorganization of United Labor Party, election returns, state ownership of railroads. Also several portions of *The Leader* with transcript of speech on prison labor by Judge John P. Altgeld, and speeches on nationalism, trade unionism, and the single tax.

Box 8

Correspondence, documents, notes, and clippings, 1890-1891 and undated

Folder 45a. Correspondence, documents, and notes, 1891 and undated

1. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand describing working conditions in England and America, undated (after 1890). Entitled "Life." Taken from another source.
2. Typescript by Morgan to the Chicago Medico-Legal Society about immigration, December 5, 1891.
3. Typescript excerpts from the primary election of 1898, undated.

4. Manuscript letter or note signed by F. Chamussy (not addressed or dated), apparently sent from Paris to examine possible benefits of Socialism for French people, undated.

Folder 45b. Clippings, 1890-1891 and undated

No annotations. Concerning streetcar nuisance in Chicago, injunction against railroad strike, Morgan's candidacy for mayor, politics in England, Chilean revolution, report of International Socialist Congress at Brussels, controversy over closing World's Fair on Sunday, police raid on Socialist Publishing Society at Greif's Hall, speeches for executed anarchists (Haymarket).

Correspondence, documents, notes, and clippings, 1892-1895, and undated

Folder 46a. Correspondence, documents, notes, 1892-1894 and undated

1. Manuscript letter to Mrs. T.J. Morgan from Samuel Gompers regarding her application for a charter for a Shoe Operators Pro. Union, March 11, 1892.
2. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand relating need for educational opportunities for working class, passage of the land grant act, description of the industrial education system centered around the Smithsonian Institute, essay on education of American farmers by J.B. Turner, undated.
3. Typescript letter to Mrs. T.J. Morgan from Samuel Gompers answering the questions relating to the organization of new labor unions and fellow labor organizer Mary Kenney, November 25, 1892.
4. Manuscript letter to Mrs. T.J. Morgan from Henry D. Lloyd agreeing to speak at a meeting and suggesting names of others who could be invited, April 10, 1894.
5. Manuscript draft(?) of letter to Franklin MacVeagh from Mrs. Morgan repeating an invitation to speak at a meeting to discuss the eight hour and child labor laws, April 18, 1894.
6. Typescript letter to Mrs. T.J. Morgan from Franklin MacVeagh accepting an invitation to speak at a meeting, May 15, 1894.
7. Manuscript letter to Mrs. T.J. Morgan from Fannie W. (or M.) Jones (office of state factory inspector) regarding the organization of a council of working women, September 21, 1894.
8. Copies of typescript letters declaring the 12th annual session of the Illinois State Federation illegal and deputizing Thomas J. Morgan to present the case before the AF of L, November 7-December 7, 1894.

Folder 46b. Correspondence, documents, notes, and pamphlets, 1892 and 1895

9. Typescript speech by Thomas J. Morgan on the distribution of wealth, May 7, 1895.

10. Manuscript letter to Thomas J. Morgan from William Mcfarlane of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, expressing regret that Morgan refused to take the case of a man crippled in an accident, May 20, 1895.
11. Manuscript remarks relating to the distribution of wealth and a list of millionaires written by William Mcfarlane and dedicated to T.J. Morgan, June 15, 1895.
12. Statement of agreement to organize the International Bureau of Correspondence and Agitation, signed by Thomas J. Morgan. J. Keir Hardie, Eugene V. Debs, and Frank Smith (?), from McHenry County Jail, September 4, 1895.
13. Typescript speech on socialism read at the meeting of the Social Economics Club of Chicago by Mrs. Havilah Squires, December 18, 1895.
14. Pamphlet: "Church, State, School, and Money," by Edwin D. Mead, 1895. Note by T.J. Morgan: "Fasten this in Lloyd's Book at home."
15. Pamphlet : annual financial report of International Machinists Union of America, 1892.
16. Pamphlet: discussion that took place at the first ladies' night of the Sunset Club of America, including comments by Frances E. Willard, Mrs. J.M. Flower (school board), Rabbi E.G. Hirsch, George A. Schilling, and Jane Addams, February 4, 1892.
17. Pamphlet: Events of the International Socialist Workers' Congress, Zurich, 1893-1895, February 12, 1895.

Folder 46c. Clippings, 1892-1895 and undated

No annotations. Regarding state ownership of railways, T.J. Morgan's remarks on unemployment and opening World's Fair on Sunday, legislative investigation of sweatshops, work by T.J. Morgan to promote "faddism" in public schools, T.J. Morgan

Correspondence, documents, notes, and clippings, 1896 and undated

Folder 47a. Correspondence, documents, notes, pamphlets, and broadsides, 1896 and undated

1. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand from (probably) a speech by Judge Moran on the gold standard on April 2, 1896.
2. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand taken from newspaper article concerning passage of immigration bill on May 21, 1896.
3. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand taken from article concerning socialist labor activities in Belgium, May 1896.
4. Manuscript notes by Morgan citing court decisions (brief) regarding railroad relief societies and personal injuries. After March 1901.
5. Two copies of broadside inviting all workers organizations to the International Socialist Workers and Trade Union Congress in London, 1896.

6. Pamphlet: International Socialist Workers and Trade Union  
Congress, London, 1896.

Folder 47b. Clippings, 1896

No annotations. Concerning farming population, a statement about "Red Sunday" by Thomas J. Morgan, Socialist Labor Party state convention and platform, Labor Day address by Thomas J. Morgan, Jane Addams in London, a statement about McKinley's election and the growth of socialism by Thomas J. Morgan, and an itemized account of receipts and expenditure of the Chicago typographical Union No. 16.

Correspondence, documents, notes, pamphlets, and clippings, 1896-1899 and undated

Folder 48a. Correspondence, documents, notes, and clippings, 1897-1899

1. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand accompanying newspaper clippings concerning a tribute to Commodore Vanderbilt, Morgan's remarks concern J. P. Morgan's ownership of railroads and people's reactions to his power. 1897.
2. Typescript letter edited in Morgan's hand to unidentified comrade regarding events at Socialist Trades and Labor Assembly convention in Euffalo, New York. October 3, 1898.
3. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand concerning proposed brick trust. undated (after 1899)
4. Manuscript draft of letter to Lawrence E. McGann, Commissioner on Board of Public Works responding to request for information regarding a proposed brick manufacturers trust. March, 1899.
5. Manuscript draft of letter to Lawrence E. McGann relating to the Chicago brick trust. March, 1899. (Another, longer version of item 4 above.)
6. Manuscript notes by Morgan regarding number of slaves and voters in Greece, accompanying a newspaper clipping concerning overcrowded housing in Berlin. 1899.
7. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand concerning a newspaper article that he saw relating to number of children who enter high school. September 11, 1899.
8. Typescript letter to Thomas J. Morgan from H. B. Salisbury regarding a union platform Salisbury has written. December 22, 1899.
9. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand related to production power of man and machines. Circa 1899.
10. Typescript platform of United Socialist Party. Undated
11. Circular addressed to women and women's clubs of Illinois soliciting cooperation in helping needy children. February 15, 1896.

12. Pamphlet, speech by John G. Carlish, "Free Silver and the Workingman." April 15, 1896.

13. Clipping about New York Slums labelled, "Struggle for Life."

Folder 48b and 48c. Clippings, 1896-1899 and undated

No annotations. Regarding Populist party nominees and convention, correspondents and war in Cuba, defense spending, balance of trade, speech on George Washington's birthday, speeches by mayor candidates including Morgan, denunciation of Pomeray by labor, distribution of wealth, Clarence Darrow's defense of jury system, William Jennings Bryan's view of socialism, George M. Pullman I s tax assessment, Morgan's Labor Day speech , AF of L opposition to labor convention, socialism in Great Britain, marriage, biographies of Sir Thomas More and William Morris, Socialist labor organizations1 protest: to board of education, Dreyfus trial, unemployment, Morgan's speeches, Henry D. Lloyd's defense of his book Wealth Against Commonwealth, 1899 list of AF of L organizers.

#### Socialist Party Organization

Correspondence, documents, notes, and clippings, 1891-1903 and undated

Folder 49a. Correspondence, documents, and notes, 1891-1900, and undated

1. Manuscript letter from Aug Delabar (?) to Morgan concerning vote for control of A.F. of L. from Birmingham' Alabama. December, 1891.
2. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand relating to facts about criminals which he took from newspaper article. [January 28] 1900.
3. Manuscript notes by Morgan, citing newspaper article, concerning British Empire and American expansion. 1900.
4. Typescript copy of article, "The Evolution of the Walking Delegate," regarding relationship between labor and management. April 1, 1900.
5. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand quoting Constitution, Declaration of Independence, Gettysburg address and comments made about these documents from case law. [April 17] 1900.
6. Manuscript minutes of meeting of Cook County Convention and names of nominees for county Socialist Party ticket. July 4, 1900.
7. Manuscript letter to T.J. Morgan from W.R. Hunter listing delegates certified to attend Socialist Convention in Chicago. August, 1900.
8. Mimeograph of typescript inviting all socialist organizations to Socialist convention to organize Eugene V. Debs campaign. undated
9. Typescript letter 1 unsigned, to Eugene V. Debs from national campaign committee. 1900.



