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While Leaders Realize They Have a Hard Contest They Will Fight For Certain Measures in Justice to the Cause of Labor.

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Washington, D. C., Dec. 8.—A strong lobby is to be maintained in Washington throughout the present session of congress by organized labor. Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, and his associates have not abandoned their idea of obtaining from congress the laws for the enactment of which they have been so instrumental although they realize that the contest has been made doubly hard for them because of the attitude of certain members of the house upon their especially opposed to the bills in question. They do not believe however that the justice of their cause has been impaired and they will carry their contest along that line.

President Gompers says he proposes to press for serious consideration of the measures for the further limitation of immigration, for the modification of the Chinese exclusion law for the exemption of the hours of railroad employees, for the restriction of the employment of child labor, for an extension of the eight hour law and for anti-injunction legislation.

It is realized by the labor leaders that on account of the attitude of President Roosevelt and the known sentiment of many members of both branches of congress the enactment of the anti-injunction bill will be a practical impossibility at least in this session. It is not unlikely indeed that the measure may be reported from the committee and killed by a definite vote in the house. Despite what seems to be the likelihood of a certain defeat on this bill, the labor lobby will continue to work for it.

A choice for the enactment of some of the other labor measures eventually appears to exist. This is particularly true of that relating to the employment of child labor. The president favors a bill of that kind and it is strongly supported by members of congress of powerful influence. It long has been a pet idea of John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers of America, one of the ablest and most conservative of the labor leaders. He believes to have a law put on the employment of boys under a certain age in the mines. He has personally brought the subject to the attention of President Roosevelt in a most forcible way and the President will lend his influence to the enactment of legislation along the lines indicated.

Another measure looked for certain this labor which certainly will be established upon the law in the near future although it may not be reached at this session, is that relating to hours of employment of railroad employees. It already has been strongly favored and might have passed in the last session if congress had not been for otherwise so occupied. It is proposed by Senator Carter of Montana and two or three other senators to be introduced amendments to the eight hour law so as to allow a longer time and also to provide that the employees of telegraph offices will be exempted. It seems to be generally felt by the current sentiment of President Roosevelt who seems to be a necessary connection to the end and property.

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