Saturday, January 27th, 1926.

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**EIGHT HOUR DAY** 

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FRIENDS OF LABOR ENTERPRISES THAT HAVE SHOWN A FRIENDLY ATTITUDE TOWARDS THE WORKING CLASS they had fwo thousand pounds and of the entire race. "He did not think TRADES CONGRESS FORETOLD DIRE **OTTAWA LABOR IS** were willing to do pioneer work. was necessary to bring detail on A copy of the resolution adopted will be forwarded to Pfemier Mac **RESULTS OF THE** his paritcular issue for you," said **ISSUE DISTURBING** AGAINST LETTING Mr. Moore. "It has been wanted PLEA FOR WORKLESS kenzie King, and the minister of ince you have been in power in **GREAT WAR DOWN THE BARS** mmigration, also Premier Drury of Intario and his minister of coloniza Mr. Rollo did not think that the bill tion, the Trades and Lawor Councils of Hamilton, Toronto Windsor and Montreal. of Hamilton, Toronto Windsor and Montreal, Gloomy. The Resolution Adopted. Adverse Criticism. Fear Flood-The following is the resolution: more women working in Ontario than the Trades Union Congress general ing of the Labor Market. One "That the Canadian government Paris .- Admirers of Max Nordau ever bfore: He claimed the unem council, headed "National Unemploy-

ployment situation was to blame. ed," states: "Chronic unemployment has re-The giving to Canadian citizens qual opportunity to those of other reduced thousands of working-class ountries in any provincial coloniza. homes in the country to a state of

ion scheme was heartily approved of absolute destitution. The cottages by Mr. Doherty, as, put forward by of the workers have been stripped "Might I suggest of domestic comforts, and even the that some of the money that is being elementary requirements of a decent spent in England to attract farmers existence have been sold in order to e spent in Canada for a back to the provide the necessary food to stave off starvation. The burdens imposed

farm movement, " said Mr. Moore. The close supervision of immigra on local authorities by the heavy call tion activities by the government was for relief have been so great as to also approved. deputation asked that proporruptcy. Many local authorities are

tional representation be given a trial, heavily in debt owing to having to Mr. Moore suggesting Ottawa. "We meet a responsibility which should MY. Moore suggesting training to the source by the nation without re for which he was responsible, delewill make a start at it; will roronto be corne by the nation don'? asked the Premier and this satis-dod?' asked the Premier and this satis-fied. If the president to the good or bad fortune of field. If the president to the good or bad fortune of Moore, of the Dominion Trades and

he thought a half holiday was enough. been brought to a state perilously Delegates McDowell, and Brown, ex-The principle of Karl Homuth's one near bankruptcy, and the long-conman vote bill was approved by the tinued drain on social resources has income adverse criticists of the indeputation. Hon. Mr. Raney said he produced a state almost of social federal and provincial governments would undertake in the House to bankruptcy- in certain areas. Destitution

Consideration was promised by em-odying a minimum wage clause in has been continued without any real ticular, pointed out that a folicy of "This state of chronic destitution

establishment of soldiers. Non, and prevent the serious physical deter-Raney thought it feasible, and an ioration of a very substantial pro-effort will be made to bring in a portion of the population. The gov. Delegate McDowell said that if the portion of the population. The gov. ernment have continued to ignore Anti Alien law now on the statute the exclusion of all Orientals." Labor's proposals for providing work books had been honored more in at a rate of wages which would the observance than in the breach, con-

women were carrying babies dividual, "I did not always have this maintain the workers in a state of ditions could not exist, as they did carriage. When first started in life efficiency and have waited helpless in British Columbia; which was ly for the revival of trad under the rapidly becoming Asiatic. He said "You were lucky," remarked the guidance of private enterprise and that the underlying motive of the

the purchasing power of the were soon on the unemployed list. workers, has ,in its turn, diminished

President Tom Moore queried if ost of production, which the em- ? was surprising that these misdirployers alleged would lead to better eted immigrants became disgrunt trade, has not had that effet. The led and lost their faith in constitu emand for commodities in our own ted government, when they found narket has been restricted, and the that they had been induced to come development of international trade to Canada by false statements. He quoted the case of Cornish miners has been retarder by our government's continued adherence to a formported to Northern Ontario mines. sign policy which prevents the rewho had found conditions not as repening of our international trading presented, and had left for other

they had found they couldn't stand "In the name of the workers of the elimate or "the loss of their beer." He explained that the antiof those who feel a genuine concern alien law only applied to contract for the happiness and welfare of the labor from the United States, and nation, we protest against the gov-said that Great Britain should exerernment's prorogation of parliament size greater supervision over the until February 13. The state of af fairs created by continued unemploy who obtained commission on all ment justifies the urgent attention abor engaged for Canada and who of parliament without cessation un- were con asequently not very particusatisfactory means of dealing ar what information they handed with the problem has been devised sut to the intending immigrant, as The action of the government in deong as they succeeded in persuad-ng him to make the trpi to the claring a long holiday for legislator's bears the interpretation of indiffer-Dominion

One of the most important and vertising and the control of book argest attended sessions of the Allied ing agencies in Great Britain. We believe that in all instances was held this week and took up the the intending immigrant should be advised of the possibilities in Canada; the economic conditions; the

tural work; the elimatic conditions and the extent natural resources ar cials, where it is hoped it will do the held out "of 'use by private capital and speculation. "W protest against bonuses of grants to any and all agencies.

