

LOCAL NOTES

The hammer is the master-tool of the knocker.

Do your Christmas shopping with the firms that deal fairly with you.

The printers had a very important and interesting session on Saturday.

A little emergency currency comes in right nicely about Christmas time.

The early Christmas shopper avoids the swarm.

John Mitchell is a candidate for delegate to the A.F. of L.

Shop early and avoid the shopworn toy.

Five new lodges of machinists were organized during the month of November.

And yet, more's the pity, some men are wrongfully judged and judged.

It is fair to remark that panics involving widespread misery do not originate in trade unions.

But then, after all, would the exhilaration of the merry Christmastide be quite complete without the crush.

Wonder if the "practical candidate" in Ward 5, has yet realised what it was that struck him.

The caretaker of the Trades Hall is certainly performing his duties in a creditable way.

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Some of those who have had much to say about safe and sane politics, seem to have missed their cue in the matter of safe and sane finance.

President Roosevelt in his message to congress recommends legislation during the present session to regulate women and child labor in the States.

Honore J. Jaxon, who spent the greater part of the week in the city, left Friday morning for Prince Albert.

Local labor men took practically no action in the mayoralty contest. Both candidates expressed themselves favorably to the working men.

The industrial Shylocks will yet be made to acknowledge that their \$1,500,000 labor crushing fund was a losing investment.

In the interests of the general welfare trade unionists should, when possible spend their money where it will do their cause some good.

The doctrine of an elastic currency is all right as a theory, but the troublesome question is, Who's going to manipulate the elastic?

Meeting of the Canadian Labor Party Sunday. Be there.

Criticism of those who become anxious for the safety of money hoarded as a means of existence comes with bad grace from the hoarders of millions.

The advice given on Sunday by Honore J. Jaxon, to the local workers on the abolition of selfishness in union circles, was timely and well-advised.

The local typos are devising some scheme to celebrate, and incidentally help their treasury. The plan of procedure has not yet been decided upon but the committee are hard at work.

There are more unemployed bricklayers in the city this year than there were at the corresponding period last year, in spite of the mild weather.

The new sign over the entrance to Trades Hall is very attractive as well as proving very useful to strangers in locating that important place of meeting.

The Trades Hall was occupied on Wednesday and Thursday by the convention of agricultural societies. The convention was addressed by Honore J. Jaxon.

Ray Graham has returned from his recuperating trip south, and started work this week. His trip did him all kinds of good and he says he never felt better.

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Everything points to the concert and dance to be given by the T. & L. C. on Dec. 26th, being a success. Tickets are only 50 cents each, and may be had from any member of the committee.

There is some talk of calling a big joint convention of farmers and city mechanics to discuss ways and means of uniting forces for the general welfare of producers of the country's needs.

George T. Walker, the financial secretary of the Trades and Labor Council, is spending the week in Indian Head, where he is looking after the interests of his firm, Messrs. Cook, Potts & Smith.

One hundred and forty laborers employed by the U.S. government on the construction of fortifications at Cushing Cow and Diamond Islands, Maine, struck recently for increased wages.

Mayor Smith says that he never had any experience with the eight-hour day. Judging by the activity of His Worship for the week ending Saturday, Dec. 7th, guess he's right.

If it don't soon snow Freddy is going to take off his boots again. Let us all hope it snows for it does look odd for a man to be going about town in his socks.

Remember This! Catalogue firms in the east offering cheap Xmas bargains, are invariably sweat shop employers. Spend your money where you make it, and buy labeled goods.

Boost the label

The newspaper men can most of them say "it never touched me." A "flurry" may come and a "flurry" may go, but the newspaper man goes on forever—working for his board and clothes, and boosting other people's get-rich enterprises.—Guthrie Star.

"We protest against and repudiate the theory either expressed or implied that there exists any direct or indirect property right in workmen other than the workmen themselves, and in defence of our position upon these great fundamental principles made sacred by history and traditions we pledge our united efforts."—Samuel Gompers.

"If the rights and the interests of the people are to be protected and defended against modern greed, avarice, chicanery, and unlawful power, we can not, and we will not, surrender or yield the exercise of the liberty of speech, the liberty of the press."—Samuel Gompers.

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Organised labor won a signal victory at Fort Worth, Texas, by electing a ticket from top to bottom which had been selected by Trade unionists co-operating with other interests in the city.

