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THE TOILER

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TORONTO, JULY 3, 1903

District Council to Take Action

Municipal Committee's Recommendation Adopted, Which Pledges the Council to

PLACE CANDIDATES IN THE FIELD

At the Next Municipal Elections—Referendum to Select the Men Who Will be Labor's Representatives on the School Board in the City Council.

Your committee met at the Toiler's office on Tuesday night last, with Delegates Cooper, Virtue and Simpson present. It was decided to report as follows:

BOARD OF EDUCATION.
Despite the protests of organized labor against amalgamation of Technical School Board with Public and High School Boards, we were compelled to accept the verdict of the Legislature, which after January 1st will abolish the Technical School Board as a separate board, both Conservatives and Liberals alike approving such a course. We wish to express our feeling of disapproval at the action of Mr. Thos. Crawford, member for West Toronto, who not only voted for the amalgamation of the different boards, but also favored the election of the new Board of Education by the old ward system, something organized labor has been endeavoring to change for some time. We also desire to express our disapproval of the action of the Minister of Education and all the members of the Legislature, who by their votes showed an utter disregard for the claims of organized labor to a continuity of representation as we have always enjoyed it upon the Technical School Board, and wish to remind the members of the Council that we must expect very little from parties as they are at present constituted, that will ameliorate the condition of the workers and afford them opportunity for those places of distinction which they justly deserve.

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OUT-PARRY'S PARRY.
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Los Angeles, Cal., July 3.—(Special Correspondence.)—The notorious scab Los Angeles Times prints, on its editorial page, the following extract from a speech delivered by C. W. Post, at the recent New Orleans convention, over which the Demagogue Parry presided:

"There may have been some brutal and tyrannous slave-owners in the South, but I ask you if ever in the history of negro slaves did there exist such a condition of oppression, cruelty to men, women and children, terror, anarchy, beatings and murder as now exists under the acts of desperate members of labor unions."

After congratulating Post on his "noble sentiments," the Times calls attention to the fact that Post patronizes the Times. No doubt thousands of good union men frequently "have" "Postum" on their breakfast table. If every reader of the Toiler will write letters to C. W. Post, Battle Creek, Mich., giving him a good hard "call-down," both on account of his speech, and because of his advertising in the scab Los Angeles Times, Mr. "Grape-Nut Postum" will change his tune.

The enemies of union men are never backward in reaching out for the dollars of these same much-desired unionists. The way to reach the hearts of these union-haters is to give them a swift job in the pocket-book. So long as union men patronize their enemies, union men will continue to have enemies. Brothers, quit patronizing those who do not patronize you, but do not quit without stating your reasons for quitting.

Write a letter to Post, and help your fellow-unionists on the Pacific Coast by mentioning the scab Los Angeles Times.

through in its application but has been strongly opposed by Commissioner Jones. We have no fault to find with Mr. Jones endeavoring to keep within his yearly city allowance because we believe an economical official is not always found around city halls, but we take issue with Mr. Jones when he allows himself to go so far as to show his animosity towards Mr. Wheat by humiliating him before the negotiations, which both Mr. Jones and Mr. Wheat were parties to, have closed. The placing of a regular driver of a scavenger wagon on the street to sweep has always been recognized as a punishment to men who have been careless or neglected their duty, and upon Mr. Jones' own admission, Mr. Wheat has never been caught dissipating or neglecting his duty. Mr. Jones states that he wanted to give Mr. Wheat the nine-hour day and the Saturday afternoon off, just what he was asking for, but Mr. Jones forgets that Mr. Wheat was not before the civic committees on his own account, but representing the scavengers as their spokesman in their demands for better conditions. In giving Mr. Wheat a nine-hour day and the Saturday afternoon holiday, Mr. Jones was not satisfying the scavengers as a body, and we are led to believe that Mr. Jones knew that as well as we do. He simply wanted to get Mr. Wheat out of the way, and in the meantime subject him to humiliation that no self-respecting scavenger would accept at a moment's notice. We therefore recommend that the Council request His Worship the Mayor to have a full investigation into the causes of Mr. Wheat's humiliation, with a view to establishing his reputation as an efficient civic servant and with a view to proving or disproving the contention that Mr. Jones has acted unjustly and unwarrantably arbitrary with Mr. Wheat while acting in the capacity of spokesman for the scavengers in the negotiations before the Civic Committee for better conditions.

MUNICIPAL CAMPAIGN.

Your committee are of the opinion that the attitude of labor towards the election of the Board of Control and the election of aldermen should suit itself to the changed conditions brought about by the enactment of recent legislation. It has been decided by the Board of Control must be elected by the city at large by the cumulative system of voting. This gives every voter the right to cluster his four votes and place them to the credit of one man. By this method minorities have the opportunity to be represented on the Board of Control, providing there is some alderman who has been in the Council two years to represent their views. Experience has taught organized labor that there are few men in our Municipal Council who act from conviction when questions affecting labor are being considered. The fear of labor's opposition in January is the chief reason we receive the support we do from many of those who occupy seats at the Council Board, and the time has come, if it has not been here for some time, when we should endeavor to elect men from our own ranks to represent labor in the City Council. The method of electing the Board of Control, thus making it possible for a labor man to be a member of that board, if he can occupy his seat as an alderman for two years, gives us strong reasons for putting forth our best effort to elect some of the aldermen at the coming municipal elections. The number of questions affecting organized labor to be dealt with by the Council are gradually increasing, and the past six months have clearly demonstrated the necessity for staunch labor men in the City Council.

Your committee would therefore recommend that this Council consider the advisability of placing a representative of labor in each of the six wards of the city at the next municipal elections; that in the event of this Council deciding to accept his recommendation, the cooperation of the Building Trades Council be sought, and the nominations for each ward made by both Councils, without any limitations as to the number nominated; that the names of those nominated be submitted to a referendum vote of the different locals affiliated with the two Councils, the different wards to be voted on separately, and the nominee receiving the highest vote shall be the candidate of organized labor; that the expense of this campaign be borne by the locals affiliated with the District Labor Council and the Building Trades Council, and that the amount asked from each local shall be sufficient to cover the total expense for both the Board of Education election and the aldermanic election.

COMMISSIONER JONES AND CHAS. WHEAT.
Your committee believes that an injury to one is the concern of all, and that every member of the Council is interested in the recent action of Street Commissioner Jones towards an old and faithful member of the Council, who for some years has been in the service of the Street Commissioner's Department. Mr. Wheat has been the chairman and spokesman of a committee, which has been appointed by the Civic Works Committee and the Board of Control for better conditions for the scavengers in the city's employ. In that position Mr. Wheat has, of necessity, opposed in debate his superior in office, and has always conducted himself in a courteous and gentlemanly manner. His logic before the civic committees has always been convincing and

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