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CHURCH PROGRAM WARNS AGAINST WAGE CUTTING

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make provision for joint settlement of grievances, for joint responsibility for guarantees against aggression by the employer or the men, and willful limitation of output, for a shop discipline that shall be educative and shall make for efficiency by promoting good will. The various movements toward industrial councils and shop committees have not only an economic but a spiritual significance in that they are or may be expressions of brotherhood, and recognize the right of the worker, to full development of personality.

"The housing situation in the cities and industrial communities of the nation has become serious because of the cessation of building during the war, and is resulting in overcrowding and marked increase of rents. The wartime housing projects of the government, where they are well located and clearly needed, should be completed. Above all, the housing standards set by the government during the war should never be lowered. In the emergency we urge persons who have free capital to invest in homes for the workers, first, however, studying the problem of housing in its modern aspects. It is especially necessary to watch efforts in the various state legislatures to break down protective legislation.

"The ideal of housing is to pro-

vide every family with a good home, where possible an individual house, at reasonable rates, with standard requirements of light, heat, water and sanitation; and to encourage home ownership by securing a living wage, permanence of employment, cheap transit to and from work, and by ending the speculative holding of lands in and around cities and towns.

Menacing Social Facts.
"The war has brought to the knowledge and attention of the nation certain menacing social facts. We have learned that one-tenth of our people are unnaturalized aliens; that on an average, 25 per cent of the men of the training camps were not able to read a newspaper or to write a letter home; that one-third of the men of the selective draft were physically unfit; that there are approximately 2,000,000 mental defectives in the United States; that there is an alarming prevalence of venereal infections.

"Nation-wide movements are now in formation, under the leadership of departments of the government, but including the co-operation of the entire social organization of the country, to meet these problems, concentrating especially at this time upon the Americanization of immigrants, and upon sex morality and the control of venereal diseases. All of these movements appeal strongly to the churches and will receive their energetic co-operation.

Conclusion.
"It must not be forgotten that in social reconstruction we are dealing with matters that vitally affect the welfare and happiness of millions of human beings, and that we have come upon times when people are not submissive to injustice or to unnecessary privation and suffering. They are deeply and justly in earnest. As has been said, we are laying the foundation of a new world. If those who are the actual industrial, political and social leaders, of the nation will not act upon the principle that the greatest shall be the servant of all, then the people themselves, with indignation and bitterness, are sure to take their destiny and that of the world into their own hands. The social question cannot be dealt with casually. People who are born with unusual ability, of whatever kind, or those who receive special advantages, are given them for unselfish service. Large holdings of property can be justified only by devotion to the common good. We are entering upon an era

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JENSEN ELECTED HEAD OF LOCAL LABOR ASSEMBLY

Semi-Annual Election Held; Demand Repeal of Dual Water System Ordinance.

John E. Jensen, a well-known member of the Painters' union, was elected president of the Federated Trades and Labor Assembly last Friday night, succeeding City Commissioner W. F. Murnian, who relinquished the executive position after several terms of service.

Mr. Jensen has been active as secretary of the Labor party committee, and previously has held various offices in the assembly.

The following were also chosen at the semi-annual election: Vice president, C. D. Goldsmith; recording and corresponding secretary, Henry L. Morin; treasurer, Peter Schaefer; reading clerk, W. J. Farmer; sergeant-at-arms, J. A. Johnson; trustees, Bert Erickson, O. H. Tarun and Harvey Clarke.

After a spirited discussion the assembly adopted a resolution demanding the repeal of the city ordinance providing for the dual system of water mains, or double-check valve system. There has been considerable opposition aroused in union circles over this matter, and it was decided to make labor's protest formal.

