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WHAT BRICKMAKERS WANT.

Exact Statement of the Strike at Toronto Junction From Both Sides.

CIGARMAKERS' STRIKE IS OFF

Moulders Willing to Make a Concession—Bricklayers Hold Out —Carpenters May Strike.

Toronto Junction, May 4.—(Special.)—All that is new in the strike among the brickmakers here is, that the manufacturers met last night at the Heydon House and drafted a proposed uniform rate of wages, which was presented to the men to-day. On receiving it they one and all decided that the rates were altogether too low, in some instances being lower than last year, and concluded that they would not return to work at the proposed rate.

Wages Varied.

Last year the wages in each brickyard varied. For instance, whilst Ratlidge's yard was paying 20c per 1000 for shifting, Mason's and Townsley's yards were paying 18c and others were giving 16c. The proposal last night is one of a uniform rate of 18c in all the yards; but this, the men claim, is a drop of 2c per 1000 in Ratidge's yard, is the same as last year in Mason's and Townsley's yards and is a raise in the others of 2c per 1000. Under this arrangement some of the men would be better off and others would not be as well off as last year.

Offer Received.

The full text of the offer received by the men to-day is as follows:

Temporing, 32c per 1000 (or 16c for each man, as they work in pairs); shifting, 18c; wheeling out and setting off, 40c (or 20c for each man); racking, 26c (or 13c for each man); sanding, 10c; spreading pallet, 5c; setting, 32c (workman providing his own help); clay digging, 13c per hour. The communication also goes on to say: "The above prices make a total increase of about 10 per cent., being equal to the advance given by Massey, Harris & Co. and other large manufacturing concerns, and after careful deliberation, we consider the proposals for the coming season will not warrant any further advance in any way.

(Signed) P. Wakefield,
Secretary pro tem.

Objections Raised.

This, the men say, means a raise of 2c for shifting, 2c for setting off, 1½c for sanding and 2c for setting in Wakefield's yard; but it is a reduction of 2c on shifting, 1c on setting and 1c on temporing in Ratlidge's yard; while it is a reduction of 2c per hour on clay diggers who worked in Mason's yard. They claim that the quotation of increased wages in the Massey-Harris firm does not fit their case, as firms of this description give employment the year round. So, indeed do the Don brickyards, where the bricks are made by machinery, and where the men have not to rush to the yards if a shower comes up in the night or on Sunday, as in the case of the Junction yards, where the brick are first dried in the sun. At the Don brickyards employment is given at $1.50 per day, not by piecework, as at the Junction.

Demands Not Met.

Since 1892 the men say that they have been cut down in their wages about 25 per cent. Last year they worked under the belief that their wages would be raised, as there was an upward tendency in the price of brick. Now, when the bricklayers are being offered boom-day prices, and there is a better price paid for brick, they think the makers should share in the increased value of the product, and have determined to stand out until they get it. In some of the Junction yards there is not enough brick to scove with, and what is on hand is all sold. The situation may be sized up by the following table showing wages paid, wages asked and wages offered per 1000:

	Paid.	Asked.	Offered.
Shifters	16c	22c	18c
Setters off	18c	25c	20c
Temporers	15c	18c	16c
Setters	30c	35c	32c
Sand boys	8½c	10c	10c
Pallet boys	4½c	5c	5c
Clay diggers, per hr.	13c	15c	13c

Now Only Twenty Out.

During the last few days various and somewhat conflicting reports have appeared in the press, relative to the action of the Cigarmakers' Union of Toronto.

The committee representing the union deem it desirable, in the interests of all concerned, to make a statement explanatory of the entire situation as follows:

For sometime past a grade of work has been made in the factories, for which no provision had been made in the scale of prices, and in consequence different prices obtained for the same class of work, a state of affairs contrary to the policy of the union. Under these circumstances it was considered advisable and expedient to draft a scale of prices, accommodating this particular class of work. The draft scale was sent on to international headquarters and was returned approved. On the 24th ult. a copy of the same was mailed to each employer, with a note explaining the action of the union.

The committee were highly gratified on the reception of prompt replies from five of the employers, accepting the scale as submitted. A section of the employers, however, desiring further information, requested representatives of the union to meet with them. The request being complied with, a friendly conference took place on the 20th ult., and at a special meeting of the union, held on the same evening, the representations of this section of the employers were reported to the union, with the result that the union, while not agreeing with all desired, strained a point or two and amended the scale in many important particulars, which, on being again presented as amended, was accepted, with perhaps the possible exception of two firms, who were somewhat reserved in their acceptance, and who doubtless require further time for consideration. The union has acted with moderation in this matter throughout. The question involved is not a serious one, and presents no difficulties, and we are fully assured that all our members will be at work again in a few days, in fact all are now employed, excepting about 20. Employment has been offered elsewhere, but as we are contending for a principle, we prefer to remain and so conduct this affair that on returning to work in the factories now closed to us, we shall have retained our own self-respect and the good will of our employers. We have, as has been said, an unquestionably strong union; strong enough to refrain from injustice; strong enough to strain a point to avert a struggle, and it is on these grounds that we challenge a favorable verdict from public opinion.

End Has Come.

