

NEWS OF THE LABOR WORLD

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Representatives of 1,600,000 trades unionists of Great Britain assembled in Liverpool Monday and will remain in session for the remainder of the week. Thirty members of the House of Commons participated. This is the thirty-ninth annual trades union congress. The annual congress of organized labor at the national election and the number of problems for which solution must be sought along political lines give special importance to the meeting.

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First—The State maintenance of school children. Second—Scientific physical education with medical inspection and the interpretation of records showing the physical development of all children attending the state schools. With a provision for skilled medical attendance for any child requiring the same.

Third—The complete separation of reform from poor law administration. Fourth—A national educational institution under full popular control, free and secular from the primary school to the university.

Fifth—That secondary and technical education be an essential part of every child's education. With a provision for an extension of the scholarship system as will place the maintenance of a scholarship within the reach of every child and thus make it possible or all to the age of 18.

Sixth—That the best intellectual and technical training be provided for the members of the children.

Seventh—The cost of education to be met by levies from the time to time and by the restoration of misappropriated educational endowments.

The great body of organized labor in Great Britain seems to be strongly in favor of a purely secular system of education, and the educational bill introduced by the present Liberal Government does not go far enough to suit the labor interest. There will be resolutions against militarism and welcoming international arbitration.

Recognizing May 1 as Labor day, favoring universal old age pensions, applying to both sexes at the age of 60 years and at the rate of at least 5 shillings per week; for the nationalization of all railways, canals, mines and minerals in the United Kingdom; for the founding of a labor newspaper; for the certification of all men in charge of engines and boilers, and for the examination of all such men from time to time to see if they are being efficiently instructed in their handicraft.

Action will also be taken on the amendment of the alien act in the House of Lords, and that body will be asked to amend the measure.

There are 2749 bakery shops in the five boroughs of New York City, which turn out the 1,600,000 loaves of bread and 800,000 cakes consumed daily. In these places 16,000 men and 200 women and many children under the legal age work.

SMOKE MARKS THE WEAR AND TEAR.

City's Plight Uppermost in Mind During the Labor Day Festivity ADDRESSES MADE

Organized labor ended its national day of celebration Monday night at San Francisco Turn Verein Hall, where speeches, music and dancing went merrily on until a late hour. It was a gala occasion and the evening brimmed with pleasure, yet through it all the dances and the music and the oratory, the thought of the carmen's strike and the hope for an immediate settlement were ever uppermost. The speakers discussed the city's difficulties with frankness, and the dancers, men and women, went over the situation mentally during the maze of the waltz and two-step, despite every effort to forget.

H. M. Alexander, delegate to the Labor Council and chairman of the committee on Labor day celebration, introduced Harry Knox, ex-president of the State Federation of Labor, as the chairman of the evening, vice William R. Hagerty, who found it impossible to be present at the opening of the program. Knox spoke on the value of Labor day and the benefits that organized labor has brought to the world. "Organized labor is preparing now for one of the greatest fights in its history," he said, "and it will stand shoulder to shoulder, no matter what happens. Organized labor will succeed in the present strike, no matter what obstacles come in the way. Let Calhoun meet the carmen half way and our present difficulties will be over. Had he done so as far as the carmen were would not be walking home tonight."

BENJAMIN BLAINE BOTH. "It is a shame," declared ex-President of the Labor Council George B. Benham, who was the next speaker. "It is a shame that 3000 or more carmen and a few stockholders of the United Railroads have placed the city in such a position that every line of work is crippled. The people demand that the carmen, and President Calhoun get together and do business quick or the people will get together and do business by taking away the street railway franchises and running the car lines themselves. Why do we not have twenty mass meetings tomorrow night and demand of the carmen the service which they had no right to take away from us."

