

YEAST BARLEY BREAD

—3 LOAVES—

3 cups liquid (milk and water), 1 table-spoon sugar, 1 tablespoon fat, 1 tablespoon salt, 1 cake yeast, compressed or dried, softened in some of the liquid, 3½ cups barley flour, 7 cups of Duluth Universal Flour (made under U. S. regulations.)

DIRECTIONS FOR MAKING BARLEY BREAD USING COMPRESSED YEAST—Soften the yeast in some of the liquid. Combine the ingredients as for white bread mix into a dough. Knead and let rise to double its original bulk. Knead again and put into pans. When again double in bulk bake about 45 minutes.

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224 DULUTHIANS REGISTERED FOR SHIPYARDS WORK

Call for Special Classes Anticipated Soon From Public Service Reserve.

With 216 as Duluth's quota, 224 men have already been enrolled in the city under the U. S. Public Service Reserve, according to W. S. Telford, local enrollment chief. The work of registering mechanics for service in the government shipyards will be continued until further notice is received from headquarters at Washington.

Indications are that a call will be issued soon specifying the plants where certain classes of workers are required. In order to facilitate this work and have complete data on the situation at present, all enrollment agents are urged to send in the membership cards.

D. R. Cotton, Federal director for the reserve in Minnesota, this week sent the following communication to local enrollment chiefs:

"Advices from Washington headquarters indicate that a call for special classes of shipyard workers is expected soon, and we are asked to collect the membership cards at a central point for the convenience of the department of examiners.

"It is very important that you write on the back of the small white application card your personal knowledge of the man's character and his working ability.

"The chief enrollment agent should immediately make for his own record a list of all names and addresses of members, and then send all cards to this office at once. Separate the cards of men employed at present from the unemployed, and indicate which is which, but send all cards in at the same time.

"As soon as a specific call is received for a certain class of men, examiner will inspect the cards and pick out such men as he believes will qualify for the jobs. These men will then be given full information concerning the work, transportation, salary, and told where and when to report. It is intended to spread the selection over the whole state if possible, and for that reason it is desirable to have the cards collected at one point for classification. Do not delay, as it will take some time after cards are received here to make the proper classification.

"Caution members not to leave their present jobs until they are notified of available vacancies elsewhere.

"This does not mean that you should stop enrolling members in the U. S. Public Service Reserve. Keep on enrolling as many as possible, forwarding cards at the end of each week. Every enrollment agent should turn over to the chief enrollment agent in his town, all the signed cards in his possession, in addition to a list of names and addresses on a separate sheet of paper.

"Please give this matter prompt and careful attention."

BRICKLAYERS AND TILE LAYERS MAY AMALGAMATE

The Bricklayers' union at its last meeting received a communication from its international stating that efforts are being made to effect an amalgamation of the Bricklayers' international and that of the Tile Layers. The prevalence of jurisdictional disputes is responsible for this action. The local Bricklayers' union will appoint a committee to confer with the local Tile Layers on the matter.

It was reported at the meeting that the Bricklayers' international union had purchased \$50,000 worth of Liberty bonds.

FAVOR ONE-DAY REST.

BOSTON, March 21.—The Massachusetts house of representatives refused to accept an adverse committee report on a bill for one day off in seven for employes of hotels and restaurants in this state. The committee's recommendation was rejected on a roll call vote of 142 to 76.

DULUTH FINN SOCIALISTS TAKE SIDES WITH ALLIES

If there has been any doubt in the minds of Americans where the Finns stand on this war, that doubt can now be removed. Duluth Finns, at least, have learned this early in the game what Prussian greed means. Finland is now getting a taste of what will happen to the whole world should Germany win this war.

At a mass meeting of Finnish people held under the auspices of the Finnish local of the Socialist party at Tarmo hall, Lake avenue and First street, Sunday, the following statement, signed by John Nummivuo, chairman, was prepared and ordered published in the daily and weekly press of Duluth:

"Recently the news dispatches in the daily papers have related how a civil war is raging in Finland. The news dispatches have not stated why a civil war is raging there. The same dispatches have also related how the so-called red guards had practiced horrible cruelties.

