## \* Wage-Workers' Symposium

PARAGRAPHIC RECORD RELATIVE TO THE TOPICS PROCEEDINGS, EFFORTS AND LESSONS LEARNED BY THE WORKERS AS THEY PLAY THEIR PART IN THE WORLD'S GREATEST MOVEMENT.

The fact that August Bebei, a Socialist of world-wide repute in the German reichstag and working class

report an accident is punishable by maximum fine of \$20.

Nelson Printers Want Increase

Nelson B. C. Typo union is out for a new scale: \$30 for night operators, \$38 for night ad. men; \$28.50 for the job men, and \$30 for job foreren. The job men, and \$30 for job foreren. The employers, as usual, are shocked, out employers, as usual, are shocked, out express a willingness to sign on a long-term contract basis.

Vancouver Job Printers Ask Increase Vancouver job printers are negotiating for a new scale of \$4.50 per eighthout day. The present wage is \$4. The newspaper scale runs till Jan I, 1911. It is \$25 per 7 1-2-hour day and

The newspaper scale runs till Jan. 1, 1911. It is \$25 per 7 1-2-hour day and \$27 per 7 1-2-hour night. The Seattle news scale is \$5 per 7-hour day.

The Calgary Carpenters

The Carpenters union at Calgary, Alia., are after \$4 for an eight-hour day, effective July. The old scale was according to the criminal code which renders international unions as outlaw organizations.

Figures of Typographical movement, received over 2,000 letters and 700 congratulatory telegrams from all quarters of the earth on the occasion of his 70th birthday illustrates gress of Canada 9-cent per capita tax the growing feeling of identity of inthe growing feeling of identity of interests among the international proletariat.

Good Factory Laws

Under a new law which has just gone into effect in Connecticut written reports must be made to the factory inspectors of every accident in a factory or mercantile establishment, which the death of an employee or his serious injury is caused. Failure to report an accident is punishable by

"The word agitator is a favorite one sell at a price that does not suit him, with corporation officials. In the cor. He can wait. The sellers of perishwith corporation officials. In the corporate view it includes anyone who has the courage to stand up and express his convictions and opinions concerning abuses that exist. Do not forget that agitation is an unfailing indication of life. Where there is no agitation there is stagnation."

A Very Wise Official

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Gompers, it is is the testimony of Samuel Gompers, himself way back in the dim past a cigar maker. The same testimony could also be given for every other trade that has turned to the eight-hour workday.—S. D. Heraid.

Lethbridge

The allied trades of Lethbridge, Alta, Building Trades Council, including the Amaigamated Society of Carpenters, Painters, Plasterers, Electricians, Lathers, Sheet-metal Workers, and Building Laborers, have put in a new scale of wages, asking \$4, a general raise all round, and an eight-hour day—to come into effect at once. It is expected that the result will be a strike as both contractors and men are determined not to yield.

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Gompers at the Coast.

Samuel Gompers, president of the the common of the Vancouver Trades and Labor Council, Building Trades Council, and other organizations at which Geo. In Cowan, M. P., was present, the section by the central body of Vancouver the following telegram to Sir Wilfidd Laurier: "The officers and submitted to wage-workers in the Coandian Pacific coast industrial centre. Pres. Gompers to do so, if it is found that the executive council of the A. F. of L. can arrange to hold its next meeting at Seattle, as originally intended. But the Philadenthia situation and other incidents in the industrial worth seems to keep the executive members on the move. No officer of the A. F. of L. has ever visited was a submit as both contractors and men are determined not to yield.

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Even juries of men who fail to grasp the propelling motives of present-day industry occasionally stumble on to the fact that profit plays a part in the needless taking of human life. Says a British Columbla jury, as a rider, relative to a recent snowslide in the mountains. "We further consider that on this section of the road, being known to be particularly dangerous, sufficient watchmen were not employed to keep the track in safe condition."

Approves of Rev. Mr. Kerby
According to Rev. G. W. Kerby, pastor of the Central Methodist church at Calgary, Alta, "the trouble is that young people of both sexes come here strangers and have no means of getting acquainted." And Mr. Kerby also admits that religious institutions may sometimes be used as matrimonial bureaus, when he concludes: "I believe the churches here have an important mission to perform in meeting this condition and seeking to bring the property of the condition and seeking to bring the property of the condition and seeking to bring the property of the condition and seeking to bring the property of the condition and seeking to bring the property of the condition and seeking to bring the property of the condition and seeking to bring the property of the condition and seeking to bring the property of the condition and seeking to bring the property of the churches here have an important mission to perform in meeting this condition and seeking to bring the property of the churches here have an important mission to perform in meeting this condition and seeking to bring the property of the churches of present as ceretary to the state that at our last convention it the transitional union, with headquarters at Troy, N. Y., writes: "I desire to state that at our last convention it was decided to give up jurisdiction over all collar, cuff and shirt, workers at Troy, N. Y., writes: "I desire to state that at our last convention it was decided to give up jurisdiction over all collar, cuff and shirt, workers at Troy, N. Y., writes: "I desire to state that at our la

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Object to Publicity

Charles Seringo, formerly connected with the Pinkerton Detective

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support Lynch for re-election An

Longshoremen's Grievances The Longshoremen of Montreal have profited by their experience with the bonus system, i.e., they have discovered that the provisions tied to the bonus system by job owners, is such that no union man can accept. The bonus of 2 1-2 cents per hour to employees who would tolerate the other conditions for the entire season was an A Very Wise Official

Strangely enough Secretary Murray of the Canadian Manufacturers asso-citifon, essays to know more about what the wage-workers in Canada need at Ottawa than the workers themselves. If the workers were as alert on election day as Secretary Murray's organization there would be little necessity for the mightenance of lance a technical term. It does not mean that production has been carried to manufacturers.