TALKING MACHINES

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TRADE UNION CARDS

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TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION, 657, meets first Saturday in Trades Hall. President J. M. Norris; Vice Pres., Thos. M. Molloy; Fin.-Sec., Jas. D. Simson; Rec.-Sec., W. Stevens; Sgt.-at-Arms, Jno. McLeod. Secretary's address: Jas. D. Simson, P.O. Box 338, Regina, Sask.

BRICKLAYERS AND MASONS International Union of America, Saskatchewan No. 1. Meets every Tuesday in Trades Hall. President G. Willoughby; Vice Pres., A. McFadden; Treas., J. Kitchenmaster; Rec.-Sec., W. Lockwood; Fin.-Sec., A.W. Chambers. Secretary's address, A. W. Chambers, Box 941, Regina.

JOURNEYMEN STONE CUTTERS Association of North America. Regina branch meets every first and third Wednesday in the month. President, Wm. Todd; Secretary, David McKenzie, Box 899, Regina, Sask.

AMALGAMATED SOCIETY OF Carpenters and Joiners, local meets semi-monthly, in Trades Hall. Presi-

dent, W. B. Bird; Secretary, A. S. Wells; Treasurer, B. Simmons; Secretary's address: A. S. Wells, Box 614, Regina.

UNITED ASSOCIATION JOURNEMEN Plumbers, Steam Fitters and Gas Fitters of America, meets alternate Mondays in Trades Hall. Pres., J. R. Graham; Vice Pres., Thos. Newis; Fin.-Sec., Geo. T. Walker; Treas., S. McArthur; Secretary's address, Geo. T. Walker, Box 1186, Regina, Sask.

PAINTERS, DECORATORS AND Paperhangers of America, local meets in Trades Hall, first and third Mondays in each month. Secretary's address: W. E. Cocks, Box 1015, Regina, Sask.

UNITED BROTHERHOOD OF Carpenters and Joiners, Regina, No. 1867, meets every Thursday night in Trades Hall. President D. E. McLean; Vice Pres., Albert Phillips; Treasurer, — James; Rec.-Sec., F. J. Richards; Warden W. A. Fahey; business agent, F. J. Richards. Secretary's address: F. J. Richards, Regina, Sask.

SHEET METAL WORKERS International Union, local meets once a month. President, J. Morrison; Vice Pres., Jas. Henderson; Rec.-Sec., A. Fisher; Treas., Geo. Dickson; Fin.-Sec., H. Chalmers. Secretary's address: A. Fisher, box 26, Regina, Sask.

WOOD, WIRE and METAL LATHERS International Union, meets first and third Wednesdays in Trades Hall, Scarth street. President, J. C. Martin; Sec.-Treas., R. Tucker; Cor.-Sec., G. Skinner.

INTERNATIONAL OPERATIVE Plasterers' Association, local meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday. President Wm. Cowie; Sec., A. R. Cooper; Treas., Fred. Hes. Secretary's address: A. R. Cooper, Regina.

INTERNATIONAL BROTHERHOOD of Electrical Workers, Local No. 572, meets semi-monthly. President, T. Walsh Turner; vice pres., C. W. Cook; Recording Sec., M. Wylie. Fin.-Sec., J. B. Eadie. Secretary's address: M. Wylie, Regina, Sask.

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The Glorious, Gay, Gift Giving Season



Of the year is fast approaching. Just 13 Shopping Days until Christmas. Less than two weeks time in which to buy all your Xmas needs, the fruits, groceries and table delicacies, the meats, the Turkey, and last but not least, the Gifts.

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Children's Hand Sleighs In All Styles

We are trying harder than ever this season to please the youngsters. We have in the drug section the finest lot of handsleighs that we could lay our hands on. Low round runnered racers, high arm top sleighs in wood and all steel.

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"All Steel" round runner high top and steel guard rail \$2.00.

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Pipes and Smokers' Articles for Xmas--Very Attractive Display

Ready for the throngs of holiday shoppers in this section--The Drug Section-- of the big store as never before.

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We are offering for your selection a most complete stock of both serviceable and dainty styles in imported and domestic gloves suitable for all occasions.

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Special offerings in made up cloths. Table linens by the yard 50c to \$2 per yard.

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