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STREET.

SPORTS, RAZOR

## A PRINTER "DOPE SHEET"

One of the most serious hindrances to the proper growth of the American trades-union movement is the lethargic manner in which the labor press is supported by those in whose interest it is published.

At the present writing there are labor papers published in the respective states as follows:

Alabama, 2; Arkansas, 2; California, 13; Colorado, 5; Delaware, 1; District of Columbia, 1; Florida, 2; Georgia, 4; Idaho, 1; Illinois, 15; Indiana, 7; Oklahoma, 3; Iowa, 5; Kansas, 4; Kentucky, 5; Louisiana, 2; Maryland, 2; Massachusetts, 5; Michigan, 3; Minnesota, 4; Mississippi, 1; Missouri, 7; Nebraska, 3; New Hampshire, 2; New Jersey, 8; New Mexico, 1; New York, 11; North Carolina, 2; Ohio, 17; Oregon, 1; Pennsylvania, 12; South Carolina, 1; Tennessee, 4; Texas, 10; Utah, 1; Vermont, 1; Virginia, 3; Washington, 5; West Virginia, 1; Wisconsin, 1; Porto Rico, 1; Canada-Vancouver, 1; Winnipeg, 1; London, 1; Toronto, 1. To this list must be added \$5 official and trade journals. For these latter I make no special plea because they are subsidised in the sense that it is obligatory upon the members to support them through per capita tax or otherwise. The labor press I particularly appeal for is the weekly or monthly papers above enumerated by states, whose income, with very few exceptions, is altogether voluntary. In a few instances these papers are controlled by the local central trades body and in these few cases have general local circulation. Unfortunately, however, this is the rare exception.

This labor press should be supported. Of this there is not the shadow of a doubt. It is the absolute duty of every trades unionist to subscribe for at least his local labor paper. He owes this to himself if he desires to be well informed and always know the truth as to all current events affecting labor and capital. The hundreds of thousands of wage earners, who almost without exception depend upon the daily capitalist press for their information, have accepted the statements therein as to the Haywood trial and in too many instances have believed that Harry Orchard is the saint his hired biographers have pictured him. Notwithstanding the fact that the taxpayers of Idaho have spent thousands of dollars in attempting to convict Haywood and Steve Adams on prejudice instead of evidence the unionist is kept in the dark by the daily press. In the recent American Federation of Labor convention at Norfolk, Va., President Samuel Gompers recited the attempts made by Brandenburg, the agent of the manufacturers' association, J. W. Van Cleave, president, to bribe him to betray his fellow unionists by subscribing to a "confession" a la Orchard, which statement by Gompers was fully corroborated by delegates in the convention. How much of this did your morning or afternoon paper print? It is our duty to attend meetings, regularly demand the union label at all times, vote as we march and do all other honorable things which will speed the emancipation of the American wage slave. It is highly important that we be ever active to the end that child labor and prison labor be abolished; that the exploitation of women laborers be stopped; that sanitary conditions be improved—in short, that the American standard of living be not allowed to deteriorate. And I know of no more important agency in this connection than that we be constantly well informed on subjects germane to the great struggle between capital and labor. And the only place in the world where we can get this information is in that field which has been created solely for that purpose—the labor press. J. J. DIRKS. St. Louis.

The December meeting of the Typographical Union was much shorter than usual, the business being expedited in a manner very satisfactory to all. One of the most important things done was to order the printing of a sufficient number of copies of the constitution and by-laws. An amendment was adopted requiring a thirty days' notice for the voting of an assessment. The matter of honorary withdrawal cards was discussed at some length, but it will take an official ukase from Indianapolis to settle it—and maybe not then.

In accordance with a suggestion from headquarters a label committee was appointed to act in conjunction with the executive council in the work of pushing the label. Messrs. Pear, Debach and Ingraham were named. The executive committee was instructed to look for a new meeting place for 1908.

Mr. Pear was appointed on the label committee, vice H. W. Debach. The committee has its first meeting and has its first anniversary celebration. It has been

decided to make it a reception to the Nebraska Press Association, most of whose members are practical printers and many of them old-time card men. The committee promises to make it the greatest event in the history of the local union.

For the first time in many months no new member was initiated or some candidate voted upon. Several applications were received and referred to the proper parties. The executive committee's announcement of contracting with the McVey Printing Co. and the Union Advertising Co. was greeted with applause.

And by no means the least important thing of the meeting was a tribute paid to the Salvation Army by one member, and a short, forceful little sermon by another member who isn't afraid to stand up anywhere at any time to testify to the Christian faith which is in him. And both of these little talks were warmly applauded.

### ELECTRICAL WORKERS.

Official reports by Secretary Morrison of the A. F. of L. show the following in the electrical workers' union: Charters issued, 80; surrendered, 15. Gain in membership, 15,000.

Number of strikes, 20; won, 18; compromised, 1; lost, 1. Number of persons involved, 15,000; benefited, 14,500; not benefited, 500. Cost of strikes, \$30,000. An average gain of 30 cents per day in wages. No reduction in wages in the past year. Death benefits, \$10,700; sick benefits, \$30,000. Donations to other unions, \$18,000.