"We believe that in order to re lieve congestion in our industrial sentres, land settlement schemes should be made available to citizens already located in Canada. "To prevent hardship and uncer-

tainty all medical examiniations embarkation. "We believe that the fullest and

and the Employment Service Couneil of Canada, and that all labor hired outside Canada should be inthe Employment Service of Can- war, when his health became impaired ada.

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"We reiterate our demand for own belief. Dr. Nordau was in his

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oted philosopher, and Zionist leader sho died in Paris yesterday, pointed o him as something of a prophet in

is own time. Arrested by the French during the war, but subsequently paroled, Nor-lau went to Madrid where he pre-lieted that the great struggle would have dire results. To him is attri

buted this statement: "The vanquished will carry an in olerable exasperation, and even the onquerors will soon be pervaded by

leep disappointment and wrath when they realize the fact-as they willthat their efforts, their sufferings and triumphs will have yielded them no palpable effort whatever and will not have rendered easier and more prosperous their existence and that of their families; on the contrary, will have made it more toilsome, hard and

Dr. Nordau was one of the leading tical Zionism, and for years was an

active leader in the movement. Spend Paris in 1880 and became a student of literature, art and social questions His work for the Zionist cause began

and when the policies of Zionism's leaders were in disagreement with his

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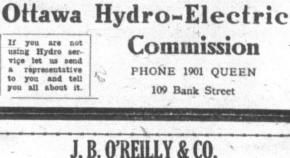


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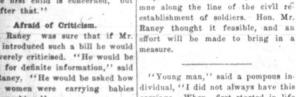
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working." had to walk." Moore stated that the applicafor such legislation had come the ranks of labor on the youth. "When I first started in life the inspiration of private profit.

d that it was for the protection I couldn't walk."





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Trades and Labor Council of this city question of Canada's immigration policy, at the same time drawing up a olicy, unanimously endorsed by oranized labor in this city, a copy of which will be forwarded to the offi-

most good. In the debate which followed the presentation by President J. A. P. of Government bonuses being ed to women who are working six weeks prior to child birth, batter the premier merely observed that have the prior to child birth, batter half halder was enough. here prior to child birth, batter batter being being to a state president.

of Ontario, for the purpose of flooding this country with immigrants.

effort on the part of the government result in nothing else but to flood ployment, benefits when provided, the labor market to such an extent to such an extent are provided in amount to in its industrial section that the sector the secured through of the movement cause after the great to deal with the situation. Unem- such unrestricted immigration could

immigration by shiploads from the

"Trade union funds have been de- British Isles, was the lowering of pleted and trade union standards the Canadian wage rate. Inducehave disappeared. The unemployed ments were made to cities such as army has been utilized as bargaining Manchester, Leeds and London, to power by unscrupulous employers, "Farmers" to come to Canada, and who have taken the opportunity take over "free" 160 acres of land to secure unreasonable reductions in from which they could obtain a glowages. During the period of chronic rious future. The immigrants, unemployment the wage bill of the buoyed up by this false information, country has been reduced by £13. made the trip, and found at their 000,000 per week, or. £676,000,000 journey's end, a dream, and they per pear. This enormous reduction rapidly drifted into the cities and

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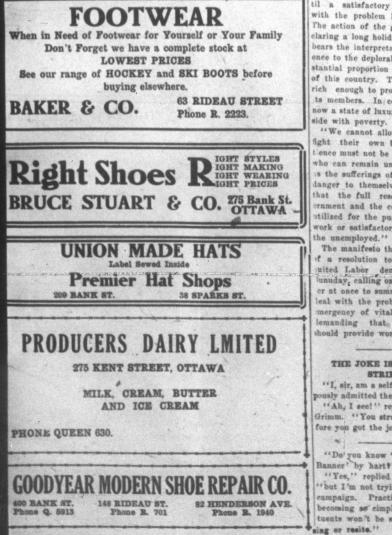
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should take place at the port of disciples of Dr. Herzi, founder of poli

closes co.operation should exist be tween the immigration department



ence to the deplorable state of a sub-Delegate Draper said that while stantial proportion of the population Labor had no objection to welcom of this country. This nation is still ng immigrants from the British rich enough to provide food for all sles, these should at least be told ts members. In certain places even what conditions they had to facenow a state of luxury exists side by and should have work provided for them when they arrived here. Sta.

"We cannot allow the workless to tistics showed that Canada had all tistics showed that canada haber-tistics showed that canada haber-tence must not be exploited by those who can remain unconcerned so long the autisans, mechanics and labor-ers for whom work was obtainable, ind it was a wrongful policy to flood the autisans in the second second second second second second the second second second second second second second second second the second s the sufferings of others entails no the country with this class of labor. danger to themselves. We demand ffe said that bringing immigrants to that the full resources of the gov. Canada by falsely representing conrnment and the community shall be ditions was the easiest way in tilized for the purpose of providing which to make them Bolshevists and work or satisfactory maintenance for anarchists.

President J. A. P. Haydon . com The manifesto then gives the text nented that the British press was of a resolution to be submitted to crying "Canada needs men," while inited Labor demonstrations near thereast working Canada needs near initial labor demonstrations near thereast working Canada needs near initial innuday, calling on the prime minis here looking for employment, and the press might better emulate the eal with the problem as a national example of the South African govern nergency of vital importnace, and ment, which publicly advertised that emanding that, the government there was unemployment in that counhould provide work or maintenance. Iry and that none need apply unless

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