The resolution, a copy of which has been sent to the city council, is as follows:

"Whereas ordinance No. 1105, passed by the city commissioners on the 12th day of August, 1918, made it possible to make physical connections between safe water, for domestic purposes and unsafe water for commercial use, and whereas the state board of health, ruling 201 says: 'There shall be no physical connections between water supply systems that are safe for domestic use and those that are unsafe for domestic use,' and

"Whereas, the weight of current opinion, together with the history of outbreaks of intestinal diseases having, either demonstrated or strongly suspected origins in supposedly safe connections, now therefore,

"Be it resolved by the Federated Trades Assembly, in regular meeting this 11th day of July, 1919, that Ordinance No. 1105 is dangerous to the safety of the people of Duluth and we demand its immediate repeal."

in which the absorbing concern of the world will be for social justice and the greatest well being of the greatest number. This will animate the religious spirit of the future—a spirit and example in Jesus Christ."

CLEARANCE SALE OF MEN'S SUITS GREAT REDUCTIONS AT THE BIG DULUTH.

WARN PACKERS WILL CONTROL FOOD SUPPLIES

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United Fruit company. Some of Swift & Co.'s subsidiaries are growing tropical fruits in Hawaii; a subsidiary of Wilson & Co., Inc., has reached into the salmon fisheries of Alaska, and a Morris concern cans shrimp taken in the waters of the Gulf of Mexico. Cattle brought from Central America are slaughtered by or for some of the big packers at Mobile and Jacksonville. In England, France, Italy, Holland, and other European countries large meat-distributing companies have been organized by the packers to sell the meats from their plants in the United States, Argentina, Uruguay, Paraguay, Brazil and Australia.

Public Utilities Controlled.
The "big five" the report shows, have control of or interest in public utility corporations in Sioux City, Kansas City, South St. Paul, Portland, Oregon, South San Francisco, South St. Joseph, Mo., Hill City, Minn., Fort Worth, Texas and Chicago.

As to financial power, the report in part says: "The packers have drawn to a marked degree upon the banks of the country for liquid funds." He could not operate on the scale he does without the very large loans furnished by the banks. To assure himself loans ample to his purpose, the big packer has secured affiliation through stock ownership, representation on directorates, and in other ways with numerous banks and trust companies.

In grains the Armour Grain company, Chicago, of which J. Ogden Armour owns 64 per cent of the stock and other members of the Armour family 22.9 per cent, directly or through its subsidiaries operates over 90 country grain elevators. Its eight terminal elevators at Chicago and its two at Kansas City constitute 25 per cent of the total elevator capacity of those cities.

"The reason why the packers are seeking control of the substitutes for meat—the foods that compete with meats—are obvious," says the report. "If the prices of substitutes for meat are once brought under packer control, the consumer will have little to gain in turning to them for relief from excessive meat prices."

Fruit and Vegetables.
"Fruit and vegetable canning are remote from slaughtering and meat packing, but the big packers, through their branch house system of distribution possess special advantages in

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PRESIDENT OF LOCAL TRADES ASSEMBLY



JOHN E. JENSEN.

this field of industry," the report says "The big five's advantage rests not so much on their ownership of canning factories, although in some branches their output amounts to more than a quarter of the total for the United States, as upon their rapidly growing control of the wholesaler's distribution of canned goods."

COMMISSIONER PHILLIPS RENEWS FIGHT AGAINST THE DUAL WATER SYSTEM

Backed by the Federated Trades assembly, at Monday's meeting Commissioner Phillips again renewed his fight for the repeal of the dual water system ordinance passed July 12, 1918. The ordinance provides that connections of the drinking water mains and fire department mains may be made if necessary. Commissioner Phillips registered the only vote against the ordinance at the time of its passage. April 14, 1919, he instituted an unsuccessful attempt to have the ordinance repealed.

A communication from the Federated Trades assembly condemning the system as jeopardizing the health of the community, was read and filed with Commissioner Phillips' ordinance for repeal of the original ordinance Monday.

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Remember the school election Saturday—polls open from 6 a. m. until 7 p. m.