Lettract the disadvantage. But the disadvantage is such that it can be cheeked advantage is such that it can be cheeked ed less and less. Hence, unionism if the adjustage is such that it can be cheeked ed less and less. Hence, unionism if the adjustage is such that it can be cheeked ed less and less. Hence, unionism if the adjustage is such that it can be cheeked ed less and less. Hence, unionism if the entire season was an effort on the part of the employers to avoid strikes. But the men have decided they want the full wage as each play-day arrives having some missiving about allowing the besses to play the role of philanthropists in the fail. An arbritration board is now endeavoiring to straighten out the tangle, but should they endorse the bonus system it is likely that a strike will be called by the union, which complains that as the men have decided they want the full wage as each play-day arrives having some missiving about allowing the besses to play the role of philanthropists in the fail. An arbritration board is now endeavoiring to straighten out the tangle, but should they endorse the bonus system it is likely that a strike will be called by the union, which complains that as the men have decided they want the full wage as each play-day arrives having some missiving about allowing the besses to play the role of philanthropists in the fail. An arbritration board is now endeavoiring to straighten out the tangle, but should they endorse the obtain the organized to the overland of the employees who would tolerate the often on the part of the employees to day of the saving against of

Heart Trouble Cured.

Minister of the Interior Frank Oliver, Ottawa, while discussing the ques bodies found there and remove all impurities very quickly.

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> The Philadelphia Strike "The general strike in Philadelphia is a new thing in the history of strikes relied on the part of not only organized labor but unorganized labor, has surpassed my wildest expectations. It was not called by a few leaders of labor, but labor leaders were forced to call it by the demand of rank and file of the men and women who compose the labor movement. The Philadelphia strike, in behalf of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees of America was a spontaneous uprising of the working class, who refused to stand ldly by while members of their own class were being slaughtered and refused their constitutional rights by a few capitalists at the head of the Rapid Transit company. Because of this general strike, a new situation has been injected into the American labor movement. International unions are now confronted with a new policy—the sympathetic strike. Just how that policy will be received I am unable to say. But as capital organizes so labor must organize, and as capital adopts new methods of wasning war.

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B. C. Conservatives Slaughtered Labor ed at the call of the chairman. Offi-

Example that the daily partial of the Mannes and the Sandar Oli company is 115.00 and back its own product, and the narries in the mannes and the same as a second to company the same as a se

by the "brutal" majority of the government. The division on a motion by Mr. Hawthornwaite to reduce the grant to the Salvation Army from \$20,000 to 12 cents was along the usual lines, 21 Conservatives opposed to Mr. Hawthornwaite and his colleague, Mr. Parker Williams. With this grant the origin to events; it therefore selects Army proposes to import "domestic servants" and some more "agricultural laborers" to assist in regulating the labor market during the busy season

Legalized theft is a virtue under capitalism; but being caught at it is

A squabble between workers over who shall have the jobs is no part of the class struggle. It is but a conflict

Nahaimo, B. C., printers intend to withdraw from the jurisdiction of Vic-toria local, and take out an I. T. U. charter of their own. "If beer keeps workingmen poor, wouldn't it logically follow that cham-

wouldn't it logically follow that champagne would keep them poorer? But does it?"—The late John T. Mortimer.

When a man does the least work and receives most pay it is called salary. When he does most work and receives the least pay it is termed wages.

Wages.

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> f Vancouver's home for wage-work has been let, and the \$80,000 struction a \$75,000 site (paid, for) is now w

competition for jobs will continue determine the conditions under wh the wage-workers live. Hence the ne-

Bills cers were elected as follows: Chairman, Hy. Irwin, box 166, Portage La Columbia in addition to refusing every Prairie; H. Robb, vice-chairman, Was-

New Westminster's central labor body is demanding an eight hour day for civic employees.

**Eczema Must** THE WONDERFULLY SOOTHING, HEALING INFLUENCE OF

Winnipeg, Man., and Vancouver, B. C., branches of the Street Raliwaymen's International union have liberally contributed to the support of the Philadelphia strikers.

C. Osborne Ward might have a difficult time convincing the strikers of Philadelphia that "we are living in an age of refined reason—rather than in

cult time convincing the strikers of Philadelphia that "we are living in an age of refined reason—rather than in an age of bullies and clubs."

John McInnis, Socialist ex-member of the British Columbia legislature for Grand Forks riding, has taken up his permanent residence at Fort George, the new northern interior El Dorado.

Organized labor in Sacramento is building a temple to cost \$60.000. The sum of \$17,000 is on hand, and the rest will be borrowed. The entire amount is subscribed by unions and individuals.

Many labor unions are being crushed but, like Truth, only to rise again. The American Federation of Labor will never be put out of business. It will only be compelled to change its form tactics and program.

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