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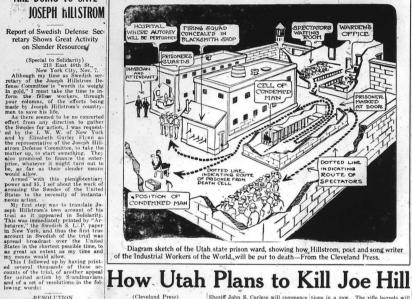
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SOVEREIGN STATE OF UTAH From JOSEPH O'CARROLL, Vagabond

We have decreed, and you reply to us! We had decreed, and this is your reply: "According to due process of Our Law— "According to Our Code Joe Hill must die.

"He has been given trial by his peers;
"By them found guilty, and so he must pay
"The Law's exact and equitable debt,—
"And he must die"!
Ah, this is what you say.

Must die! Ah no, consider just a while Our answer to your answer, and be still: "We have examined all your evidence, "And by our code we ask you for Joe Hill.

"For all your evidence perjured as palpably
"As any evidence by Pilate heard!
"Even by these your dull Iscariots
"No proofs of guilt adduced!
No not a word

"Heard by your hirelings (Ah no, not you "For you, are the exception). Pardon me! "For you are just, and no doubt independent."And for these reasons you will set Hill free.

"Let in to the void recess of your skull,
"Your phantomed skull, a little of the truth
"Of justice, unbiased, unblindfolded,
"Such as you may have dreamed of in your youth.

"Now Hill is guiltless by our edict passed."Unanimous the verdict of his peers!
"We do proclaim his freedom from this crime"
"For which you wish to shoot him it appears!

"Of course he is unquestionably guilty
"Of stirring youth's swift coursing blood with song,
"With reble chants of laughter, and of love
"And rebel chants of hate—
Ah, that is wrong!

"Admitted for the sake of argument
"But listen! Whisper just a little while.
"Tis not a hanging matter even now
"To sing a song of hatred as you smile.

"Consult your Blackstone and his kindred crew
"Interpreters of this you call the Law.
"Recall all your forensic platitudes
"All the drab precepts!
Is this what you saw

"On any page or sentence in these books "Devoted to this law's interpreting: "He shall be shot or hanged or imprisoned "Who shall have the audacity to sing"?

"Go slowly, Sir.! Go slowly yet awhile,
"Be just, just Sir—And if you must why frown
"Or weep or pray—But do not take their pay—
"For there's a jungle just this side of town.

"Strange beasts, unkempt and gaunt which you and yours "Have famished to satiety of Hate "Unsatisfied, are in this jungle town, "Beware, good Sir—or it may be too late!

"They know Joe's songs! Ah sir, these beasts of prey,
"They sing Joe's songs! Can I say more?—And yet
"Tomorrow if he's dead you'll feel and know.
"Tonight you merely glimpse a silhouette."

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Should the I.W. W. Take an Anti-War Pledge?

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 1, 1915

sary to the growth and development of a revolutionary organization. Without it, the I W would forthwith shrivel to the proportions of an insignificant sect, writing out formulas only.

If or revolution.

J. M. would have us believe that his pledge would save revolutionists from shouldering arms, in case of war. He intimates that the revolutionary socialists and unionists of Europe went to war because they had not taken some such pledge beforehand. But he forgets that some of these revolutionists, who since appear to us as linguistic, to say the least, TALKED misured to the standard of the standard o

With the workers in control of industry, wars cannot take place against their will. On the other hand, without that control on the side of the workers, no proclamations, resolutions, or pledges, no matter how strongly worded, will avail to prevent them from shouldering arms, if their masters order them to do so—unless, of course, they prefer to be shot by their "friends" insigned of taking a chance on escaping the bullets of their "energy of their "energy of their "order their content of their should be a support of the should be a suppo

Meanwhile, while laboring consistently to gather through One Big Union of the working class, the necessary power to determine our class destiny, in the matter of war as in other things, the I. W. W. may carry on a vigorous anti-militarist agitation, with stickers, leaflets, pamphlets, books, speeches, and through its press—as it actually is doing at the present time. Our correspondent may bring forward his pledge, if he thinks it will do any good, and get as many signatures to the Same as possible; but we should certainly consider it a grave mistake for the I. W. W., as such, to take it.

EDITOR SOLIDARITY.

Team Work to Make Solidarity Better

The writer has noticed with extreme pleasure the quantity quality of news articles appearing in Solidarity from North

The writer has noticed with extreme pleasure the quantity and quality of news articles appearing in Solidarity from North Dakota. Only those on the battle front know how often one has to lose sleep to send in news. There are thousands of L. W. W.'s working in all industries in the United States, and if we heard from a number of these in short news paragraphs as to job conditions, wages, food, etc., each week, Solidarity could print one or two columns of such news weekly. Editors cannot make news. They are not prophets or long-distance mental telepathists, and the efficiency of Solidarity depends as much on the membership as on editorial menagement. The membership and editor are doing their duty by the organization and a Another noticeable fact is that articles are mostly signed. There is an advantage in this, as knowing who the writer is improves the interest of the article. There have recently been a number of articles in Solidarity which I am going to talk over with the writers; others I have never met but I am going to if possible. Solidarity is worth a dollar a copy to the rebel quarantined on a Dakots farm. Some can suggest changes in Solidarity, such as the above, which requires only the co-operation of a larger staff of job correspondents, and some may suggest short paragraphs. Only those who have done parait it is for one man in addition to other work in and the darfar capitalist paper require the service of three or four different departments, to get out columns of short paragraphs. But the I. W. v. can do anything, if the team work this year so evident is brought into action. Solidarity, already the greatest labor. Should the I-W. W. Take an Anti-War Pledge!