10. Manuscript letter to Eugene V. Debs. Same content as item (9) above.
11. Manuscript letter to T.J. Morgan from Eugene V. Debs concerning his affiliation with campaign committee of Social Democratic Party. Personal note attached. August 14, 1900.
12. Manuscript letter to T. J. Morgan from J.J. Selig relating events of meeting attended by both two Socialist parties. August 16, 1900.
13. Manuscript certification signed by J.B. Smiley listing names of delegates to Socialist Convention from Federation for Social Justice. August 21, 1900.
14. Manuscript letter certifying delegates to Socialist Convention from German organization. August 21, 1900.
15. Manuscript letter to T.J. Morgan from J.J. Selig relating incident from meeting of Social Democratic Party. August 17, 1900. (Same as meeting referred to in item 12 above.)
16. Manuscript letter in German, probably certifying delegates to the Socialist convention. August 22, 1900.
- 16b. Manuscript Letter, certifying delegates to the Socialist Convention. August 23, and August 29, 1900.
17. Another manuscript of same general description as item (16). August 22, 1900.
18. Another Manuscript of same general description as item (16). August 23, 1900.
19. Another manuscript of same general description as item (16). August 25, 1900.
20. Manuscript from M. J. Meprovtz (?) certifying delegates to Socialist Convention. August 23, 1900.
21. Two manuscript from John Vogt certifying a delegate to Socialists Convention. Undated
22. Manuscript letter to T. J. Morgan from Fred Strickland certifying delegates elected to Socialists Convention.
23. Manuscript credential for Socialist Convention delegates from T. Janken (?). August 25, 1900.
24. Manuscript list of Congressional and Equalization Board Nominations from Socialist Labor Party in J. B. Smiley's hand. September 6, 1900.
25. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand, "Struggle for Life," from newspaper articles concerning coal miners, crowded tenements. Circa 1900.
26. Manuscript letter to T.J. Morgan from R. A. Morris listing organizations affiliated with Illinois State Committee, Socialist Labor Party. October 1, 1900.

Folder 49b. Correspondence, documents, and notes, 1900-1910, and undated

27. Manuscript letter to T. J. Morgan from J. B. Smiley concerning list of candidates, Social Democratic Party. October 2, 1900.
28. Typescript to Joint Committee, Social Democratic Party describing hearing on objections to Socialist Labor Party nominations. October 4, 1900.
29. Typescript describing methods of obtaining citizenship. 1900.
30. Mimeograph of typescript addressed to Illinois socialist organizations announcing union of socialist parties and submitting propositions to a vote. October 23, 1900.
31. Fragment of circular letter sent to socialist organizations requesting support for national campaign. August 31, 1900.
32. Draft typescript letter to William Butscher relating to conflict regarding arrangement for mass meeting for Eugene V. Debs. September 6, 1900
33. Typescript copy of letter to William Butscher, Secretary, National Executive Committee of Social Democratic Party from National Campaign Committee relinquishing control of national campaign. September 8, 1900.
34. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand offering testimony and submitting exhibits regarding rivalry between Social Democratic Party and Socialist Labor Party prior to unity for the national campaign in 1900. (Refers to other items in this folder as exhibits) undated (Daily Socialist issue?)
35. Manuscript letter to T. J. Morgan from John W. Clark relating to Debs' exorbitant fee for speaking. January 14, 1901.
36. Mimeograph of typed letter signed by H. W. Bistorius soliciting funds for the newspaper, Social Democratic Herald. April 22, 1902.
37. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand from a newspaper article concerning anthracite coal and railroad industries.
38. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand listing county and city socialist votes from 1900-1910. Undated.
39. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand concerning municipal ownership and citing sources of notes. Undated.
40. Manuscript fragment in Morgan's hand, notes regarding power struggles, prospects of future war. Undated.
41. Signed petition endorsing nominees on county ticket, Social Democratic Party. Undated (Before November, 1900).

## Folder 49c. Clippings, 1900-1903, and undated

No annotations. Concerning Morgan's description of the Socialist movement, use of leisure time, labor dispute in building trades, comparison of physical and mental conditions in children, Socialist convention, railway nationalization, Debs' speech launching his presidential campaign, national civic federation conference, unity among Socialist parties, socialist activity in Germany, socialist support for William Jennings Bryan, Morgan's article for May Day, Morgan's speech on Labor Day. \*A few clippings are identified by their subject, probably Morgan's method of filing.

## Box 9

**Socialism**

Notes, and clippings, circa 1900-1903 and undated

Folder 50a. Notes, circa 1900

1. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand, statistics from 1900 census. Undated, circa 1900.

Folder 50b. Clippings, 1903 and undated

No annotations. Concerning report by members of American Bar Association supporting socialist principles, municipal ownership of public necessities, boycott in Ireland, article by Eugene V. Debs about Volkszeitung, Henry D. Lloyd's support of government ownership of coal mines, Socialist mass meeting at which Morgan spoke, Socialist movement in Belgium, nature of liberty. Also, recent typed transcript of 1903 newspaper article concerning compulsory arbitration.

Correspondence, documents, and clippings, 1903-1904, and undated

Folder 51a. Correspondence, and documents, 1903

1. Manuscript letter to Thomas J. Morgan from James S. Smith soliciting contribution for Socialist Party state committee. August 26, 1903.
2. Mimeograph of typescript from James S. Smith soliciting contributions for Illinois State Socialist Committee. August 25, 1903.

Folder 51b. Clippings, 1903-1904

Including biographical sketch of Morgan and his legal career, Socialism in Germany and Denmark, need for farm labor in Kansas, meeting of Municipal Ownership League, German election, article by Clarence Darrow about success of Socialism in Germany, increase in street-car traffic. Also, five copies of 1904 Socialist Party platform.

Correspondence, documents, notes, and clippings, 1904-1905 and undated

Folder 52a. Correspondence, documents, and notes, 1904-1905 and undated

1. Manuscript note in Morgan's hand, submitting exhibits relating to "meeting of conspirators." (Daily Socialist or T.J. Morgan's trial?) undated
2. Typescript letter to T. J. Morgan from William Mailly, national secretary of Socialist Party, inviting him to speak. July 21, 1904.
3. Typed carbon copy of letter to William Mailly from T. J. Morgan (reply to item 2 above) expressing regret that he couldn't afford to be national campaign speaker. July 26, 1904.
4. Mimeograph of typescript listing receipts and expenditures of Chicago Socialist. September 24, 1904.
5. Typescript letter signed by T.J. Morgan to George K. Thomas concerning placement of Socialist Party nominees on ballot. Extract from Illinois Supreme Court decision was enclosed. Thomas replied on same letter. September 30, 1904.
6. Mimeograph of typescript, call for nominations for national executive committee and secretary of Socialist Party, December 1, 1904 and bulletin listing those nominated.
7. Mimeograph of typescript, portion of N. C. report (National Committee of Socialist Party?) with transcript of remarks by Trautmann. April 19, 1905.
8. Mimeograph of typescript report of Illinois State Committee of Socialist Party. 1905.
9. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand taken from the annual report of the National secretary of the Socialist Party and party bulletins and including financial condition of Chicago Daily Socialist. undated (after 1908)
10. Manuscript in Morgan's hand, notes taken from National Socialist Party Bulletins relating to alleged anti-socialist activities of Socialist Party officials. undated (after 1905) See item 6 of folder 53a.

Folder 52b. Clippings, 1904-1905 and undated

No annotations. Regarding Morgan's speech on anniversary of Paris Commune, proposed Socialist Party constitution, wealthy college students, Grover Cleveland's opinion of 1894 Chicago railroad strike, 1904 election returns, socialists in the state legislature, garment workers' strike, list of candidates for state office in 1904, Leo Tolstoy's views on reform movements, Socialist Party platform, unemployed in England.

Correspondence, documents, notes, and clippings, 1906-1908 and undated

Folder 53a. Correspondence, documents, and notes, 1906

1. Mimeograph of typescript describing controversy over holding a Socialist Party primary election. 1906.
2. Typescript carbon to the Executive Committee of Socialist Party from T.J. Morgan enumerating charges against Socialist party members. Also a letter signed by T.J. Morgan asking to be relieved from case of Socialist Party against certain of its members. April and May, 1906.
3. Mimeograph of typescript letter from I.W. Powell of Board of Election Commissioners notifying recipient that Socialist Party primaries called off. May 23, 1906.
4. Typescript letter to Board of Election Commissioner I.W. Powell concerning Socialist Party primary. 1906.
5. Manuscript original draft of letter to Election commissioner (item 4 above).
6. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand, taken from Socialist Party bulletins and annual report, regarding party members' support of capitalist candidates. After 1906. (See item 10 of folder 52a.)
7. Typescript of circular letter from Charles L. Breckon of Workers' Publishing Society selling stock in the Chicago Daily Socialist. November 14, 1906.
8. Manuscript letter (draft) to Executive Committee of Socialist Party from T. J. Morgan advising course of action in Chicago Daily Socialist management controversy. November 16, 1906.
9. Typescript letter to Charles Breckon, Workers Publishing Society from T.J. Morgan refusing to pay subscription to stock and describing his involvement in numerous Socialist newspapers. December 13, 1906.

