The Reform of Labour, and the United Party turned to their traditional rivals, Reform. An entirely new form of organisation was drawn up and the rules of the new party were adopted. Shorten wins, but the ALP plays it safe with democracy Party". The same could be said of the New Zealand Labour Party, which Marxist orientation that the European social democratic parties - organised.

The Labour Party was created in 1900: a new party for a new century. Its formation was the result of many years of struggle by working class people, trade unionists and socialists, united by the goal of working class voices represented in British Parliament. It was this aim that united Keir Hardie and the colleagues who gathered for the famous inaugural meeting of the Labour Representation Committee at London’s Memorial Hall in February 1900. Ignored by the Tories and disillusioned with the Liberals, they gathered together to push for change. This is our legacy and you’re our future. The Labour Party is a Socialist Party, and proud of it. Its ultimate purpose at home is the establishment of the Socialist Commonwealth of Great Britain - free, democratic, efficient, progressive, public-spirited, its material resources organised in the service of the British people. (The Labour Party electoral manifesto 1945, quoted in Adelman 1986: 124). These were the words of the 1945 Labour Party election manifesto Let us Face the Future. Consequently, in the ensuing five years, everyone felt caught up in a great national experiment, the creation of a new social democratic society (cf. We New Feature: You can now embed Open Library books on your website! Learn More. Edit. Last edited by ImportBot. December 18, 2009 | History. 1 edition of Trade unions and the Labour Party since 1945. found in the catalog. Trade unions and the Labour Party since 1945. Martin Harrison. Trade unions and the Labour Party since 1945. Close. 1 2 3 4 5. Add to List. Are you sure you want to remove Trade unions and the Labour Party since 1945. from your list? Trade unions and the Labour Party since 1945. by Martin Harrison. Published 1960 by Allen & Unwin in London .