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WAGE INCREASE CAUSES WORRY

Big Increase in Wages Sets Economists Thinking as to Probable Outcome if Advances Continue.

LONDON, July 22.—Recent increases in wages of British workmen have been the subject of very serious debate by economists, employers and others as one of the bed-rock problems of reconstruction, in the sense that the nation may stand or fall by it.

Some say the question which confronts British industry is whether the pendulum of wages may not swing so high that production for competition with rival nations will become unprofitable and then impossible.

"Higher wages for all" is the demand of the organized and unorganized workers. With it is the cry for "shorter hours, better conditions of living, freedom to meet the employer on a plane of business equality, as two business men meeting together."

"More concentrated work, more intelligent work and we will try to meet you," is the response from many employers.

The question has been seriously raised here whether England in the past has owed her pre-eminence in the world's industrial markets to underpaid British labor. That view was expressed by Frank Vanderlip, New York banker, when he returned to America a few weeks ago after spending several months in Europe.

There are shrewd business men who contend that British labor has not been cheap, but considered solely as an item in the cost of production has been relatively costly when compared with the labor of the United States.

The topic came forward at a recent informal gathering in London of American and British captains of industry. Some were men who command great enterprises, who think in terms of millions of pounds and brigades of workmen. Their talk dealt with the iron and steel productions, shipbuilding, the various industries and manufactures of machinery, motors, sewing machines and the like.

The consensus of opinion among them seemed to be that the average skilled English workman of pre-war times, paid a small wage, got more money for what he did than the average American artisan, that the labor cost of producing commodities in this country was greater than for producing similar goods in the United States.

Limitation of output by trade unions and obstruction against labor saving machinery, not lack of ability, were held to be the chief reasons for smaller results by British workmen. "Speed up the work and you throw some of us into the street; more labor saving machines and more men out of work to be supported by union funds," was the labor point of view.

There is still another factor, the cost of beer, and that is rather a delicate question in some quarters. "If the United States goes dry, then God save England!" exclaimed a British cabinet minister discussing the industrial outlook.

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TWO NATIONAL CLUBS EXPERIENCE SHAKEUPS



Two national league clubs underwent shakeups as the major league races swung into the last half of the flag race. "Cactus" Cravath, slugger of the Philadelphia team, was appointed manager of the Phillies to succeed Jack Coombs. While Fred Mitchell resigned as president of the Chicago Cubs to take the managerial lines again and attempt to drive his team to another pennant.



PAULINE FREDERICK

The Carpenter's Local Union will give a social to all carpenters Wednesday evening in the basement of the Library building. 22-21*

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SPECIAL NOTICE

to
Members of Millmen & Boxmakers
Local 1764

If you have not received a letter with important enclosures, please call at General Delivery and ask for same. One such letter has been sent to every member, but in some cases exact address was lacking so they were addressed as "General Delivery." Please give this your immediate attention.

Millmen and Boxmakers Local 1764 of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, Klamath Falls. 22-31

Are you getting ready? Why, don't you know that the Elks are coming on August 14, 15 and 16? Now get busy.

Don't forget; the Elks will have a convention here August 14, 15 and 16. Get busy!

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—IN—

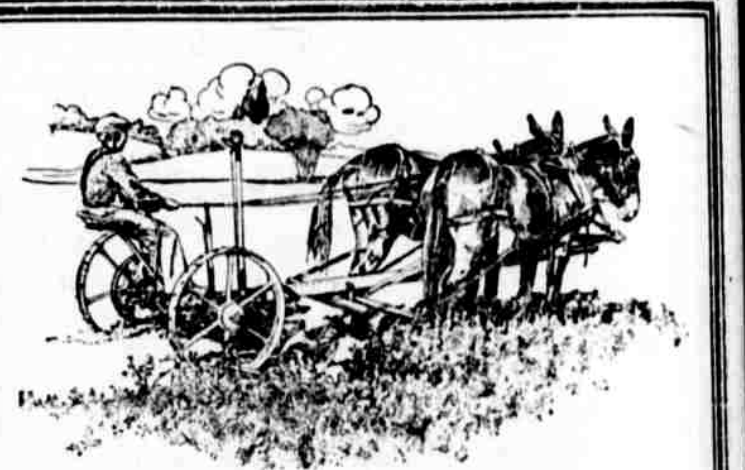
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