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OFFICIAL TORONTO DISTRICT LABOR COUNCIL

Regular meeting Aug. 13th, opened by President Jas. Simpson at 8:05 p.m.

From Amalgamated Woodworkers' Council appointing Chas. S. Wilson, S. R. Johnston and W. T. Rawlinson.

From Amalgamated Sheet Metal Workers, No. 30, appointing F. Moses in place of W. Jose, resigned.

From Team Drivers' International Union, No. 495, appointing Robert Clark in place of S. Sangster, retired.

Delegates Letts reported that those butcher shops appearing on the diverse list as unfair, were still unfair to the Butchers' Workmen's Union.

Delegates Kirkup of the Tailors' Union, reported that the Tailors were holding an open meeting on the 24th of Aug. in Richmond Hall, and all the delegates of the Council were invited.

Delegates Finnigan of the Coal Drivers' reported the P. Burns, J. H. Milne's and O'Connell coal companies as fair to organized labor.

From Labor Day Committee pointing out the necessity of every labor organization in the city making the coming Labor Day demonstration a record breaker.

From Secretary P. M. Draper, of the Congress, with circular on Brockville convention and enclosing delegates' credential forms.

Executive report was read by the Secretary, which dealt with correspondence received advocating election of a deputa-

Report of Legislative Committee, read by Delegate Douglas. A grant of five dollars was requested.

Report of Label Committee, read by Delegate Harmon. Representatives from several locals were still required on the committee.

Report of Municipal and Educational Committee was read by Delegate Virtue. The report recommended that Sept. 16th be selected as the date for holding con-

REPORT OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE. Your executive met in the Toiler office Wednesday evening, Aug. 12th.

REPORT OF LEGISLATURE COMMITTEE.

The committee met at the office of the Toiler and recommended that a copy of the following address be forwarded to the ministers of this city:

ADDRESS TO THE MINISTERS OF THE SEVERAL CHURCHES. As it is near the time for the celebration of Labor Day this Council takes the liberty of suggesting that you call the attention of your congregation to the injustice to which the laboring classes have to submit in this country.

As to this earth, with its immense resources, is it not the gift of the Creator, furnished for the support and enjoyment of his family without distinction, equally for all who dwell upon it?

From Excelsior Assembly, K. of L., re instructions to be given delegates to the Trades and Labor Congress. Referred to the regular meeting.

From Secretary P. M. Draper, of the Congress, enclosing announcement of the annual session to be held in Brockville, Ont. Referred to the regular meeting.

On account of failure of the trustees for the second term in 1907 to sign and forward the necessary documents to the Toiler Publishing Company for the number of shares allotted to us, we recommended that the Secretary secure the signatures of these trustees.

In the controversy between the Meat Cutters and Butcher Workmen's Union, No. 188, and the Retail Merchants' Association on the early closing movement, the Secretary is instructed to reply that the Retail Butchers had of their own free will adopted the early closing, and as such a majority are agreed to still observe the early closing.

The executive will meet regular at the Toiler office on the Wednesday previous to the regular meetings of Council.

REPORT OF MUNICIPAL AND EDUCATIONAL COMMITTEE. Meeting of Municipal Committee held at Hazle's book store, corner Queen and Bay streets, Delegates Cox, Hungerford and Virtue being present.

Mr. President and Brothers,--Your Label Committee beg to submit the following report: At our regular meeting in the Toiler office on Tuesday night, Delegate Wm. Ward was elected Chairman of the committee and Delegate Volden elected Secretary.

The Coal Drivers report that the Burns, Milne and O'Connell Coal Companies to be on the fair list and the Imperial Coal Company to be unfair.

The Tobacco Workers report that "Old Chum," Amber and Empire smoking tobaccos and Bols, Stag, Fair Play and Currency chewing tobaccos to be trust made goods and on the unfair list.

The Horseshoers request that all unions hiring horses on Labor Day will see that the label is on the horses' shoes.

The Painters and Decorators report that their label will be supplied on demand and only one sign shop in Toronto has the right to use the Union Label.

We regret to be again compelled to draw the attention of the Council to the non-attendance of delegates to this committee. From a membership of thirty we can only depend on the attendance of seven or eight at most.

We still lack delegates from the following unions: Iron Molders, Garment Workers, Retail Clerks, Boot and Shoe Workers, Journeymen Tailors, Leather Workers, Trunk and Bag Workers, Bar Tenders, Bakers, Broom Makers, Blacksmiths, Carriage Workers, Jewelry Workers, Laundry Workers, Metal Polishers, Wood Carvers, Meat Cutters, Special Order Clothing Makers and Barbers.

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Correspondence was read and disposed of as follows: From Farmers' Association agreeing to meet deputation from our Council, at their annual convention held in the city on the 8th and 9th of September, to discuss reform measures for our mutual advantage.

From Marine Firemen, Oilers and Water Tenders' Union, No. 323, stating that the Glass Bottle Blowers' Association was chartered the steamer Niagara, which has been declared unfair, and asking our co-operation to inform the local mentioned. The Secretary had immediately sent the information to the Glass Bottle Blowers.

From E. F. Clarke, M. P., asking what letters we desired to be brought down to the Kingston Locomotive Company, and Immigration Agent Murray, of Glasgow, Scotland. The Secretary had replied, stating that we had furnished proof of correspondence existing between the Kingston Locomotive Company and Immigration Agent Murray, therefore we desired all correspondence of that nature produced.

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All of which is respectfully submitted. J. W. Harmon, Secretary.

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