

As Ye Buy, so shall Ye Bake

DULUTH UNIVERSAL FLOUR

U. S. DRAFTSMEN WIN DEMANDS

NORFOLK, Va., Nov. 17.—The draftsmen employed in the navy yard refused to work overtime. They had been working seven hours a day. They were requested to work three additional hours at the same rate of pay received for the seven hours. The men objected to pursuing such a course and when the seven hour limit had been reached ceased work. The manager in charge reduced wages 30 per cent when he learned of the action of the men. When that became known the matter was then turned to work. The manager said, to the secretary of the navy department. Negotiations followed and in a short time the trouble was adjusted by Naval Constructor Watt agreeing to concede the just demands of the draftsmen. While the dispute was pending the machinists notified Mr. Watt that they would refuse to handle any blue prints drawn by new men while the dispute was pending.

PATTERN MAKERS WIN CLOSED SHOP FIGHT

DETROIT, Mich., Nov. 17.—On February 1 all the job pattern shops in the city opened an attack on the Pattern Makers' union, assisted by a number of other employers, who had banded themselves together for the purpose of destroying all the unions. The battle was inaugurated because the pattern makers made a demand for eight hours and minimum of 55 cents per hour. The struggle was bitterly contested. In order to weaken the strikers the employers applied to the courts and demanded and secured injunctions, making it almost prohibitive for the strikers to do any active work that would in any way hamper the employment of strikebreakers or strengthen their position. Many of the strikers were thrown into prison for violating the injunctions and expenses were piling up on the employers. They finally discovered it was becoming an expensive luxury they had not anticipated. When the situation became very unpleasant for them, they invited the strike leaders into a conference for the purpose of learning whether they were willing to obey the injunctions and cease picketing. It was soon discovered that the conference had been called for an entirely different purpose, and it was not long before the employers began to intimate that there might be a way of ending the strike. Before the termination of the meeting an understanding had been reached. Each side promised to lay the plan before the association they were representing, and the result was that it proved acceptable. The ratification carried with it the eight-hour day and the same wage rate the men had been getting for the longer hours. It was discovered by the bosses that court action against striking workmen may pay at times, but in this instance the endless litigation became rather expensive for some of the manufacturers and there were no results.

While daily papers of Duluth claim to be newspapers, the LABOR WORLD is the only newsy looking paper in the city.

FRANK VALESH, VETERAN LABOR LEADER, IS DEAD

Frank Valesh of Graceville, Minn., organizer of the Minnesota State Federation of Labor, and its first president, died last week at a Minneapolis hospital. Mr. Valesh was on his way to New Mexico for the benefit of his health, and while passing through Minneapolis was taken suddenly worse. He passed away during the day at St. Mary's hospital. The funeral was held from his home in Graceville, Thursday and was attended by a large number of people.

Frank Valesh was born in Bohemia, near Prague, 52 years ago. He came to this country with his parents at the age of 9 years. They settled in St. Paul, and young Frank was given a job in a cigar factory where he learned his trade. Immediately after he became a journeyman he joined the Cigarmakers' union. Then began his rise in the labor movement. He was during his time the most noted trade union leader in Minnesota.

In 1888 he organized the State Eight-Hour league, the object of which was to create a public sentiment for the eight-hour day. Later in 1890 he organized the State Federation of Labor, and became its first president, serving with distinction from 1890 to 1892 when he resigned to become deputy labor commissioner. His name is closely identified with early labor movements of Minnesota. Through his untiring efforts the first factory laws were enacted by the Minnesota legislature.

Mr. Valesh remained active in the movement until 1897 when he removed to Graceville where he engaged in the cigar business. He attended several conventions of the American Federation of Labor and was closely identified with Samuel Gompers, also a cigarmaker. His lifelong friend in the labor movement was Thomas F. Tracy, who died just a few days before. He was a staunch trade-unionist and adhered strictly to the philosophy of the movement.

Mr. Valesh was wedded to Eva McDonald, famous during her day as a speaker and writer for organized labor, and now active in social welfare work in New York. One son, Frank, of Graceville, and the aged mother, Elizabeth Valesh of St. Paul, survive him.

OPEN SHOP FIGHT EXPECTED IN MASS.

