

THE LABOR EXCHANGE.

Labor Unions vs. a Union of Labor.

The working population of the United States is estimated as numbering twenty-two millions, or one third of the entire population. For the past twenty years those employed in various trades have formed themselves into Unions for the purpose of bettering their condition by advancing or upholding wages. For this purpose they have used every available argument and often adopted compulsory means to induce their fellow wage-earners to join these organizations. For 364 days in each year each Union has industriously labored to increase its numbers, truthfully claiming that if all would join they could accomplish the objects sought, but on the last day of the year—election day—they have abandoned this principle, and, by dividing their votes between the various parties, defeated themselves at the very place where they could accomplish so much good. Past events show that there are now Labor Unions enough, and what is now needed is to combine these various organizations until there is a Union of Labor—that is to say a Union of the producers of wealth.—Self-Reliance.

A Simple Idea.

The Labor Exchange idea is very simple. It is based upon the following propositions, all of which are truths capable of the clearest demonstration; all absolutely uncontrovertible: 1. Labor produces all wealth. 2. All wealth belongs in equity to those who produce it. 3. The productive capacity of each individual (and hence of society) is greater than his consumptive capacity.

Inland Empire: The question sometimes rises in our minds, whether the monkeys in the jungles who have gathered a store of cocoanuts and other things to their taste, sit and chatter with other members of the tribe, bask in the sunlight, eat their fill of stores they have gathered and enjoy life, are not entitled to more credit for their exhibition of good sense than a civilized (?) nation of workers who produce an abundance then sit down and starve in the midst of the plenty they have created and imagine themselves independent sovereigns? This attitude of lethargy and inertia is lamentable; yes, more; it is positively maddening. A few more turns of the screws, a little more shortening of the rations and the people may exhibit the sense of the monkey tribe. An empty stomach is a great incentive to thought, and the Labor Exchange is its ripened fruit.

Accountant: Government bonds are promises to pay uncreated wealth of the future—to be wrung from the unborn generations by taxation.

Labor checks are promises to pay actual wealth from labor's depositary.

Bonds represent debt; Labor checks represent wealth; Bonds (and interest) enable the rich drone to absorb the product of the poor producer;

Labor checks enable the toiler to retain the products of his labor;

Bonds are issued by men who gamble on the patriotism, honesty and fighting qualities of the men whom they conspire to rob;

Labor checks are issued only when actual wealth has been created and deposited;

Bonds hide in the coffers of the rich;

Labor checks seek the pockets of the producers.

If you were asked to work for labor checks or vote for more bonds, which would you do?

Inland Empire: Occasionally we hear some poor deluded laboring men make the assertion that the cost of labor fixes the price of all commodities. How a laboring man can remain so ignorant in the face of such overwhelming proofs to the contrary, is beyond our comprehension. With the Labor Exchange, labor fixes the cost, but where is the individual enterprise or corporation in which it does?

Labor Bulletin: Labor doesn't seem to recognize what an important factor it is in the business world. It is the mainspring of the whole machinery, and lies hidden beneath the glittering parts of less important functions which receive exclusive notice in the public eye.

Labor Exchange Guide: Usury is the vampire which sucks the substance of the workers and keeps him starved and miserable. Struggle usury and labor will be free. The Labor Exchange will kill this monster and free labor.

Labor Exchange Guide: It is the ultimate purpose of the Labor Exchange to loan money on personal and real property at cost. This will abolish interest.

WANTED—FAITHFUL MEN OR women to travel for responsible establishments in Oregon. Salary \$750 per month. Position permanent. Referenced. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. The National Star Insurance Bldg., Chicago.

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LOCAL ITEMS.

Jack Fox returned from Kearby, Josephine county, last Wednesday.

Mrs. Hazard moved over from Empire to this place by last Friday's train.

W. M. Lafferty, of Norway, was in town last Friday. Mr. L. gave the HERALD a call.

Comrade Walter Drane and George Stevenson took a bunting trip last week in the direction of Brewster valley.

Bird Noster is the happy father of a 4-pound son, and that is the reason the store was closed so much the past few days.

Miss Minnie Morris came over from Empire last Thursday, and will be the guest of Mrs. D. E. Dean for a fortnight.

J. H. Cecil returned from a camping and hunting trip last Wednesday. His party saw a band of elk in the section visited.

A sink-well is being excavated at the courthouse block for the purpose of the drainage of the public buildings. Tom Krewson secured the contract.

WANTED—A good dairy farm of from 100 to 300 acres, already stocked with good dairy cows, for a cheesery. Will lease for a few years with privilege of buying.

Uncle Jack Laird has been on the sick list lately, but came to town on business last Thursday. The trip was more than he should have undertaken, however.

L. L. Dietz, a practical watch repairer, will soon open a shop in Coquille City—in the meantime will do all kinds of repairing at home, at the Judge Noster residence.

President P. S. Campbell, of the Monmouth State Normal School, will be present and assist in conducting the annual teachers' institute to be held at Bandon August 23 to 26, inclusive.