Folder 53b. Correspondence, documents, and notes, 1906-1908 and undated

10. Manuscript suggestion addressed to executive committee of Socialist Party requesting information relating to the capital stock of the Worker's Publishing Company. December 24, 1906.
11. Mimeograph of typescript from T.J. Morgan to James Smith, acting secretary, Cook County Socialist Party, requesting report relating to property and organization of the Worker's Publishing Society. December 26, 1906. (also a carbon copy of same)
12. Typescript portion of statement addressed to Cook County Central Committee of Socialist Party concerning factions within Socialist party. Early 1906.
13. Manuscript note in Morgan's hand submitting exhibits (evidence) concerning Daily Socialist issue. 1906.

14. Typescript list, apportionment of delegates to state convention.
15. Mimeograph of typescript from Cook County Central Committee of Socialist. Party announcing lecture series. 1907 -1908.
16. Manuscript resolution in Morgan's hand recommending measures to assure that Cook County Executive Committee controls Socialist party business through its members. Undated
17. Blank Socialist Party Referendum Ballot. February 20, 1906.

Newspaper clippings, 1906.

No annotations. Regarding workman's compensation act, resolution concerning unionism, union of the socialist parties, annual report to stockholders of Milwaukee Social-Democrat Publishing Company. January 17, 1907.

Correspondence, documents, notes, and clippings, 1899, 1907, and undated  
Folder 54a. Correspondence, documents, notes, and clippings, 1907 and undated

1. Mimeograph of typescript minutes of meeting of Cook County Central Committee. Socialist Party. February 10, 1907. (includes resolution demanding Party ownership of Daily Socialist)
2. Typed statement by R. H. Howe of expenses and problems encountered in auditing books of Chicago Daily Socialist. Undated
3. Carbon typescript from Charles L. Breckon, Cook County secretary of Socialist Party, concerning audit of his books. July 26, 1907.
4. Manuscript in Morgan's hand, "Analysis of Breckons Statement July 26, 1907.' critical. Undated
5. Typescript letter to Central Committee, local Cook County Socialist Party from A. M. Simons explaining misunderstanding involving the Daily Socialist and the Executive Committee of the Cook County local. July 31, 1907.
6. Typescript minutes of meeting, Cook County Central Committee including business related to the Daily Socialist. August 18, 1907 and August 31, 1907.
7. Typescript portion of minutes of Cook County Central Committee (?) including business related winter lecture series. Undated
8. Typescript statement to Cook County Socialist Party signed by T.J. Morgan regarding lecture series. September 7, 1907.
9. Typescript financial report of Cook County Socialist Party. 1907.
10. Typescript minutes, Cook County Central Committee, relating to Daily Socialist. September 8, 1907.
11. Manuscript draft of letter to editor of Daily News in Morgan's hand regarding socialists and labor unions. September 12, 1907.

12. Typescript minutes, meetings of Cook County Executive Committee. September 23 and 30, 1907.
13. Mimeograph of typescript financial report of national secretary, J. Mahlon Barnes, of Socialist Party. September 30, 1907.
14. Mimeograph of typescript letters to National Executive Committee from national secretary Barnes regarding use of Chicago Daily Socialist building, protest of a law, referendum, and controversy in Nebraska. September 30, October 1, 2 and 3, 1907.
15. Mimeograph of typescript, minutes Cook County Executive Committee. October 4, 1907.

Folder 54b. Correspondence, documents, and notes, 1907 and undated

16. Issues of Weekly Bulletin, official publication of national Socialist Party. October 5, October 12, and November 9, 1907.
17. Typescript minutes of Socialist Party Executive Committee meeting relating to lecture series. October 7, 1907.
18. Mimeograph of typescript motions for referendum submitted to National Committee of Socialist party by the national secretary J. Mahlon Barnes. October 8, October 9, November 6, 1907.
19. Manuscript draft of report in Morgan's hand to the officers and members of the 7th Ward Branch of Local Cook County Socialist Party regarding his services as Executive Committeeman. In response to being removed from that position. Circa October 13, 1907.
20. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand, apparently describing parts of an oil lamp. Undated.

Folder 54c. Clippings, 1899 and 1907

No annotations. Regarding need for capitalists, annual report of Milwaukee Social-Democratic Publishing Company, need for increased circulation of Chicago Daily Socialist, socialist resolutions on immigration and relations between socialist parties and trade unions, Eugene Debs' article about Mother Jones, obituary of a fellow socialist by Thomas J. Morgan.

Correspondence, documents, notes, and clippings, 1908 and undated

Folder 55a. Correspondence, and documents, 1908

1. Typescript letter to T. J. Morgan signed by Mother Jones concerning Daily Socialist controversy, graft in the Socialist Party. December 30, 1908.
2. Mimeograph of typescript motions for referendum and votes on same, with other party reports submitted to the Socialist Party National Committee by national secretary, J. Mahlon Barnes. January-April, 1908. (See folder 54b, item 18.)
3. Issues of Weekly Bulletin, official publication of national Socialist Party. January-April, 1908. (See folder 54b, item 16.)

4. Manuscript letter to Thomas J. Morgan from A. Dreifum clarifying a statement he had made in Morgan's office relating to removal of comrade Simons. January 20, 1908.
5. Mimeograph of typescript statement to Socialist Party Executive Committee (unsigned) regarding foreign speaking organizations in the Socialist movement. May 8, 1908.

Folder 55b. Correspondence, documents, and notes, 1908 and undated

6. Mimeograph of typescript minutes of meeting of Cook County Executive Committee, Socialist Party. June 8, 1908.
7. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand submitting, as an exhibit, his written recommendations of July, 1908 to the local executive Cook County committee concerning administration of Socialist party business. Undated (exhibit may be for T. J. Morgan's expulsion trial)
8. Mimeograph of report to Cook County Socialist Party concerning a property damage charge against members of the Socialist Party. July 10, 1908. (case probably handled by Morgan)
9. Carbon typescript letter from county secretary G. T. Fraenkel requesting legal opinion regarding promissory notes for which there was no written record. July 29, 1908.
10. Manuscript letter to T. J. Morgan from Edward T. Melms of Milwaukee requesting that T.J. Morgan speak in their lecture series. December 11, 1908
11. Typed letter to T. J. Morgan from Frederic Heath, editor of Social-Democratic Herald, relating Milwaukee campaign plan. December 14, 1908

Folder 55c. Broad sides, February-March 1908

Relating to Nebraska's withdrawal from National Socialist Party of America, soliciting vote for amendment concerning Socialist party management, soliciting vote related to removal of county secretary.

Folder 55d. Clippings, 1908.

No annotations. Regarding need for subscribers and stockholders for the Chicago Daily Socialist, blaming Daily Socialist and atheist lecturer for low Socialist vote, describing delegates to national Socialist convention.

Correspondence, documents, notes, and clippings, 1909 and undated

Folder 56a. Correspondence, documents, and notes, 1909 and undated

1. Manuscript in Morgan's hand submitting as an exhibit his written views (expressed in a debate, January 21, 1909) concerning method of selecting a county secretary for Socialist Party. Undated (for his expulsion trial?)



2. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand for lecture he delivered concerning worker as slave, serf, servant and Socialist. March, 1909.
  3. Typescript open (form?) letter from J. O. Bentall, secretary of Board of Directors of Chicago Daily Socialist soliciting financial support for the paper. March 23, 1909.
  4. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand for speech on International Peace delivered at Socialist Party meeting. April 2, 1909.
  5. Typescript Articles of Association of Adrem Society, involved in showing moving pictures to promote Socialism. [June 5] 1909. (See item 6, below.)
  6. Typescript letter to J. Mahlon Barnes (national secretary, Socialist Party) signed by A.L. Voorhees concerning a plan of organization. September 29, 1909. (See items 5, 7, 8.)
  7. Typescript letter to A.L. Voorhees from J. Mahlon Barnes in reply to farmer's letter regarding organization of moving pictures proposal. (reply to item 6 above) October 6, 1909.
  8. Typescript letter to A.L. Voorhees from J. Mahlon Barnes requesting plan of organization for moving picture corporation. October 23, 1909. (see items 5, 6, and 7 above)
  9. Typescript letter to J. Hahlon Barnes from Industrial Projectoscope Corporation relating to plans of the moving picture organization. October 25, 1909.
  10. Typescript letter to A. L. Voorhees from J. Mahlon Barnes relating to moving picture organization. June 5, 1909.
- Folder 56b. Correspondence, and documents, 1909 and undated
11. Manuscript letter to Thomas J. Morgan from R.C. Thomson requesting information about the Daily Socialist. July 16, 1909.
  12. Typescript list of Socialist Party locals of Washington with letters (to T.J. Morgan?) from Frans Bostrom relating to rebel locals. Undated.
  13. Typescript letter to members of Socialist Party legal committee from Cook County secretary G. T. Fraenckel regarding police interference in meetings. July 30, 1909. Manuscript note (reverse side) in Morgan's hand commenting on irresponsible party members. July 31, 1909
  14. Manuscript letter to Morgan from Paul Ehmann regarding the intentions of the Provoker. October 20, 1909.
  15. Typescript letter to Thomas J. Morgan from E.E. Carr urging caution concerning Morgan's intention to criticize Socialists in the Provoker. November 6, 1909.
  16. Manuscript letter to Morgan from Thomas Jessen expressing disapproval of the Provoker. November 16, 1909.

