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**ANNOUNCEMENTS.**

I desire to announce my candidacy for the office of county judge at the primaries September 3, subject to the will of the republican voters.  
P. JAMES COSGRAVE.

I hereby announce that I am a candidate, subject to the will of the republican voters at the primaries September 3, for the office of judge of the district court.  
FRANK R. WATERS.

I am a candidate for the office of clerk of the district court for Lancaster county, subject to the approval of the republican voters at the primary election, to be held September 3.  
WALLACE L. CRANDALL.

I desire to announce myself as a candidate for the republican nomination for county coroner. My opponent is asking for the fifth term, I am asking for my first.  
V. A. MATTHEWS.  
Better known as "Jack" Matthews of Castle, Roper & Matthews.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for county assessor subject to the decision of the republican voters at the primary election to be held September 3.  
THOMAS CARR.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of clerk of the district court for Lancaster county, Nebraska, subject to the decision of republican voters at the primary, September 3, 1907.  
J. S. BAER.

I am a candidate for the office of county sheriff, subject to the approval of the republican voters at the primary election to be held September 3.  
ERNEST HUNGER.

**TUESDAY NIGHT.**

Let every unionist who can attend the mass meeting at Central Labor Union hall, 1034 O street, next Tuesday night, and help boost the Labor Day picnic and celebration. Every unionist is invited.

**A LITTLE CATECHISM.**

Now, Mr. Non-Unionist and Mr. Opponent of Unionism, let us ask a few plain questions and give a few plain answers:

Mr. Merchant, which do you prefer, a thousand underpaid workmen earning a dollar a day, or five hundred well paid workmen averaging \$3 and \$4 a day?

Which makes the best customer, the underpaid workman driven from bed to work and from work to bed, or the well paid workman who has eight hours of leisure time during the day?

Which makes most for a good business town, the underpaid workman who is forced to live in a rented hovel, or the well paid workman who lives in a neat cottage that he built with his own well-earned money?

Where do the underpaid workmen find employment?  
In the open shops and with opponents of trades unions.

Where do the well paid workmen find employment?  
In the shops and factories that employ only union labor.

Where do underpaid women work?  
In sweat shops and tenements, and in open shops.

Where do women receive good pay that permits them to live in comfort and security?  
In union shops and factories where trades union rules compel equal pay for equal work.

Who are responsible for the sanitary laws that protect the lives of the workers, and therefore make for a better state and nation?  
The trades unionists.

Who stands between the unprotected worker and the greed and rapacity of employers?  
The trades unions.

How long would it have been before equal pay for equal work would have been the rule if left to the employers?  
An eternity.

Who profits most by the union shop rules?  
Every toiler at every trade, for the non-unionist enjoys the bettered conditions brought about by the sacrifices of the unionists.

What do you think of a man who would enjoy blessings brought about by others, and then refuse to assist in the work of keeping and adding to his blessings?  
He is a "snitch" and an ingrate.

Can you blame the men who make the sacrifices for refusing to work by the side of the "snitches" and ingrates?  
Not if you are half a man.

What communities are the best from every point of view, the communities where the open shop rule prevails, or the communities where the closed shop prevails?  
The communities where the closed shop rule prevails, of course, for the open shop means one side of the city hovel and the other side of the city palace. The closed shop means a city of comfortable homes, of schools and of churches.

Who told you that trades unionists were anarchists?  
O, I read of their riots in the newspapers.

Do anarchists spend most of their time doing good?  
No.

All right. Now listen. During the last twelve months the trades unions of this country have expended upwards of \$5,000,000 in sick and death benefits. They have maintained hospital beds; they have given to church and charity. They have nursed their sick, buried their dead and cared for the widows and orphans. They have tided the out-of-work man over his season of enforced idleness, thus saving him and his children from destitution and perhaps from crime. If the latter, the state has profited immeasurably. Does that sound like anarchy?

Of course not.  
Don't you think you ought to study both sides of the trades union question?  
Yes.

Then begin at once. You'll be surprised when you learn what a wonderful help trades unionism has been to humanity, and to the state and nation.

The "red light" districts of the cities are recruited from the ranks of underpaid women and girls. Greedy employers are responsible. The trades unions are doing more for the eradication of the social evil than all of the woman's clubs and churches combined, because the trades unions are compelling conditions that give women an opportunity to live in comfort without selling body and soul.

**LABOR DAY.**

The Wageworker believes that the unionists of this city have acted wisely in deciding against a parade on Labor Day. By deciding upon a picnic they have decided upon something that will result in better acquaintances, and that is what we need more than anything else in Lincoln right now.

And The Wageworker wants to congratulate the unionists upon the stand they have taken in regard to the Lincoln Traction Co. The less they patronize that concern the more it will realize its mistake in treating the city with contempt and its employees without consideration. The only way to touch a corporation is to hit it on the pocketbook. When that is done it will jump. The corporation purse is as sensitive as the nerve of a decayed tooth.

If the union men of Lincoln will treat the Traction company as it deserves to be treated, it will not only change its attitude towards the municipality, but it will reconsider its determination not to allow its men to organize. The failure of the Traction company employees to organize is hurtful to labor interests in the city, and it does not speak well for the independence and manhood of the employees themselves.

The conductors and motormen employed by the Lincoln Traction Co. are the poorest paid of any in any city of equal or greater size in the west. They alone are to blame for this, for the company should not be expected to pay more than it has to pay. As long as the men are content to remain unorganized and therefore unprotected, just so long they may expect to be paid low wages and have to work long hours.

The Wageworker hopes that the unionists of Lincoln will turn out to the Labor Day picnic in such numbers as to show the Traction company that it is losing money by its opposition to unionism. At the same time it will show friendship for another street railway company that demonstrates every day that it is trying to do the right thing by the municipality and the men employed on the line.

Now all together to make the Labor Day picnic a great social success.  
Mr. Post is now advertising that his "dope" is as good as a patent medicine. We'll agree.

Every time you demand the union label you give unionism an upward and onward push.  
Bully! Now let the union men of Lincoln prepare to make a solid parade on election day.

And now Mr. Rockefeller is wrinkling up his brows so fiercely that he has difficulty in keeping his wig on straight.  
Some members of trades unions buy "scab" goods because they can get them cheap. No union man does it, however.

The open union meeting will put a spoke in the wheels of argument used by the opponents of unionism. It will also put a quietus on the Pinkerton labor spy.  
Hearst and Mitchell is a ticket proposed for labor to support in 1908. It's all right, but Hearst is a democrat and Mitchell is a republican, and how shall we mix the oil and water?

Mr. Van Cleve says the Manufacturers' Association is going to raise \$1,000,000 and spend it in educating the people against labor union tyranny. Mr. Van Cleve is such a joker.  
Public Printer Stillings is a radical opponent of trades unions, and one of the chief bulwarks of the open shop. His record on these things was known to President Roosevelt when the appointment was given him.

Spend the forenoon of Labor Day at the primaries, boosting those candidates whom you know to be friends of unionism. But do not take any candidate's word for it. They are all friends of the workman on primary and election days—to hear them tell it.  
Trades unions should devote a part of their time and money to educating the general public as to what trades unionism stands for. Once the public understands the objects and aims of unionism, the battle for equality and justice is as good as won.

The child labor law of Nebraska should be amended only in the light of experience in its operation, not in the light of sentiment and greed. The child is more than money, and the state's welfare is to be considered even above the welfare of the corporations.  
Look here, Mr. Union Man! Don't make the mistake of classing the "scabs" and the non-union man together. There are lots of non-union men who are thorough unionists, but who are outside of the fold simply because you and I have not performed our whole duty towards them.

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