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DECOYING BRITISHERS TO CANADA

Capitalist's Mad Attempt to Shift its Unemployed.

Toronto, Aug. 13. I have received a somewhat indignant letter of remonstrance from Mr. A. W. Patten, M. P. for Winnipeg, with regard to statements made in the Clarion, in reference to his attitude on the immigration question. I pointed out in that letter that he had other things to do than not oppose the immigration question. In reply he sends me copies of his speeches in which, I am bound to admit, he has vigorously defended the importation of mechanics and the consequent damage to the government agencies in facilitating broadcast statements to the effect that mechanics are needed in Canada. On this point he has spoken at length and planned to do so again. The tenor of his speeches shows an ignorant grasp of the situation and a limited, narrow view of the question. He attacks merely the symptoms of the system, instead of the system itself. He fails to see that so long as the supposed need of encouraging the immigration of farm labor is made the excuse for maintaining a huge and expensive staff of officers and the machinery will be provided for introducing all sorts of labor at the bidding of the capitalist class and the government. Instead of boldly taking the ground that the expenditure of the immigration money to induce any sort of immigration is an unjust and standing up, single-handed if need be, as any good socialist would do, to oppose by voice and vote all applications for such a purpose, he twaddles about "discriminate" immigration and, in his speech of July 22nd, expressly disclaims hostility to the system, and repeats the usual capitalist nonsense about the benefit of the immigration as a commodity. In short, he is thoroughly under the influence of the idea that the farm laborer belongs to a special race and will stay just where he is dumped down and remain a tiller of the soil all his life. We in Ontario know by experience the influx of farm laborers simply means bringing in more competitors in the less skilled lines of city factory work. Does a man who is a Canadian-born farm hand not rights? Why should he any more than the mechanic or the mill hand? Why should the representatives of labor workmen and keep his wages low? The capitalists at whose behest immigration is being carried on by the British press with lies to the effect that working men wanted in Canada, can very well afford to smile as long as the prospect of getting rid of the British press with lies to the effect that working men wanted in Canada, can adopt such a weak and futile line of attack. But then what better can you expect of those who are not socialists?

for information as to local conditions, and especially where others were any strikers or labor troubles. The other day he called the Ontario Labor Council, stating that the "New West" Coal Company were advertising extensively for men for the Fernie mines. He said that he had written them, but they would not reply. He really means that he had written them, but they would not reply. He really means that he had written them, but they would not reply. He really means that he had written them, but they would not reply.

WHY NOT WRITE TO THE FATHERS?
The British press are taking a great deal of interest in Canada just now. They have been largely loaded up by the capitalists with the news that Canada affords practically an illimitable field for immigration. Why should they not write to the fathers of the way? The trade unionists are beginning to wake up and have put forth their objections. It is very difficult here that have had some effect. An occasional manifesto is all very well, but what is needed is for every individual who can tell a plain straightforward story, even if his grammar is a little shaky and his spelling uncertain, to write to some British paper and give the facts as regards his own trade or locality. The centers and the hourly time will do it. Such a movement is particularly desirable at the present time, when the British capitalists are touring the country under capitalist auspices and in charge of an immigration office. Of course, they will not be allowed to visit the so-called factories of the so-called workers. They will probably adduce some large and well-stocked stock of misinformation passed by the British public. What is needed is for the friends of the British capitalists and labor unionists put themselves more thoroughly in touch with their British comrades and the socialist and radical press and keep them posted and we can effectively checkmate the immigration project and the conditions here for the British public. What is needed is for the friends of the British capitalists and labor unionists put themselves more thoroughly in touch with their British comrades and the socialist and radical press and keep them posted and we can effectively checkmate the immigration project and the conditions here for the British public.

FIGHT THE WHOLE SYSTEM

I am sometimes accused of unnecessarily antagonizing the labor unions. I do not mean to do so. I mean to take an independent line. It is an important matter however in which we as socialists can and should not be content to follow the lead of the labor unions. It is important to define the line between the labor unions and the socialist movement. It is important to define the line between the labor unions and the socialist movement. It is important to define the line between the labor unions and the socialist movement.