DELEGATES WILL LEAVE SATURDAY

Duluth Delegation Ready for Work at State Federation of Labor Convention.

The Duluth delegation to the New Ulm convention of the Minnesota State Federation of Labor will leave here for Minneapolis Saturday evening. Two will go down on the Friday evening train to attend to business in connection with their union. Several will go down Saturday afternoon and the greater number will take the evening train.

The Federation officials have arranged for a special train to leave St. Paul at 8 o'clock and Minneapolis at 8:40 Sunday morning. The Labor World has been unable to get the full list of the delegates elected from Duluth, but the following is a partial list:

Federated Trades Assembly—John E. Jensen, W. F. Murnian, H. L. Morin, Charles Esse and John Bar-ron.

Barbers' Union—Christ Haugen.

Butchers' Union—Joseph Burke.

Cabinet Makers' Union—John A. Johnson and Fred Soderlund.

Carpenters' Union—Henry Stevens, S. T. Skrove, Nic Olson, Peter Anderson and P. T. Marandaw.

Cigarmakers' Union—Henry Percault.

Metal Trades Council—E. O. Adams, Nels Pederson and Hugh McDonald.

Painters' Union—Joel Lichten, E. D. Anderson and Eiling Munkeby.

Plumbers' Union—H. R. Tinkham, T. F. Wiltbacker and W. E. McEwen.

CARPENTERS' UNION HAS COMPLETED ARRANGEMENTS FOR FAIRMOUNT PICNIC

The committee on arrangements for the annual picnic of the Carpenters' union, to be held at Fairmount Park, have completed arrangements. There will be music, refreshments and dancing. The outing will be attended by union carpenters, their families and friends.

W. E. McEwen, editor of The Labor World, will deliver an address during the afternoon on "some modern phases of the labor problem." Dancing will continue through the evening.

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LOCAL SCHOOLS PROGRESSIVE, STATES COOLE

School Director Makes Report on Proceedings at Educational Convention.

That the Duluth board of education is directing the education of Duluth's children along the most progressive lines and is keeping up with the program outlined by the National Educational association is the opinion of Director Robert J. Coole, expressed at the meeting of the board, last Friday.

Mr. Coole attended the session of the national association at Milwaukee recently and, in his report, gives a detailed account of the work taken up at the meetings. In conclusion he said:

"This was my first opportunity to attend such an educational conference. I feel that I have learned much which will be of help to me in serving as a member of the board of education. I am convinced that the program which the board of education of Duluth is supporting is along modern, progressive lines and in accord with the program supported by the federal government and the national educational association. I am also convinced that our schools are not only moving along the right lines, but have already accomplished many things now being advocated by the federal program."

"I strongly recommend the extension of our present program of vocational education through the night schools, in the continuation classes and in the industrial departments of our junior and senior high schools, the extension of chorus, orchestra and band work in our music department, the extension of our Americanization program and the closer co-operation between the school patrons, the teaching corps and the board of education and better salaries for teachers."

SALARY INCREASES FOR CITY EMPLOYEES

At the meeting of the city council Monday afternoon Commissioner J. A. Farrell introduced a resolution fixing the salaries of the employees of the public works department, the new figures being an increase over salaries previously paid. Commissioner Phillips had a similar resolution increasing the salaries of 13 employees in the utilities department. Both resolutions were passed.

Cretonne Causes Feverish Excitement In Dress Circles



Borrowing its general appearance from printed voiles and promising to wear forever 'n ever, cretonne has invaded dressdom, supported by organdie trimming at collar, cuff and pocket. A black velvet belt is generally around. \$25.00.

"Grandma" Chintz \$25
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—Linen
—Organdie
—Gingham
—Georgette
Blue and White Voile
Free panels ornate with organdie drop to a velvet sash. Beneath a tunic of this plaid voile is a skirt of snowy white. Flaring cuffs and collar of white organdie are held in check with neat string bows of black velvet. The contrast is alluring. \$25.00.

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