





DOBBLY? "Dixie" do? try, too, eyes, a liberty, it to me, a way, Bill, dy. rial Union; line; color, ck right in and join, probably

**'PRECIOUS AMERICANS,' AS AN EXCUSE FOR WAR, SAUERKRAUT VERSUS 'COFFEE'**

Well known types of Americans are catalogued under the following heads: Brew mugs, harrishorned, Bowerly cow-punchers, etc. It is the Bowerly cow-punchers that a whole lot of fuss is now made. Why? you ask. Well, it's this way: The Bowerly cow-punchers they ship out on British tank transports carrying live stock just so that they may be enabled to gather a few dollars' worth of loot to be hoarding and guzzling down "coffee" and to hold body and soul together.

The Kaiser, being uninformed about the importance of Mister Hoffmann's position in American society, proceeds to try the "coffee" standard by sending "Jones" transports down to havey Jones' beach there. The use of his atrocious submarines, Oh, horrors!

One case in point of the atrocious manner of handling of "precious Americans" Bowerly cow-punchers, was that of the man named Severance, who was captured by the British S. S. "Barnard" by the German commerce raider "Mow". Our American heroes were taken on a German submarine and were there where they were compelled, mind you, to bathe once a week, and eat frankfurters and sauerkraut instead of "coffee". Ye gods! What punishment to inflict on a gang of Bowerly Cow-punchers. Kaiser Bill, you'll have to take it out, that's all. Mr. Rockefeller's gang will sow it to us, we sacrifice the lives of millions of Tank Scurvillor workmen to uphold the flag safe but what a price we pay on "coffee" and remain crucified.

**NO DIFFERENCE**

"If the states wish to have policemen to take care of strikes, etc. let them employ state constabulary and let the industrial Union be the force." McCrea of the Iowa National Guard, speaking at the National Guard Convention, He added: "In my experience, there will be a uniform militia of 600—all literature at all expense, food, clothing, etc., literature will be furnished for direct to the General Recruiting Union.

**THE RECRUITING UNION**

The Recruiting Union will function in the same manner with the General Recruiting Union as branches do with the Industrial Union. All supplies will be furnished from the General Recruiting Union and charged at the rate of \$2.00—uniform monthly fee of 60¢—all literature at all expense, food, clothing, etc., literature will be furnished for direct to the General Recruiting Union.

**AGRICULTURAL WORKERS' ORGANIZATION NOTES**

William Mosbacher, Eddie Post and John Williams appeared in Court today. As to their absolute innocence of the crime for which they are charged there is no question. As to the biased attitude of the Court and the officers of the law in Des Moines there is no question. They failed to arrest those responsible for the murder. To admit this to the public, Des Moines would just the officers in a bad light. The chief of police openly stated that someone could swing for the murder. He is not so much concerned in whether it is the right party, so long as he is causing someone to swing for the murder. He also admits when he makes that statement that there is a great doubt in his mind about the men under arrest being the right ones. He wants to square himself and will do so even at the expense of causing an innocent man to swing. We have put every effort to see that these men have proper legal counsel. We need some handling of Mr. Hoffmann.

**METAL MINERS 800.**

O. H. Perry, secretary of 800, writes: "I have been delegated to meet at Marshallfield, Oregon, next Monday. Buster Creek, Calif. and a great many at Alhambra, Utah and Colorado.

**GOVERNMENT.**

Government is not running. It is a dangerous servant for a moment should be made; never for a permanent one. The Government is responsible to the people. George Washington.

**W. M. D. HAYWOOD**

W. M. D. Haywood, Secretary of the I. W. U., is in Chicago, Ill., at the present time. He is the only man in the world who has been arrested for the crime of being a revolutionary.

**WILL YOU HELP FREE DAVID CAPLAN**

On the 10th of January David Caplan went to the penitentiary. After a second trial lasting ten days during which the evidence was freely predicted, the jury brought in a verdict of voluntary manslaughter. This was a virtual acquittal upon the murder charge upon which he was convicted.

**SCENE ON BOARD A Q AND K LAKE PASSENGER BOAT.**

Captain-T to Scissorsbill watchman: "Go and see what that stick on the flag staff is." Scientist Wat: "Aye, aye, sir." Returning: "It's a sticker sir that says keep what you have and get as much as you can. By joining and getting into the Union, you believe they belong to the I. W. U., sir." Captain: "To hell you say! are there any of those anarchists on my boat?" Scientist Wat: "I have 'em all put off in Buffalo, Mr. Mate." Mate (who has just woken up to the fact that he has a wobbly crew) to captain: "We are rounding the point of Direct Action sir; bound straight for Sabotage."