Prof. Frank Bunch and family left last week for their new home in Florida. They will make a stop of a few weeks in Nebraska, visiting Mrs. Bunch's people, and then proceed to their destination.

To Trade—For a farm near Coquille City: A house and lot in Florence, Texas, worth \$1200, or 240 acres of land—40 acres improved, house wanted for \$400; all fenced; 50 miles from San Antonio, Texas. Or 160 acres in eastern Nebraska, adjoining Grant county seat of Perkins county. Considerable improvements on this place; a well that cost \$500. For further information, call at the HERALD office.

There are two reasonable things which everybody should do: take good care of one's health; and if lost, regain it quickly, and to this everybody will agree. And there are a great multitude of people who are agreed that for both purposes Simmons Liver Regulator is the best helper.

The receipts from interest, on the irrevocable school fund in the hands of the state school land board, amounting to \$135,154.42, was last Tuesday apportioned among the various counties, at a session of the board at Salem, according to the number of children enumerated in the various counties, and, in accordance with the apportionment, State Treasurer Phil Metchan forwarded the various amounts to the respective county treasurers.

Following is the apportionment to Coos and Curry counties, showing the number of children in each county, as per the last school census, and the amount apportioned to each county: Coos county, 4025 children; \$4186. Curry county, 759 children; \$778.96. There are 333 children more than last year, and the amount distributed is \$313.81 less than last year, which is accounted for by the additional cost of collecting the past year. The per capita is also 1 cent less than last year, being \$1.04 per capita.

James Inman, wife and daughter, of Looking Glass, with friends James Laird and R. M. Young, of Sitkam, passed through this city last Wednesday on a summer's outing at the beach. Mr. Inman and party were highly pleased with the pleasures of the trip and were considerably surprised at the enormous crops of grain and grass and fruit viewed on the way. Mr. Inman, who has traveled not a little, says the only thing that comes near the crops seen in Coos county are the engravings to be seen in catalogues of eastern seedsmen. No doubt there are other lands in Oregon farther east in the state as rich in composition as in Coos county, but they are devoid of the climatic conditions that are found so near the coast. There was one thing that puzzled Mr. Inman and party, and that was why the land should be offered so cheap by the farmers on the route, when they are so blessed with so favored a climate. The HERALD was honored with a call from Messrs. Inman and Young, the latter lately from San Antonio, Texas.

The Alliance was hung up on the "hogback" all day Wednesday.

The Libby mine has worked full time since starting up, a week ago Monday.

Ed Hussey and Ed Thompson were in town last week from their mine on the Sixes. They brought with them a small fraction of a month's earnings. It consisted of nuggets and altogether was valued at \$250. The largest nugget was worth a fraction less than \$10.

The following officers of Myrtle Lodge, No. 3, K. of P., were installed last week by Grand Chancellor Oliver: T. T. Golden, C. C.; Geo. Black, V. C.; John Hall, K. of R. A. S.; E. P. Norton, M. of F.; F. A. Golden, M. of C.; Norris Jensen, O. G.; L. P. Manning, I. G.

The second month of school in district No. 19 ended Friday, July 30, with following results: Averages above 95—Lydia Livesay, Robert Livesay, Freddie Tully, George Strang, Above 80—Florence Williams, May Gabeler, Orville Gabeler, George Caldwell, Earl Conger, Above 75—Lottie Owens, Grace Owens, Jenny Livesay, Thos. Twobig, Jr., Clarence Conger, Clyde Caldwell, Othe Norton, Wenny Norton, Walter Norton, Thos. being neither absent nor tardy are: May Gabeler, Othe Norton, Wenny Norton, Walter Norton, Orville Gabeler. Department of all is very good. LIBBIE GABELER, Teacher.

Notice is hereby given that for the purpose of making an examination of all persons who may offer themselves as candidates for teachers of the schools of this county, the county school superintendent thereof will hold a public examination at Coquille City, commencing on Wednesday, at 1 o'clock p. m., the 11th day of August, 1897.

Teachers who are eligible for state certificates and diplomas must make application at the same time. Dated this 22d day of July, 1897. J. H. BARLOW, County School Superintendent.

A Dishwasher's Luck. New York, Aug. 2.—A special to the World from Boston says: Carl Cronheild, who has been employed in leaving coal and washing dishes in this country, has been notified of the death of his older brother Count Henrik Julius Cronheild of Sweden, without issue, with a request that he return and take possession of the estates as the only living representative of his family, the Cronheilds of Florida. He thus comes into a title, four large properties and an income of \$50,000 a year.

Whipped His Sister to Death. Shelbyville, Ind., Aug. 3.—Ivory Law, a well-known young farmer, returned to the home of his sister, Mrs. Lina McPherson, after a spree in this city, and was reprimanded by her. Law grew angry and resented the words by going to a barn and securing a whip, with which he assaulted his sister, wearing it out upon her. The woman was frightfully injured and will die. A crowd headed by the woman's husband is hunting for Law.

Baker City, Or., Aug. 2.—Last night Chung Lee, a Chinese merchant, who recently failed in business, attempted to kill a 16-year-old Chinese girl named Que by stabbing her 10 times in different parts of the body. The blade was short, and the girl will probably recover. He has not yet been caught.