Benham spoke strongly on the demand for municipal ownership of semi-public institutions. He cried for immediate action against the influx of Japanese and kindred peoples into the United States. "During the last year alone," he said, "the immigration of the Chinese to a certain extent, but we seem helpless against the Japanese. They are stepping into the places of skilled labor and bringing down the wages of the workmen. They do not live as we do, their morals are not ours. They do us only harm. Organized labor asks the people to popularize the cry for legislation against the influx of Japanese. We are able to legislate now; it may be too late by and by. We can accomplish now by law what years hence must be done by war. Legislate now, for the good of the workingman, and legislate quickly."

SCORES PRESIDENT CALHOUN. William R. Hagerty, president of the Labor Council, discussed the position of the body he represents toward the demand of workmen for higher wages. "Right after the fire the Labor Council was asked to endorse a strike should not be raised because of the large amount of work to be done and the scarcity of men to do it," he said. "The workingman was willing to abide by this decision, but the cry of landlordingism that is sweeping San Francisco. We were forced to pay outrageous rents or move. We had to pay and we asked capital for higher wages in every case, except that of the United Railroads, this request was granted."

"The carmen are absolutely right in all of their demands. The fact that they are acting under an apparent disability in not receiving the highest wages Mayor Schmitz will admit another day is not their fault. They had to take advantage of their position because they knew the fight was coming. The streetcar men asked less than they should receive."

Judge Frank J. Murasky spoke eloquently on the march of labor up the ladder of progress. He told of ancient slave days when the famulus were built of stone hauled miles by human beings in harness, of Rome when the laborer shrank under the crack of the lash and of later days when the workingman was treated as free but degraded as a mental. He spoke of the gradual rising of labor, of the first unions in France and their development into the magnificent bodies of today.

Clarence E. Dinley sang two tenor solos responding to scores. Mrs. F. J. Murphy's soprano voice charmed the audience in two selections. Kelleher's Irish dancing and the dances of the two little Allen sisters were entertaining as of old. Following the programme dancing held sway.

WORN OUT WITH YEARS. MINT VETERAN RETIRES. Jacob Stadtfeldt After More Than Half a Century of Service Takes a Rest.

After fifty years and eight months of uninterrupted service in the United States Mint in this city, Jacob Stadtfeldt resigned yesterday and will take a much needed rest. He is 55 years of age and has been in the mint for several years past he had been foreman of the ingot melters and received the highest salary of any man in the mint service. He is a very old and healthy man, his strength has been on the wane in his younger days he was noted as a singer and took an active part in Masonic functions. The railroad car strike, involving as it did the necessity of walking from the ferry to the Mint over a rough roadway and danger from passing wagons and automobiles, convinced him that it was time to quit active business life.

Lake Tahoe Excursion. Five days at the lake. Ticket includes 10 mile steamer ride around lake and shore stopover at any resort upon the board. Party will leave San Francisco for Truckee Tuesday, Sept. 11, at 10:30 a. m. Friday, Sept. 14, and back to San Francisco on Saturday, Sept. 15, via the trip from San Francisco, Oakland, Berkeley and Alameda, \$10.

Coroner's Jury Returns Verdict. A coroner's jury yesterday brought in a verdict of "death by murder" against M. Gomez, who stabbed Louis Uturre during an altercation in a shack at 15 Silver street. Uturre died shortly after being wounded. The jury also returned a verdict of "murder" against M. Gomez in the case of Abraham Gross, who shot his wife to death and afterward killed himself. The death of Agostino Carram, who was crushed to death by a falling beam, was attributed to accident.

Freddie Helbits Dye Works At 2223 Sacramento street, were not burned out; are now running full force. Country patrons promptly attended to.

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Sacred Heart College Opens With Large Attendance. Pupils Are Promised Greater School Before Long

Sacred Heart College at Fell and Fillmore streets, conducted by the Christian Brothers, reopened yesterday. Some of the students had to walk from the Mission, many trudged from the ferries and several "hiked" from the Potrero; but nobody seemed to mind it. Sacred Heart College was going to open and it behooved every loyal wearer of the blue and white to be on hand.