BOSTON, Mass., Nov. 17.—The formation of the State Building Trades Council of Massachusetts, which was initiated early in the week, is a preparedness move to resist the attack that it is expected will be made by the State Metal Trades Assembly of New England employers. This association is charged with having been especially active in the several fights that have been made by the trades composing the metal industry the last year. Building trades' representatives were present from Boston, Worcester, New Bedford, Lynn, Brockton and Fitching. Arthur M. Huddle of Boston, was elected president, and Walter F. Reed of Worcester, secretary-treasurer. The object of the new organization, as announced, is "to unite to fight the nonunion shop movement of the employers and to unionize all products entering into the construction of buildings and labor employed on the same." It is believed that a coalition will attempt to be formed between the metal trades' employers and the contractors engaged in the building industry. In case such action should be attempted the building trades unions want to be prepared to meet it with a solid, compact body.

CANADA MAY HAVE OWN S. S. LINES

MONTREAL, Que., Nov. 16.—After the war Canada may establish a state-owned line of steamers operating during summer between Great Britain and St. Lawrence ports and in winter with Halifax as the ocean terminal, says The Star. A fleet of fast vessels, with accommodation for passengers, cargo and mails, is proposed, to serve both as an additional outlet and feeder for transcontinental railway traffic, especially in the quite probable development of a state-owned railway from coast to coast.

Says Longreach Regan: "Everybody at a banquet has a good time except the man who is just breaking in his first set of store teeth. Bring your boy to The Big Duluth for his Fall Clothes."

We Sell Union Made Clothes for Men
Suits, Overcoats, Shirts, Hats, Underwear, Shoes, etc., and invite your call when you need such goods. Union salesmen to wait on you.

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Reasonable cash payment and the balance like rent.

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LUMBER CAMP WAGES MORE THAN LAST YEAR

ASHLAND, Wis., Nov. 16.—Wages in lumber camps in the Lake Superior region are starting in at least \$10 a month ahead of last year. The wages are: General workers, including sawyers, road makers, road cutters and swampers, \$35 a month for transients, and \$40 a month for men who stay on the job a month or more; teamsters and canthook men from \$40 to \$45 per month; top loaders, \$50 to \$55 per month.

CARPENTERS SCARCE; WAGES SOARING

DENVER, Colo., Nov. 17.—Commencing on the first of the month the carpenters were given another 2 1/2 cents an hour increase in wages as a result of the agreement concluded last spring. The scale in this district is now 57 1/2 cents per hour. Over 1,000 men will benefit by this advance in wages. The membership of the Carpenters' union in this city is booming, and nearly 100 were obligated during September. A scarcity of carpenters is reported.

ELECTRICIANS WIN.

PEORIA, Ill., Nov. 17.—Electrical Workers' union has signed up an agreement with the Central Illinois Light company which provides for an increase of 10 per cent and improved working conditions. The new agreement, which is already in effect, covers all linemen, trimmers, setters, maintenance men, trouble men and foremen of the line work.

NOTE AGAINST PROHIBITION
DEMAND PERSONAL LIBERTY
In Choosing What You Will Drink.

NATIONAL UNION OF UNITED BREWERS WORKMEN OF AMERICA
TRADE MARK REGISTERED
This is Our Label.
Ask for This Label When Purchasing Beer, Ale or Porter, as a Guarantee That it is Union Made.

Coats for the boys

A boy doesn't like an overcoat as a rule, just as a man hesitates to start wearing of the heavy winter garments.

But they have to in this climate and soon get used to the extra weight.

We have carefully studied how to overcome the boys' objection and had nearly all our boys' overcoats made up in an easy-to-put-on, roomy and comfortable double-breasted, knee-length style.

You will find here an extra large assortment of fancy fabrics as well as the conventional chinchillas in brown, blue and the different shades of gray.

Pinch back, half-belted and box back styles for ages 2 1/2 to 18 years at \$2.50, \$3.50, \$4, \$5, \$6.50.

\$7.50, \$10, \$12.50, \$15 and \$16.50.

If there is a new idea for a boy's overcoat you can see it here first.

NEW COLUMBO 14.50 PINCH BACK COATS FOR YOUNG MEN arrived yesterday. They are of blue shade and in all sizes from 33 up.