### FOR SALE.

In order to improve other property adjoining, I have just finished a well built, cheerful, convenient and nice looking 6 room story and half house with modern conveniences, full lot, cement walks, etc. Estimating cost figures I estimated this property for \$2250. Now I find the cost is over \$200 more than figured, but if taken soon I will still sell at \$2250, as I want to improve surrounding property. This place is cheap and will advance considerably in the future. Call at office for further details. A. S. FIELDING, 136 So. 15th St.

### SECTION MEN REDUCED.

Section men on the main line and branches of the Missouri Pacific railway were notified that their wages had been reduced one hour per day and that there would be a further decrease in wages. Quite a number of the section men threw up their jobs to seek other employment. Yet the

"Miserable Pacific" offers as an excuse for bad track that it cannot get enough men to repair the two streaks of rust that deface its beautiful right-of-way.

### WANTED, MORE MOORES.

He Must Have The Wageworker and Keeps Paid in Advance.

"I've simply got to have it, and I know it takes money to keep it going," remarked Oscar Moore as he handed over a real dollar for The Wageworker one day last week. "I get more than my money's worth out of it," he continued, "and so will any other workman who will read it. I count my Wageworker subscription as a part of my necessary living expenses, and as long as I can make living expenses you bet I'll keep paid up."

All that sounded good, coming from a man who eats his bread in the sweat of his face. The Wageworker wishes there were a lot more Moores of the same kind.

### RAN SECOND.

In the annual "hare and hounds" chase of the Y. M. C. A., Victor Barngrover came in second in a field of fourteen. Victor is a son of Charley Barngrover, a member of Lincoln Typographical Union No. 209.

## SPECIAL BARGAIN SALE LIST

Especially attention is directed to the large line of white goods having the "White Label" of the National Consumer's League which we carry. This label is a guarantee that the article bearing it was made by adult labor at good wages in a sanitary factory. It is a guarantee against sweat shop and child labor, and an effective protest against a great industrial evil. This "White Label" has the endorsement of the Trade's Unions, Women's Clubs, the Y. M. C. A., the Y. W. C. A., and kindred organizations. This store makes a specialty of "White Labelled" goods in these lines.

We call the attention of Lincoln Trade's Unionists to the fact that this is a "short work day" store—8 to 6 every week day, the year 'round. The only exception is during the Holiday rush, a week or ten days before Christmas. Advocates of the shorter work day should make a note of this.

### A GOOD TIME TO BUY DRESS GOODS

even if you plan a new suit, a new coat, a new evening cloak, a new skirt, or a new waist to take advantage of these prices.

### BROADCLOTHS

The French, German and domestic weaves—none better—in a full line of colors light and dark, prices worth all the way from \$1.00 to \$2.00 a yard.....75c

### SUITINGS

In all our fancy serges and Panama cloths; the two-toned effects; the new stripes, checks and plaids; the very choicest colors; 46 to 54 inches wide.....75c  
Cian Plaids, French and German plaids, rich or deep or dark colors; proper for entire suits or fancy waists or separate skirts, worth up to \$2.00 a yard.....75c

Novelty Wool Suitings, especially good for misses, children's, 25c house wear, much of which has sold at \$1.00.....25c

All Wool Tricots, two toned or plain colors.....15c  
Wool Cloak Materials for cloaks or would do for smoking jackets, all.....1.50 OFF

Tolle du Nord and Red Seal Gingham, regular 15 cent values, all at.....10c  
\$1.00 Taffetas and Peau de Chamois, a good line of colors.....59c

Crepe de Chine in many plain tints and shades for party or street dresses, waists, scarfs, etc., beautiful colors, black and cream, worth 65c.....50c

Percales, 15c quality, light or dark.....12 1/2c  
Cotton Challies, worth 6 1/2c, at 3 1/2c

### NO BETTER BARGAINS THAN IN UNDERWEAR

from one-third to one-half off on these staple goods, regular and out sizes, the guaranteed percents of wool, cream and natural colors, our regular lines women's, children's and men's underwear.

Women's vests and pants in out sizes, colors natural and cream, worth thirty-five cents, each.....21c

Women's vests and pants one-third wool, gray, worth 50c, each.....39c

Women's vests and pants, McDore brand, silk and cotton mixed, cream white, worth 85c each.....65c

Women's union suits, one-third wool, worth \$1, each.....69c

Women's union suits, extra heavy fleece lined cotton, Merode brand, cream white, worth \$1.25, each.....89c

Children's vests, pants or drawers; heavy fleece lined, flat weave; in vest and pants, sizes 18 to 34; in vest and drawers, sizes 26 to 34; worth 25c, each.....17c

Men's heavily fleeced cotton shirts, colors gray and Jaeger, sizes 40, 42 and 44, worth 50c, each.....25c

Men's extra heavy wool fleece lined shirts and drawers, an extra fine, soft drawers, with gusset, pearl button and draw strap, worth 85c, each.....60c

Men's Soft Bosom Shirts, in madras or percale, light or dark colors, sizes 14 to 17, worth 50c, each.....25c

### GRAY ENAMELWARE REDUCED

besides other kitchen and laundry supplies. The average housekeeper takes the time even in the midst of busy shopping to look up a new kitchen utensil at the present low prices. At the beginning of this sale we had the following large numbers:

2,000 pieces of gray enamelware, not seconds but our regular stock which we clear out for holiday goods. ONE THIRD OFF.