The Cascade hot springs are located about 61 miles east of Silverton, and 30 miles from Table Rock. There are three springs at an elevation of about 2500 feet above sea level. They are located on the main South Fork of the Clackamas on the government timber reserve. The main spring is eighteen inches across the top and the cavity is in solid rock. The temperature of the water has never been taken. It appears to be boiling hot at all times and will cook eggs in a short time. The water boils and spouts upward and a peculiar hissing sound issues from the cavity. The water contains mineral and has a sulphurous taste.

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Lane county received \$7390.24 as its portion of the state school fund. This is about \$300 less than was received last year.

Home Suggestions.

Castor oil applied once a day for several weeks will never fail to remove warts.

The luster of morocco may be restored by applying the white of an egg with a sponge.

Bent whalebones can be restored and used again by simply soaking in water a few hours, then drying them.

Soda or saleratus when dissolved in hot water loses most of its carbonic acid gas, which is its rising property.

A thin coating of three parts lead melted with one part resin, applied to stoves and grates, will prevent their rusting in summer.

To dry shoes quickly, which have been wet, without injuring the leather, heat some pebbles in a pan and insert them in the shoes.

An apple kept in the cake-box will keep moderately rich, cake moist for a great length of time, if the apple is renewed when withered.

By rubbing a fresh lemon thoroughly into a soiled sponge and rinsing it several times in lukewarm water, it will become as sweet as when new.

A little bag of mustard laid on the top of pickle jars will prevent vinegar from becoming moldy, if the pickles have been put up in vinegar that has not been boiled.

Ruth Hall, in "Good Housekeeping," gives the following recipe for whitening the hands: Two drachms of diluted sulphuric acid, one drachm of tincture of myrrh, four ounces of soft water. After washing with soap, dip the fingers in the mixture.

A well-recommended cement for mending glass and china is made of three parts of resin, one part of caustic soda, five parts of water well worked together. Clean the edges of the broken article, smear with the cement and set away to dry thoroughly.

It is said that a piece of camphor gum is a good indicator of what the weather is to be: If when the camphor is exposed to the air, the gum remains dry, the weather will be fresh and dry; but if the gum absorbs the moisture and seems damp, it is an indication of rain.

Accidentally Shot. A fatal accident occurred at Gardner, Monday, in which the eight-year-old daughter of Chas. Marks was accidentally shot and killed by her brother, a few years her senior. It appears that the two children were playing up-stairs at their home when the little girl started to go down stairs. The boy playfully pointed a shot gun, which he supposed was not loaded, at his sister and pulled the trigger. The gun went off, the charge entering the neck and killing the girl instantly.—Marshfield Sun.

The regular monthly meeting of the board of asylum trustees was held at Salem, Aug. 3. The report of Superintendent Paine for the month of July was approved. A synopsis of the report is as follows: Of the number of inmates, 766 are males and 349 females. The total number in the institution during the month was 1259. The number of officers and employes is 146. The expense for articles consumed amounted to \$5024.10. The monthly per capita expense was \$2.21; the daily per capita expense was 29.8 cents.

Oregonian: The attempt to introduce barmaids in this country has failed and Australia has decreed the total extinction. But there are 25,000 barmaids in London alone, and they may be regarded as a British institution. Most of them are said to be the daughters of small farmers and country innkeepers. It is not a pleasant spectacle, and British critics of America should occasionally turn their gaze upon the extremely poor used to make of young womanhood.

Mrs. A. Hammond, wife of a well-known railroad conductor, and her 17-year old daughter May were caught from a small boat by the wheel of the steamer Elmore, near the Ainsworth dock, Portland, last week, carried over the wheel, and drowned in the river. J. D. Melver, who was rowing the small boat, barely escaped with his life, and is blamed for taking the ladies into such a dangerous place. The bodies were recovered Saturday.

The new woolen mill now in the course of construction at Union is about enclosed, and the water power, machinery and entire plant will be in running order by this fall. The mill cost, complete with all its fittings, \$20,000. The mill is three stories in height, covers a space of 60x80 feet and will get power from Catherine creek.

At Akron, Ohio, Aug. 3, George Young, 13 years old, son of respected parents, committed suicide by hanging himself with a rubber hose. The hose had stretched, but the boy pulled up his feet, and slowly strangled to death.

Gov. Tanager, of Illinois, was bisped as he rode through the streets of Chicago on Logan day by some of the citizens who condemned him for signing the oppressive street-car bills.

With its customary zeal, the Salvation Army has thus early dispatched a strong working force to the Clondyke.

Five Hundred Killed.

Chicago, Aug. 3.—A Chronicle special from Tacoma, says: Five hundred reported killed up to July 1 is the record of the terrible outbreak of the volcano of Mayon, on the island of Luzon, one of the Philippine group. On the night of June 26 the volcano began throwing up ashes and lava in immense quantities, and flames were thrown upward considerably over 100 feet. The next day 56 bodies were recovered at a considerable distance, and the recent dispatches to Hong Kong up to July 8 state that not less than 500 were known to be killed.

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