

AGE LIMIT.

Brothers, I've been often thinking,  
As the years roll swiftly by,  
What the chances are for working  
In the future for you and I.

Many years we've hit the foot-board  
By night as well as day;  
The mercury way below zero,  
Or a hundred the other way.

But then that's the least of our troubles.  
The weather we musn't mind;  
It's the problem of the future  
That I would like to bring to mind.

To-morrow may be different,  
And we may have to go down the line.  
Looking for a site somewhere  
Where they've already drawn the line.

Will they want us? I don't think so.  
If our hair is streaked with gray;  
The answer is, "I'm sorry,  
We don't need any switchmen to-day."

In that there is no argument,  
And we would go our way,  
While the student gets the preference,  
He that's born on a later day.

And then we have to learn him,  
No matter how well you know the game  
And soon he gets the swell head  
And really makes you tired.

But the kick I have a coming,  
(Everyone has to learn),  
Quit hiring them that's learning,  
Hire those that's already learned.

It's a pretty hard proposition,  
If you happen to get on the bum,  
No matter how well you know the game,  
At thirty-five you're done.

Buckeye.

DEVOURING OUR OWN CHILDREN.

"We believe in the eight hour day," says Tom Watson in his magazine for June, "for labor in government works, in factories, workshops and mines.

"We believe in the regulation of child labor in factories, workshops and mines to the end that children of tender age shall not be made to slave out their lives in order that corporations shall have cheaper labor and large dividends.

"Saturn, the old fable tells us, devoured his own children. Christian civilization does the same thing.

"As long as we permit children of ten and twelve years to labor eight to fourteen hours per day in our mills and workshops modern civilization is another Saturn. We are devouring our own children."

A letter arrived at the New York postoffice bearing the following address: "To Any Respectable Lawyer, New York City, N.Y." The carrier returned it, marked in blue pencil: "Not Found." But that was in New York.

A TRAITOR TO THE CAUSE.

When the union man buys non-union goods because they are a few cents cheaper than those made under fair conditions and bearing the union label he is actuated by exactly the same motives and impulses as is the employer when he hires cheap non-union help. Both are making a very sad mistake, which

both will surely discover in due time. The union man who will continually keep on buying scab goods is a disgrace to the name of trade unionism and should be got rid of at the earliest opportunity. He is a menace to the common cause of organization and a disorganizer at heart. Therefore strenuous measures should be resorted to in this case wherever found. —Tobacco Worker.

REASON TOGETHER.

Plea for Better Understanding Between Worker and Employer.

In a recent issue of the Chicago Record-Herald Paul J. Mas has this to say of the eight hour movement:

"The vital question of the hour in typographical circles — the inauguration of the eight hour workday in the book and job branch of the industry on Jan. 1, 1906—is assuming voluminous proportions. Rumblings of vast changes for the future are heard, high hopes are being weighed in the balance with disappointment and despair, and over it all calm reason is throwing her searchlight, that all who will may count the winding steps that lead to victory or defeat.

"Questions from which there can be no escape offer a complete body of thought on the subject of the eight hour day to be enforced by the International Typographical Union the coming year, and able arguments have appeared from the pens of well known men on when and how the reform can best be brought about. From the pen of William B. Prescott, ex-president of the International Typographical Union, whose utterances at all times have caused men and women to think for themselves, comes one of the clearest arguments for sane reason and thought before applying that which dispenses with all inquiry into the causes and effects—force.

"Volumes are contained in the one expression of Mr. Prescott where he says: 'If employers and employees get together and discuss the situation we will then be in a fairly good position to judge how the change may be effected in the least harmful manner.' Here is the ounce of prevention that is better than a pound of cure, and, if followed by 'Come, let us reason together,' the eight hour movement and the majority of industrial wars would be a thing of the past."

RIGHT KIND OF A BOY.

A boy went briskly into an office, doffed his hat and turned to the boss.

"I understand that you want a boy, sir," he said.

"What sort of a place do you want?"

"Where there is as little work and as much pay as the house can stand."

"Most boys who come here are willing to take all work and no pay."

"I'm not most boys."

"Do you expect to get the kind of a job you want?"

"No, sir; nobody gets what he wants exactly, but it doesn't hurt him to expect a good deal."

"What pay do you think you should have?"

"Three per week."

"The other boys have only been paid \$2."

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