500 pieces gray ware; milk and pudding pans, sauce pans, cups, dippers, Berlin kettles still at.....5c each

61 boys' tool boxes containing a set of tools each, some of the boxes slightly damaged in shipping, but with the tools in good condition, displayed in the east windows. Sale prices:

28 fifty cent boxes at.....25c  
1 seventy-five cent box at.....35c  
8 ninety-five cent boxes at.....45c

3 dollar and a quarter boxes 60c  
5 dollar and a half boxes at.....75c  
4 two and a half dollar boxes \$1.00  
4 three fifty boxes at.....\$1.50  
4 four ninety-five boxes at.....\$2.25

This sale includes all kitchen utensils, wringers, boilers, tubs, clothes racks, clothes lines, children's go-carts and arriages—everything in the department with the exception of toys, fancy baskets, nickel-plated and aluminumware and a very few contract articles—Japaic, Asbestos and irons and the Universal bread and cake mixers.

### WOOLEN AND FLEECED GOODS

at much better than the usual reductions. Look over these prices and you will lay in your supply this week.

Outing flannel in light colors, worth 6 1/2c.....3c  
Outing flannel in light and dark colors, worth 7 1/2 cents and 8 1/2 cents.....5c

Flannelettes, light and dark colors, in dots, stripes, fancy figures and Persian designs, worth 10c and 12c.....7 1/2c

Heavy figured velours, all choice patterns, worth 15c, 18c, 20c and 25c.....12 1/2c

Blanket flannel in fancy stripes for bath robes and lounging robes, worth 35 cents and 40 cents.....25c

Robe blankets Jacquard figures, a large selection of patterns in any color you desire, worth \$1.50.....\$1.45

German town zephyr, black, white, red, blue, green, pink, brown, gray, purple, lavender, yellow, orange, worth 10c. 4 for 25c  
Shetland floss in black, white and colors, worth 10c.....4 for 5c

Spanish knitting yarn, black, red & gray, worth 15c.....10c  
German knitting yarn in black, red, navy, brown and gray, worth 30c.....20c

Cotton Batts, worth 30c each.....20c  
Cotton Batts, worth 25c & 20c.....15c  
2-pound Batts, worth 50c each.....30c  
3-pound batts, worth 75c each.....45c

### WARM WINTER HOISERY

and other lines of hoisery at fine reductions. Fleece lined hose, black or split soles, fast colors, excellent values, worth 25c only.....17c

Wool hose, fast black, merino-heels and toes, worth 25 cents, only.....17c

Children's wool hose, fine or coarse, ribbed, fast black, merino heels and toes, sizes 6 1/2 to 9 1/2, worth 25 cents, only.....17c

Children's fleece lined hose, fine ribbed, fast black, a good school hose, worth 12 1/2c and 15c, only.....8c

### FOR CHILDREN—COATS AND DRESSES

Children's coats in kerseys, chevrons, beaver cloth, fancy stripes and checks, plush, castor, brown, wine, cardinal, navy and gray; worth \$5.00 and \$6.00 each.....\$4.00

Children's coats in kerseys, meltons, beavers, chevrons, fancy stripes and checks, plush, castor, brown, navy, wine, cardinal 15c and gray; worth \$7.50 each \$6.00

Children's coats in the above materials and colors, worth \$10.00, each.....\$7.50

Children's coats in kerseys, meltons, fancy mixtures; tan, castor, wine, navy, gray, to sell at less than 1/2 price, each.....\$3.00

Children's coats in chevrons, beaver cloth stripes and checks; tan, castor, wine, navy, gray; to sell at less than one-half price, each.....\$2.00

Misses' dress skirts in panama, chevrons, serges, fancy checks and mixtures; black, wine, navy, brown, and gray; worth \$3.00 to \$4.50, each.....\$2.95

Children's wool dresses; sizes 6 to 14 years; navy, brown, red, black and fancies such as checks, stripes and mixtures; worth \$2.00 to \$7.50.....HALF OFF

### SWEATERS, WRAPPERS, BATH ROBES

Women's and misses' wool sweaters, in red, white, navy and black, worth \$1.25 to \$1.50, each.....75c

Women's and misses' wool sweaters, in red, white, navy and black, correct shapes, all sizes, worth \$2.00 to \$2.95, each.....\$1.50

Women's blanket bath robes in fancy figured patterns, tan, gray, navy, red; worth \$4.95 and \$5.95.....\$2.95

Women's bath robes in striped terry cloth, pink and blue, worth \$2.25, each.....\$1.50

Women's flannelette and percale wrappers, dark colors such as gray, navys, black, white and red in figures and stripes, worth \$1.25 and \$2.25, each.....75c

## MILLER & PAINE