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## LOCAL NOTES

Bro. Stewart has been elected president of the Painters' and Decorators' Union.

Bro. Graham, president of the Plumbers' and Steamfitters' Union, who is suffering from typhoid, is reported to be progressing favorably.

Mr. G. C. Hanson, a well known member of the Typographical Union, has accepted a position in Nelson, B.C. The boys are sorry to see George go.

Bros. Ackerman and Cook, of the Painters' and Decorators' Union are slowly recovering from the effects of a severe attack of typhoid.

Union men in the city will confer a favor upon us by patronizing our advertisers. Mention 'Labor's Realm' as the source of your information.

The Manitoba Free Press in its issue of Sept. 14th gave an interesting resume of the history of Trade Unionism in Winnipeg. The article was well illustrated with cuts of the various leaders.

The Bros. Dundas, of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, who have been down with typhoid, are both out of the hospital. Bro. Shaw is slowly improving.

Mr. Alex Cohen, the popular manager of the Lansdowne Hotel, lost his life on Monday last through the accidental discharge of a gun while on a shooting expedition.

The Firemen's Challenge Cup, presented for competition by the Regina Trades and Labor Council, is now displayed in O. H. Gordon's store on Scarth St., and is attracting a deal of attention.

Both the Amalgamated Society and the Brotherhood of Carpenters and

Joiners report that trade is looking up. This is gratifying to record as there have been quite a few carpenters walking the streets lately.

A delegate from a local union reported at Saturday's meeting of the Trades and Labor Council that all members of his union were busy—most of them looking for work. This does not look like a scarcity of labor.

Bros. Richards, Martin, Wells and Phillips, acting as Organization Committee for the Trades and Labor Council have been busy this week. They called a meeting of the plasterers of the city on Tuesday evening, and, as a result, application has been made for a charter.

The verdict of the jury who inquired into the causes surrounding the death of Mueller, who lost his life last Saturday through a cave-in of the Dewdney St. sewer, show that they were not satisfied that the drain was properly protected or braced. They thought the accident might have been avoided had proper precautions been taken.

There was quite an affecting scene on Saturday when the eastbound train cleared from the depot, having among its passengers Regina's delegates to the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada. It is said that the travellers have selected a suitable monument to be used in the event of their not surviving Convention week.

It is expected that in the near future several new locals will be established in Regina. The organization committee of the Trades and Labor Council have an excellent record for work accomplished, but still there are several trades in the city not organized, and they intend to institute a vigorous campaign.

Bro. J. Stewart, of the Painters' and Decorators' Union, was on Saturday elected by acclamation to the office of Vice-President of the Regina Trades and Labor Council, vice Bro. J. Jonas,

who has left the city. Bro. Stewart is an earnest and intelligent worker in the cause of unionism, and the Council are to be congratulated on choosing such an efficient man for their vice-president.

It may not be generally known to our readers that Mr. Wm. Trant, police magistrate of Regina, is the author of the celebrated essay on trade unions that won the prize awarded by the Trade Union Congress of England. The essay was published in book form, went through two editions, was also published in the United States and Australia, and is quoted by the Encyclopedia Britannica as the chief authority on the trade union question.

The resolution adopted on Saturday by the Regina Trades and Labor Council to the effect that all work on the new Provincial Legislature buildings should be done on the spot by Saskatchewan labor shows that the working men of Regina have the interests of the city at heart. It is estimated that this would necessitate the employment of two or three hundred extra men. That this would be a good thing for the city goes without saying.

In Belgium the minimum pay of printers, roofers, glaziers, painters and boiler makers is 7 cents an hour or 70 cents a day. Blacksmiths, locksmiths, carpenters, masons, plumbers, and electricians are paid 80 cents a day.

The journeyman plumbers of Vancouver have served notice on the employers that after October 1 a daily wage of \$4.50 will be demanded, an advance of 50 cents above the present wage. Several of the shops have already signed the agreement but some have declared they will hold out against the demand even to the extent of entering the "open shop" class. The number of journeyman plumbers in the various shops is stated to be 100 union and 25 non-union men.

## Convention of Trades and Labor Congress

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flattery. A few weeks afterwards Governor Steunenburg was found murdered, and it was alleged that it was the act of the miners, who had left Steunenburg alone for twelve years. Harry Orchard, who at one time belonged to a trade union, but was more a gambler than a trade unionist, was arrested and confessed most profusely, saying among other things that he had been instigated by the Federation of Miners. Three men, Moyer, Pettibone and Haywood, were kidnapped and taken from Colorado, away from the state where they were known, and where they were likely to get justice, to Idaho, where they were unknown. One of the incidental results of the labor movement would be to obtain for American citizens that personal liberty which Canadians enjoyed. For fourteen months these men were kept in jail, in solitary confinement part of the time. But the whole conspiracy against them fell through because an upright judge was sitting on the bench.

A full report of the concluding sessions of the Congress will appear in our next week's issue.

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A. P. KETCHEN,  
14-15 Deputy Commissioner.

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AMALGAMATED SOCIETY OF Carpenters and Joiners, local meets semi-monthly, in Trades Hall. President, C. C. Sharman; Secretary, A. S. Wells; Treasurer, W. B. Bird. Secretary's address: A. S. Wells, Box 614, Regina, Sask.

REGINA TRADES AND LABOR Council meets second and fourth Saturdays, in Trades Hall. President Thos. M. Molloy; Vice-President A. Luhm; Fin.-Sec'y, Geo. T. Walker; Corresponding Secretary, Hugh Peat; Warden, W. Watson; Statistician, W. E. Cocks. Secretary's address, Hugh Peat, P.O. Box 39, Regina.

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BRICKLAYERS AND MASONS International Union of America, Saskatchewan No. 1. Meets every Tuesday in Trades Hall. President, W. McIlroy; Vice President, McFadden; Treasurer, H. Walker; Recording Secretary, W. Lockwood; Fin.-Sec'y, W. A. Chambers. Secretary's address W. A. Chambers, Box 941, Regina.

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