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MAY LOBE STEEL TRUST TO ALL CONDITIONS

American Federation to Ask Congress to Probe Condition of Workmen.

OPENING GUN IN WAR
The dispatching of a Congressional committee to Pittsburgh to conduct a personal investigation into the industrial conditions obtaining in the vast plants of the United States Steel Corporation will be asked in a resolution, to be introduced in the House at the request of the American Federation of Labor, soon after Congress meets.

This move, the first in a carefully planned campaign which the federation has decided to wage against the Steel Trust, was announced yesterday by President Gompers. The object of the campaign is to force the trust to recognize the American Federation of Labor and permit the formation of labor organizations among its employees.

"We will use all means within the law to get for the workmen their true rights and freedom, and to thwart the methods of espionage and blacklisting of all workers who seek to organize for their protection," said Mr. Gompers yesterday in announcing the plan.

"We feel certain that the House will grant our demand, as the Democratic majority in this Congress has been especially responsive to the voice of the people. It will be the first move in a general fight on the Steel Corporation and the beneficiaries of its monopoly which the corporation hopes to control the lives and souls of its employees."

Warning for Years.
The Steel Corporation and the federation have been at war for years. The corporation has steadfastly refused to recognize the federation, and has succeeded in preventing the formation of labor organizations among its employees.

The exact wording of the resolution has not been decided upon. It may call upon the Committee on Labor of the House to make the investigation or it may call for a special committee, such as the one which recently has completed an exhaustive investigation into the financial operations and the Steel Trust.

Representative W. B. Wilson of Pennsylvania is chairman of the Labor Committee, and Mr. Wilson was defeated for re-election. While the investigation might easily be completed during the short session, it is extremely doubtful if any legislation, in connection with any report which the committee might make could be rushed through before March 4.

THE VICTORIOUS BULGARIANS, THE RACE OF WHICH GLORIOUS IN 1877 SAID THAT THEY WERE "LOVED AND BEATEN DOWN TO THE GROUND" THAT THEY "HARDLY VENTURED TO LOOK UPWARD EVEN TO THEIR FATHER IN HEAVEN," HAVE AVENGED THEMSELVES ON THEIR ANCIENT ENEMIES, AND HAVE STARTLED THE WORLD BY THEIR STRATEGY, THEIR VALOR, AND THEIR ENDURANCE. HISTORY RECORDS NO SUCH RAPID NATIONAL RESURGENCE AS THAT WHICH IN THE LIFETIME OF ONE GENERATION HAS TRANSFORMED THE BULGARIANS FROM THE OPPRESSED SERFS OF THE 19th CENTURY INTO THE SELF-RELIANT, VALIANT, AND CONQUERING NATION WITH WHOSE EXPLOITS THE WHOLE WORLD IS RINGING TODAY.

Bulgaria and her gallant allies have defeated a democracy formed from Turkey and Rumania. It is the destiny of the conquerors to complete their triumph by making "the banner of the Cross wave more over Constantinople. It would be were it not for the jealousy between Russia and England in respect to the Levant. That great city, with its incomparable situation, has had a chequered and eventful history. The Turks, in whose possession it has remained for nearly 500 years, have added nothing either to its glory or to its beauty, and have rather shown incapacity to utilize its unique natural advantages. What might not Constantinople become under the rule of a civilized and progressive nation?

The great power that possesses Constantinople, said Napoleon, "will be mistress of the world." For generations that dictum of the great conqueror influenced the course of European diplomacy. But the dictum no longer holds. The day of the conquest of the city of the Bosphorus has shifted; steam has been applied to navigation, and the world has realized with a new vividness all that is meant by "constant victory." Constantinople remains a rich prize, and one upon which several great powers are casting envious eyes. To the Russians, in particular, from its ancient associations as metropolis of the Bosphorus, and from its commanding position at the Bosphorus, the gateway of the Black Sea, possession of the city of Constantinople for centuries has been a cherished ambition. When they met yet pagan the Russians, in successive hostile expeditions against the capital of the decaying Empire of the East, were enchanted with Constantinople's treasures. Its unique situation, its natural beauty, it was in the historic church of St. Sophia that the famous Russian Princess Olga was baptised as a Christian in 955. Successive conquerors have endeavored to surpass the most skillful of the Greeks to decorate Russian cities and instruct their inhabitants. The dome and the painting of St. Sophia were rudely copied in Russian churches, and the church fathers were translated into the Slavonic idiom.

Thus Russia came to stand in a peculiar relation to the church and the state of Constantinople. To the Eastern empire she owes both her culture and her religion. As far back as the tenth century a popular legend proclaimed in Constantinople that an angelic statue in the square of Taurus was secretly inscribed with a prophecy that in the "last days" Russia would become mistress of the city. Are those last days at hand?

Before the foundations of the present city were laid by Constantine the Great, in 324 A. D., the ancient town of Byzantium had flourished on its site. The Bosphorus Europe is separated from Asia by a distance of a little more than a mile. From a remote age is really an arm of the Bosphorus, which is known as the Golden Horn.