THE COMING ELECTIONS

Socialists here are watching with close interest the contest in British Columbia. The friends of the labor unions are splendidly fighting the comrades of the Pacific Province are putting up an unfortunately mingled with regret and indignation. The friends of the labor unions are splendidly fighting the comrades of the Pacific Province are putting up an unfortunately mingled with regret and indignation. The friends of the labor unions are splendidly fighting the comrades of the Pacific Province are putting up an unfortunately mingled with regret and indignation.

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The False Attitude of Society Towards its Own Creation.

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ANOTHER CAPITALIST CONSPIRACY

Getting Ready to Crush the Workers into Submission—Ballot List.

For the benefit of the workers, and lackeys of capitalism within the ranks of labor for the purpose of serving their own traitorous ends, the "Clarion" desires to draw attention to the following striking illustration of the conspiracy of interest between the men who buy labor power—wage-slaves—and the men who sell labor power—to fill an empty stomach. Hereofore the trades unions have fought for:

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DELUDED SLAVES IN GOLD FIELDS

Editor Western Clarion.—There arrived in Fernie on August 13th a batch of miners, numbering fifty, from England, lured out here by the Coal Company advertisements in English papers, to the effect that \$4 a day and more could be earned out here by the Coal Company. They found big wages all a myth and jobs not sufficient to go on. They were treated like slaves and with like treatment at the hands of the pliers. They said conditions are no right, no law, no money exists in Canada as elsewhere, strikes had conditions, and unemployed, are found also. In spite of the fact that they are badly used at the hands of the capitalist class, they do not yet realize there is a solution to the problem.

OLD CAPITALISM IN GLORIOUS AUSTRALIA

If there was ever any need of proof to demonstrate the abortive efforts of the "Labor" Party, it is contained within the limits of capitalism. The Clarion has secured such a view at first hand, Austin Stanley, a general type of the British workman, arrived in Vancouver by the steamer Ararat on Thursday the 12th inst. from the gold fields of Victoria, Australia.

THE "SOCIAL EVIL"

We are not in a condition to engage in the stone throwing business—not even the Reform (Maclean) party. Some of the city fathers are to be believed.

A NECESSARY EVIL

From the lips of Christ (57) men and women have I heard it proclaimed that for the existence of such "unnatural" evils, there must be a certain amount of evil in the world.

GIVEN ME THE MEANS OF LIFE

Natural life—and see how many will give up their lives for the sake of a few dollars. The "Labor" Party, in its present form, is a failure.

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LESSONS IN SOCIAL ECONOMY

For Local Classes.

These lessons will be printed regularly in this paper through the year and local classes may be organized for their study wherever the comrades may wish to do so.

LESSON NO. 2—WHY THE EARTH EXISTS.

THE STORY.

The earth exists because something made it exist. It did not come to us as we see it, without something making it so.

It is changing all the time. In some places where palm trees used to grow are now great fields of ice.

You have seen the water boiling away in the kettle. What is meant by boiling away is that it is made so hot that it cannot be held together.

It is the clouds go long way up into the sky where it is very cold before they send the rain down to the ground.

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of prints were passing when the plane was ascending. The Holy City, "a shooting gallery," one of them reported. "I don't know," the other replied. "Somebody else must have made most anyone want to shoot to the Holy City played as bad as that."

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TEMPEST IN A TEAPOT

Editor Western Clarion, Dear Sir—

The accompanying letter, from the Victoria Trades and Labor Council, was received by me on Friday, August 13, 1926.

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Refrigerator, and the Omaha Packing and the St. Louis Dressed Beef and the National Car Line. The name of the National Car Line. The general offices will be in Chicago. One consolidation plan places in the hands of one company absolute control of the principal refrigerator car lines used in the transportation of fresh meats and products.

GOD NOT ON THEIR SIDE.

An old-time receipt of Wells-Fargo says that a light airplane was shot down in the mountains of Colorado. The pilot was killed. The plane was destroyed. The wreckage was scattered over a wide area. The pilot's body was not recovered.

Organize and Educate.

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