

BIG WAGES BUT NO BREAD.

American workmen who have steady jobs at wages which enable them to live decently need not envy the workmen of Budapest, who, according to report, are to receive by order of the new soviet government, wages ranging from \$3,300 to \$5,000 a year.

One does not need to have studied economics a lifetime to foresee clearly the early and complete failure of this amazing wage scale. Russian workmen, whether idle or at work, have drawn such wages now for many months. Yet how many of them during that time have starved to death? How many of them are not at this moment sick unto death of the system which insures them high wages, but no bread? How many of them would not give everything they possess just to exchange their present lot for the lot of the comfortable and happy American workman?

Budapest laborers, we are told, are not only getting \$75 a week, but they are loafing on their jobs. They spend their days in riding in other men's autos, and their nights eating and drinking up the city's scanty reserves of food and liquor. How long will it be before both the reserves and the government's supply of money are exhausted? The government can, of course, issue more paper money, but it will be worthless outside of Hungary and will not buy food from abroad. Uncle Sam, out of the bigness of his heart, may feed these people for a time and trust them to pay the bill when they sober up, but he will not do this always. And when Uncle Sam cuts off the food supplies, what will happen?

It is extremely unfortunate for the Hungarian workmen that they have no level-headed old Sam Gompers to lead them. Gompers would tell them, if they would only listen to his advice, that they are killing the goose that lays the golden eggs; that they are destroying Hungary's whole industrial and economic fabric; that no industry can thrive or even exist for long under the conditions they have set up; in short, that they are now headed straight for perdition.

Bolshevism will, of course, wear itself out soon in Europe. Let us hope that it does not destroy everything in its path first. And let us thank God that American labor and American labor leaders are wise enough to understand that for this country to embark on the bolshevist program could only result in their early and utter ruin. —Augusta Chronicle.

WILL DISCUSS FREEDOM OF SEAS

Charles Zeublin Selects Timely Topic for Chautauqua Address.

Authority on National and International Problems Will Also Appear in Government Ownership Debate.

Every American should be interested in such vital topics as the freedom of the seas and government ownership of railroads, which will be discussed at the coming Redpath Chautauqua. These are questions which must be thoroughly considered if we are to make a wise decision as to future policy.

Charles Zeublin has spent a lifetime studying national and international



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problems. He will be a principal in the debate on government ownership on the fourth night of the Chautauqua and on the fourth afternoon he will lecture on "The Great Highway," a study of the freedom of the seas, and other timely questions.

Mr. Zeublin's philosophy of life is uncompromisingly set forth. He believes absolutely in the masses of the people, unorganized and inarticulate, but potential in possibilities. Mr. Zeublin is a constructive, eloquent, authoritative speaker.

Have you seen the special lot of Tennis Oxforas for 50c a pair at J. C. Burns & Co.

DEATH IN CROSS HILL.

Mrs. Dora Workman, Wife of Mr. Jeff J. Workman, Passed Away Saturday. Letter from Butler Black.

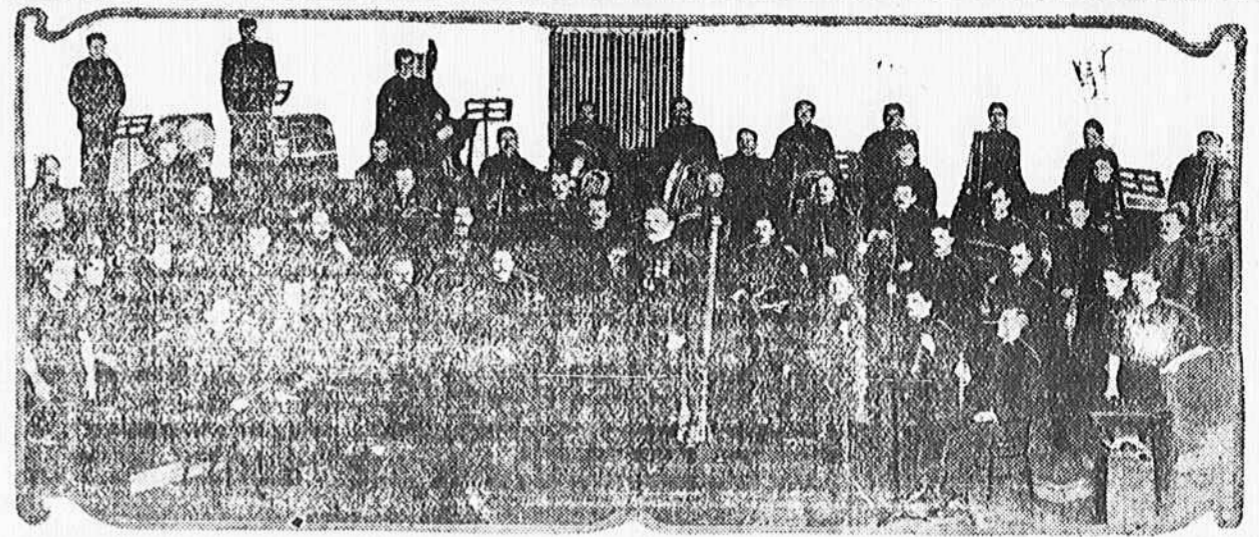
Cross Hill, April 7.—Mrs. Dora Workman, wife of Mr. Jeff J. Workman, who suffered an attack of paralysis last Sunday week, died Saturday morning from the effects of the stroke. It was hoped the first few days that she might rally from this attack but by the middle of the week her condition grew worse and all hope of her recovery vanished. Gradually growing weaker she lingered, however, until Saturday morning. Her decease was especially sad because she leaves a husband in a helpless condition. Mr. J. J. Workman has been a great sufferer for a number of years from an injured limb. Though the member was amputated a few years ago, this did not relieve the trouble and he has been unable to walk ever on crutches. The funeral services of Mrs. Workman were held at their home here Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, conducted by her pastor, Rev. John G. Wilson. Interment was in the Baptist cemetery in the presence of an unusually large concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends. Before marriage Mrs. Workman was Miss Dora Huff, of Newberry county. She was 68 years of age and leaves besides her invalid husband several children and grandchildren. She was a member of the Baptist church here and had always exercised a motherly care

