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Labor Organizations

Help The Home

(By George W. Perkins, President of The Cigarmakers Union.)

Trade unions have done more to improve the home life and social and material well being of women than any other agency or institution. As the husband or father's day's work is shortened, the wife's labors are correspondingly reduced and brought into a shorter compass.

Women are benefitted more—if that is possible—by the good results of trade unions than the men, hence should do their part in building up and fostering the trades union movement. A certain well known writer now in the employ of the United States government, recently brought out the interesting fact that the

number of marriages fell off greatly during periods of industrial inactivity. This all proves that the more men earn the greater the number of marriages. It must be a dull mind, indeed, which cannot understand that the more the men receive in wages the more they will have to spend upon the family in making life worth living, the home more cheerful. The more time the man will spend in it and away from the saloon and other places where he should not be.

The only way for man and woman to get better wages is through the trade union system of organization. Trade unionists who receive fair wages are enabled to furnish better homes. Better homes make better women. Better women make the whole world better.

The trade unionist can afford to, and does, send his children to school longer. Well educated children make better citizens.

THE WORLD HAS BEEN MADE BETTER BY THE TRADE UNION MOVEMENT.

It is the duty of every woman to do all she can to assist the workers to organize, whether they be male or female. Every woman who works in any gainful occupation should be a member of the union of her craft. In doing so, she is first helping herself—morally, materially and intellectually; second, doing her share to make the world more attractive, and the better worth living.

Every time a woman does something to encourage the use of union labels she is working directly in her own interests.

Every time a woman does anything to strengthen the trade union movement she strengthens and fortifies her own position for better social and economic surroundings.

The Employment Agents

The following letter which was circulated amongst the manufacturers explains itself and gives the lie back to Army officials who in reply to enquiries regarding the circular stated that they were unaware of the existence of such a document:

THE SALVATION ARMY

Immigration Department and Manufacturers' Application Form Bureau of Labor

1. Number of mechanics required.
2. Nature of employment.
3. Wages per hour \$— or day \$—
4. Number of men required for laboring work.
5. Wages per hour \$— or day \$—
6. Will you furnish permanent employment for satisfactory men.
7. Can houses be secured suitable for workmen?
8. Probable rent per month.
9. Date men will be required.
10. Please state WHETHER union or non-union.

It will be seen by the above that the Salvation Army has gone to the limit in its efforts to place the number of immigrants they have recently brought to this land, and many men who had hitherto the liveliest respect and sympathy for the Army on account of the valuable work it has done amongst the poverty stricken and homeless of the old land have begun to doubt the sincerity of the army in Canada which has to all intents and purposes been prosecuting a business for profit at the expense of the workless ones of Canada.

Pres. Gompers on The Labor Press

The Labor Press deserves more loyal support and greater encouragement. The circulation of bona fide labor papers and journals merits an increased patronage, so that the influence of the local labor publication may be extended. Local unions should give all aid possible to the local papers both by subscribing and paying in advance for it, as well as patronizing the advertisers who use the columns of the labor papers.

Fraternally yours,
SAMUEL GOMPERS,
President A. F. of L.

THE HOPE OF LABOR

Take away the trade union and you take away the only hope the average workman has of bettering his condition. A wage worker is not like a stock juggling financier, he has no hopes of sudden wealth. Every dollar in his pay envelope must be earned, and often double earned by hard work. He is not, generally speaking, like a bank clerk; he has little hopes of being picked out and promoted. His chance of being superintendent at a salary of \$5,000 a year is about as probable as his chance of being sent to the United States senate. He has nothing to sell but his labor, and no means of getting a higher price for it, except through his union.

The Cheap Unionist

The worst enemy of the labor movement is the cheap unionist who gazes furtively down the street to see that no one is looking before he slides into a non-union barber shop to save a nickle on a hair cut—the fellow who chews scab tobacco and smokes scab cigars, who never wears a union label in his hat or has the union stamp upon his shoes, and wears attire manufactured in a scab shop. We have seen this fellow, and so have you, and we know him for what he is—as the worst kind of a knocker where unionism is concerned. He spends his money to knock union men and provide employment for scabs. He is ten times worse than the private detective whom the Manufacturers' Association smuggles into the union, for the latter is never supposed to have any principle and can be guarded against.

Now, Mr. Union Man, just size yourself up and find if you are in the cheap, knocking class. Do you get shaved in a union barber shop? When you use cigars or tobacco, do you call for blue label goods? Is the union label in your hat and on your shoes, and are your clothes measured up to a square union cut? We don't have to tell you where you belong. Just think yourself up and you will know that without any assistance on our part. Now don't get mad and blame us. If you are on the crooked road, repent and get square and start out on the straight and narrow path of trade unionism. Cease the knocker act and try to play the man, or else be decent and get out of the union and associate with the crowd to which you properly belong. This is a straight tip.

Local and General

You will see by a careful perusal of the ads in this paper that the proprietors of the stores in the city are catering to the demands of union men in no mistakable manner. You can now get union made clothes, shoes, hats, overalls, gloves, and almost every article of wearing apparel you like to mention. Patronise our advertisers, and boost forward the movement for better conditions by boosting the label. You may be able to buy one or two articles cheaper at the big departmental stores in Winnipeg, but you can't even your wages in Winnipeg or in Regina. Spend your money, then, where you make it, and help the tradesmen make a living, who in their turn spend money here.

