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NOTED SUFFRAGISTS WILL SPEAK HERE MONDAY NIGHT

Two members of the National Woman's party, Miss Mabel Vernon of Nevada and Mrs. Lawrence Lewis of Philadelphia, will speak in Duluth Monday night, Oct. 22, at Coffin's dancing academy, Lake avenue and First street. Miss Vernon represented the National Woman's party at the conference of the League of Liberals held in St. Louis last April, and was a member of the committee appointed by that conference to urge upon the president the immediate passage of the suffrage amendment as a war measure. Miss Vernon was the only woman invited to speak at the conference of the Nonpartisan league in St. Paul in September. Mrs. Lewis is one of the suffragists who has not only worked and spoken for suffrage, but has served a workhouse sentence for insisting upon her right to petition the government for political liberty.

LAUNCH MOVEMENT TO FORM LOCAL BRANCH OF ALLIANCE

Trades Assembly Appoints Committee to Have Charge of Organization; Organizer Ross of Bakers Makes Lengthy Talk.

After awaiting instructions from the officers of the American Alliance for Labor and Democracy in regard to organization details, the Federated Trades Assembly, at its meeting last Friday night in Owl's hall, appointed a committee of five to co-operate with W. E. McEwen, local A. F. of L. organizer, in the formulation of plans for the organization of a local branch of the alliance. The committee consists of J. E. Jensen, chairman; E. A. Sabel, W. J. Dutcher, R. J. Coole and Henry Perault.

Mr. McEwen, in a communication to the assembly several weeks ago, broached the proposition of forming a local branch, but action was postponed, while Secretary Dutcher was instructed to obtain full particulars from the alliance officers. Last Friday night a communication was received from Secretary Morrison, explaining the objects and purposes of the organization, including a copy of the declaration of principles. With but one dissenting vote, the delegates voted to launch a local branch. It is expected that a report on the progress of the movement will be made at the next meeting of the assembly.

The delegates from the Carpenters and Painters' unions stated that the Bowman Construction company was erecting a building at First avenue East and First street, and requested the appointment of a committee to interview the contractor and endeavor to secure a union agreement on the work. The following were named on the committee: J. J. Anderson, H. Stevens and E. Munkeby.

A communication was received from the Collar Makers' union stating that union-made collars may be procured at The Big Duluth and Floan & Levereos.

Ross Makes Talk.

Herman Ross, international organizer for the Bakers' union, made a lengthy talk in which he related the growth of his union in the last few years, saying that one of the largest eastern firms, employing 800 men, in 14 plants, had been unionized, and that generally the bakers were prosperous, despite the fact that many of them were being called to the military service, creating a shortage of men, and a consequent demand for women bakers. Mr. Ross was in the Twin Cities during the recent street car strike and told an interesting account of the events leading up to the settlement. He emphasized the necessity of union men helping one another by purchasing union-made goods, thanked the delegates for the support given the local Bakers' union, and asked a continuation of such support.

According to Mr. Ross, the Zinsmaster-Smith bakery is still unfair, and the Boycott of Butternut bread is still in effect.

Delegate Sabel of the Barbers' union reported that two proprietors, J. H. Sullivan and A. Tesdahl, among those recently placed on the unfair list, had signed agreements with his local. He urged patronage of only those shops which displayed the union shopcard.

The appointment of two housewives to voluntary report price changes and other data weekly to the Food Administration at Washington was postponed until the next meeting.

President Murnan presided at the meeting and there was a fair attendance.

FAIL TO PAY UNION WAGES TO PAINTERS

Complaints Against Railroad and Ship Company Made at Painters' Meeting.

Many important matters were considered at the meeting of Painters' Union No. 106 last Tuesday evening at Brown's hall.

Business Agent Munkeby reported that the D. M. & N. railroad was employing about 20 painters at Proctor, who were being paid \$3.65 for a 10-hour day, while the union scale is \$4.60 for eight hours. He also stated that the McDougall-Duluth company at Spirit lake was employing five painters at less than the union scale for a nine-hour day. He expressed the belief that the patriotism of these two companies might be appealed to in order to obtain union conditions and wages.

A communication was received from the Bowman Construction company stating that union painters would be employed on the building being erected at First avenue East and First street by that firm. A committee from the Trades Assembly had visited Mr. Bowman, and is given credit for having induced that action.

Butternut on Unfair List.

A communication was received from the Bakers' and Confectioners' union, stating that the Zinsmaster-Smith bakery was still unfair to the latter, and that the boycott against Butternut bread was still in effect. All union men are urged to refrain from purchasing that brand of bread.

A donation of \$5 was made to the Molders' Mooney defense fund, to be used in the attempt to secure Mooney's freedom.

Many indorsements are still coming in for the candidacy of J. E. Jensen for the fourth vice presidency of the international brotherhood, and indications are that he will make a strong bid for that office at the election to be held Dec. 9.

A communication was received from the State Federation of Labor, urging that all contributions made to tobacco funds for the soldiers be sent to the fund conducted by the A. F. of L., which will be expended for union-made tobacco only.

The relief committee reported that S. M. Lindberg was on the sick list.

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FLOAN & LEVEROOS

THREE HURT WHEN ELEVATOR DROPS

Cable Breaks on Lift at Bridge-man-Russell's New Building.

Three men were seriously injured and several other workmen had narrow escapes from injuries when a heavily loaded temporary elevator at Bridge-man-Russell's new plant at Eleventh avenue West and Michigan street, broke Tuesday morning. The elevator was being hoisted to one of the upper stories of the structure and besides carrying three men was laden with materials. The cable broke and the elevator crashed to the ground.