17. Manuscript letter to Morgan from J. M. Feigh making donation to publication of the Provoker. November 16, 1909.
18. Manuscript letter to Morgan from D. A. Wignes (?) supporting the Provoker. November 25, 1909.

Box 10

Folder 56c. Clippings, 1909, and undated

No annotations. Regarding financial trouble of Daily Socialist, profits of insurance companies, accident insurance endorsed by trade unions, appeal against war, uses for moving pictures, investigation of articles in Daily Socialist that exposed graft in municipal government, growth of Socialist movement, French Socialist Party, Socialist Party vote by state in 1908 and 1910, minimum wage bill.

Correspondence, documents, notes, and clippings, 1910

Folder 57a. Correspondence, and documents, 1910

1. Manuscript letter to comrade Jones from William Parker requesting former as speaker on Socialism. September 1, 1910.
2. Typescript letter to Morgan from Mother Jones encouraging his work in the Provoker. October 14, 1910.
3. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand, apparently referring to newspaper article related to stock (in Daily Socialist?) circa February 5, 1910.
4. Copy of letter to E. R. Meitzen from Carl D. Thompson regarding a speaker, Mills. March 16, 1910. (Probably sent to Morgan from individual named Bell.)
5. Manuscript letter to Morgan from Paul Ehmman supporting Morgan's Provoker and relating political maneuvering within Socialist Party. April 16, 1910.
6. Manuscript letter to Morgan from Paul Ehmman relating to internal struggles in Socialist Party, the Daily Socialist and the Provoker. April 28, 1910.
7. Manuscript letter to Morgan from W.W. Smith enclosing material for the Provoker. May 11, 1910.
8. Typescript letter to Morgan from J. O. Bentall correcting and clarifying Morgan's view of him as published in the Provoker. May 11, 1910.
9. Manuscript letter to Morgan from Paul Ehmman relating to corruption in Socialist Party. May 12, 1910.
10. Typescript letter to Thomas Morgan (and others) accusing Morgan of slander. June 20, 1910.
11. Manuscript letter to Morgan from Paul Ehmman regarding Morgan's Provoker and need for proof of accusation before publication. June 25, 1910.

12. Manuscript letter to Morgan from (illegible) regarding internal struggles of Socialist Party and the Provoker. June 22, 1910.
13. Typescript letter to Morgan from W.J. Bell relating political situation in Texas Socialist Party. July 30, 1910.
14. Manuscript letter to Morgan from Paul Ehmann making suggestions for the Provoker and concerning personal matters. August 11, 1910.
15. Manuscript letter to Morgan from John Ehmann regarding the Daily Socialist and the Provoker. September 13, 1910. (See folder 60c, Item 32.) (Vol. 5, p. 103 text of speech by J. Ehmann)
16. Manuscript letter to Morgan from Paul Ehmann concerning internal affairs of Socialist Party and the Chicago Daily Socialist. November 29, 1910.

Folder 57b. Clippings, 1910

No annotations. 45 Regarding British government and labor, including study course in Socialism, regarding expansion of Socialism, Socialist National Conference, International Social-Democracy Congress, relationship between Socialism and militarism, Victor Berger (Socialist mayor of Milwaukee). Also, one issue of The Provoker. February 3, 1910.

Correspondence, notes, and clippings, 1910-1911 and undated

Folder 58a. Correspondence, 1910

1. Typescript letter to Thomas J. Morgan from Mother Jones regarding internal disputes of Socialist Party and expressing her opinions about a Socialist Congress (conference) and accusations made against her. August 1, 1910.
2. Typescript letter to Morgan from Mother Jones concerning her efforts to promote the Provoker. September 9, 1910.
3. Manuscript letter to Morgan from Mother Jones relating her activities in Pennsylvania miner's strike, the class struggle, the Provoker. December 16, 1910.
4. Manuscript letter to Morgan from Mother Jones concerning the miners' strike and expressing support for Provoker. December 25, 1910.
5. Manuscript letter to Morgan from Paul Ehmann regarding corrupt members of Socialist Party, also mentions Germer, Mother Jones. July 9, 1910.
6. Manuscript letter to Morgan from Paul Ehmann relating his opinion on movement to save Chicago Daily Socialist. July 18, 1910.
7. Typescript letter to T. J. Morgan from J. N. Morrison expressing support for Provoker. August 26, 1910.

8. Typescript letter to T. J. Morgan from J.N. Morrison describing problems of Socialists in Arizona. October 21, 1910.
  9. Typescript letter to T. J. Morgan from J.N. Morrison congratulating him for his good publication, *The Provoker*. April 13, 1910.
  10. Manuscript letter to Morgan from Paul Ehmann concerning *Daily Socialist*, party matters. August 27, 1910.
  11. Mimeograph of typescript (unsigned) letter to William Bross Lloyd concerning financial plight of *Daily Socialist* and suggesting course of action. September 1, 1910.
  12. Manuscript letter to Mother Jones from Henry L. Drake Supporting the *Provoker* and Mother's comments in it. July 19, 1910.
- Folder 58b. Correspondence, and notes, 1910-1911 and undated
13. Manuscript letter to Thomas J. Morgan from John Ehmann (see item 15, folder 57) concerning Wilshire and urging Morgan to proceed cautiously with his expose. September 29, 1910.
  14. Manuscript letter to Thomas J. Morgan from Paul Ehmann referring to corruption issues published in *Provoker*. October 1, 1910.
  15. Manuscript letter to Thomas J. Morgan from Charles P. MacFall, secretary of a New Jersey branch of Socialist Party, in support of *Provoker*. October 14, 1910.
  16. Manuscript letter to T.J. Morgan from Paul Ehmann concerning factions in Socialist party and warning Morgan of possible expulsion from Party. December ?, 1910.
  17. Typescript letter to E.W. Latchem from R.G. Creel criticizing Morgan's *Provoker*. October 17, 1910.
  18. Typescript letter to E.W. Latchem from H.G. Creel questioning accuracy of Morgan's statements in the *Provoker*. November 4, 1910.
  19. Typescript note signed by A. M. Simons concerning inaccuracy of Morgan's statements. Undated.
  20. Manuscript letter to T.J. Morgan from Paul Ehmann concerning results of election and its impact on Morgan's efforts. November 11, 1910.
  21. Manuscript letter to T. J. Morgan from E.W. Latchem accompanying letters from H.G. Creel and a statement from A. M. Simons. Date illegible (see items 17, 18, 19 folder 58b and item 5 of folder 59a).
  22. Typescript letter to T. J. Morgan from F. G. R. Gordon providing information about Socialist leaders. December 3, 1910.
  23. Newspaper clipping with manuscript note concerning control of Socialist Party papers. May 21, 1910.

## Folder 58c. Clippings, 1910-1911

No annotations. Regarding Socialist Party of Montana, German Social Democratic Party, Berger of Milwaukee Socialist Party, reply to Eugene Debs' views on immigration, issue of *The Militant*, Socialism in Germany, Morgan's mission in Socialist movement, International Socialist Congress, first Socialist Congressman.

## Correspondence, documents, notes, and clippings, 1911

## Folder 59a. Correspondence, and notes, 1911

1. Typescript letter to Mother Jones from Joseph D. Cannon concerning internal affairs of Socialist Party. January 7, 1911.
2. Typescript letter to T.J. Morgan from Mother Jones thanking him for his efforts on her behalf. February 11, 1911.
3. Manuscript letter (fragment) to Morgan regarding bickering within Socialist Party and organization of a Constructive International League. January 8, 1911.
4. Manuscript letter to T.J. Morgan from Paul Ehmann concerning discension within the Socialist Party. January 25, 1911.
5. Manuscript letter to T.J. Morgan from E.W. Latchem regarding issue of eliminating National Executive Committee from the Socialist Party. February 14, 1911. (see items 17, 19, 19 and 21 of folder 58b)
6. Manuscript letter to T.J. Morgan from Paul Ehmann concerning Morgan's trial for disruption of Socialist movement, internal Party. February 9, 1911.
7. Manuscript letter to T. J. Morgan from Paul Ehmann concerning Morgan's expulsion trial. February 14, 1911.
8. Typescript letter to T.J. Morgan from W. J. Bell, enclosing a copy of an article he mailed to the *Daily Socialist*. February 27, 1911.
9. Manuscript letter to T. J. Morgan from Paul Ehmann concerning Morgan's expulsion trial. March 1, 1911.
10. Clipping annotated in Morgan's hand concerning charges against Socialist Party national secretary, J. Mahlon Barnes. March 30, 1911.

