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500 Babes Born in Penniless Homes of Chicago Strikers

Chicago, Dec. 23.—Since the beginning of the strike of 40,000 garment workers a month ago, 500 babies have been born among the strikers, according to records kept by the relief committee. The committee now furnishes a supply of milk daily to 7,500 babies whose parents are on strike.

Every day there are 9,500 loaves of bread and 3,500 pounds of pancake flour distributed to the hungry idle. That the association of clothing manufacturers are yielding to public opinion is rumored among the leaders of the striking garment workers.

Members of the Wholesale Clothiers' association, who declare they "have nothing to arbitrate" and who refused to accept the good offices of Mayor Busse and the council committee toward a settlement of the strike, held several conferences here.

It was said that in spite of constitutional prohibition against dealing with labor unions contained in the constitution of the association, the manufacturers are preparing to sweep aside all barriers so that a plan may be devised by which negotiations for a settlement of the strike can be opened.

A large number of strikers complained to the officials of the union that non-union men and private detectives in the employ of tailoring concerns are armed with revolvers and knives and display the weapons at the slightest provocation.

PUBLIC OWNERSHIP PLATFORM DEMANDS UNION WAGE SCALE

The following platform recently promulgated by the Duluth Public Ownership party is of especial interest to the organized workers of the city and county in that it contains among its provisions a plank that will readily find favor with members of organized labor.

Item No. 4 of the platform, under the head of immediate demands, says: "We demand that a scale of wages equal to the union scale in different callings be adopted on city work of all kinds."

This ought to satisfy any sensible union man no matter what his political beliefs.

Here is the program with which the Socialists of this city go into the coming municipal campaign:

We, the members of the Public Ownership party of Duluth, Minnesota, as our platform and declaration of principles, upon which we shall stand at the coming city election:

First—Re-affirm our allegiance to the principles of national and international Socialism as the same is set forth and expressed in the national Platform of the Socialist party adopted at Chicago, Illinois, in 1908.

Second—We clearly see, what no one who is a student of economic questions can fail to observe, that capitalism is breaking down; that its mission is drawing to a close and it is about to be displaced by an economic and political and industrial organization, the philosophy of which is already well defined and which is best described by the term "Socialism."

Third—We also realize that these capitalist combinations also own and control the old political organizations, national, state and municipal, and determine the decisions and direct the activities of most public officials in the legislative, executive and judicial departments of the present governments, local and national, and who make, construe and execute the laws of the land in their own interests and in the interests of the capitalist class, their masters, contrary to the welfare of the masses of the people and in a way destructive to that equality of opportunity, that must inhere in every country where the people are happy and safeguarded by justly made and executed laws.

Fourth—We recognize that the main basic propositions of Socialism, (to-wit: the social ownership and control of natural resources and of the tools and instruments of social production and distribution and their operation in such production and distribution for the use of the people and not for the profit of the few and the exploitation of the many), will eventually come in some form; yet unless the problems confronting society are understood and worked out along the right lines the change may not be accomplished without an undesirable upheaval of society and great human suffering. Therefore it is that we urge the immediate recognition of the following necessities in the city of Duluth, which we put forth as immediate demands and ask the working and producing class to join us in electing men to municipal office who will stand squarely for these things.

Immediate Demands.

1. We demand that the city insist upon a better and higher grade of gas than is now passing through the city mains, the product of the private corporation that is now manufacturing and furnishing it to the city, and we further demand that the matter of the grade of said gas now being so furnished be at once investigated, and that provision be made for a constant and rigid inspection thereof by the city authorities.

2. We demand that there be hereafter no discrimination in the furnishing of gas or water to individuals or corporations as now exists. These utilities were secured by the city for the people and the people, poor as well as rich; small consumers as well as large consumers, should have an equal rate, and the plants should not be operated in the interests of large consumers as is now apparent. We demand an immediate investigation of this subject.

3. We demand that a municipal hospital of ample dimensions be at once planned, constructed and equipped and put into operation by the city of Duluth, in the interests of all citizens of whatever creed or condition of life, and that a site advantageous and sanitary be at once selected and purchased for that purpose.

4. We demand that a scale of wages equal to the union scale in different callings be adopted on city work of all kinds.

5. We demand that all public work including street and sewer work be done by the city under skilled and competent supervision and no public work shall be let by contract.

6. That we believe a radical

change should be made in the criminal law for petty offenses and that it should be administered in a more progressive manner. That all persons convicted of a crime which calls for a jail sentence at the present time should be furnished with work by the municipality and their earnings safeguarded for their families or for other useful purposes.

7. We are in favor of adequate public parks and play grounds for the children and believe that the school houses should be at once utilized as social centers under proper direction and supervision, as has been done in the cities of Rochester and Milwaukee, and that steps to that end be at once taken.

8. That we are in favor of taking immediate action to secure necessary legislation to enable the city to acquire all natural monopolies and all publicly used utilities and that no delay or subterfuges as in the past, be longer tolerated.