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Just received my renewal subscription blank to Solidarity, to which I have subscribed for the past two years, and wish to say that I blank and the past two years, and wish to say that I blank and the past two years, and wish to say that I blank and the past the past two years, and wish to say that I blank and the past the publications upon the publications and the publ

Another of our problems is solved. The question has been how organize the "solid south"? The answer two can handle it easily and get the farmers to pay expenses while we are considered through the pay of the p

A Stupendous Project

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It is much the same with an idea, with an organization, with the I.W.W. We have a plan of organization with methods and tactics peculiar to this form, that the sitting process of years has proven correct. But like the "light under the bushel", the task yet remains of reaching the working class as a whole with this knowledge in such numbers, and plainly enough, that they may be induced to become a working part of an effective organization.

The answer suggests itself, in fact we have always been attempting it in a small way—AD-VERTISE THE I. W. W. ON A NATION-WIDE

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What would you say to such a plan that will secure for the Lw.W. an amount of advertising space equal to two and three quarter millions of country that the constraint of the control of t



The New International--The I. W. W.

The Inter-state Convention of the Italian I. W. W. Propaganda Leagues of Massachusetts, Rhode Island, New Hampshire and Verment, which met in Boston, Mass., Oct. 24, discussing the cruel conflict which is devastating the fairest lands of Europe, and exterminating millions of youthful lives, inflicting its heaviest damage upon the members of our class; Holds, that the present tragic conflagration is the logical consequence of the morality of rapine and plunder which inspires the action of all the beligrent nations of whatever political superstructure, from the constitutional democracy to the absolute autocracy, and that today as always the deadly violence of arms is called upon to settle, the antagonisms of interest which spring inevitable from expansionistic rivalries and mirrages of commercial supremacy;

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Retains, that the German Social Democracy and the trades union under its evil influence, which were the first called upon to face the mobilization order, have betrayed in a cover-tly manner the International to which they had falsely swonn allegiance, and have contributed to cloud the precise class viewpoint of those workers in other nations who had in the past swiled on exciton articularly activities as that their parcarried on serious anti-militarist activities, so that their par-

carried on serious anti-militarist activities, so that their participation in the war, although inconsistent, has the excuse of a great provocation;

Holds thrither, that the International which has succumbed, was composed of nationalistic groups, heterogeneous and antagonistic in character so that they could with difficulty be expected to oppose a united front to the war;

And decides, to insist upon the stand of hostility to the war which our official organ, "Il Proletario" now takes, holding that it is more than ever necessary today to expose the insuppressible class conflict, which no human catastrophe can alter our abolish.

pressible class conflict, which no human catastrophe can alter or abolish. Since the I. W. W., in its theoretical conceptions and in its technical structure, cancels the artificial distinctions of nationality, denying any value to the place of birth or language spoken, and uniting the WORKERS OF THE WHOLE WORLD, of all races, according to their socially useful industrial functions, we think it fitting that its should take the initiative in forming the met International, illowing the participation of those labor unions which recognize and accept the abolition of private property, the class struggle, direct action and a tenacious and violent opposition to militarism—the principal support of capitalist society which exploits, oppresses and throws us into fratricidal. war—and excluding and boycotting economic organizations like the A. F. of L. and all others in all countries which do not subscribe to the above revolutionary program.

(Copies of this motion to be sent to Solidarity, the Executive Board of the I. W. W., and all the revolutionary labor press at home and abroad. or abolish

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(Special to Solidarity)

Secrumento, Calif., Oct. 27.

The early political death of Hiram W. Johnson was forecasted here today when all the administration measures and
amendments, for which he had stumped the state for the last
three months, were defeated.

It is a sign that the people are getting very tired of having
politicians in office, and are looking around for men instead.

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jounch this time that it will take him quite awhile to get over.)

He is also very much elated over the fact that the city of Sacraramento stood by him, and gave him a majority on the amendments. He would have us believe that the disinterested voters
(meaning non-office holding voters) voted for him. But it was
the million-dollar a year pie-counter push who voted in Sacramento; and they voted for their political pie, and not for any
principle of government.

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Profits for James Schmidt Defense

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a result of developments in the United Textile Workers' convention held last The principal unions affected are those of the wavers, loomfaces, card-ore, ring spinners and mule spinners of New Befford and Fall River, and have a total membership of 12,000 to 15,000, which, although only a versuall part of the total number of the spinners of the total number of wavers a considerable influence on wares and other working conditions in this city and Fall River. Workers of America has heeve been as uccessful organization from the workers' stand-point from the time of its establishment of the constant internal friction, first call minating eight years ago in the sectoral of the constant internal friction, first call minating eight years ago in the sectoral of the constant internal friction, first call minating eight years ago in the sectoral of the constant internal friction, first call minating eight years ago in the sectoral of the constant internal friction, first call minating eight years ago in the sectoral of the constant internal friction, first call minating eight years ago in the sectoral of the constant internal friction, first call minating eight years ago in the sectoral of the constant internal friction, first call minating eight years ago in the sectoral of the constant internal friction, first call minating eight years ago in the sectoral of the constant internal friction, first call minating eight years ago in the sectoral of the constant internal friction, first call minating eight years ago in the sectoral call of the constant internal friction, first call minating eight years ago in the sectoral call of the constant internal friction, first call of the constant internal friction, firs

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