## Folder 59b. Correspondence, and documents, 1911

11. Manuscript letter to T.J. Morgan from Paul Ehmann concerning the financial problems of *Chicago Daily Socialist*. April 12, 1911.
12. Typescript copy of correspondence between W.J. Bell and *Chicago Daily Socialist*. April, 1911.
13. Typescript minutes of meetings of 7th Ward Branch of Socialist Party signed by Secretary W. E. McDermut mentioning charges against T.J. Morgan. April 11, 18 and 25, 1911.

14. Typescript statement of charges against Morgan by 7th Ward Branch, Socialist Party. April 25, 1911. Accused of carrying on campaign of slander in his paper, Provoker, to detriment of Socialist Party.
15. Manuscript draft of affidavit in Morgan's hand enumerating his services to Socialist Party. 1911.

Folder 59c. Clippings, 1911.

No annotations. Concerning National Executive Committee (Socialist Party) decisions, periodicals owned by J.P. Morgan, corruption in Socialist Party, Socialist Labor Party platform. Also an issue of socialist publication, The Militant.

Correspondence, documents, notes, and clippings, 1911-1912 and undated

Folder 60a. Correspondence, and documents, 1911 and undated

1. Mimeograph of typescript charges against Morgan brought by Seventh Ward Branch, Socialist Party Local Cook County. April 25, 1911.
2. Manuscript letter to T.J. Morgan from G. T. Fraenckel concerning charges against Morgan, financial plight of Daily Socialist. May 11, 1911
3. Typescript letter to T. J. Morgan from Paul Ehmann regarding publication of Provoker and Daily Socialist and expulsion trial. June 15, 1911.
4. Manuscript letter to T. J. Morgan from Ehmann regarding foreign membership in Socialist Party and attitude of Catholics and Protestants about Socialism. July 1, 1911.
5. Typescript minority report by 33rd Ward branch, Cook County Socialist Party to 7th Ward branch, expressing dissatisfaction with decision to expel Morgan and E. E. Carr from Socialist Party. July 7, 1911. (see item 7 below)
6. Manuscript letter to T.J. Morgan from Paul Ehmann concerning Carr's expulsion from Socialist Party and Morgan's upcoming trial. July 11, 1911
7. Typescript note accompanying minority report about expulsion. (See item 5 above.) Signed Martin Ellingsen and H. J. LeCren. July 15, 1911.
8. Manuscript letter to T.J. Morgan from Paul Ehmann concerning Socialist Party in Ohio. July 31, 1911.
9. Three typescript letters to T.J. Morgan from James P. Larsen, secretary Cook County Socialist Party relating instructions from Grievance Committee. July 31 and August 7, 1911.
10. Typescript objections (probably by T.J. Morgan) to charges and judge chosen in his trial for expulsion from Socialist Party. Undated (after April 31, 1911.)

11. Typed and manuscript letter from F.G. R. Gordon to T. J. Morgan criticizing a fellow Socialist, Carey. October 4, 1911.
  12. Manuscript letter to T.J. Morgan from Edwin Sayes of New Zealand concerning Socialist speaker Mills' tour of New Zealand. October 9, 1911.
- Folder 60b. Correspondence, documents, and notes, 1911 and undated
13. Manuscript letter to T. J. Morgan from N.W. Nelson concerning nominations for National Executive Committee, Socialist Party. October 15, 1911.
  14. Typescript letter to T. J. Morgan from W.J. Bell offering help in Morgan's defense in expulsion trial. October 15, 1911.
  15. Manuscript letter to T.J. Morgan from Paul Ehmann concerning Morgan's expulsion trial and condition of Socialist movement. October 18, 1911.
  16. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand, his testimony on his own behalf at expulsion trial, justifying publication of Provoker. October 20, 1911.
  17. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand, testimony in his expulsion trial. October 20, 1911.
  18. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand, testimony before Grievance Committee in trial for expulsion from Socialist Party. October 27, 1911.
  19. Mimeograph of typescript from Socialist Party national secretary to national committee concerning nominations to national executive committee. October 30, 1911.
  20. Typescript copy of Grievance Committee's acceptance of Morgan's Provoker as evidence in his expulsion trial. Undated.
  21. Manuscript statement by W. J. Bell claiming Provoker advanced the Socialist movement in Texas. November 1, 1911.
  22. Typescript of item 20 above.
  23. Typescript list of candidates nominated for National Executive Committee, Socialist Party. November 2, 1911.
  24. Manuscript statement by Charles H. Sand at Morgan's trial, concerning incident related to control of Daily Socialist. November, 1911.
- Folder 60c. Correspondence, documents, and notes, 1911
25. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand outlining events within Socialist Party and his relation to them, 1881-1906. November 3, 1911. (probably for testimony at his trial)
  26. Typescript, issues of Weekly Bulletin of Socialist Party. November 4 and 11, 1911.

27. Manuscript statement in Morgan's hand, testimony at his trial. November 5, 1911. (see item 33 below)
28. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand, apparently taken during testimony by others during his expulsion trial. November 5, 1911.
29. Manuscript statement in Morgan's hand, testimony concerning audit of Daily Socialist. November 5, 1911.
30. Manuscript letter to Thomas J. Morgan from John Hansen expressing regret that Provoker had ceased publication. November 6, 1911.
31. Mimeograph of typescript to John M. Work from Lena Morrow Lewis regarding nomination for National executive committee. November 8, 1911.
32. Manuscript letter to T J. Morgan from G. T. Fraenckel regarding Morgan's trial and Fraenckel's experiences in Europe. November 9, 1911.
33. Manuscript letter to T.J. Morgan from John Ehmann concerning Morgan's trial, personal matters. November 20, 1911. (see folder 57a, item 15) (Vol. 5, page 103 contains text of lecture by J. Ehmann)
34. Manuscript in Morgan's hand explaining how he used the ward professionalism in Provoker. (see item 26 above)

Box 11
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Folder 60d. Clippings, 1911-1912.

No annotations. Regarding Socialist Party platform, resignation of National secretary J. Mahlon Barnes, financial traits of Daily Socialist, Socialist ticket in municipal election, Morgan's trial for expulsion, from Socialist Party, Mother Jones activities in Mexico, history of Chicago Daily Socialist, results of Chicago judicial election, controversy in St. Louis Socialist party, Socialist National convention. Also, pamphlets outlining facts in controversy in Missouri Socialist Party.

Correspondence, documents, notes, and clippings, 1912

Folder 61a. Correspondence, documents, and notes, 1912

1. Typescripts, Weekly Bulletins of National Socialist Party. January 13, June 22 and 27, 1912. (describes Socialist Party 's Woman's Day in January 13 issue) (see items 2 and 5 below)
2. Typescript letter to Howe (chairman press committee of Socialist Educational League?) from Charles H. Kerr concerning sale of publication "A Woman's Place" and Chicago Daily Socialist. May 23, 1912. (see items 1 and 5)
3. Typescript letter to editor from Arthur Brooks Baker regarding estimates for cost of a printing plant. June 29, 1912.



4. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand concerning events at national executive committee meeting. 1912.
5. Mimeograph of typescript advertising stock in "The Progressive Woman," a Socialist woman's paper. (see items 1 and 2 above)

Folder 61b. Clippings, 1912

No annotations. Regarding provisions of minimum wage bill, efforts to stop publication of newspaper Appeal to Reason, support of Clarence Darrow (written by Eugene V. Debs), Socialist convention platform, list of delegates to Socialist convention, investigation of Charles H. Kerr company (see item 2 above), events of Socialist convention.

Correspondence, documents, and clippings, 1912 and undated

Folder 62a. Correspondence, and documents, 1912

1. Mimeograph of Weekly Bulletins of National Socialist Party. July 20 and August 3, 10, 17, 24 and 31, 1912.
2. Mimeograph of typescript correspondence to National Executive Committee (Socialist Party) from national secretary John M. Work reporting motions, comments, voting results of Socialist Party membership. August 1, 9, and 16, 1912. (see folder 63b, item 11)
3. Mimeograph of typescript letter to Socialist Party locals from National Executive Committee soliciting contributions for striking timber workers. August 1, 1912.
4. Mimeograph of typescript letter to National Committee and National Executive Committee from National Campaign Committee regarding payment for speakers. September 8, 1912.
5. Mimeograph of announcements of National Campaign Committee by campaign manager J. Mahlon Barnes, concerning campaign tours and paraphernalia for Debs and other campaign matters. (see folder 63b, item 6) August 3, August 10, August 17, 24, 31 and October 5, 1912.

