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HAVELOCK WORKERS

There are things doing out in Havelock these days. The enlargement of the shops is furnishing a lot of employment to masons, carpenters and structural ironworkers, and the immensity of the new buildings shows that the shop force is going to be more than doubled, and that Havelock will profit by the Burlington policy of concentrating its shop work there.

And the Machinists, Blacksmiths and Boiler-makers Unions are not losing time in unnecessary sleep, either. They are awake to the union game throughout, and propose keeping right along with the growth of the shop force. New members are being taken into each of these organizations with pleasing regularity.

Next Sunday there will be a big meeting of all the unionists of Havelock, at which time there will be some good talks and a general union "love feast." The non-unionists have all been invited to the meeting as the guests of the union men, and an effort will be made to interest them in the labor movement. Frank M. Coffey, president of the State Federation of Labor, and the editor of The Wage-worker will be among the speakers present. The indications are that it will be one of the biggest union meetings ever held in the Shop City.

Work is rushing at the shops these days, and working conditions are get-

ting better, too.

The news that the next convention of the State Federation would convene in Havelock was greeted with applause when made known to the Havelock locals by their delegates. Already plans are being laid to make that convention a record breaker for the west. All Havelock will join hands in extending a hearty welcome to the delegates, and there will be plenty of the right kind of entertainment provided for the visitors.

The matter of having live representatives at the meetings of the Central Labor Union ought to be taken up by the Havelock locals.

The Machinists' Union is organizing an Auxiliary at Havelock. These auxiliaries are mighty good things, and every local union of every craft ought to organize them. The "women folks" can help a lot in pushing the union game along.

H. G. Sidell, a valued member of the Machinists' Union, died at his home, 941 North Fifteenth street, Lincoln, on Thursday morning of last week. The funeral services were held at the German Lutheran church Sunday afternoon, and burial was conducted by the Modern Woodmen. The Machinists' Union was represented by a special committee, and the local presented a handsome floral offering. Interment was at Wyuka.

THE BRICKLAYERS

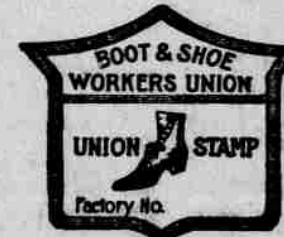
There is trouble brewing between the Bricklayers and Masons and the Operative Plasterers. Not here in Lincoln, but internationally. President Bowen of the Bricklayers and Masons insist that President Donlin of the Operative Plasterers is not doing the square thing and living up to the agreement.

The Minneapolis workhouse some time ago went into the brickmaking industry, using the city prisoners. Over two million bricks are now on hand, and the city can not sell them. Union teamsters refuse to haul them, contractors refuse to buy them, and union bricklayers wouldn't touch one of them with a forty-foot pole. Local brick manufacturers protested without avail against using convict labor in the making of brick, but when they asked the union men to help they got what they went after.

All this talk from a lot of "high brows" in the building trades section of the A. F. of L. to "organize bricklayers" if the B. M. I. U. again refuses to affiliate is tommyrot. If the

Bricklayers do not want to affiliate, that's their business. If the Federation "high brows" want to find where to get off at let them start right out trying to organize "scab" unions. We believe the Bricklayers ought to affiliate, but if the A. F. of L. wants to start something, just let it begin the little job of coercing.

Swanson A. Swanson, father of Gus Swanson, one of the prominent members of the local Bricklayers' Union, died at the home of his son, 2786 E Street last Monday. Mr. Swanson was 79 years old, and for some time had suffered greatly from Bright's disease. All that loving hands could do was done to make easy his last hours. The good old father sank to sleep with the faces of many of his loved ones around him. The funeral services were held at the United Brethren church, Eighteenth and N streets, Thursday afternoon, and interment was in Wyuka. Three sons and three daughters survive. To them, and especially to "Gus," the heartfelt sympathy of the trades unionists of Lincoln is extended.



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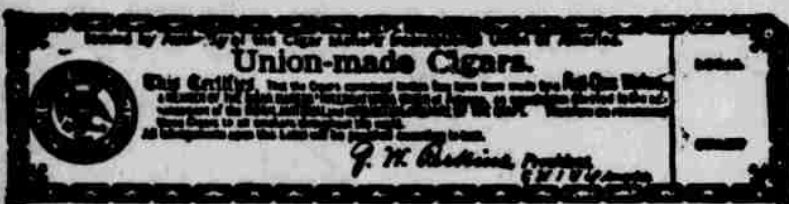
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