Duluth, At Third Ave. W. **Columbo** Superior, At Broadway.

Foot Note: Good shoes for live boys.

Superior Carpenters

There will be a call meeting of local union No. 755, U. B. of C. & J. of America at Superior, Thursday, November 23. Important. This will be last meeting in month. Turn out, especially the older members.

E. T. WOOD, President.
J. H. HATCH, Secretary.

PAID LOW WAGES SO STOLE MONEY

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Nov. 16.—Low wages paid by the street car company here is assigned by two arrested carmen as the reason why they stole money from their employers by means of an extra fare box. This startling confession was made by two men, George Bolting, thirty-one, conductor, and Andrew Redzinski, forty, motorman, while they were in a cell awaiting a hearing.

He is a Man the Girls Hate

THERE is a man in town whom the telephone operators universally dislike. He's the man who so prides himself on his memory that he seldom uses the Telephone Directory for anything but a paper weight.

This man will call a number like 456 with all the assurance of a trainman calling stations, when he really wants 546. Then he'll blame the operator when he finds that the subscriber he really called for is not the one he wants to talk with.

The memory has a way of playing queer pranks with numbers sometimes. Besides, telephone numbers frequently are changed. So it's a pretty good rule to always consult the Telephone Directory before making a call.

When calling a number one should speak slowly and plainly, separating the figures, as 4-5-6, so the telephone operator will not misunderstand.

DULUTH TELEPHONE COMPANY

A large selected stock of

Fall Suits, Overcoats

—with—

UNION LABEL

for Men and Young Men at the

CULLEN OF UNITED HATTERS IS HERE

C. W. Cullen, traveling agent for the United Hatters of America, arrived in Duluth and Superior this week on his organization's business. Cullen is visiting all stores not handling goods with the union label and reports that the response from dealers is very encouraging.

Cullen comes from Newark, N. J.

Fall Underwear, 50c to \$3.50, at The Big Duluth.

TALKING MACHINE SALE

KORBY PIANO CO. SELLING THEIR WHOLESALE SAMPLE PHONOGRAPHS

At Big Discount. Their machines are the latest on the market—

\$50.00 values for \$27.50
\$150.00 values for \$68.50

Used Victor and Edison Phonographs taken in exchange for our new and up-to-date instrument. Will close them out almost at any price.

Few big bargains in used Pianos and Player Pianos this week.

KORBY PIANO CO.,
26 Lake Ave. North.

TINKHAM TEMPORARY PLUMBING INSPECTOR

H. R. Tinkham, financial secretary of the Plumbers' and Steamfitters' union, has been appointed as acting plumber inspector of the city, pending the return of George Kreager, who is on a hunting trip.

BARTENDERS GAIN

SPRINGFIELD, Ohio, Nov. 16.—The new wage scale adopted by the Bartenders' union is being enforced in all the cafes. It calls for an 11 1/2 minimum, and is a decided improvement over the indifferent rate that had been paid heretofore.

George A. Gray Co

THE STORE FOR SERVICE.
113-115-117-119 West Superior Street.
Duluth, Minnesota.

Our Annual November Silk Sale is on

Thousands of yards of handsome silks on sale in six lots as follows:—60c, 90c, \$1.10, \$1.40, \$1.60 and \$2.30.

Regular prices prevail again Monday morning on any unsold silks.

Buy before 9:30 Saturday night or pay regular prices.

At 69c there are many 85c and \$1.00 Silks

Included are 26 inch Poplins of the regular \$1.00 quality.
23 inch printed Foulard at 85c.
19 to 26 inch plaid silks and fancy silks for waists and dresses.
32 inch kimona silk and 32 inch tub silk.

Judge the other values by these.

SANDE MADE BUSINESS AGENT OF PLUMBERS

Berger Sande was made temporary business agent of the Plumbers' and Steamfitters' union at the last regular meeting of that body.

The plumbers' organization reports a thriving condition and have over 100 regular paid members. An appeal was made to members to support those commercial houses handling union label goods and the unionists were asked to purchase nothing in stores refusing to handle union label goods.

Fall Hats, \$1.50 to \$5.00, at The Big Duluth.