Folder 62b. Correspondence, and documents, 1912 and undated

6. Mimeograph of typescript statement (speech?) by Carl D. Thompson, candidate for Governor of Wisconsin on American Socialist Day. Undated.
7. Typescript letter to Press Committee of the Socialist Educational League chairman R. H. Howe signed by Cook County secretary James P. Larsen concerning use of name "Chicago Socialist." August 6, 1912.
8. Mimeograph of typescript letter to Locals and branches of the Socialist Party from national secretary John M. Work concerning vote on a referendum. August 7, 1912.
9. Carbon typescript letter to A. Mendheim, unsigned, concerning discrepancies in county Secretary's cash book. August 9, 1912.

10. Typescript letter to Thomas J. Morgan from E. R. Meitzer of Texas Socialist Party commending Morgan's exposure of "rottenness" in the Party. September 24, 1911.

Folder 62c. Clippings, 1912

No annotations. Including statement by Eugene V. Debs and speech by Ill. representative James R. Mann regarding formation of Socialist Educational League, evolution of bourgeois society, case against J. Mahlon Barnes. Also, two broadsides soliciting campaign contributions.

Correspondence, documents, notes, pamphlet and clippings, 1912 and undated

Folder 63a. Correspondence, and documents, 1912 and undated

1. Issues of Weekly Bulletin of National Socialist Party. October 5, 12, 19 and November 2, 16, 23, 1912.
2. Mimeograph of typescript letter to Chicago Socialist from E.R. Meitzen concerning Socialist machine. October 8, 1912.
3. Mimeograph of letter to Woman's National Committee of Socialist Party from general correspondent of that committee, Winnie E. Branstetter regarding committee activities, American Woman Suffrage Association. October 11, 1912.
4. Open letter to editors from Socialist campaign manager J. Mahlon Barnes requesting publication of campaign statement. October 12, 1912.
5. Mimeograph of typescript press releases written by a number of authors on a variety of subjects such as woman's suffrage, child labor, Eugene V. Debs, daylight saving time. October 14, 18, 24, 25, 31, November 16, 21, 24, 1912 and undated.

Folder 63b. Correspondence, documents, notes, and pamphlet 1912

6. Mimeograph of typescript announcements of National Campaign Committee by campaign manager J. Mahlon Barnes concerning campaign speakers, paraphernalia, Socialist vote from 1900-1910. October 19 and November 2, 1912. (see folder 62a, item 5)
7. Mimeograph of typescript report and resolution concerning ownership of newspaper, Daily World. October 23, 1912.
8. Manuscript letter (to Daily World?) from Rice Washrough of 1st ward branch, Socialist Party, protesting editorial denunciation of Chicago Socialist. October 25, 1912.
9. Mimeograph of typescript letter to Otto Horsman from Peter Bulthou (?) soliciting support for Chicago Evening World. October 26, 1912.
10. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand outlining facts in controversy relating to expulsion of editors of Chicago Socialist for publishing article injurious to Chicago Daily World, "Silence or Expulsion and Excommunication." after November 10, 1912.

11. Mimeograph of typescript correspondence to National Executive Committee from national secretary John M. Work concerning appointment of territorial secretary for Alaska, protest war in Balkan Peninsula. November 12, 1912. (see folder 62a, item 2)
12. Mimeograph of open letter to Woman's National Committee (unsigned) concerning votes on motions. November 13, 1912.
13. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand (for speech or article?) concerning campaign plan that increased Socialist vote at expense of Socialist ideals. Undated.
14. Manuscript letter to Morgan from E. R. M. (E. R. Meitzen) regarding internal political maneuvering in Socialist Party. 1912. (Attached is newspaper clipping to which letter refers.)
15. Pamphlet. "Mother Earth," published by Emma Goldman. October 1912.

Folder 63c. Clippings, 1912

No annotations. Concerning results of party referendum to recall national secretary J. Mahlon Barnes, newspaper strike increases circulation of Socialist paper, Socialist vote. Also, issues of The Party Builder and The Chicago Socialist.

Correspondence, documents, notes, pamphlet and clippings, 1909-1912 and undated

Folder 64a. Correspondence, documents, and notes, 1909-1912

1. Typescript statement, Morgan summarizing the proceedings in a case concerning charges made against J. Mahlon Barnes by Mother Jones who was represented by Thomas J. Morgan. Undated.
2. Mimeograph of statement signed by Mother Jones concerning money that she had loaned to Barnes but which he hadn't returned. May 12, 1912.
3. Typescript letter to Mother Jones from J. Mahlon Barnes concerning meeting of National Executive Committee. July 17, 1909.
4. Typescript letter to I.J. Morgan from Mother Jones concerning note she had received from Barnes, Daily Socialist controversy. July 20, 1909.
5. Mimeograph of typescript of statement confirmed by Mother Jones under oath concerning her accusations against Barnes. Undated.
6. Carbon typescript affidavit by Mother Jones concerning her acquaintance with J. Mahlon Barnes, her accusation against him and his counter accusation of black mail against her. January 31, 1911.
7. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand of facts which Mother Jones stated about Barnes borrowing money from her and her later reference to Barnes as "contemptable sneak." Undated.

8. Typescript copy, letter to Julia Gavin Quimby from J. Mahlon Barnes requesting a letter from her vouching for his good behavior. June 15, 1910.
  9. Typescript letter to Thomas J. Morgan (unsigned, from Hallettsville, Texas) supporting action against Barnes. August 15, 1910.
  10. Typescript letter to T. J. Morgan from J. Mahlon Barnes enclosing blank statements to submit expenses of attending meeting of investigating committee. February 4 and 17, 1911.
  11. Mimeograph of typed open letter to delegates from J. Mahlon Barnes in answer to Morgan's accusation that a secret session was held by National Executive Committee. June 20, 1910. (3 copies)
  12. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand, answering charges that he slandered J. Mahlon Barnes in the Provoker. Undated.
  13. Series of manuscript and typescript letters and copies of letters between George B. Wheeler and J. Mahlon Barnes; George B. Wheeler and Thomas J. Morgan. Wheeler sent Morgan correspondence with Barnes concerning Barnes method of obtaining mailing address, statement. (See item 11 above) July 17, August 4, 8, 9, 1910.
  14. Typescript copy of letter to National Executive Committee from Brower (?) charging J. Mahlon Barnes with misconduct as national secretary, Socialist Party. May 14, 1910.
  15. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand, testimony asserting that Barnes was a liar. Undated.
- Folder 64b. Correspondence, documents, and notes, 1910-1911, and undated
16. Mimeograph of affidavit, excerpts from letters from Barnes to Jean (Jennie) Keep and daughter Janet. Affidavit undated.
  17. Manuscript notes by Morgan regarding statements repressed by national officers of Socialist Party. Undated.
  18. Mimeograph of letter to Socialist Party national committee from James H. Brower accusing national executive committee of incorrectly reporting charges against Barnes. (2 copies) June 15, 1910.
  19. Copy of letter to Miss Flaherty from Julia Quimby regarding charges against Barnes. August, 1910. (see 8 above)
  20. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand concerning relationship between J. Mahlon Barnes and Jean Keep. Undated.
  21. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand listing charges made by Jean Keep against J. Mahlon Barnes. Undated
  22. Copy of affidavit of Jean Keep describing her relationship with J. Mahlon Barnes, includes excerpts from his letters to her. July 29 and 31. (see item 16 above)

23. Affidavit signed by Jean Keep accusing Barnes of being morally and financially unscrupulous. August 3, 1911. (see item 22 above, item 23 as a supplement)
  24. Typescript fragments of statements relating to investigation of J. Mahlon Barnes. Undated.
  25. Typescript statement by Morgan of events of investigation of J. Mahlon Barnes. Undated. [item missing as of January 2019]
  26. Typescript statement by J. Mahlon Barnes describing his version of his relationship with Jean Keep. Undated.
  27. Typescript letter to Thomas J. Morgan from John M. O' Neill (editor of Miners' Magazine) concerning Barnes and accompanying a report to officers and delegates, 19th annual convention of Western Federation of Miners, which includes justification for editorial against J. Mahlon Barnes. August 7 and July 17, 1911.
- Folder 64c. Correspondence, documents, and notes, 1910, and undated
28. Manuscript notes by Morgan concerning Barnes accusation against Mother Jones. Undated.
  29. Typescript portion of letter to members of Socialist Party, edited in Morgan's hand (unsigned) condemning official vindication of J. Mahlon Barnes. Undated.
  30. Statement requesting investigation of the national office of Socialist Party. (Final version of item 29 above) Undated.
  31. Typescript copies of letters to national executive committee concerning charges against J. Mahlon Barnes. Correspondents include James H. Brower, Mother Jones, Marguerite Flaherty and W.W. Owens. May and July, 1910.

## Bound Volumes

### Volume 1, 1891

#### Volume 1

#### Bound Volume, 1891

No annotations. Regarding Labor Day celebrations and speakers, program for Labor Day, parade and picnic dispute between Building Trades Council and Trade and Labor Assembly over participation in parade, speech by orator of the day Thomas J. Morgan.