**I. W. W. LITERATURE, LOTS OF IT**

I. W. W. Publishing Bureau, 164 W. Washington St., Chicago, Room 307. Pamphlets at 10¢ Each, or \$3.50 Per Hundred.

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- Patriotic and the Worker (Herve). Onward Sweep of the Machine (Herve).

Pamphlets at 10¢ Each, or \$5.00 Per Hundred.

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- When the Leaves Come Out—Poems (Chaplin), 50¢ copy..... 35.00 per 100

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I. W. W. History, Structure and Methods, 10¢ each.....\$5.00 per 100

**POLISH—**

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I. W. W. Handbook, 10¢ each.....\$ 5.00 per 100

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Spanish, Hungarian, etc., literature from the respective papers. Other pamphlets, etc., in preparation will be announced later.

**ATLANTIC COAST NOTES M. T. W. 100**

A branch will be open on South street or near there in a couple of days in New York and this will give us a chance to line up a lot of workers getting near the water front in that neighborhood.

**WILL YOU HELP**

to raise money to appeal the case of David Caplan? We believe in him. On the evening of the day upon which the verdict was returned against him the Los Angeles City Council sent him greetings and an expression of its belief in his innocence.

**SPOKANE DISTRICT A. W. O. NOTES**

Latest advice from the Everett Defense Committee show that the legal aspects of the great trial are favorable to the defense. In spite of this, it must be borne in mind that the trial is only beginning. All efforts will be made by the master class to convict the prisoners. Don't forget that the I. W. W. is on trial. Money is still needed for the defense as the local union is still in a state of liquidation and verdict cannot be expected under six weeks.

Cards belonging to Fellow Workers T. Halverson, No. 34480, C. H. Kuitaa, No. 34498, Christ Peterson and John Curran have been stolen. Deloates and recovering agent instructed to take up the original cards where ever found and also to see that the individuals having them become familiar with the tactics of the I. W. W. A card belonging to James Murray No. 873 has been found, same can be had by the construction through any delegate or secretary.

Members who have applied for duplicate cards are requested to notify the construction office by enclosing a way that all his members in any one industry, or in all industries, if necessary, seek whenever a strike or other move is on in any department thereof, making an inquiry to see an inquiry to all matters of the conservative nature. It is fair day's wage for a fair day's work. The I. W. W. is in the same industry, therefore being default one another in any case. Moreover, the trade unions all the members in the same industry, thereby forming the structure of the new society within the shell of the old.

**STATEMENT OF OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, ETC., OF SOLIDARITY.**

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Sworn to and subscribed before me this 2nd of April, 1917. M. G. CONDIT, Notary Public.

**CLEVELAND M. T. W. NEWS**

The first annual convention of the Marine Transport Workers, Industrial Union in Australia, at Cleveland, O., March 25th, 1917, at 126 Champlain street.

**ALL TOGETHER NOW**

How does the idea of one big STICKERETTE DAY APRIL 29th, 1917 strike you?

**DON'T FORGET STICK 'EM UP!**

(Take this up at your next business meeting.)

**THE BOOK OF THE HOUR**

EVERYWHERE SLAVES ARE TALKING ABOUT SABOTAGE THESE DAYS. GIVE THEM A CHANCE TO FIND OUT WHAT IT REALLY MEANS. **SABOTAGE** EMILE POUGET I. W. W. PUBLISHING BUREAU CHICAGO PRICE 25¢ EACH 164 W. Washington Street CHICAGO

**Don't Forget Stickerette Day, APRIL 29, STICK 'EM UP.**

I. W. W. Hall Raided

(Continued from page 1) Following this episode a crusade... I. W. W. men were started on the streets. Any worker not having a guarantee of release...

MAY DAY CELEBRATION FOR DULUTH

On May 1, 1917, the city of Duluth... Local 496 and 497 affiliated locals of the I. W. W. in and around Duluth have decided to hold a demonstration...

OIL WORKERS OF TEXAS ORGANIZING IN I. W. W.