"It is true that an open struggle is going on in Finland between the pro-German bourgeoisie and the industrial workers and small farmers who defend democracy, but it is absolutely untrue that the red guard, organized by labor government is practicing cruelties. These news dispatches are sent from Stockholm, Sweden, and they are all purposely made up; they are all infamous falsehoods. As Sweden has always had a yearning for the Aland islands and for a portion of Finland, reports were sent out to the world that anarchy was reigning in Finland so that Sweden could get a pretext for seizing the Aland islands.

"The Finnish bourgeoisie has always been pro-German. When the present war broke out, they sent a large number of the members of their class into the German army to fight against Russia. They were not formed a part of Russia. They went to fight German junkerism, militarism and imperialism, and against democracy. These Finns were carefully trained in the German army so that they would be able to fight against the democratic elements of Finland for German junkerism.

"Then came the revolution in Russia. The government of the czar was overthrown. The Finnish people, who have always hoped for the independence of their country, saw that the time had come when they could realize their fondest desire to be allowed to sway their own destinies. They took courage to demand independence and more so for the reason that the allies and President Wilson had assured the world that the allies were fighting for democracy and for the rights of the small nations. But the Finnish bourgeoisie even went as far as to oppose this by scheming with Germany and Sweden against the independence of Finland. But due to the resolute action of the people they did not succeed in this.

"The working class of Finland and the larger portion of the farmers, the small farmers, demanded that power shall be centralized in the diet, the representative body elected by the people. The bourgeoisie demanded that the power shall be vested outside the diet, to a council of three not selected by the people. Their final intention was to form a kingdom of Finland and to set up some German prince as a king. (The latest news dispatches report that the Finnish bourgeoisie desire the German Kaiser's fifth son, Oscar, to be king of Finland.) In this attempt they did not succeed, however, for the people vigorously demanded a democratic form of government.

Called "Butcher Guards," the pro-German bourgeoisie saw the danger of the people could not be opposed, unless especially radical methods be employed.

PAINTERS GET 8 APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP

No. 106 Takes Steps to Organize War Savings Society. Special Meeting Tuesday.

Local Painters' Union No. 106, at its meeting last Tuesday night at Brown's hall, received eight applications for membership. Five of these applicants were obligated.

This unusual boost in the membership rolls is the result of the untiring efforts of Business Agent Eiling Munkky to bring within the folds all those following the painter's trade in the city. Indications are that there will be several more applications at the next meeting.

A communication was received from Secretary J. J. Manning of the Union Label Trades Department of the A. F. of L. concerning the formation of War Savings societies to encourage the sale of thrift stamps and savings certificates. It was stated that ten or more members of any central body of local trade union can organize such a society. A committee consisting of E. J. Soltau, D. Lamont and E. Munkky was named to look into the matter and take steps towards launching a society in the painters' union. A report will be made at the next meeting.

A special meeting of No. 106 will be held next Tuesday night for the purpose of considering the proposal to increase the local dues. A business agent for the coming term, beginning April 1, will also be elected.

ANDERSON ATTENDS RALLY OF NONPARTISAN LEAGUE

Julius J. Anderson, member of Duluth Typographical Union No. 136 and delegate to the Federated Trades Assembly, attended the campaign rally of the Nonpartisan league in St. Paul this week. Mr. Anderson addressed the convention Tuesday afternoon

employed, they commenced openly to organize the so-called "White Guards" (which in Finland are called the "Butcher Guards"). At the same time they commenced to offer the Aland islands to Germany and Sweden and mastery in Finland in exchange for their cringing down the democratic elements. The Finlanders in the German army were called home, and ammunition, regiments of soldiers, etc. were sent from Germany into Finland.

"The proletariat of Finland have long suffered terrible hunger which is entirely unknown to the people of this country. The land does not produce enough grain to feed its people, and on account of war grain could not be imported from elsewhere. Regardless of this the bourgeoisie transported grain to Sweden and through there to Germany. The desire was to starve the democratic elements to death.