9. We severely criticize the Republican and Democratic parties for their vacillating course on the question of municipal ownership of such monopolies and public utilities, and we hold them responsible for the fact that the city of Duluth is rapidly falling behind other cities of similar size in this respect.

10. We believe that the city should through the board of education, take steps to provide night schools for the education of young men and women who are unable to attend the day schools or are too old to do so.

11. We recommend the establishment of free employment bureaus and the prohibition of all others.

12. That all corporations be compelled to pay taxes on a basis of equality with persons.

13. We demand the absolute freedom of speech, press and assembly.

14. We demand the immediate extension of the public collection and disposition of garbage.

15. We believe in the carrying on and conducting of the city's affairs in the interests of the working and producing classes, and that the government should be so administered as to promote the building of homes for the people and so that they can become owners of and maintain such homes and that taxation be so adjusted as to fall most lightly upon the homes of that class of people. The mere fact that a city may become great or prosperous is of no especial consequence if that greatness and increase of population is to be accompanied by a greater increase in the want, poverty and insecurity of the people. We do not ask the vote of any person who is not interested in the greater moral and material advancement of the people as a whole, but we do ask the votes of those who stand for these two propositions, the establishment of which is the aim and purpose of Socialism as represented by the Public Ownership party.

TAKE LEAF FROM BOOK OF LOS ANGELES M. AND M.

PARIS, Dec. 23.—French employees have banded themselves in a federation with the stated purpose of fighting the "C. G. T.", the Confederation Generale du Travail.

Last week 4,000 representatives of the economic interests of France met in Paris and formed themselves into an employers' federation with this program:

First—The respect of private property and the liberty of labor.

Second—Opposition to every extension of socialism to every new monopoly, to every "socialization."

Third—The rejection of any proposed tax of an inquisitorial or confiscatory character.

The movement embraces twenty-seven great organizations throughout France, representing 1,800,000 employers and 2,000,000 rural proprietors, giving work to 12,000,000 men.

STRIKE AT POCKETS OF ST. RY LABOR CRUSHERS

WINNIPEG, Dec. 23.—Striking directly in the pocket of the street railway company here, with which they are at war, 900 motormen and conductors are covering the city with sleighs, buses and hacks, and at 5 cents a ride are capturing the nickels the company is losing.

Few cars are running, and those that are on the rails are nearly empty; the passengers much preferring a dash behind the tinkling sleigh bells to the ordinary ride they got before the strike began.

So far there has been no violence in the strike, and mild weather has prevented any suffering through the stopping of the city's ordinary means of transportation.

The company started twenty cars this week with imported strikebreakers as motormen and college students as conductors.

Each car carried two policemen.

3 Months for Shooting Strikers.
GREENSBURG, Pa., Dec. 23.—Judge L. W. Doty has sentenced fifteen deputy sheriffs, who were convicted of riot in connection with the shooting of striking miners at Yukon, May 8, each to serve three months in the workhouse.

Use Red Cross Stamps on Your Holiday Gifts. It Helps a Good Cause

A Sealette Plush Coat for Christmas

We have recently received 100 of these popular and stylish Seal Plush Coats—Just in time for Christmas selling. They are full 54 inches long; made of genuine seal-ette plush and lined throughout with guaranteed satin, in contrasting colors.

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- Raccoon Set—Regular price \$125, special at \$89.50
- Black Fox Fur Set—Large shawl and pillow muff; regular \$50 value, for \$37.50
- Jap Mink Sets—From \$35.00 up.
- Black Hare Sets—Stylish shawl collar and pillow muff; regular \$16.50 value, special at \$12.50
- Russian Pony Coats—Full length; lined with guaranteed satin; regular \$75.00 value, for \$50.00

LABOR'S CHAMPION IN THE HOUSE EXPOSES TRICK OF MOON BILL SUPPORTERS

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 23.—Not for a minute has the Cannon machine released its grip on the house, proof of which appeared when a score of labor amendments to the notorious Taft-Moon injunction bill were this week ruled out of order by the speaker and Moon's bill was discovered to have practically usurped all the time on the calendar Wednesday to stand here and hold the objection.

Calendar Wednesday is supposed to be the one free day of the congressional week upon which the iron rule of "program" is removed, and therefore upon calendar Wednesday labor members pin all their hopes of getting an opportunity to debate and forcing a vote upon measures of interest to the working class.

Hughes of New Jersey was first to see the plot behind the 203 pages of the Moon bill, every page loaded to eat up calendar Wednesday, and he was on his feet with an objection.

"If the chair cares to know anything about my object in raising the question, it is that under the rule this bill will probably take up every calendar Wednesday between now and the end of the session.

"I do not think the chair cares to hear me, so far as enlightenment is concerned," continued Hughes with pointed sarcasm, "and I am satisfied to stand here and hold the floor while the chair is informing himself from another source."

A ripple of applause followed this drive at the speaker who regularly receives his instructions on rulings from the able man from Maine always standing at his elbow.