Brother Lewis, the president of the college, assembled the students in the basement of Sacred Heart Church at the close of the morning session and addressed them in brief, forceful words. In the name of the faculty he thanked them for being present in such large numbers and reminded them that these present on the occasion were the foundation, so to speak, of the college that is to be. "Thanks to the kindness of the pastor of Sacred Heart Church, Father McQuaide, Brother Lewis said, "we are able to start our work for the year; but we are not permanently located at this place. In a year or two at most we shall find ourselves in a Sacred Heart College better even than the old and in the corner stone of that building will rest your names—the names of those who in spite of hardships were glad to enlist once more beneath the banner of blue and white."

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RAPIDLY CLOSING SOUP KITCHENS.

By the End of the Week Only Six Will Be in Operation in Camps POLICY OF BOARD

After this week there will be but one soup kitchen in operation in the residence portion of San Francisco south of Lobos square and Harbor View—that in Jefferson square. The three at Golden Gate Park will be maintained for a while. The one at the Speedway will be closed last. In a short time the kitchens at Lobos square and at the baseball grounds at the various camps will be closed. Only four in operation, that at Jefferson square, at Harbor View, at the tennis court at Golden Gate Park, and at the Speedway. With the exception of the kitchen at the Speedway these will be closed as fast as room can be made for the non-supporting at the Speedway camp. This work is being done under the policy that while no person shall go hungry those who must be fed should be concentrated in camps by themselves that the cost of their maintenance may be reduced to the minimum. The camp in which these will be cared for is that at the Speedway. From there they will be removed to Ingleside, where they will be housed for the winter. At Ingleside, it has been decided, the corporation will maintain its own soup kitchen. On August 1 the soup kitchens in operation were thirteen in number. They will by Saturday night have been reduced to six, and before the end of September to perhaps two, or at most four.

MISSION DOLORES PARISH READY FOR ANNUAL PICNIC Committees Report That Large Crowds Will Leave City Thursday for New Sunset Park.

Mission Dolores parish will hold its outing Thursday in New Sunset Park. Indications are that it will be the most successful picnic held by the parish. The various companies have worked earnestly in order to make the outing a success. Music, dancing and games will be the features of the day. Trains will leave Third and Townsend depot at 9:10 a. m., stopping at Valencia and Twenty-fifth streets. The following men of the parish will have charge of the outing: General committee—R. O. Connor, F. Grimley, Rev. P. Cummings, Rev. J. Tobin, J. Gilbride, E. Murphy, J. Casey, D. Barry, J. Grant, J. McLaughlin, J. O'Neill, J. Kavanagh, E. Hogan, F. Norton, Dr. J. P. Sullivan, M. Sears, F. Dugan, J. Hegarty, J. Neely, J. O'Connor, F. Dougherty, Dr. J. Richards. Music committee—J. Kavanagh, E. Murphy, E. Hogan. Press committee—J. F. Renault, J. Gilbride, D. Barry, M. McLaughlin. Grounds and transportation—Rev. P. Cummings, R. O'Connor, M. Sears. Committee on games—Rev. J. Tobin, M. Hegarty, F. Norton, E. Murphy. Floor committee—M. J. Gilbride, P. J. Green, J. Quinton, J. O'Connor, J. Grant, T. Byrne, J. P. Reault, J. Neely, J. Casey, P. Fahy. Reception committee—J. Kavanagh, James O'Connor, Dr. J. Richards, Joseph Bell, J. Hee, J. J. Mahoney, F. Barry, M. Sears, J. Hegarty, J. O. Neil, J. Shau-ber.

MAKES FORMAL ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE STATE TAX LEVIES Board of Equalization Publishes the Rates to Be Collected During Fiscal Year. SACRAMENTO, Sept. 4.—The State Board of Equalization has formally fixed the State tax levy as follows: General, .243; school, .185; interest and sinking, .01; university, .02; high school, .015; total, .476.

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