"All these facts led to the democratic elements being compelled to rise against bourgeoisie in a resolute manner. There was no other possibility. The suffering and the patience of the people have their limits. Here is the reason why civil war is raging in Finland.

"The very latest news dispatches states that German troops have invaded Finland at the behest of the Finnish bourgeoisie and that the country has been made a vassal state of Germany. The Finnish bourgeoisie have sold their country to the German Junker.

Without justification, the whole world justly condemned this. By invading Finland Germany committed a still greater crime, a more serious crime, in that it invaded Finland cannot be defended even by the pretense that it was a military necessity, by which subterfuge Germany has apologized its invasion of Belgium. And it is not mitigated by the fact that the invasion of Finland was made on the demand of the Finnish bourgeoisie.

"The democratic elements in Finland have always hated German junkerism, realizing that it was dangerous to democracy. But now the indignation of these elements has risen to its highest point on account of recent events. Their indignation has grown extremely bitter toward the bourgeoisie, who shamefully sold their country in opposing democracy.

"The people of Finland are progressive and democratic. This is shown by the fact that Finland has full suffrage for women, a diet composed of only one chamber, a proportional method of election, etc. These rights the people fought for themselves in 1906 notwithstanding the opposition of their country's bourgeoisie.

They Reports False. "We know well the situation in Finland, and as false and incomplete reports of it have been given in news dispatches, we feel that our duty toward the people of this country, toward humanity and democracy, command us to tell the plain truth.

We dare to hope that when the people of this country get the true facts of the situation, their sympathies will be on the side of the democratic elements of Finland who are fighting heroically and tenaciously against domestic reaction and German junkerism. We are assured that the people can impress upon the government of this country the necessity of recognizing the government of the Finnish workers for it is the best service that can be rendered to democracy and is a blow to German junkerism.

In addition we cannot refrain sincerely regretting the fact, that there are in this country a few Finlanders, a few Finnish newspapers, that pretend to be loyal on the cause of democracy, but who fight furiously for the pro-German Finnish bourgeoisie and for German junkerism."

WOULD AFFILIATE WITH A. F. OF L.

Local Building Trades Council Is Holding Referendum on Proposal.

The Building Trades Council, at its meeting last Monday night, decided to make application for affiliation with the Building Trades Department of the A. F. of L. if sanction is obtained from local unions.

Communications have been sent to all locals affiliated with the council, submitting a referendum on the proposal, and if the proposition is endorsed the officers will immediately begin negotiations for affiliation.

Efforts are being made to extend the council's activities, and it is thought that being in close touch with the Building Trades Department will help materially.

ORGANIZER FOR PLUMBERS' UNION VISITS TWIN PORTS

F. J. Kennedy, international organizer for the Plumbers' and Steamfitters' union, has been in the Twin Ports for several days. He has investigated conditions in the shipbuilding industry, especially in Superior. According to Mr. Kennedy, the Superior Plumbers' union is in a flourishing condition and has succeeded in negotiating a scale providing for a daily wage of \$6, effective May 1.

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RAISE WAGES \$2 A WEEK.

CINCINNATI, March 21.—Bakers' Union No. 213 has secured a new agreement. Wages are increased \$2 a week.

MANY BRANCHES STILL OPEN TO ENLISTMENT

Letters from all parts of the state have been received during the past few weeks by Major John D. Yost, recruiting officer of the Minnesota district, requesting information in regard to the various branches of the service that are open for enlistment at the present time. The idea that some branches have been permanently closed to enlistment is erroneous. The aviation section, signal corps, which enlistments show to be the most popular branch of the service at present, has been closed for the time being. All other branches of the service are open, however, and recruits are being sent out daily.

NO SUCCESSOR TO SWANSON. No successor will likely be named to Charles W. Swanson, former organizer for the American Federation of Labor, affiliated with the Superior Trades and Labor assembly, and who recently went to California. His duties will probably be attended to by J. E. Campbell, who is also an organizer for the federation.

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