Shorten hours and prolong life.

Stonemounters are advised to keep away from Hamilton. Advs. are constantly appearing in the papers for stonemounters in Hamilton, but it would seem from all reports to hand that the intention is to flood the labor market there so as to give an opportunity of reducing the wage scale 20 per cent. on day work and 10 per cent. on piece work.

Labor agents so-called, have tried many devices to delude their victims and secure patronage, but for real genuine nerve James Chenier seems to beat the lot. His office was situated at 58 Notre-Dane street, east in Montreal, directly opposite the court house, and his method of procedure was so simple that his deluded clients will be amused to hear how they were robbed. This particular labor skinner would cut out all the want advts. appearing in the newspapers and when a man came in in search for work he would first collect a dollar and then send the man to one of the addresses. Of course in nine cases out of ten the job was filled, but that was nothing as the generous-hearted magnanimous Chenier would give his patron one or two more addresses from the same source of information without any extra charge.—Nerve!

Individuality means anarchy, and can mean nothing else, for the individualist will consider himself only in any issue instead of his brethren under unity.



SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST HOMESTEAD REGULATIONS.

ANY even numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, excepting 8 and 26, not reserved, may be homesteaded by any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one quarter section of 160 acres, more or less.

Application for entry must be made in person by the applicant at a Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-agency for the district in which the land is situated. Entry by proxy may, however, be made at an Agency on certain conditions by the father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of an intending homesteader.

The homesteader is required to perform the homestead duties under one of the following plans:

(1) At least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year for three years.

(2) A homesteader may, if he so desires, perform the required residence duties by living on farming land owned solely by him, not less than eighty (80) acres in extent, in the vicinity, such homesteader may perform his own residence duties by living with the father (or mother).

(3) The term "vicinity" in the two preceding paragraphs is defined as meaning not more than nine miles in a direct line, exclusive of the width of road allowances crossed in the measurement.

(4) A homesteader intending to perform his residence duties in accordance with the above while living with parents or on farming land owned by himself must notify the Agent for the district of such intention.

Six months' notice in writing must be given to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at Ottawa, of intention to apply for patent.

W. W. CORY,

Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.

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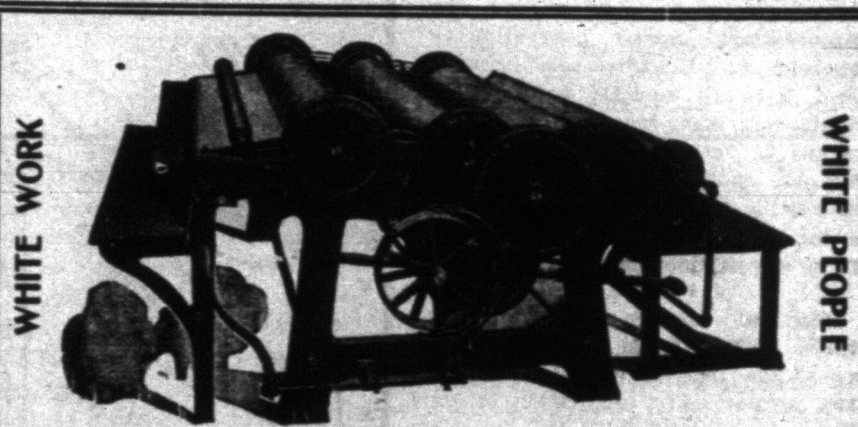
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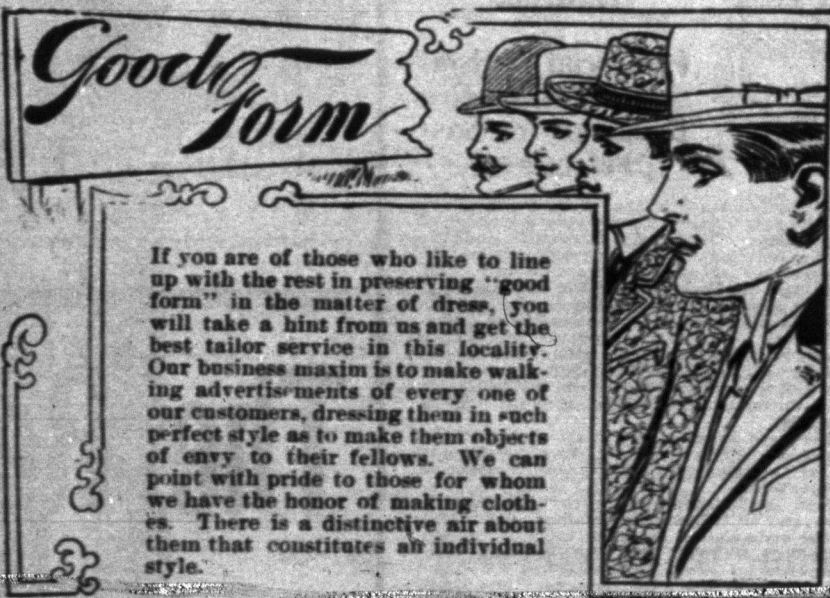


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