

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 mustn'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 ten-
der age shall not be made to slave out
their lives in order that corporations
shall have cheaper labor and large divi-
dends.

"Saturn, the old fable tells us, de-
voured his own children. Christian civi-
lization 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 seab 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 or-
ganization 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 Rec-
ord-Herald Paul J. Maas 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 pro-
portions. Rumblings of vast changes
for the future are heard, high hopes are
being weighed in the balance with dis-
appointment and despair, and over it all
calm reason is throwing her searchlight,
that all who will may count the wind-
ing 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 Inter-
national Typographical Union the com-
ing year, and able arguments have ap-
peared 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 them-
selves, comes one of the clearest argu-
ments for sane reason and thought be-
fore 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
cunce 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 in-
dustrial 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 will-
ing 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 ex-
pect 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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Space Contract Rates						Line Contract Rates		
Size of Ads in Agate Lines.	Three Months 13 times		Every other week 26 times		Every week 52 times		Space to be used as desired in one year	
	Rate	Price	Rate	Price	Rate	Price	Rate	Price
25	7	22 75	6 1/2	43 87	6 1/2	43 25	5	65 00
30	7	27 30	6 1/2	52 65	6 1/2	50 70	5	78 00
35	7	30 45	6 1/2	61 43	6 1/2	59 15	5	91 00
40	7	36 40	6 1/2	67 60	6	62 40	5	104 00
45	6 1/2	38 02	6 1/2	73 13	6	70 20	5	117 00
50	6 1/2	42 25	6 1/2	81 22	6	78 00	5	130 00
55	6 1/2	46 48	6 1/2	89 38	6	85 80	5	143 00
60	6 1/2	50 70	6	93 00	5 1/2	89 70	5	156 00
65	6	52 50	5 1/2	97 12	5 1/2	92 95	5	169 00
70	6	54 60	5 1/2	104 65	5 1/2	100 10	5	182 00
75	6	58 50	5 1/2	112 32	5 1/2	107 25	5	195 00
80	6	62 40	5 1/2	119 06	5 1/2	114 40	5	208 00
85	6	66 20	5 1/2	127 08	5 1/2	121 55	5	221 00
100	5 1/2	71 50	5 1/2	136 50	5	130 00	4 1/2	234 00
125	5 1/2	89 38	5 1/2	170 63	5	169 50	4 1/2	290 00
150	5 1/2	105 30	5 1/2	204 75	5	195 00	4 1/2	351 00
175	5 1/2	125 12	5 1/2	238 75	5	227 50	4 1/2	409 50
200	5	130 00	5	260 00	4 1/2	234 00	4 1/2	442 00

EXTRA SPACE

Extra space on all 52-time contracts of 50 lines or over allowed at pro rata.
Extra space of 52-time contracts of less than 50 lines is 6 cents per line.

MINIMUM DISPLAY CONTRACT

No display contract of less than 25 lines will be accepted.
Contracts for less than thirteen times will be charged casual rates.
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Contracts for less than 26 times and more than thirteen will be charged the 13-time rate.

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Under 100 lines 12 cents per line
Over 100 " 10 " "

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10 lines or over, 52 insertions \$2.00 per line
10 " " 26 " " 1.50 " "
10 " " 13 " "91 " "

Professional cards shall not contain announcements of goods to sell or other matter than the personal announcement of the person or firm advertised.

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READING NOTICES

NO ADVERTISING MARKS. NO POSITION

Pure reading matter 25 cents per line
500 lines up to 1000 lines, 1 insertion 20 " "
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1000 up to 3000 lines in 3 months 20 " "
5000 lines or over to be used in one year 10 " "
Special rates to regular contract advertisers.

POSITION

All rates quoted in this rate card are for run of paper only.
Top of column next to and followed by pure reading matter, 25 per cent. extra, and not guaranteed.
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ADDRESS:

106-108 Adelaide Street West

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