and tenderness for her children, as well as a Christian spirit toward others. The deepest sympathy and fervent prayer go out to the bereaved father and children.

Many friends, as well as relatives were glad to see Mr. Joe Pinson and family of Coronaca here Sunday. They were visiting Mrs. Pinson's sister, Mrs. W. H. Turner. Mr. Pinson is the superintendent of a large Sunday School at Coronaca and was here in time to attend a school Sunday morning. As regular as the day comes he wants to go to Sunday school. We heard an editor of a denominational paper say once that people can get used to anything, and when they do it is no trouble to do that thing. So they could soon get used to taking his paper and then it would be no trouble. There is much truth in this, especially in going to Sunday School.

Mr. David Black recently received a letter from his son Butler Black in France, written March 2, 1919, relating some of his experiences in the war. Among many things he says he suffered two attacks of the flu which kept him in the hospital for ten weeks. But he went over the top all the same. He was in the trenches six weeks in mud shoe-top deep. Occasionally he would be permitted to rest in a dugout at night. He has had enough of army life and wants to return home. Mr. Black was married only a few months before enlisting in the service. Cross Hill has several other boys still in France whom we are anxious to see

Bohumir Kryl and his Great Band Fifth Day of Redpath Chautauqua



Bohumir Kryl and his great band will be one of the features of the coming Redpath Chautauqua. The band is to appear on the fifth day, afternoon and night, and at both concerts Mr. Kryl will conduct personally. The band which is to make this tour will comprise 30 to 35 of Mr. Kryl's best players.

coming home and whose mothers and wives are waiting with anxious expectation for that happy time.

NOTICE

Soldiers or widows wishing to go on Pension Roll are advised to apply at once so the roll may be completed. O. G. Thompson.

ENGLISH LABOR DEMANDS SPEEDING UP OF PEACE

Executive Committee Wants Paris Conference to Stop Discussion.

The national executive committee of the Labor party of England at a meeting Thursday formulated a statement of policy demanding that the Paris

conference put an end to the protracted discussions and make peace in accordance with President Wilson's fourteen points.

The Labor party also demands the withdrawal of the conscription bill, the cessation of military interference in Russia and the speedy withdrawal from that country of British troops.

THE SPIRIT OF EASTER IN CLOTHES

THIS year we feel that Easter is bringing a new birth to the world; time honored institutions and traditions have gone; new ideals of democracy have come.

This same spirit has been carried over even into clothes buying; it shows in the desire for new styles, fresh fabrics—something finer and better than you men have ever had before.

It was with this in mind that we bought for you—the best merchandise obtainable, the finest styles; rich all-wool fabrics; careful tailoring; suits and overcoats made by **Hart Schaffner & Marx** Clothes that are the best aid to dressing up; we know. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Easter Styles for Young Men

The trim waisted, chest-out appearance that the new waist-seam models give you is just the thing for Easter; stylish; in new colorful patterns. Many touches that are new and different, and that impart an air of dressiness; in all sizes.

Easter Clothes for Older Men

Two and three button sacks in all the rich new fabrics; oxfords; serges; worsteds—you'll like them all. A large selection to choose from. We guarantee fit and satisfaction.



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