The cigar makers held a rousing meeting last night in Richmond Hall, when the strike situation was fully considered. It was reported that every shop in the city had agreed to pay the increase in the price of making first-class cigars. The last manufacturers to consent were Spilling Bros. who will re-engage their men as soon as sent stock of cigars run out. At present only 20 men are idle, all the others having gone back to their labors. The cigarmakers feel very jubilant over the victory they have won and do not expect any more trouble.

Time and a Quarter.

The Iron Moulders strike remains about the same. An answer from the bosses was anxiously awaited yesterday, but none arrived. No action was taken. In the evening the regular meeting of the union took place in Richmond Hall and was attended by over 150 members. Speeches were made by the men in reference to the strike and all favored the idea of holding out. In an effort to come to a settlement the union has agreed to waive the demand for an nine-hour day and instead of asking for time and one-half for all over time they will accept time and a quarter. No other concessions will be made and the men will not return to work unless the agreement is signed by the bosses.

Messrs. W. Skinnerton, John Rogers and Harry Stephens were elected as delegates to the International Convention to be held at Indianapolis in July.

Will Ask for a Raise.

One hundred and fifty members of the Amalgamated Association of Carpenters and Joiners and the Brotherhod of Carpenters and Joiners are also dissatisfied with their present scale of wages, and last night a joint meeting was held at Richmond Hall to decide on what would be in their opinion a reasonable increase to ask from their employers. The present rate paid is 22½ cents per hour, and after discussing the matter it was decided to make a request for a raise to 25 cents. A representative committee was deputed to wait on the employers.

Nothing New.

Nothing new transpired in the Bricklayers' strike yesterday. The bosses are still obdurate and continue to refuse to meet the demands of the men. The bricklayers' section of the Builders' Exchange will hold a meeting to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock, when it is expected something will be done.

The men are holding out and their numbers are being increased each day. Three more non-union men applied for membership cards yesterday, and five left for the other side where they have secured employment.

Strike Affects Railways.

One result of the stonecutters' strike is that there is a considerable falling off in the consignments of stone to Toronto by railway from the quarries up north. Since the trouble commenced last Monday the shipments have been very small.

FORTUNES MADE IN SUGAR.

Some Montrealers Have Done Better With the Sweet Commodity Than in Mining Stocks.

Montreal, May 4.—(Special.)—The recent rise in Sugar has brought fortunes to several Montrealers. Some say the operators here have made a quarter of a million, while Hon. A. W. Morris closed out today with $60,000 profit, and one or two others were almost as fortunate.

Twin Recorders.

The appointment of Dr. R. Stanley Weir and A. E. Poirier as joint recorders is particularly well received here. Judge Poirier will be all right, and the Protestants are congratulating themselves upon having so good a representative on the bench as Dr. Weir.

To Regain His Health.

Rev. J. A. Keay of Parliament-street Baptist Church, who has been very ill for the past four months, leaves to-day for a month's trip to Thornhill and the surrounding country. During his absence several visiting clergymen will occupy the pulpit. Next Sunday morning Rev. Prof. Farmer of McMaster University will deliver the sermon.

Cucumbers and melons are "forbidden fruit" to many persons so constituted that the least indulgence is followed by attacks of cholera, dysentery, griping, etc. Those persons are not aware that they can indulge to their heart's content if they have on hand a bottle of Dr. J. D. Kellog's Dysentery Cordial, a medicine that will give immediate relief and is a sure cure for the worst cases. ed

Succeeded in South Africa.

Prof. Lashney, for some years assistant to Principal Galbraith of the S.P.S., went to South Africa two years ago. He was employed by a large mining firm as head of the draughtsmen. Recently he has been appointed chief of the hydraulic department, which, owing to the mode of gathering the gold, is the most important branch of the work.

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Granite Company to Liquidate.

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5—Are you nervous?
6—Do you get dizzy?
7—Have you no energy?
8—Do you have cold feet?
9—Do you feel miserable?
10—Do you get tired easily?
11—Do you have hot flashes?
12—Is your eyesight blurred?
13—Have you a pain in the back?
14—Is your flesh soft and flabby?
15—Are your spirits low at times?
16—Is there bloating after eating?
17—Have you a gurgling in the bowels?
18—Is there throbbing in stomach?
19—Is there a general feeling of lassitude?
20—Do these feelings affect your memory?
21—Are you short of breath upon exercise?
22—Is the circulation of the blood sluggish?

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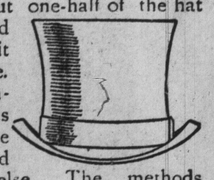

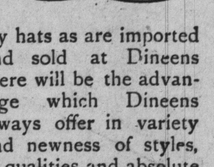

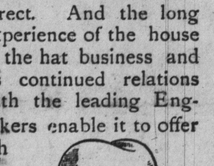

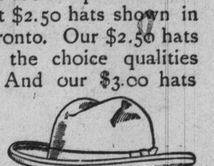

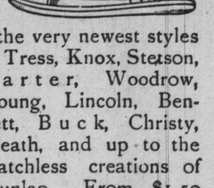

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About 10 o'clock yesterday morning a young woman, wheeling up Spadina-avenue, turned off the devil strip to get out of the way of an approaching southbound car and was run down by a trolley going north. She was bruised and cut about the face, but her wheel escaped injury, although it was hurled to the sidewalk.

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