After a few moments wait the proper rule to crush the belligerent Hughes was found and passed up to Speaker Cannon, who automatically removed the obstacle from the administration's path.

But Hughes is a fighter who never knows when he is whipped and backed by a score of others he worried Moon to a state of desperation so that when Wilson of Pennsylvania finally introduced his anti-injunction amendment, it was agreed that at some time on some calendar Wednesday this labor measure would receive the consideration of the house. On that day labor can count its friends, who will be few and number its enemies, who will be many.

LABOR COMMISSION NOTES.

St. Paul, Dec. 23.—A request has been received by the state labor commission from Seattle for copies of the Minnesota law governing employment agencies. Trouble with unreliable agents in that state has started a movement to place on the statute books laws that will protect both the workmen and the employer. Labor Commissioner McEwen has forwarded the desired information.

Mr. McEwen has received notification that he was elected a member of the executive committee of the Minnesota State Conference of Charities and Corrections at the meeting held in Crookston recently. His term is for the year 1911.

World comes to the state labor bureau from Charles J. Krone of St. Louis that he has been appointed a member of a commission to draft a workingman's compensation law for that state. He asks Labor Commissioner McEwen for information concerning steps being taken in this state to secure such a measure. The request will be complied with.

HOLIDAY EXCURSION FARES

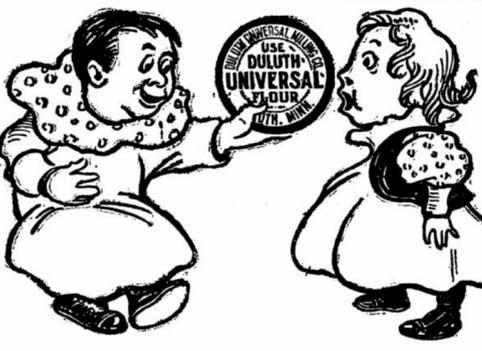
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- Silk Comforters, Pure Down or Australian Wool filled, 1-4 Off.
- Fancy Pillows at Half Price.
- See Herald and Tribune for other "Last Day" Bargains.

Gifts for Women

- Pertinent Suggestions**
- Waist Patterns: Mercerized novelties of various patterns, light and medium shades, lengths of 3 1/2 yards, neatly packed in holly box ready for giving; priced at \$1.98 and 88c.
 - Silk Scarfings: Beautiful crepe silk, Persian and floral designs of light tints and darker hues, border and all-over effects. For today's choosing we offer one lot of up to \$1.50 values, at per yard \$1. Holly box free with lengths of two yards or more.
 - Fancy Silks: Various colors, plain and figured, light and dark, for fancywork, or waist and dress patterns; values worth up to \$1.50, choosing at 69c.
 - Kimono Crepes: Genuine Serpentine crepe, 30 inches wide, dotted; floral and Japanese patterns; special at per yard 18c.
 - Kimono Silks: Splendid quality Persian, Japanese and floral designs, light and dark colors, 27 inches wide; special at per yard 48c.
 - Waist Patterns: All-silk waist patterns, selections from our comprehensive stocks, will be neatly packed in holly box, FREE.
 - Locket and Chain: Plain and stone set, Roman, rose and green gold finish, gold filled, \$2.69 to \$10. Engraving FREE.
 - Hat Pins: Solid gold, any length, polished or Roman finish, signet or scroll tops; priced from \$2.69 to \$5.98.
 - Sewing Baskets: Various styles and colors, satin lined and padded; priced from 25c to \$5.50.
 - Pin Cushions: Fancy colors, lace and ribbon trimmed, 59c to \$4.00.

Gifts for Men

- Satisfactory Ones**
- Bath Robes: Popular ones of flannel, nicely trimmed, light and dark colors; priced from \$2.98 to \$7.50.
 - Mufflers: Dressy ones from cotton or silk, with the stylish fringed ends, evening shades, in gift boxes, at 75c up to \$2.75.
 - Hosiery: Cotton, lisle and silk, plain colors; put up two pairs to box, priced from 50c to \$2.50.
 - Gloves: Men's mocha and cape gloves, all sizes; put up in individual boxes, \$1.25 to \$2.25.
 - Shaving Sets: In silk lined leatherette boxes; priced from \$1 up to \$3.75.
 - Shaving Mirrors: Stand shaving mirrors, with brush and mug; priced from \$3.50 to \$8.
 - Military Brushes: Plain and mounted backs, in lined boxes, 75c to \$4.50.
 - Toilet Sets: Comprising military brushes and mirror, in box, priced \$3.50 to \$7.50.
 - Traveling Cases: Leather cases, fitted with comb, brushes, etc., \$1.50 to \$10.
 - Rubber lined "roll up" traveling cases, fancy cloth and silk outside, 50c to \$3.
 - Safety Razors: Gem Junior, and Ever Ready at \$1. Gillette, regular and pocket styles, \$5 to \$7.50.
 - Desk Set: Business man's desk set comprising scissors and letter opener; priced \$1.75 to \$2.50.
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