

BUILDING TRADES ARE WITH NEWSPAPER UNIONS— McWEENY TRYING TO SLIP ONE OVER ON NEWSIES

The Building Trades of Chicago are with the newspaper unions now on strike or locked out to a man.

They have sent word to the Federated Trades, representing the locked out and striking men, that they stand ready to call out the members of their unions at the request of the Federated Trades.

This means that if the Federated Trades say the word all the men in the Building Trades will quit work until the publishers are forced to grant justice to the newspaper unions.

The newspaper carriers held an enthusiastic meeting yesterday. They perfected their plans for an organization. Few of the carriers carried papers to subscribers to the trust newspapers today. As soon as their organization is perfected no non-union newspapers will be carried to subscribers in Chicago.

Chief McWeeny seems to be trying to slip one over on the newsboys again.

When the arrangements for the issuing of \$25 permits to newsboys were made Chief McWeeny promised that no provision in regard to what newspapers the boys should sell would be incorporated in the permits.

This was only fair and just. There was no reason why the newspaper should be specified.

Now, however, McWeeny has a new plan. This is to incorporate the name of the Socialist and the

World in all permits issued to union newsboys now selling these papers, while, when the newsboy is selling the non-union papers, no names are put upon the permit.

This is very clever. But it can be seen through.

Unless the Newsboys' Union takes a decided stand against this incorporation of the names of papers in the permits they will find themselves in a hole when the present trouble is over.

For then, when the trust publishers have granted their men justice, and their newspapers again become union papers, the union newsboys will find that they hold permits to sell only Socialists and Worlds, and they will not be able to sell trust newspapers under the terms of their permits.

This will put the union newsboys at a disadvantage, and will in the end crush out their union.

The war of the publishers, and the mayor, and the police, upon the newsboys would be ridiculous were it not so deadly serious.—For

Washington.—“No recess for political conventions.” Ultimatum given senate by house leaders today.

House wants to adjourn before conventions. Senate wants to recess over conventions, and then return to Washington and use up hot air. So now House says senate either will adjourn, or stay away from conventions.