#### Box 12

#### Separated Items. Correspondence, and clippings, 1891

This folder contains additional clippings from volume 1 and manuscript letter to Thomas J. Morgan from James McGill, secretary,

Horse and Collar Makers' National Union regarding Trade and Labor Assembly's approval of Morgan's speech.

Volume 2, 1888-1895

Volume 2

Bound Volume, 1888-1895.

Poor condition. Inner (verso) cover labeled "Elizabeth Morgan" 1888. Arranged roughly chronologically by date of letter or clipping. Bulk is clippings.

Includes correspondence between Elizabeth Morgan (Chairman Child Labor Committee of Illinois Woman's Alliance) and Chief of Police R.W. McClaughry concerning children begging for their parents or padrone. 1891-1892.

Clippings relate to working conditions and welfare of working women, compulsory education, conditions in Cook County Hospital, work of Illinois Woman's Alliance, child labor, free baths, effort to arrange appointment of women to Board of Education, women factory inspectors, formation of women's labor union, surprise party for Thomas J. Morgan, death in childbirth, poorhouse and insane asylum conditions, rights of women, police brutality against women, sweating system, interview with Elizabeth Morgan. Partial index in volume. Another index in folder "Volume 2, 1888-1895: Separated Items."

Broadsides include resolutions concerning child labor, proposed Constitution of Illinois Woman's Alliance, object of Illinois Woman's Alliance and invitation to join, constitution and by-laws of Illinois Woman's Alliance, letter soliciting support of municipal public baths.

Box 12 (cont.)

Separated Items. Correspondence, documents, and clippings, 1888-1895

This folder contains additional clippings and a few papers, including:

1. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand, regarding Woman's Federal Labor Union's work against sweating system, other events in organization of labor movement. Undated.
2. Manuscript index to Volume 2, probably in Elizabeth Morgan's hand.
3. Manuscript in Elizabeth Morgan's hand, "Report of the Committee on Child Labor," listing conditions at various factories that were visited. Undated.
4. Typescript copies of part of item 3 above, correspondence with Chief of Police concerning children.

5. Typescript report of child labor committee to Woman's Alliance signed by Mrs. T.J. Morgan, chairman of committee reporting results of inspections of sweating dens and factories where children were employed. April 1, 1892.

Volume 3, 1892-1894

Volume 3

Bound Volume, 1892-1894

Relating to Morgan's change in career, Morgan's speeches, Labor Day parade, relief for unemployed, tramps in Chicago, growth of trusts, report of expenses of city of Chicago, sketch of Thomas J. Morgan's career, Populists ' campaign. Also, issues of campaign paper published by Chicago Commerce Club relating to corrupt city government.

Box 12 (cont.)

Separated Items. Document, note, and clippings, 1892-1894

Contains additional clippings from Volume 3 and typescript petition to mayor and council of Chicago by unemployed men and women asking for inspections of factories, work shops. Manuscript note that Morgan presented document to council, January 15, 1894.

Volume 4, 1886-1887

Volume 4

Bound Volume, 1886-1887

Records of United Labor Party, August 21, 1886-January 6, 1887

Includes list of members of Committees (Twenty-one, printing, halls and speakers, naturalization, finance); names of agents or captains of ward clubs; lists of candidates, speakers; United Labor Party tickets and number to be distributed in each senatorial and congressional district; minutes August 21, 1886 conference of trade and labor organizations with lists of delegates, members elected to Committee of Twenty-one (an executive committee responsible for nominating tickets); minutes meetings of Committee of Twenty-one (Thomas J. Morgan, Paul Ehmann on committee) for August 1886-January 1887; proceedings of September 1886 convention listing trades unions, Knights of Labor and their delegates present; plan of organization, state and national platform of Party; minutes Campaign committee October-November 1886. Index. (See volume 8.)

Box 12 (cont.)

Separated Items. Documents, 1886-1887

Contains Socialist Labor Party tickets, manuscript lists of names and addresses.

## Volume 5, 1879-1889

## Volume 5

## Bound Volume, 1879-1889

Concerning German Socialists' picnic; meetings of Socialist Labor Party, Chicago Labor Union, United Labor Party, Trade and Labor Union; speeches by T. J. Morgan, A. R. Parsons, John Ehmann, Lucy Parsons ; formation of Radical Labor Party ; Union Labor Party convention; Socialist Labor Party platform; eight hour and antimonopoly movements; strikes and coal miners' plight ; Chicago city elections; Labor Day celebrations. No annotations.

Clippings posted on pages once used for another purpose. Pages contain manuscript lists under individuals' names, apparently an inventory of tools in machine shop where Morgan employed. Circa 1877. Most lists covered by clippings, others discolored by newspaper. Binding is gone, index p. 350 does not pertain to either manuscript or clippings.

## Box 12 (cont.)

## Separated Items. Clippings, 1879-1889

This folder contains additional clippings.

## Volume 6, 1889-1892

## Volume 6

## Bound Volume, 1889-1892

Inside front cover labeled, "Mrs. T. J. Morgan."

Newspaper clippings related to meetings of Trades and Labor Assembly, T.J. Morgan's speeches, criticism of police, sweating system, Labor Day Parade, efforts to obtain release of convicted anarchist Oscar Neebe, unemployment, violations of child labor laws, Elizabeth Morgan's report on sweating and child labor, women's working conditions, Chicago Labor statistics, Chicago child labor law, investigation of Joliet penitentiary by Mrs. T.J. Morgan.

Also, manuscript letter to Mrs. T.J. Morgan from A.W. Berggien, warden Illinois State Penitentiary at Joliet concerning her committees visit to the institution. May 9, 1890.

## Box 12 (cont.)

## Separated Items. Pamphlet, and clippings, 1890

Contains additional clippings relating to women and trade unionism; pamphlet reporting on investigation of entertainment committee of Chicago Trades and Labor Assembly, 1890.



## Volume 7, 1882-1885

## Volume 7

## Bound Volume, 1882-1885

Manuscript minutes of meetings of Socialist Labor Party. 1882-1885. From July 1884, minutes written in German. In English minutes, some discussion of need for agitation in German.

## Box 12 (cont.)

Separated Items. Documents, pamphlets, and broadsides, 1884-1885, and undated

1. Pamphlets listing publications available from Labor News Agency.
2. Manuscript treasurer's report of expenses and receipts of festival. Signed by Julius Krueger, who also signed many of above minutes. January 12, 1885.
3. Typescript letter to Julius E. Krueger from Hugo Vogt of National Executive Committee, Socialist Labor Party. German
4. Manuscript in German.
5. Manuscript report of receipts for election in Germany, signed by John Fossell. 1884.
6. Broadside financial report of Socialist Labor Party with manuscript notes regarding business for main section of the Party. 1884.

Also in German, 16 manuscript items and 8 broadsides. Many items, correspondence to or from John Boening or Julius Krueger of the German section of the Socialist Labor Party evidently concerning Illinois Volkszeitung Publishing Association. 1884-1885 and undated.

See related papers in Volume 11 and folder "Volume 11, 1880-1885: Separated Items," and in Volumes 13 and 14.

## Volume 8, 1886-1887

## Volume 8

## Bound Volume, 1886-1887

Records of United Labor Party January 8, 1886-October 31, 1887. Index. (See volume 4)

Includes minutes of meetings and conventions of central body and committees of the party in which members and occasionally the labor organization with which they are affiliated are listed. Also, sample city and county election tickets, election returns, lists of committees and their members, list of candidates for city office, tally (possibly of attendance).

## Box 12 (cont.)

Separated Items. Documents, and clippings, 1886-1887, and undated

1. Manuscript resolution to appeal to workers to cease work on the day condemned anarchists hang. Undated.
2. Clipping, declaration of principles and platform, United Labor Party 1886.
3. Printed plan of organization, Cook County United Labor Party. 1887.
4. Manuscript minutes of United Labor Party. November 18, 1887.
5. County tickets, United Labor Party, Republica, Democratic. Undated.

Volume 9, 1891

Volume 9

Bound Volume, 1891

Labeled: "Socialist 1891"

Newspaper clippings and Socialist Labor Party tickets, 1891. Partial index to headlines.

Regarding mass meeting of Socialists and Thomas J. Morgan's speech there, Socialist Labor Party nominations, Socialist platform, Thomas J. Morgan's nomination for mayor of Chicago, Morgan's campaign speeches, issue of pardon for convicted anarchist Oscar Neebe, number of voters and their nationalities in Chicago wards, world's fair directors' support of eight hour day, celebration of anniversary of Paris Commune, Carter Harrison's record as Chicago mayor, labor lectures by Eva McDonald of Minnesota Farmer 's Alliance, descriptions of campaign headquarters, election returns, Socialist convention, Socialist Labor Party Tickets.

Box 12 (cont.)

Separated Items. Document, and clippings, 1891

Includes additional newspaper clippings; map Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railroad 1891.