The curve which it describes might be compared to the horn of a stag, or with more propriety to that of an ox. The spirit of golden was expressive of the riches which every wind wafted from the most distant countries into the secure and capacious port of Constantinople. It appears to have been formed by nature for the center and capital of a great monarchy. The important Constantinople from her seven hills the opposite shores of Europe and Asia; the climate was healthy and temperate; the soil fertile; the harbor secure and capacious; and the approach to the city of the continent was of small extent and easy of defense.

Here on the spot which for many ages had attracted the commerce of the ancient world, Constantine, first of the Roman emperors of Rome, built the city which was to bear his name. In one of his laws he has been careful to instruct posterity, that it was in obedience to the commands of God that he laid the everlasting foundations of Constantinople. Soon the new city rivalled imperial Rome in riches and in population.

The Roman Empire was divided between Arcadius and Honorius in 395 A. D., and in 519 came the fall of the empire of the West, weakened by internal strife and the shock of successive attacks by Huns and Vandals and Goths. By this time Constantinople had become the new Rome. Justinian, the reigning emperor, did much to restore the splendor of the empire. What Augustus had done for old Rome, he who found it brick and left it marble, Justinian did for "new Rome."

One of the achievements of his reign was the building of the noble Cathedral of St. Sophia, which, though now a mosque, still stands a stately monument to his reign. After Rome had fallen from its high estate, the empire of the East remained for centuries a barrier protecting Europe against the incursion of barbarian hordes. For a thousand years Constantinople was the chief bulwark of civilization, and the preservation of the priceless traditions of Greek culture and Roman rule.

INTERESTING COURT GOSSIP FROM ACROSS THE ATLANTIC

BRIDE OF "GIFT HUSBAND" TALKS
Mrs. Alice Chapman Wentworth, Former Capital Belle, Not Responsible for Divorce, She Says.
Boston, Mass., Nov. 29.—Franklin H. Wentworth and his bride, formerly Miss Alice Chapman, of Washington, D. C., whose marriage on November 4 was made possible by the divorce which Wentworth's first wife procured in Reno by joint agreement, are back in Boston to-day. Mrs. Wentworth No. 2 did very little talking. She preferred to leave that to her husband. She said only this: "You may state that I have the very highest regard for Marion Craig Wentworth, my husband's first wife. We are the best of friends. I think a great deal of little Brandon. However, I do not think I interfered with or entered into their life in any unfair way. Personally I do not feel that I was responsible for the divorce. I love Mr. Wentworth and he loves me. We are very happy."

Mr. Wentworth said: "It is true that we are still the warmest friends, my former wife and my present wife, and I intend to do everything possible for my son Brandon. I willingly consented that my first wife be given the custody of the boy because I felt that a mother has first claim on a child, but I shall keep a watchful eye on him and see that he gets an education. My former wife and Miss Chapman were friends for many years before I met Miss Chapman. Mrs. Wentworth introduced me to her about four years ago."

Mr. Wentworth has resumed his work as head of a big insurance company here. He is one of the best known Socialists of the State.

SAYS HOCKIN GAVE HIS "PALS" AWAY

Raymond J. Burns, Son of Famous Detective Testifies at Dynamic Trial.
Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 29.—Raymond J. Burns, manager of the Chicago office of the William J. Burns national detective agency, and son of William J. Burns, to-day on the witness stand in the dynamic conspiracy case corroborated in every detail the story told last Saturday by L. J. Jewell, of Pittsburgh.

Burns declared that Herbert S. Hockin, national secretary-treasurer of the Iron Workers' Union, but formerly a member of the executive board, had furnished his agency full information as to dynamic outrages perpetrated by J. B. McNamara and Orrie E. McManis. Hockin told the Burns people as early as November 2, 1911, that J. M. McNamara had blown up the Los Angeles Times building, and that McNamara was not engaged from the Indianapolis headquarters, but by O. A. Twissome, secretary of the California Building Trades Union, and that McNamara was a dynamiter. Burns also testified that Hockin declared to him that J. J. McNamara was not a union man to help the union, but to get all there was in it for himself.

The identification of Nipper Anderson and Peter Smith, Cleveland iron workers, as two men bound toward the big ore conveyor at North Randall, Ohio, March 22, 1911, carried away in a burning boiler, other testimony concerning the explosion, which cost Hoyt & Patterson \$50,000, and some testimony against Michael J. Cunnane, business agent of the Philadelphia local, were other features of the day's session.

The government is very near the end of its case.
Mail Pouches Found in Dump.
Kansas City, Nov. 29.—Two registered mail pouches which were stolen here July 2, while being taken from the post-office to the railway station, were found in the city dump to-day by three laborers. The pouches contained bonds having a face value of \$4,000, a number of checks, and a small amount of coupons.

Seeks Job in Senate.
Louisville, Ky., Nov. 29.—Former Gov. J. C. W. Beckham to-day announced himself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for United States Senator to succeed Senator Bradley, Republican. Gov. Beckham was the Democratic nomination in a State primary, but in a legislative session of 1908 he was defeated by Bradley.

Butter Dealer Gets Heavy Sentence.
Baltimore, Nov. 29.—Michael J. Fox, a local butter dealer, was fined \$100 and sentenced to eighteen months in the Atlanta penitentiary to-day by Judge Ross, in the United States District Court. Fox was charged with violating the oleomargarine law, by selling by the special tax to the government. He will be taken to Atlanta this afternoon.

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