

## Labor Party Platform

A Chicago dispatch, dated Nov. 25, says: At the close of a heated debate lasting several hours, the labor party

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of the United States today refrained from taking a positive stand on the prohibition question, but as a compromise measure adopted a resolution providing for the appointment of a special committee to investigate the effect of the prohibition constitutional amendment law and report at the next national convention of the party.

The declaration of principles includes the following:

Abolition of the United States senate.

Election of federal judges by popular vote for terms not exceeding four years.

International solidarity of labor. Maximum hours of labor for men and women to be eight hours a day and 44 hours a week.

Minimum wage for workers to be fixed by law.

Old age, unemployment and sick pensions.

Government to own and operate the banking business of the country.

Nationalization of unused lands.

Incomes of individuals to be limited by law.

National initiative, referendum and recall.

Application of the "home rule" principle in state, county and city government.

Condemnation of universal military training and conscription.

Immediate release of all political prisoners.

Nationalization of all public utilities and all basic industries.

Criminal prosecution of profiteers and exploiters of labor.

Demand that all government work be done by day labor instead of by contract.

Equal pay for men and women.

Approved women suffrage.

## RESOLUTIONS ON THE INDUSTRIAL SITUATION

The National Council of the Congregational Churches of the United States, recognizing that the present industrial situation in our country has come to a deadlock, fraught with danger to all the interests we hold in common, desires to put on record the following resolutions:

First, that no solution can be obtained apart from the application of unbiased justice by and to all classes, and a spirit of service in fact as well as in name.

Second, that it recognizes that the heart of the struggle of labor is not for higher wages and shorter hours alone, but has as its objective the attainment of a new status which must not only be conceded to it but universally acknowledged if industrial democracy is to be established.

Third, that it recognizes that the principle of organized representation of the interests of labor is the just counterpart of the corporate interests of capital.

Fourth, that while we recognize the right of the individual wage earners to contract with his employer if he so prefers, we believe that the general interest of the wage earners is best promoted by collective bargaining.

Fifth, that, specifically, we acknowledge the right of wage earners to organize without discrimination, to bargain collectively, to be represented by representatives of their own choosing in negotiations and adjustments with employers in respect to wages, hours of labor and relations and conditions of employment.

Sixth, that the council recognizes that there are three methods of collective bargaining. First, by the craft union method in which the workers are organized in great national organizations like the American Federation of Labor. Second, by the organization of the employees by industries, like the plan of the International Harvester company. Third, by the group method in which

the great body of unorganized workers express themselves collectively. The council recognizes and holds that capital should recognize in all three the expression of labor's solidarity, and its right to determine by which method it will work out its relation to capital.

Seventh, that labor on the basis of these conceded rights must, by a process of self-discipline, address itself to the acceptance of larger obligations and responsibilities for carrying through to successful issue the processes of industry, particularly insisting on the imperative obligation to fulfill contracts and to obey the laws of the land.

Eighth, that the industrial democracy toward which we are striving requires on the part of all the classes involved and on the part of the general public, unflinching insistence upon freedom of speech and assembly, so long as the use of this freedom is without disloyalty to the republic, openness of mind, a stern self-discipline resulting in a church, a government, and an industrial or-

der that shall in very truth serve the common good of all.

Ninth, the rights of the public are a paramount consideration in all disputes between capital and labor and neither capital nor labor should permanently sacrifice these for any selfish ends.

Tenth, the council believes that the recognition of the right to self-determination on the part of labor and capital is preliminary to, and useless without, an effective co-operation in common duties which will reveal that industry is, in its essential nature, a public service to which these parties contribute. And the council earnestly recommends further and frequent industrial conferences whose ultimate aim shall be to establish the community of all classes in the common enterprise of industry, as it gratefully recommends all men representing capital and labor or the public, who, by their attitude and efforts, are seeking to establish that co-operative commonwealth which is an essential part of the Kingdom of God.

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The cash value of a man's life to his family, if he earns but \$1,000 a year, at age thirty-five is over \$14,000. No man would go without fire insurance on that amount of property and yet if he carries no life insurance, he is forcing his family to carry a risk for this amount unprotected. Why not transfer this risk from the family to

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