Volume 10, 1890

Box 13

Bound Volume, 1890

Manuscript draft of speech about Socialism in Morgan's hand; manuscript open letter to W.C.T.U. (Women's Christian Temperance Union) and the clergy and ministry of Chicago from a mass meeting of Chicago workmen protesting frequent charge of intemperance against workingmen, outlining working conditions; manuscript recapitulation of city collector's report of license and other receipts; newspaper clippings regarding agricultural production and wages of railroad employees; manuscript statistics regarding Chicago water

works, street cars and Illinois child labor and farm mortgages. Partial index on last page.

Box 12 (cont.)

Separated Items. Notes, and clippings, 1890 and undated

Manuscript notes, in Morgan's hand, evidently taken from newspaper clippings, regarding government control of telegraphs, street cars, number of strikes in 1886, statistics concerning production of labor. Newspaper clippings regarding the French tobacco industry, growth of Chicago. 1890 and undated.

Volume 11, 1880-1885

Box 13 (cont.)

Bound Volume, 1880-1885

Manuscript list of names, addresses and occupations of laborers; monthly entries of figures, perhaps dues; account of income and expenditures, 1880-1885. Partial index. Column headings, accounts in German.

Box 12 (cont.)

Separated Items. Correspondence, documents, notes, and broadsides, 1884-1885, and undated

1. Manuscript in German written by John Boening regarding Illinois Volkszeitung Publishing Association. January 29, 1885.
2. Manuscript letter in German by W.L. Rosenberg regarding National Executive Committee, Socialist Labor Party. Undated.
3. Manuscript in .German regarding Illinois Volkszeitung Publishing Association. Undated.
4. Manuscript list of names, addresses, amounts of money. Undated.
5. Manuscript letter in German by W.L. Rosenberg regarding Socialist Labor Party. January 9, 1885.
6. Manuscript letter to Illinois Volkszeitung from John Boening in German. Undated.
7. Manuscript letter in German to Board of Trustees, Illinois Volkszeitung Publishing Association from W. L. Rosenberg. March 25, 1885.
8. Same as item 7. 1884.
9. Manuscript notes in German by John Boening. April 6, 1885.
10. Manuscript notes regarding Socialist Labor Party, in German. Undated.
11. Manuscript notes concerning Illinois Volkszeitung Publishing Association. Undated.
12. Manuscript in German, with numerous signatures. 1885.

13. Three manuscript items in German. Undated.

14. Three broadsides in German regarding a German newspaper, congress of Socialist workers. 1885 and undated.

See related papers in Volume 7 and folder labeled "Volume 7, 1882-1885: Separated Items," as well as volumes (and folders of separated items) 13 and 14.

Volume 12, 1890-1891

Box 13 (cont.)

Bound Volume, 1890-1891

Clippings. No annotations. Regarding annual convention of American Federation of Labor where Thomas J. Morgan represented Trades Council of Chicago, Samuel Gompers's report at same convention, debate between Gompers and Thomas J. Morgan, resolution to open World's Fair on Sunday, efforts to admit socialist delegates to same convention, vote by AFL favoring women's suffrage.

Also, pamphlet, "Report of T. J. Morgan ... to the Tenth Annual Convention of the American Federation of Labor." 1890.

Box 12 (cont.)

Separated Items. Documents, pamphlet, and clippings, 1890

Includes newspaper clippings about 1890 AF of L convention, report of President Gompers to AF of L convention, portion of pamphlet in German, menu and toasts of complimentary banquet at tenth annual convention of AF of L. 1890.

Volume 13, 1892, and 1885

Box 13 (cont.)

Bound Volume, 1892

Record book of the Debate Club of Chicago. Manuscript in German. September 20, 1892 - November 15, 1892.

Box 12 (cont.)

Separated Items. Correspondence, 1885

Includes 14 manuscript items in German. Letters evidently refer to Socialist Labor Party business. Correspondents include W. L. Rosenberg, John Zipp, New Yorker Volkszeitung, Julius Vahlteick (?), Max Wotier (?), John Boening.

See related items in volumes 7, 11, and 14 and folders labeled "Volume 7, 1882-1885: Separated Items," "Volume 11, 1880-1885: Separated Items" and "Volume 14, 1884-1885: Separated Items."

## Volume 14, 1884-1885

Box 13 (cont.)

## Bound Volume, 1884-1885

Record book of Illinois Volkszeitung Publishing Association, in German manuscript. Evidently minutes of meetings signed by recording secretaries Gus. Belz, John Boening. 1884-1885.

Box 12 (cont.)

## Separated Items. Correspondence, and documents, 1884-1885, and undated

Includes unused membership cards of 1884 Socialistic Labor Party, pamphlets of Socialistic Labor Party in German, receipts for printing and advertising, manuscript receipts (?) in German possibly for material for or from Illinois Volkszeitung Publishing Association, ms . letter in German to John Boening from W. L. Rosenberg (secretary, national executive committee, Socialist Labor Party) dated August 27, 1885.

See related material in volumes 7, 11 and 13 and folders marked "Volume 7, 1882-1885: Separated Items," "Volume 11, 1880-1885: Separated Items," "Volume 13, 1885: Separated Items."

## Volume 15, 1888

Box 13 (cont.)

## Bound Volume, 1888

Clippings. No annotations. Regarding Thomas J. Morgan's attempt to have J. R. Buchanan (editor of Labor Enquirer) expelled from Socialist Party, resolutions introduced by Morgan concerning labor and Socialism nominations by Morgan for the Radical Labor Party, convention of various labor organizations, movement for enforcement of compulsory education law, need for improvement of factory laws, Labor Day parade, ticket showing Morgan for President of the World, Morgan's speeches referring to tariff issue and calling for political action by German Socialists, charges against Cook County hospital, statistics on railroad construction, meetings of the Trades Assembly, movement to open World's Fair on Sunday so workingmen can attend, efforts to unite labor factions politically, Union Labor Party nominations, report of committee on legislation of Trade and Labor Assembly.

Box 12 (cont.)

## Separated Items. Documents, and clippings 1888

Includes manuscript receipt, newspaper clippings regarding Illinois county tax assessment, picnic for Illinois Central Railroad workers,

Democratic Party fight for labor vote, plans for Labor Day parade.  
1888.

Volume 16, 1886-1887

Box 13 (cont.)

Bound Volume, 1886-1887

Manuscript minutes of meetings of executive committee and committee of twenty-five of United Labor Party. January 13, 1886 - August 15, 1887.

Box 12 (cont.)

Separated Items. Undated

Includes manuscript resignation from C.M. Bartlett to the United Labor Party. Undated.

Volume 17, 1909-1910

Volume 17

Bound Volume, 1909-1910

Clippings: 1909-1910. No annotations. Regarding Socialist motion picture company, libel suit against Thomas J. Morgan for statements made in Provoker, dates and places where Eugene V. Debs to speak, circulation statistics of newspaper Appeal to Reason, purpose of the British Industrialist League, list of British Labor Party candidates, controversy concerning fusion of labor and Socialist parties, plea for financial aid for Daily Socialist.

Box 12 (cont.)

Separated Items. 1910 and undated

1. Newspaper clippings regarding factions within Texas Socialist Party speech about evolution of government. Undated.
2. Manuscript notes in Morgan's hand concerning role of Stedman and Berlyn in Daily Socialist business. Undated.
3. Pamphlet, "National Constitution of the Socialist Party." 1910.

Volume 18, 1886-1889

Volume 18

Bound Volume, 1886

Clippings. No annotations. Regarding investigation of the Haymarket Riot, description of jurors chosen for anarchists' trial, testimony in anarchist trial, description of scene at conclusion of anarchist trial. May-August 1886.

Regarding Thomas J. Morgan speeches (text sometimes included), other public meetings and speeches, efforts of workers to promote

Chicago as site of World's fair, plans for labor congresses during 1893 Columbian exposition. January-June 1890.

Also, record of orders placed for financial record keeping supplies. June-October, 1883.

Box 12 (cont.)

Separated Items. 1886-1889, and undated

1. Manuscript notes taken from newspaper sources concerning Haymarket Riot. 1886.
2. Manuscript, partial index to volume 18.
3. Newspaper clippings regarding anarchist case, concert for Chicago laborers, visit to German spa. 1889 and Undated. No annotations.

Volume 19, 1874, 1878, and 1884-1885

Volume 19

Bound Volume, 1884-1885

Clippings: 1884-1885. No annotations. Regarding tariffs, uncomplimentary reports about James H. Blaine, German-American support of Democratic candidates, false reports about Samuel J. Tilden's 1876 Presidential campaign, campaign speech for Grover Cleveland, platform of national Democratic Party, Cleveland's letter accepting nomination for President, official vote of Tazewell County, proposed reduction of coal rates on railroads, Democratic ticket, events of Old Settlers' picnic, poems.

Also manuscript poem, possibly copied from a newspaper source.

Manuscript entries in Morgan's hand listing legal services provided and his fee. 1878.

Box 12 (cont.)

Separated Items. 1874, 1878

Includes page and clippings from volume 19 concerning James G. Blaine's presidential campaign scandal about Grover Cleveland.

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Box 14

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