Andrew Nelson, 209 Third avenue West, and Dominick Marz, 126 West Michigan street, sustained fractured ankles while Theodore Graham, 1904 Baxter avenue, Superior, suffered a fracture of the ribs and bruises about the body. These three fell with the elevator. They were removed to St. Mary's hospital. They were employed by Farnum Bros., contractors, who have charge of the construction of the building.

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TRAINMEN HEAR VICE PRESIDENT

A. F. Whitney Tells Local Lodge About Work of Brotherhood.

A. F. Whitney, vice president of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen of Chicago, addressed a meeting of Duluth Lodge No. 831, Sunday evening, at Woodman hall, in the West End.

Mr. Whitney outlined briefly the results of the various general committee meetings in St. Paul and Minneapolis where he has been assigned by the grand lodge to assist the committee on the Great Northern, Northern Pacific, Minneapolis and St. Louis, "Omaha" and So. lines. He charged the members present with the importance of careful consideration and preparation of all grievances to avoid embarrassment of the committees handling grievances and the necessity of faithful observance of the laws of both the railways and the brotherhood.

The vice president also outlined agreements recently entered into with nearly all western railroads, where the seniority rights of the members of the brotherhood who are now or will be called upon for military or naval service will be protected. This ruling was agreed to by the various managements and will automatically reinstate them to their former positions at the close of the war or upon being honorably discharged.

Mr. Whitney in conclusion admonished the members to perform their duty to their employers and the brotherhood fearlessly, intelligently and with the high degree of integrity that the brotherhood teaches, remembering always the "Golden Rule," "Do unto others as you would have them do unto you."

Sunday afternoon Mr. Whitney addressed a meeting of Superior Lodge No. 450 at Tower hall. Many members of the brotherhood were present from surrounding towns.

PUBLIC MEETING

Miss Mabel Vernon of Nevada and Mrs. Lawrence Lewis of Philadelphia, of the National Woman's Party, will speak at

TARMO HALL
Lake Avenue and First Street
MONDAY, OCT. 22
8 P. M.

GREENE TALKS OF PATRIOTISM

At Meeting of Carpenters; Gold Ring Presented to President Skrove.

County Attorney Warren E. Greene made a patriotic address at the meeting of Carpenters' union No. 361 last Tuesday evening at Rowley hall. He explained why the United States entered the war, and urged each one to be loyal and patriotic in his support of the government. Mr. Greene held the closest attention of the members for about an hour.

President Samuel Skrove was presented with a handsome gold ring with the carpenters' emblem in recognition of his services. Mr. Skrove is foreman of the construction work on houses being erected at the shipbuilding plant at Spirit lake, and twenty new members. His influence has resulted in the closed shop on that work.

Councilman Wahlquist of Minneapolis, formerly state organizer for the carpenters, is in the city on a short visit and made a brief speech. A large number of communications were received and other routine business was transacted.

Refreshments were served at the conclusion of the meeting.

WANT PROBE OF COAL SITUATION

City Commissioners Ask State Public Safety Commission to Investigate.

P. G. Phillips, commissioner of utilities, at the council meeting last Monday afternoon, introduced a resolution, which was unanimously adopted, asking the state public safety commission to make a thorough investigation of the local coal situation. There was only a short discussion, the commissioners agreeing that coal prices are exorbitant, and that the alleged shortage on the local docks should be looked into. The resolution follows:

Whereas, The residents of the city of Duluth are compelled to purchase coal for heating and other purposes at prices which, in the opinion of this council are considered exorbitant.

Resolved, That this council hereby requests the state safety commission of the state of Minnesota to make a thorough investigation of the conditions surrounding the so-called coal situation, with a view of relieving, at least partially, the unjust burden that has been placed upon our citizens.

ORGANIZING WOMEN.

SIoux CITY, Iowa, Oct. 18.—The trades and labor assembly has placed a woman organizer in the field to interest her sex in the benefits of trade unionism.

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Jackson—Plain white corded; pink, blue and tan. Size 72x84; value \$10.00 Special.....\$8.50

No. 4035—5-inch block plaid; four colors; size 72x80; value \$12.00. Special.....\$9.75

Hamilton—Finest quality wool; plain, with border; size 78x90; value \$18.00. Special.....\$14.50

Sinclair—Fine hair stripe plaid (no finer quality); size 78x80; value \$18.00. Special.....\$15.50

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A heavy Stephenson Union Suit with closed crotch is a splendid garment, \$1.75.

"Superior" cotton ribbed Union Suits at 75 cents have a very nice feel and do not scratch.

The well known Lambsdown fleece Union Suits—same old quality and price—\$1.00.

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An ivy green double breasted Trench Coat at \$17 that has all the style lines of the higher priced garments.

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DEATH SUMMONS DULUTH PIONEER

J. M. U. Thompson, aged 81, a pioneer resident of Duluth, died last Saturday night at St. Luke's hospital. The funeral was held Monday, with interment in Forest Hill cemetery.

Mr. Thompson is well known among the older residents, having lived in this city for many years, coming here in 1870. At one time he held extensive land interests and was reputed to be very wealthy, but suffered business reverses in the panic of 1893.

Mr. Thompson is survived by three daughters and seven sons: Mrs. Read, Mrs. Clara E. Le May of Corsicana, Texas; Mrs. Bertha A. Wood of Buffalo, N. Y.; William F. and Horace H. Thompson of Duluth, Charles E. and Walter S. Thompson of Mahtowa, John P. Thompson of Barnum, Arthur M. Thompson of Barkdale, Wis., and Alfred R. Thompson of Jamestown, N. D.

One son, John, of Barnum, is publisher of the newspaper there, and was a charter apprentice member of Typographical Union No. 136, the first local organized in Duluth.

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