A. F. of L. Wants "Efficiency" for Bosses, but the O. B. U. Demands Shorter Hours and Better Pay (Special to Solidarity) Goose Creek, Texas. The boom is on, in full swing. Men are coming here in droves...

A NOTE FROM DES MOINES

Solidarity: Fellow Workers William Moseley and Jack Williams wish to express their appreciation for the prospect article taken in their behalf...

News from Everett. (Continued from Page 1)

regiment in the militia. The powers that be thought to have a few dollars and put two greenbacks at the work... NOT FIRED—TRANSFERRED. The chief deputy sheriff objected to my statement...

BOUNDS PHONY

The Everett unions of the I. W. W. are holding regular weekly meetings and they are well attended. The principal topic of interest just at present is the report of the trial being held in Seattle...

SUCCESSFUL SMOKER AND ENTERTAINMENT HELD FOR EVERETT DEFENSE

(Special to Solidarity) The I. W. W. of Minneapolis are doing their share toward the defense... Successful Smoker and Entertainment Held for Everett Defense

I. W. W.'S NEEDED IN KANSAS OIL FIELDS

The work in the Augusta and El Dorado, Kans. oil fields is about to start up, and there will be a shortage of men in the oil fields...

FAIR TRIAL FOR MOONEY?

Conservative "Clique" and Radical Membership Clash—W. D. L. Taksas A. F. of L. Organ To Talk. A recent issue of the San Francisco Labor Clarion contained an article under the heading "The Goodbye"

THE WHOLE STORY

Fellow Worker Dan Boyle writes in of the conditions in Lansford, Pa. He all the assistance they can and the organization to what unionism means...

WATCH YOUR NUMBER

Each subscriber will find a number opposite his name on the paper or card containing SOLIDARITY. For instance, 371. That number is subscription expired last week, and must be changed at once...

Construction and city bosses along the Santa Fe from Harshank, Okla., to Dalhart, Texas, are beginning to feel the power of the I. W. W. and in two districts the I. W. W. has emerged from its crypt victories.

Conditions on these jobs are rotten, and all foot-loose rebels coming that way stop and make these jobs their headquarters. Members and delegates are requested to send all job news-conditions and wages to the following branches...

The oil and gas workers' federal district is the A. F. of L. that are organizing here, but we can't be worried. The "roughnecks" will know which is the right way to organize...

The new headquarters at Cleveland intends to issue a propaganda leaflet for use on the lakes. A member of the executive committee will be stationed at each port on the lakes to carry on an aggressive campaign.

It is further stated that "no disposition was indicated to criticize the fairness of the trial for the defendants." The attempt to recede these contradictions by falling back upon an appeal of some kind...

N. Y. EVERETT MEETING

A successful International mass meeting on behalf of the Everett Free Press fighters was held at the Manhattan Lyceum on Sunday the 12th of April.

NEWS FROM ST. LOUIS

There has been no report in Solidarity from St. Louis. The reason for the unfortunate reason that there has been nothing to report...

MINNEAPOLIS LIVELY

The recruiting union of Minneapolis the A. W. O. and Construction workers are going on in the very best future—carry on a vigorous campaign of organization and education in this neighborhood...

ATTENTION, DETROIT READERS

Proganda meetings are being held every Sunday at 2:30 p. m. at the I. W. Hall, room 26, 60 Monroe Ave.

CRAFT STRIKE

A strike involving members of the White Hat Union (A. F. of L.) affecting all the Lower vaudeville houses in Greater New York is now in progress.

REBEL WORKMEN AND WOMEN OF NEW YORK CITY

Rebel workmen and women of New York City have their eyes on the "Reds" in their midst. The entire workers on the end of the line will know what action to take...

MINNEAPOLIS

Local 64 holds meetings every Sunday at 2:30 p. m. at the I. W. Hall, 11 1/2 Western Ave. Also a dance every Sunday night.

SERMONS G. O. D.

A Minnesota paper says, "Rev. Father Honder of Hibbing delivered a sermon Sunday against the I. W. W. and in particular against another organization."

REBELOUT

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RAGNAR JONASON LECTURE DATES

April 5—Denver, Colo. April 7, 8, 9 and 10—Salt Lake City, Utah. April 12—Butte, Mont. April 13—Missoula, Mont. April 14—Sand Point, Wash. April 15—Spokane, Wash.

NOTICE

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